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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: Western Caroline Islands ; Tobian

Field No.

People or Culture: Tobian

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Object: fishing tackle box

Material: wood, cord

Neg. No.

Description: These boxes used to carry fishing tackle, cigarettes, matches and other possessions when fishing by fishermen. Keeps possessions dry even if canoe capsizes since the box is water-tight and floats.

Dimensions: length: 58.0
(in cm.) width: 28.3

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Collection: Presented by Roland W. Force; Collector, 1956. Tri-Institutional Pacific Program Ethnological Expedition to Palau, 1954-1956.