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FIELD COLUMBIAN MUSEUM.

16-23

No 8070

Country

Venezuela

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People

Locality

Name

Arrows, used to Kill fish
(over)

Collection

R. Willes Jr.

Where Placed

Hall 16

Sub 4 sold to H.S. Gladwin, Globe, Ariz.,

7/27/36 @ \$5.00

Notes

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These very long arrows are used for shooting fish at which most South American Indians are very adept. The native seldom sees the fish, but judges by the swirl on the surface of the water the depth at which it lies. Fish arrows are always unfeathered. These specimens have foreshafts of twigs and points of iron with a single barb which have been hammered and filed out of occasional pieces of iron.

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