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General Provenience: Polynesia New Zealand

Where collected:

Tribe:

Where made:

People: Maori

Attribution:

Culture:

Brief description: (Tewha-tewha) Weapon (broken)

Detailed description: Exceedingly rare old specimen of whale bone. Shaft is broken away below the incised ring. The remainder of the shaft is a flattened oval in section. Tip is broken away from the blade. The feather suspension hole is present, but no feather tassel. Drilling of suspension hole is present, but no feather tassel. Drilling of suspension hole is present, but no feather tassel. ^{See reverse.} Drilling of suspension hole is present, but no feather tassel.

DIMENSIONS (in cm.): hole is biconical. Fine, rare, old piece.

length: 79.3

height:

diameter:

width: 11.1

circumference:

Fuller Collection: Purchased from Captain A. W. F. Fuller of London, England, in 1958
 Collected by Admiral (then Captain) Moresby of H.M.S. Basilisk in 1874 and acquired by Fuller from his son, (over

H.M. Moresby B.E., on August 3, 1933. This specimen is
illustrated in Edge-Partington II, plate 231, #8.

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