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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: Western Caroline Islands; Palau**Field No.****People or Culture:** Palauan**Object:** pottery-making anvil

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Material: pottery

Description: Made for collector since no longer in use. Pottery has not been made for some years in Palau. According to informants who recalled the practices of the past, sometimes the anvil was used inside the pot and sometimes out. A paddle was used in conjunction with the anvil. Women

Neg. No.

Dimensions:
(in cm.)

(over)

see reverse

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

owned and used the anvils. Native name: tektik.

