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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM-ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: Western Nigeria, Shaki region

People or Culture: Yoruba

Object: Twin figure

Material: Wood, camwood powder, blueing, glass beads, cowries, undetermined metal, nut shell beads

Description: Standing female figure w/hands to sides; headdress in form of 4 truncate cones joined together at one side and decorated by incised herringbone pattern running vertically; metal studs in eyes; rendering of lip plug; string of nut shell beads around waist; string of glass beads around waist, ankles and left wrist; strings of cowries and cir-

Dimensions: clets of undeter. metal around each wrist.
(in cm.) Height: 24.75 cm.

Collection: Purchased from J. Underwood 5/67

