

Transvaal Tsonga - head - rest

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object type: head-rest	acc no: 1987.3.46
vernacular:	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: 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: 15 cm diam:
	w: 20 cm mounted:
date executed:	d: 6 cm
artist name, sex: male	medium: wood
use: for resting the head while sleeping	

donation: Anglo American Johannesburg Centenary Trust	
price paid: - (R168 000 paid by Trust for Collection) *incl. GST.	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. 50/940	
object type translation:	
catalogues: Wanless, <u>AN&N</u> 27(2):62	

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ARTIST:

ACC. NO.:

Collected by Rev. A. A. Jaques

Lent to the Africana Museum in 1950

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REFERENCE

ARTIST:

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Placed in [REDACTED] 1987

Column: Four circular pillars rest on an open, front-facing arch.
Base: Two flat circles linked by a flat, diamond-shaped piece.

✓ 75 50/938

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height 135 mm
Length 220 mm
Width 90 mm
Length of base 190 mm

Description: *Crossbar:* Rectangular, flaring at ends, slightly curved, and decorated on the flattened narrow ends with a row of incised cross-hatching. There are small nails driven in at four places directly above the four pillars.

Lugs: One broken, the other a flat, side-facing rectangle with a small hole pierced through it.

Column: Two circular pillars, flanked by two rectangular curved pillars, all resting on an open, front-facing arch.

Base: Two flat, linked circles, each ending in a little point at the sides.

✓ 76 50/939

Place: Elim, Transvaal.
Tribe: Shangaan.
Date: c.1930.
Source: Jaques Collection.
Size: Height 110 mm
Length 180 mm
Width 65 mm
Length of base 115 mm

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

Lugs: Flat squares with rounded corners facing front.

Column: Flat, open circle, facing front.

Base: Roughly ovoid, flat piece with two small triangular nips out of centre front and back. The edges are slightly flared.

✓ 77 50/940

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



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Size: Height 150 mm
 Length 200 mm
 Width 60 mm
 Length of base 150 mm

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular, curved, and decorated near the narrow ends with a row of zig-zags carved in relief. There is a large crack across one corner.

Lugs: Flat and roughly semi-circular, facing sides.

Column: Two open, front-facing arches linked at their apogees by a horizontal disc.

Base: Two flat linked circles with two small semi-circles at centre front and back.

78 50/941

Place: Elim, Transvaal.

Tribe: Shangaan.

Date: c.1930.

Source: Jaques Collection.

Size: Height 130 mm
 Length 210 mm
 Width 70 mm
 Length of base 160 mm

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular, curved, and decorated near the narrow ends with a row of zig-zags carved in relief. It is cracked and has a corner missing, but the scar is well patinated.

Lugs: Open arches facing front, and blackened.

Column: An open, front-facing circle, containing an "X" shape at the centre of which is another open circle.

Base: Two flat, linked circles.

79 50/942

Place: Elim, Transvaal.

Tribe: Shangaan.

Date: c.1930.

Source: Jaques Collection.

Size: Height 100 mm
 Length 170 mm
 Width 60 mm
 Length of base 115 mm

Description: Crossbar: Rectangular and curved, with flattened narrow ends. Undecorated.

Lugs: Flat and roughly rectangular, facing sides.

Column: Two rectangular pillars blackened at front and back.



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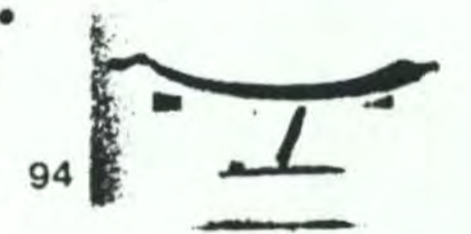
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