

Northern Ngoni / Tsonga

Staff

1992.11.19

object type: Staff
vernacular:
sub-type:
community: Northern Ngeni /
Tsonga
sub-group:

acc no 1492.11.19
contact prints

geographical location:
date and place collected:
date executed:
artist name, sex:
use:

location:
shelf:
b/w: c/t: c/s:
dimensions:
h: 147 diam:
w: 6,7 mounted:
d: 9,5
medium: Wood, Metal Chain
Poker work

purchase / donation / bequest:

Anglo American Schannesberg
Centenary Trust

price paid:
insurance value:

physical description:

authority: AGC 1492.11.10
C+R 1492.11.04
MC 1492.08.67

original collection no:

object type translation:

catalogues:

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EXHIBITIONS REGISTER

ARTIST: Northern Nguni / Tsonga

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992.11.19

NAME OF GALLERY	ADDRESS	DATES
1 SJB AA Gallery The Horstmann Collection of Southern African Art		30 Dec 1992.
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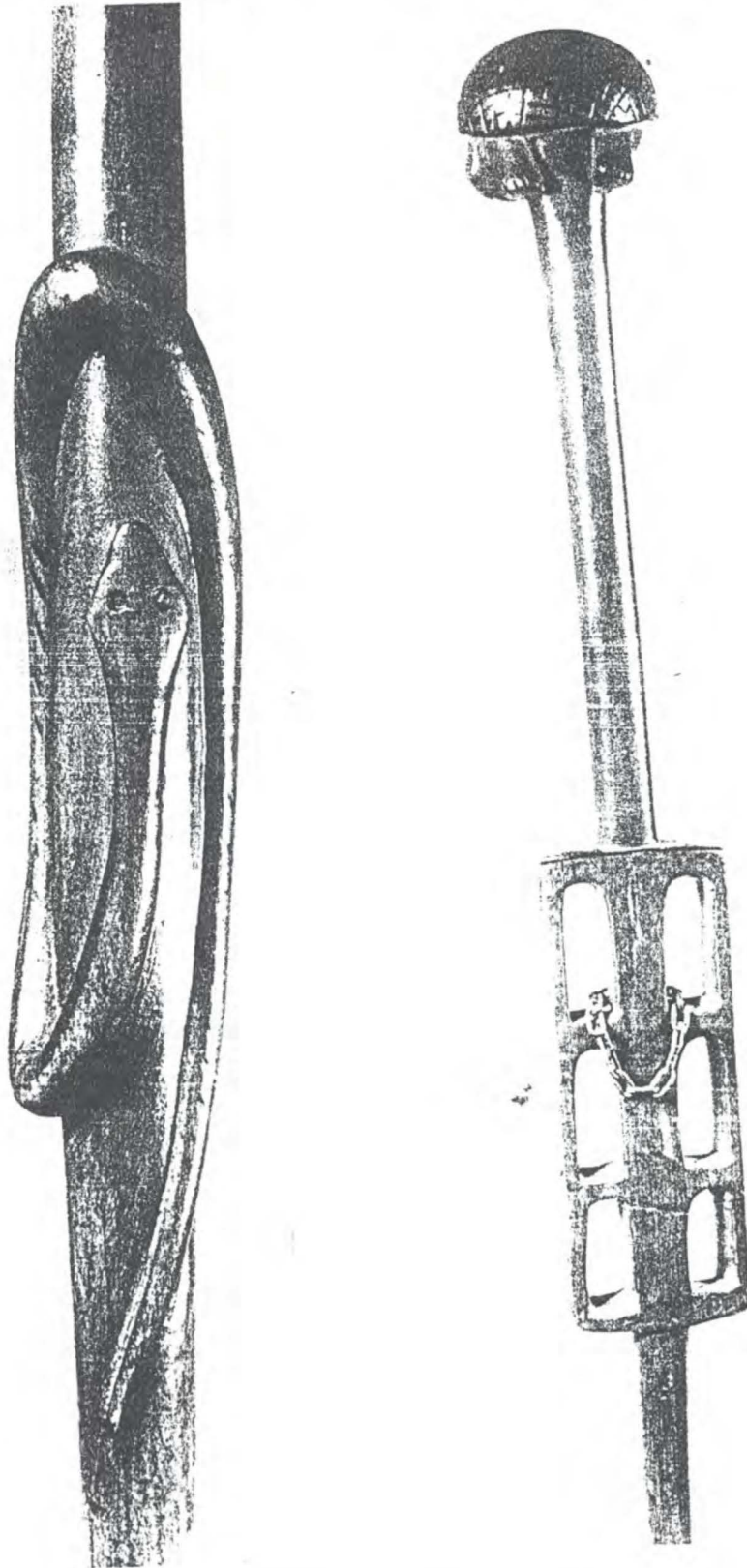
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Northern Aguni / Tsonga

21A. STAFF

This staff is a fine example which relates to, but does not directly duplicate, an example in the Brenthurst Collection. Both staffs are surmounted by a tortoise, with snake forms on the shafts. The representation of animals differ, and the Horstmann example has a protruding carved design on its shaft with an attached chain which does not appear in any Brenthurst examples. It is important to collect objects which are similar in this way in order to obtain a broader view of artistic production, and to be able to start making connections through comparisons.



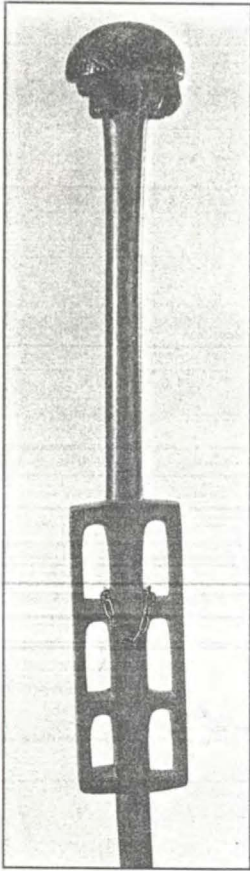
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HORSTMANN GENERAL FILE

A GENERAL FILE CONTAINING NEWSPAPER AND MAGAZINE
ARTICLES ON "HORSTMANN COLLECTION" IS KEPT IN THE FILE:

1992.11.01 Northern Nguni stool, wood

Articles referring to specific works in the collection
are filed in the relevant file, not general file.



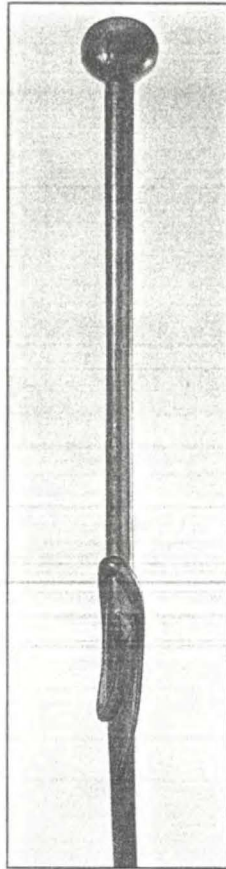
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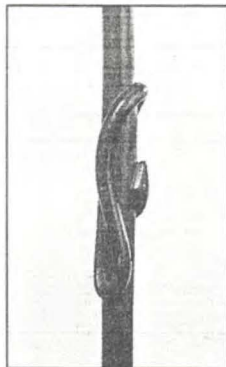
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wood, metal(chain),
pokerwork
147 x 6,7 x 9,5
Northern Nguni/Tsonga
acc no: 1992.11.19

Above : Detail of upper shaft
Below : Detail of lower shaft



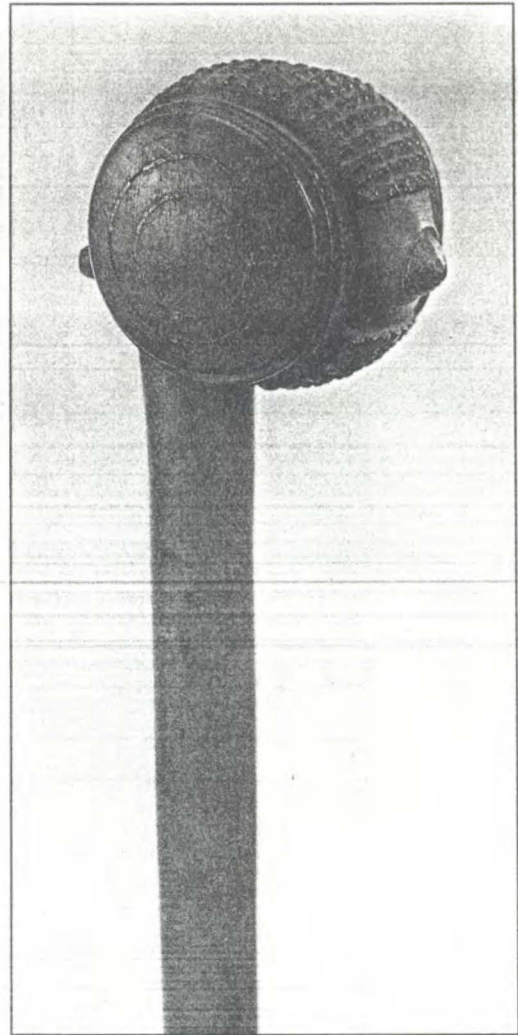
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wood, pokerwork
140 x 6 x 5,7
South east Africa
(Northern Nguni/Tsonga)
acc no: 1992.11.20

Above : Detail of upper shaft
Below : Detail of lower shaft



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wood, pigment(red)
79,2 x 6,5 x 8
Northern Nguni (Zulu)
acc no: 1992.11.24