

SAHRIS OBJECT PDF REPORT

Object Code: SAM5918
Quantity: 1.00
Cultural Association:
Maker:
Production Place:

Description:

Headdress consists of four (4) tapering panels of antelope skin (hair on inside). Two side panels fold to back & front and are joined to the two center panels with over-sewing stitching. Decorated with black and white glass beads

It could also have been used as a Baby Carrier(*imbeleko*), Xhosa(Southern Nguni) South Africa, c. 1830, Antelope hide and beads

Provenance:

Producer unknown. The region is the former Transkei, used and produced by the Xhosa people. Purchased from the J. Dickson Collection in August 1938. Date of origin is early 1800's.