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FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY—ETHNOLOGY

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Field No.

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Provenience: West Africa, Guinea-Bissau, Orango
Grand Island

People or Culture: Bidjagó

Object: HOUSE DOOR LOCK (FECHADURA)

Material: Wood, wrought iron, Raphia sp. strips

Description: ^{A-} Rectangular wood lock frame with top and bottom border of vertically linear incising and incised bow shape on front. Lock mechanism has 4 tumblers, 1 wood and 1 raffia pin fitting into 4 notches. B-wood bolt has hippo head handle, bolt shaft has 4 notches. C-wrought iron key has 'C' curved handle with raffia cord (over)

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Dimensions: (Over)
(in cm.)

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Collection: Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Strotz, 12/15/76.
Collector, Michael J. Strotz, 1972-1976.

tied thru hole in top and 4
teeth. Key plate also iron and
'U' shaped. (See Cat. ref. and
coll. notes)

Dimensions:

A - H: 31.0 W: 16.0 D: 7.4

B - L: 38.1 W: 4.9 D: 4.5

C - L: 20.7 W: 4.0

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