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Provenience: West Africa, possibly Nigeria

People or Culture:

Object: Charm

DRAWING ON REVERSE SIDE

Material: Bird's beak, conch-shells, cloth, glass, string

Description: Acc. Fuller: "West Africa. ?-Nigeria. Rare neck ornament charm of a bird's skull with ornamental colorie shells." - Acquired by Fuller 3 Feb. 1947.

Carved yellow bird's beak protruding from a bird's head which is covered with cloth and ornated with conchshells

and strands of green and yellow glass beads. Suspending as a pendant neck ornament from 3 loops of string.

Dimensions: Length of charm: 12.4; width: 5.0

(in cm.) Length with strings: 35.3

Fuller Collection: presented by Mrs. A. W. F. Fuller, 28 October 1964

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