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Provenience: Africa East Africa Kenya

Field No.

People or Culture: Kikuyu or Masi^a? L.S.

Object: Snuff box

Material: Ivory, metal, leather

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Description: Snuff box hangs on double length chain of two different metals. Chain is tightly secured to sides of snuff box by two leather loops through hole in side. Chain also passes under bottom of snuff box. Snuff box of yellowed ivory is u-shaped with a rounded bottom. A band near center has lines carved in it. Cap of leather fits over top of box is attached to main chain by smaller circle of chain. See reverse for Collector's Tag Data.

Dimensions: Max. Length 49.5; Length of box 6.0.
(in cm.)

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Collection: Presented by Mrs. A. W. F. Fuller. 15 December 1965.
Collected by Captain A. W. F. Fuller

Collector's Tag Data: "British East Africa. Masai or Akikuyu tribes of Kenya. Snuff box of ivory. See "A Prehistoric People" by W.S. and K. Routledge, 1910, p.7, IX, fig. 1. 12 February, 1951."

