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Country Africa
 Locality Nigeria Bida
 People Nupe Sudanic Stock

Name

Round gourd Saun in two equal parts. The whole surface was covered with indigo from native plants. The surface is elaborately cut away in parts by deep incisions, in such a way as to leave geometrical embossed patterns.

Collection Frederick H. Rawson-Field Museum Ethnological Expedition to W. Africa

Notes

W. D. Hambly, Collector

Fig-zag and triangle the chief motifs

Width

30
cms

Length

Height

28
cms

Price

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