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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: BRAZIL , Tapirapé, Rio Araguaia

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Field No.

250

People or Culture: Carajá

Object: Fishing arrow

Material: Woody grass, wood, bone, feathers, string,
fiber.

Description: Shaft of woody grass with nodes. Foreshaft, wooden rod tipped with bone point attached with gum and string, inserted in end of shaft which is wrapped with dark brown fiber. Nock cut in end of shaft and string wrapped. Straight feathering, a brown and a blue-yellow feather secured with string. Just beyond

Dimensions: feathers shaft is wrapped in brown fiber.
(in cm.) Made by men. Sketch reverse side.

Neg. No.

length - 171.5

Collection: purchased from Borys Malkin, collector
6 October 1961

Acc. 2749

