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Country *North America*

People *Ancient Maya*

Locality *Chiapas, Mexico, Palenque*

Name *Limestone corbel held in from wall of tower (over)*

Collection *A. V. Arnau (Itz'na Expedition)  
W. H. Holmes, Collector.*

Where Placed *E. C. opp a 84*

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This is the more usual type of cord-holder. In many places such as the corners of entrances and corridors, the blocks of stone were drilled through at the edge, leaving a hole for the attachment of cords which supported mats, textiles and other objects which served as portieres and other uses. This specimen is from the wall of the principal tower.