

A	FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY—ETHNOLOGY 43-11
181127	Provenience: Melanesia, Irian Jaya, Asmat area
Field No.	People or Culture: Asmat Object: spear (<u>Otsjen</u>) (<u>pu</u> or <u>pui</u>) Material: wood, feathers, rattan, lime Description: Spear with openwork, flattened above rounded shaft. 2 feathers attached with rattan strips near bottom. Tip incised with 2 sets of dull barbs below. [Pu refers to spear w/wide blade used in warfare or for killing large animals]
Neg. No.	 Dimensions: L: 231.8cm W. of decor. carving: 12.3cm (in cm.)
3801 Acc.	Collection: Gift of the Asmat Progress and Development Foundation, 1991