

Transvaal Tsonga - head - rest

1987.3.24



object type: head-rest	acc no: 1987.3.24
vernacular:	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> <p>contact prints</p> </div>
sub-type:	
community: Transvaal Tsonga	
sub-group:	location: [REDACTED]
geographical location:	shelf: [REDACTED]
	b/w: c/t: c/s:
	dimensions:
date and place collected: Elim, Transvaal, c. 1930	h: 13 cm diam:
date executed:	w: 19,5 cm mounted:
artist name, sex: male	d: 7 cm
use: for resting the head while sleeping	medium: wood

donation: Anglo American Johannesburg Centenary
Trust

price paid: - (R168 000 incl. GST
paid by Trust for Collection)

insurance value: R346 291 (114
objects in Jaques Collection)
(1990)

authority: AGC 1987-03-26
MC 1987-03-30

original collection no: Jaques Coll./
Africana Mus. 50/917

object type translation:

catalogues: Wanless, AN&N 26(7):300

physical description:

JOHANNESBURG ART GALLERY
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ARTIST:

ACC. NO.:

Collected by Rev. A. A. Jaques

Lent to the Africana Museum in 1950

JOHANNESBURG ART GALLERY
ARCHIVE SHEET IV
REFERENCE

ARTIST:

ACC. NO.:

Wanless, A Africana Notes and News, see acc. card
for vol. and page no.

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ARTIST:

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Placed in [REDACTED] 1987

✓ 53 50/915

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height 125 mm
Length 215 mm
Width 75 mm
Length of base 90 mm

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular, curved, and undecorated.
Lugs: None.
Column: Single rectangular pillar, narrowing a little toward base.
Base: Roughly square with rounded edges; flat.

✓ 54 50/916

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height 120 mm
Length 120 mm
Width 65 mm
Length of base 115 mm

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular, curved and decorated on the flattened narrow ends with two rows of incised triangles. On one side the outer row of triangles has almost been worn away.
Lugs: One broken, but scar is well patinated, the other rectangular and facing front.
Column: Single pillar, roughly rectangular, narrowing at centre. Decorated front and back with a series of horizontal rounded pleats.
Base: Roughly rectangular with rounded corners. Flat.

✓ 55 50/917

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height 130 mm
Length 195 mm
Width 70 mm
Length of base 140 mm

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular, curved, and decorated on flattened narrow ends with a row of incised triangles.
Lugs: Half cylinders running from front to back.

Column: Single rectangular pillar, narrowing a little toward base.
Base: Two flat squares.

56 50/918

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height
Length
Width
Length of base

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular, curved, and decorated on the flattened narrow ends with two rows of incised triangles. On one side the outer row of triangles has almost been worn away.
Lugs: Rectangular, facing front.
Column: Single pillar, roughly rectangular, narrowing at centre. Decorated front and back with a series of horizontal rounded pleats.
Base: Ovoid, and flat.

57 50/919

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height
Length
Width
Length of base

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular, curved, and decorated on the flattened narrow ends with two rows of incised triangles. On one side the outer row of triangles has almost been worn away.
Lugs: Rectangular, facing front.
Column: Single pillar, roughly rectangular, narrowing at centre. Decorated front and back with a series of horizontal rounded pleats.
Base: Flat, ovoid, with rounded corners.

58 50/920

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height

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Column: Single rectangular pillar decorated front and back with a series of horizontal, rounded pleats.

Base: Two flat squares with rounded corners linked at centre.

✓ 56 50/918

Place: Elim, Transvaal.

Tribe: Shangaan.

Date: c.1930.

Source: Jaques Collection.

Size: Height 160 mm

Length 265 mm

Width 70 mm

Length of base 150 mm

Description: *Crossbar:* Rectangular, but narrowing a little at centre. Curve is very slight. Not decorated.

Lugs: Rectangular, facing sides.

Column: Single pillar, roughly rectangular, decorated front and back with a series of horizontal, rounded pleats.

Base: Ovoid, and flat.

✓ 57 50/919

Place: Elim, Transvaal.

Tribe: Shangaan.

Date: c.1930.

Source: Jaques Collection.

Size: Height 140 mm

Length 185 mm

Width 75 mm

Length of base 150 mm

Description: *Crossbar:* Rectangular, curved, and undecorated.

Lugs: Rectangular, facing front.

Column: Single rectangular pillar "folded" just above centre to form a 45 degree angle.

Base: Flat, ovoid, with two small, triangles nipped out of centre front and back.

✓ 58 50/920

Place: Elim, Transvaal.

Tribe: Shangaan.

Date: c.1930.

Source: Jaques Collection.

Size: Height 125 mm