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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

Culebra, Cunucunuma R.,

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Field No.

Provenience: Upper Orinoco, Venezuela

People or Culture: Maquiritare

Object: Basket

Description:

Woven wicker technique, using reeds and willows. Loose weave, strengthened on the inside by circular wooden hoops placed at regular intervals, about an inch apart. Basket is smaller in the middle than at the top or bottom.

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Dimensions:

(~~in cm~~)

16 ins. tall

13 ins. in diameter.

Collection:

Collected by Paul H,

Nesbitt, 1950. Purchase.

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