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**Provenience:** Kenya Culture Prov. Lorugumu

**People or Culture:** Turkana

**Object:** Hair ornament (Akorwamea)

**Material:** Cow's teeth, beads, seeds, leather

**Description:** Ornament for girls is a thin leather strip strung with 9 cow's teeth separated by beads and seeds. Tied to the middle is a small strip of seeds and three glass beads. Ornaments are made to a woman's fancy and are tied to the traditional top knot for every day use.

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**Dimensions:** Length 26 cm Longest tooth 4.2 cm  
(in cm.)

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**Collection:** Field Museum of Natural History Purchase 1974  
Collected by Mrs. Ann Prewitt 1973

