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FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: Australia, Melville Island

Field No.

People or Culture: Tiwi

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Object: BARK PAINTING. Title: "Purukapali Story: Rain Clouds and Rain."**Material:** Eucalyptus tetrodontus ("stringy bark") and indigenous paints.**Description:** Artist: Ali (Oruputuwa).
Black rings outlined in white connected by similar strips. Rings and strips have white and yellow dots inside. Rings represent rain clouds. Colors are white, black, yellow on brown background.

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[See collection notes.]

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Dimensions: Height: 88.0; Width: 60.0.
(in cm.)

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Collection: Gift of Mr. Louis A. Allen, 11/19/76;
accessioned 12/27/76.

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