CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM-ETHNOLOGY 190662 Provenience: GUATEMALA People or Culture: Maya Field No. Object: Drum Material: Wood, raw hide. Description: Hollowed-out wood drum; ends, covered with rawhide heads bound onto wood with twisted rawhide zigzags tied together. Holes in this design on side: Neg. No. Comments: (see other side). Dimensions: Around: 128 Across: 41 x 34 (in cm.) Height: 54 Head Collection: Purchased from Mrs. Eva de Smith Acc. 2977 3 June 1968.

Comments: Badly eaten by unidentified insects leaving severe damage to wood but not a great deal to drum sound.

8/20/69 Treated in Conservation and Restoration Laboratories for insects.

Note: Damage was caused by wood-boring beetle grubs. Treatment: Fumigation with methyl-bromide.

