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Provenience: Kenya Culture Prov. Lorugumu**People or Culture:** Turkana**Object:** Head rest or stool (Ekicholon)**Material:** Wood, thongs, roots**Description:** Head rest is made from a single piece of wood. It has a round conical base, flat pedistal with concave sided, and a top shaped like a double bladed axe, slightly upturned at the edges. Outside short edges are convex and long edged are concave. Two holes in the pedistal hold a leather thong for carrying. Three different wooden protective charms are attached to the strap.

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Dimensions:
(in cm.) Height 17.5 cm Max. width 24.5 cm

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Collection: Field Museum of Natural History Purchase 1974
Collected by Mrs. Ann Prewitt 1973

