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Field No.

Provenience: Africa. N.E. Ivory Coast, near Sinematiali

People or Culture: Senufo

Object: Placard on headdress.

Material: wood, cane, cloth.

Description: Squarish wooden plaque carved out in center into open work theme of a quadrupedal animal, possibly a lizard. Three inverted truncate cones on upper edge perforated through center probably for insertion of feathers. Lower edges of placard fastened to high cap constructed of cane. Cap lined with cloth. Note; Placards of this sort are worn by the intermediate grade of the Lo Association during rites of initiation.

Dimensions: Length; 94.0 cm.
(in cm.) Width; 63.8 cm.

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Collection: Presented by Mr. Victor D. Du Bois
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