

CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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General Provenience: **Polynesia Ellice Islands**

Where collected:

Tribe:

Where made:

People:

Attribution:

Culture:

Brief description: **Fishhook**

Detailed description: Composite fishhook with shank of pearl shell. Shank is strangely fitted with an additional piece of pearl shell tied to the main shank on the inner side. Barb is of bone and is tied to the shank with white thread. Hackle is of white bark. Upper end of shank is pierced by a ^{See reverse} single hole through which passes a short length of twisted sennit cord.

DIMENSIONS (in cm.):

length: 10.3

height:

diameter:

width:

circumference:

Fuller Collection: Purchased from Captain A. W. F. Fuller of London, England, in 1958
Formerly in the collection of Sir Everard Im Thurn. *Ac-*