

Seven combs (one of seven)

Not on display

Title/Description: Seven combs (one of seven)

Born: 1800 c. - 1980 c.

Object Type: Comb

Materials: Fibre, Wood

Measurements: l. 311 x w. 180 x d. 10 mm

Accession Number: 427e

Historic Period: 19th century, 20th century

Production Place: New Guinea, Oceania, Pacific, Wuvulu Island

Some decorative combs must have been very impressive when worn, including this large man's comb from Wuvulu (Matty I).

Steven Hooper, 1997

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American Art, edited by Steven Hooper (Yale University Press, 1997) p. 79.	
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