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FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: Polynesia-Tokelau Islands, Nukunono Island

People or Culture: Tokelau Islanders

Object: coconut leaf carrying basket (Kete)

Material: coconut leaves

Description: Plaited, oval shaped coconut leaf basket. Plaiting at bottom becomes a braid which forms a handle at each end of basket bottom and is then pulled thru each side of basket and knotted on outside.

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Dimensions: height 26.3; length 50.0; width 36.0.
(in cm.)

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