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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: Nigeria: Bornu Province

People or Culture: Kanuri

Object: horse-bit.

Material: brass; leather

Description: two flat forms in the shape of <sup>a</sup> low "z" joined and separated by a ~~solid~~ round-section brass element in the shape of a "u"; they are simply engraved on their outer faces and <sup>to</sup> each ~~end~~ upper end of these elements is attached a chain of s-shaped and oval links; these chains are joined at their ends to two pairs of leather braids joined together at their other ends to form the reins.

Dimensions:

(in cm.) Length: 173.5; width: 13.6.

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Collection: Purchased from Mr. David H. Spain  
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