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Provenience: Africa, N. Nigeria, Bornu Province.

Field No.

People or Culture: Kanuri.**Object:** Horn. (charm?)**Material:** Horn.

Description: The horn is dark brown in colour with wavy ridges encircling it. Towards the sharp point, these ridges become more and more indistinct. Acc. Coll.: Although quite old as well as harmless in its present form and cheap to buy, it becomes costly and dangerous in market medicine booth with dozens of tiny needles inside and capped with piece of cloth tied over opening. It can bring confusion to purchaser's enemy or turn a

Neg. No.

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Dimensions: Length-66.0, width-4.1. (over)
(in cm.)

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Collection: Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Cohen,
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(continued from front)-woman's attention from another
towards oneself. Collected in 1956.

