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FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience:

Melanesia, Papua New Guinea, Lake Sentani
area

Field No.

People or Culture:

Sentani

Object:

bark painting

Material:

paper mulberry bark(*Broussonetia Papyifera*),

Description: Rect. ^{paints} bark cloth w/circular design in center
natural dark ecru background w/design in white, rust
and black. Center design has 8 point star in middle
with 8 ovals alternating w/8 smaller ovals around
octag. star. Central design bordered by dentate and
spiral motifs mended on back.

Neg. No.

Dimensions: L:112cm W: 78cm
(in cm.)

Acc.

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