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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Field No.

Provenience: Western Caroline Islands ; Tobi

People or Culture: Tobians

Object: belt

Material: wood, ground shell from sea, ground coconut shell, coconut fiber, glass,

Description:

Worn by women in dances. No social restrictions on wearer. Native name: bltáta.

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Dimensions:  
(in cm.)

length: 80.0

width: 5.5

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