CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY // - 3 3 AEN 243735 Provenience: Area east of the Orinoco, between Sanariapo and Puerto Ayacucho, Venezuela. People or Culture: Field No. Piaroa Object: Rattle Description: Calabash body with several long narrow slits in it. Wooden handle projecting through calabash with three chevron designs carved just below the calabash and a straight line just below them. Used by medicine men in donces.

Neg. No. Dimensions: (in cm.)

26 cms. long. 7 cms in diameter (calabash)

Collection:

Collected by Paul H, Nesbitt, 1950. Purchase.

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