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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Field No.

Provenience: San Equille (village), northern Liberia,
West Africa

People or Culture: GIO tribe, related to Dan

Object: Leg Ornament

Material: Brass, cast in lost wax method, whole
object is cast in one piece.

Description: Object comprised of 5 "C" shaped segments,
each consisting of 5 bells in the shape of a partially
opened "nut". A spiral motif is found 15 times bet-
ween each "nut", and a number of other times on the
"nuts" themselves. Each "nut" is open; none contains
a clapper. Color ranges from yellow brass to bronze.

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Dimensions: Ht. 13.7 Max. outside Diameter 16.0

(in cm.) Top inside diameter 9.7 x 8.0

Bottom inside diameter 9.7 x 6.3

Collection: Bernard Coleman collected this object in
1954 from a Chief Dennis at San Equille village.

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