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FIELD COLUMBIAN MUSEUM.

16-34

No 8056

Country

Venezuela

People

Probably Barís, (Aravak ~~Stock~~)

Locality

Rio Negro

Name

Necklace of Tiger teeth by Zoology Dept
(over)2/12/91 teeth identified
as peccary

Collection

R. Weller Jr

Where Placed

Hall 16

Notes

Worn by men

Acc. 35

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sch. 1918.

Throughout the greater part of this region men wear necklaces made of the teeth of the jaguar, cut and worked to uniform shape. A man may wear only the canine teeth of such jaguars as he has killed.