

Transvaal Tsonga - head - rest

1987 3.31



object type: head-rest	acc no: 1987.3.31		
vernacular:	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;">           contact prints         </div>		
sub-type:			
community: Transvaal Tsonga			
sub-group:			
geographical location:	location:	[REDACTED]	
	shelf:	[REDACTED]	
	b/w:	c/t:	c/s:
	dimensions:		
date and place collected: Elim, Transvaal, c.1930	h: 10,5 cm	diam:	
date executed:	w: 18 cm	mounted:	
artist name, sex: male	d: 6 cm		
use: for resting the head while sleeping	medium: wood		

Trust donation: Anglo American Johannesburg Centenary

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

physical description:

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. 50/924

object type translation:

catalogues: Wanless, AN&N 27(2):56

JOHANNESBURG ART GALLERY  
ARCHIVE SHEET II  
PROVENANCE

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.

JOHANNESBURG ART GALLERY  
ARCHIVE SHEET V  
LOANS / LOCATIONS REGISTER

ARTIST:

ACC. NO.:

Placed in [REDACTED] 1987

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Place: Elim, Transvaal.  
Tribe: Shangaan.  
Date: c.1930.  
Source: Jaques Collection.  
Size: Height 105 mm  
Length 180 mm  
Width 60 mm  
Length of base 125 mm

Description: *Crossbar*: Rectangular, curved, and decorated near the narrow ends with a row of zig-zags carved in relief.

*Lugs*: Open arches facing front.

*Column*: Single rectangular pillar decorated at front and back with a panel of vertical rounded pleats. An open semi-circular piece extends from one side and faces front.

*Base*: Two linked, flat circles.

63 50/925

Place: Elim, Transvaal.  
Tribe: Shangaan.  
Date: c.1930.  
Source: Jaques Collection.  
Size: Height 120 mm  
Length 200 mm  
Width 75 mm  
Length of base 145 mm

Description: *Crossbar*: Rectangular, curved, and decorated near the narrow ends with two curving rows of crosshatching making a "leaf" shape.

*Lugs*: Flat squares, facing sides.

*Column*: Single rectangular pillar decorated front and back with an "H" in relief, the top portion divided by a bar, and with rows of conical studs carved in relief.

*Base*: Two flat, roughly circular pieces linked by a triangle at centre front and back.

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Place: Elim, Transvaal.  
Tribe: Shangaan.  
Date: c.1930.  
Source: Jaques Collection.  
Size: Height 120 mm  
Length 205 mm



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