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FIELD COLUMBIAN MUSEUM.

16-25

No 8140

Country

Venezuela

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People

Guaiwa and Pearoa Indians

Locality

Tichada River

Name

Bows

(over)

105

Collection

R. Welles Jr

Where Placed

Hall 16

Notes

Acc. 35

1 & 2 exh. 1918

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These two different kinds of bow display the variation in type between two tribes. One is shorter, of quadrilateral cross-section, is bound with a decorative binding of bark and strung with an extra long bowstring of twisted hide. The other is longer and more slender with one flat and one convex side and is strung with a fiber cord.

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