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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY 16-34

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Field No.

Provenience: Santa Isabel, Ilha do Bananal
Rio Araguaia, Goias, Brazil

People or Culture: Karaja

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Object: Scarifier

Material: Lower Mandible of Hydrolycus scom-
broides, (pira-andira)Description: This lower mandible of the casho-
rro, as it is known by in the region,
is from a young fish. The scarification
is done during ceremonials, initiation
treatment for illness, etc.

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Dimensions: Length, ~~1~~ 6.9 cm. Max. width 2.5
(in cm.) Length of incisors 2 cm

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Collection: Borys Malkin -- purchased