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WIRADJURI

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## INTRODUCTION

This catalogue contains information about the Australian Museum's ethnographic collection from the Wiradjuri area of New South Wales. It is one of a series of catalogues produced by the Australian Museum to improve access to information held at the Museum. The catalogues are part of the Australian Museum's Outreach Program for NSW Aboriginal cultural centres and keeping places, a program jointly funded by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission (ATSIC) and the Australian Museum.

The aim of the outreach program is to assist Aboriginal communities to operate their own local museums, and to assess for themselves whether a museum-like building or organisation is the most appropriate way of achieving their cultural objectives.

The outreach program offers a number of initiatives to assist Aboriginal communities in NSW gain the specific skills required for the successful development and running of a cultural centre or keeping place. Program initiatives include:

meetings and community workshops aimed at defining community needs and deciding how best these can be addressed through basic training in collection care, display design, artefact conservation and community based research.

comprehensive training for people who are, or will be, involved in the management of a cultural centre or keeping place.

the establishment of the Aboriginal Heritage, Cultural and Keeping Place Network of NSW. The network will provide a forum for community members to examine the issues and problems that arise with the development and running of a cultural centre or keeping place. For further information about the network, please contact:

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the publication of practical guides to collection management and materials conservation.

the distribution of collection registration and conservation kits.

the publication of a series of catalogues which provide information about the ethnographic material from NSW held at the Australian Museum.

# WIRADJURI AREA

This catalogue documents artefacts that belong to the Wiradjuri people. The Wiradjuri represent one of the largest tribal groups in Australia and the largest in New South Wales. It is estimated that before contact with Europeans a population of 12,000 people spoke the Wiradjuri language (Coe 1986:3). Occupying the south western parts of New South Wales, Mary Coe, in her book *Windradyne: A Wiradjuri Koorie*, describes the Wiradjuri tribal area as:

‘the land of the three rivers, the Wambool later known as the Macquarie, the Kalare later known as the Lachlan and the Murrumbidgee (Murrumbidjeri). The Murray River formed the Wiradjuri's southern boundary, the change from woodland to open grassland formed their eastern boundary’ (Coe 1986:3).

For the purposes of this catalogue a map of the Wiradjuri Regional Land Council is used as a suitable boundary for the search of ethnographic material from the Wiradjuri area.

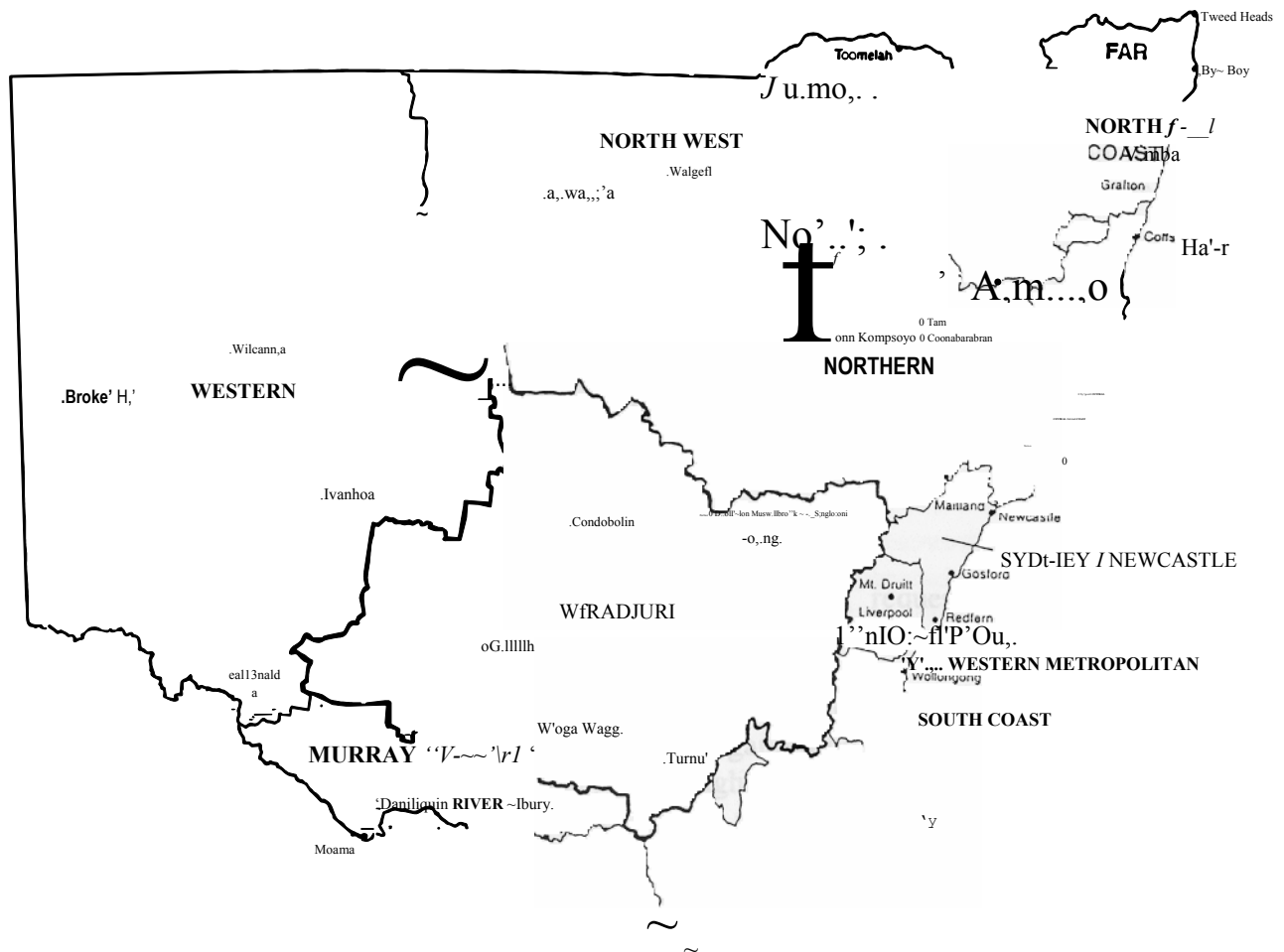


Figure 1.  
Map of N .S. W. highlighting Wiradjuri Regional Land Council boundary

## **Other Institutions Dealing With Aboriginal Heritage Issues**

The following is a list of institutions that have an association with Aboriginal heritage issues:

### **Australian Institute of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Studies**

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Postal address: AIATSIS GPO Box 553 Canberra ACT 2601 Australia

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Website: <http://www.aiatsis.gov.au/>

### **NSW Department of Aboriginal Affairs**

Level 13, Tower B

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Sydney NSW 2000

Phone: (02) 9219 0700

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Email: [enquiries@daa.nsw.gov.au](mailto:enquiries@daa.nsw.gov.au)

Website: <http://www.daa.nsw.gov.au/>

### **NSW National Parks & Wildlife**

PO Box 1967

Hurstville NSW 2220

Ph: (02) 9585 6444

Fax: (02) 9585 6460 or

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Website: <http://www.nationalparks.nsw.gov.au/npws.nsf/Content/Aboriginal+people+and+cultural+life>

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# ETHNOGRAPHIC COLLECTION

## Structure of Ethnographic Collection Information

The information about the ethnographic collection held by the Australian Museum is arranged as follows: -

### 1. Locality

This identifies the area from which the object came. Objects are listed alphabetically in order of locality.

### 2. Object Type

The standard name given for a type of artefact.

### 3. Registration Number

Written directly on the artefact in indelible ink, the registration number ensures permanent, secure identification. Each item is given a unique number preceded by a letter. The letter E stand for ‘Ethnographic’. In some instances objects will be numbered with a prefix of A or B; this is the Australian Museum's old numbering system. Each number is also written in a book (register) together with as much documentation as was available at the time the artefact was received.

### 4. Registration Date

This is the date on which the artefact was recorded into the register, usually having been acquired by the Museum a few months earlier. It does not indicate the date on which the C original collector acquired the artefact.

### 5. Size

General overall size (in centimetres) to provide further description of the artefact. ‘L’ indicates Length; ‘W’ is Width; ‘H’ is Height; ‘T’ represents Thickness, and ‘D’ represents Depth.

### 6. Photograph number

This section gives the Australian Museum's Photographic Section's reference number. This number is to be used when ordering photographs. Photographs may be ordered through the Division of Anthropology. Some objects will not have a photograph number, as we are still in the process of photographing parts of the Aboriginal collection. An object with no photograph number may still be ordered; however, allow a little more time for delivery

# ETHNOGRAPHIC COLLECTION -WIRADJURI

Locality: Bathurst

Object Type: Boomerang

Registration Number: E. 68334

Registration Date: 12 January 1983

Size: L: 77.5 cm, W: 4.8 cm, T: 1 cm

Photograph Number: 2834M/I-2

Locality: Bathurst

Object Type: Metal breastplate inscribed with 'FREDERICK King of GOUBOULION from Cha Lawson'

Registration Number: E. 49461

Registration Date: 26 May 1941

Size: L: 11 cm, W: 14.5 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Bathurst District

Object Type: Carved Tree Registration Number: E. 70689

Registration Date: 14 July 1964

Size: Three small pieces, largest piece 4.2 cm by 4.2 cm

Photograph Number: 682 M

Locality: Bogan River, Dandaloo

Object Type: Dance Stick

Registration Number: E. 47396

Registration Date: 5 May 1939

Size: L: 84 cm, W: 5 cm

Photograph Number: 2947M/9-10'

Locality: Booligal, Toms Lake' Q Object Type: Pigment of red ochre

Registration Number: E. 13305 c' Registration Date: 20 January 1905

Size: L: 10 cm, W: 6 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available



Locality: Boorowa District Q Object Type: Scarred Tree

Registration Number: E. 51031 0

Registration Date: 24 May 1944

Size: H: 28 cm, W: 13 cm

Photograph Number: 3103M/ 3-6

Locality: Carcoar Area, Coombing Hold

Object Type: Metal breastplate inscribed with ' JACOB ICELY Coombing'

Registration Number: E. 67345

Registration Date: 15 April 1976

Size: L: 8 cm, W: 16 cm, Chain L: 42 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Condobolin District, Gobothery

Object Type: Carved Tree

Registration Number: E. 22583

Registration Date: 24 December 1913

Size: H: 66 cm

Photograph Number: 3185M/7-8; 682M; V3279

Locality: Condobolin District, Gobothery

Object Type: Carved Tree

Registration Number: E. 22460

Registration Date: 21 November 1913

Size: H: 225 cm

Photograph Number: 3185M/5-6; V3279; V3281

Locality: Cowra

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 77637

Registration Date: 26 January 1982

Size: L: 47.5 cm, W: 5.3 cm

Photograph Number: 3060M/1-4

Locality: Forbes

Object Type: Spearthrower Registration Number: E. 67233

Registration Date: 15 July 1976

Size: L: 59 cm, W: 6.3 cm

Photograph Number: 67233M/ 5-6

Locality: Forbes, Euabalong  
Object Type: Carved Tree  
Registration Number: E. 25718  
Registration Date: 5 April 1919  
Size: H: 217 cm  
Photograph Number: 3188M/ 1-4; 682M

Locality: Forbes, Euabalong  
Object Type: Carved Tree  
Registration Number: E. 25719  
Registration Date: 5 April 1919  
Size: H: 112 cm  
Photograph Number: 3188M/ 5-8; 681M  
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Locality: Grenfell, Parish of Morowrie  
Object Type: Carved Tree  
Registration Number: & 23803  
Registration Date: 30 October 1916  
Size: H: 85 cm  
Photograph Number: 3186M/ 5-8; V3424

Locality: Gundagai  
Object Type: Shield  
Registration Number: E. 79245  
Registration Date: 30 May 1984  
Size: L: 66 cm, W: 18 cm  
Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Gundagai District  
Object Type: Shield  
Registration Number: E. 64477  
Registration Date: 29 December 1969  
Size: L: 73.5 cm, W: 16 cm, T: 6.5 cm  
Photograph Number: 3052M/7-8

Locality: Gundagai District, Redhill Homestead

Object Type: Spearthrower

Registration Number: E. 49183

Registration Date: 7 November 1940

Size: L: 68.5 cm, W: 5.3 cm

Photograph Number: 3071M/ 5-8

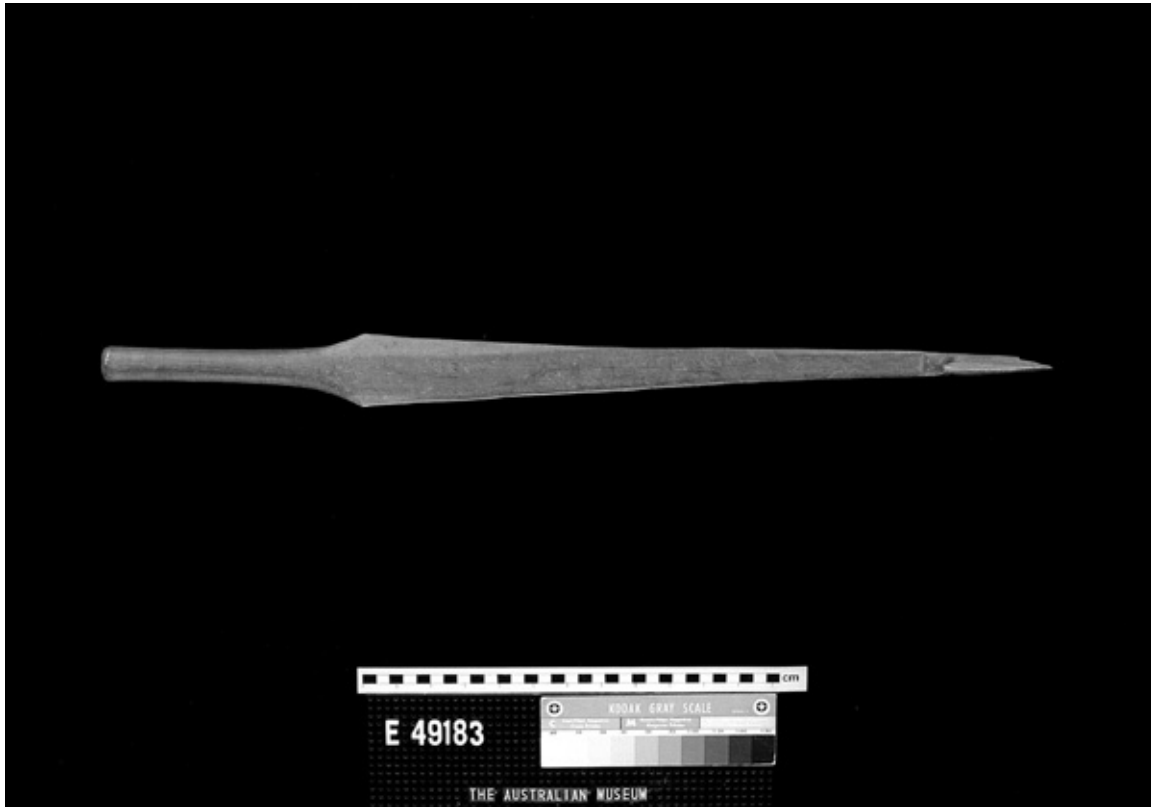


Plate 2. E. 49183: Spearthrower

Locality: Gundagai District, Redhill Homestead

Object Type: Spear Head

Registration Number: E. 49185

Registration Date: 7 November 1940

Size: No size available

Photograph Number: 3147M/ 3-4

Locality: Hadley, via Loggan

Object Type: Fungus (edible)

Registration Number: E. 62535

Registration Date: 14 December 1965

Size: L: 20cm

Photograph Number: 3106M/5-6

Locality: Hartley

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 78071

Registration Date: 27 October 1982

Size: L: 67.5 cm, W: 6.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2970M/ 5-8

Plate 3. E. 78071: Club

Locality: Jenolan Caves, Shooter's Hill

Object Type: Pigment of red/brown colour

Registration Number: E. 5348

Registration Date: 16 December 1895

Size: L: 5 cm

Photograph Number: 2993M/ 1-2

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: B. 8517

Registration Date: October 1885

Size: L: 84 cm, W: 7.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2993M/1-2

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: B. 8506

Registration Date: October 1885

Size: L: 79.5 cm, W: 7.3 cm

Photograph Number: 3024M/ 1-4

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: A. 16850

Registration Date: May 1883

Size: L: 80 cm, W: 4.7 cm

Photograph Number: 2994M/1-2

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Fluid - water from Eucalyptus Gum Roots

Registration Number: A. 16853

Registration Date: May 1883

Size: In bottle L: 28 cm, W: 9 cm

Photograph Number: 3104M/1-2

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Fluid -water from Eucalyptus Gum Roots

Registration Number: A. 16854

Registration Date: May 1883

Size: In bottle L: 28 cm, W: 9 cm

Photograph Number: 3104M/3-4

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 310

Registration Date: February 1887

Size: L: 234.7 cm, point length 66.5 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Boomerang

Registration Number: A.13141

Registration Date: August 1882

Size: L: 74.5 cm, W: 4.8 cm, T: 1 cm

Photograph Number: 7000M/ 1-2

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Boomerang

Registration Number: B. 8483

Registration Date: October 1885

Size: L: 76 cm, W: 5.7 cm, T: 1 cm

Photograph Number: 2802M/ 1-2

Locality: Lachlan River  
Object Type: Scarred Tree  
Registration Number: A. 16848  
Registration Date: May 1883  
Size: L: 36 cm, W: 28 cm  
Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River  
Object Type: Spear  
Registration Number: E. 309  
Registration Date: February 1887  
Size: L: 220, point length 51 cm  
Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River  
Object Type: Club  
Registration Number: A. 13144  
Registration Date: August 1882  
Size: L: 58 cm, W: 12 cm  
Photograph Number: 7014M/3-4

Locality: Lachlan River  
Object Type: Fire Tool  
Registration Number: A. 16849 (1)  
Registration Date: May 1883  
Size: L: 32.5 cm, W: 3 cm  
Photograph Number: 2683 M; 3084M/9-10

Locality: Lachlan River  
Object Type: Fire Tool  
Registration Number: A. 16849 (2)  
Registration Date: May 1883  
Size: L: 30 cm, W: 3 cm (approx)  
Photograph Number: 2683M; 3084M/9-10

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 307

Registration Date: February 1887

Size: L: 253.5 cm, point L: 82 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 312

Registration Date: February 1887

Size: L: 228 cm, W: 2 cm

Photograph Number: 3139M/5-6

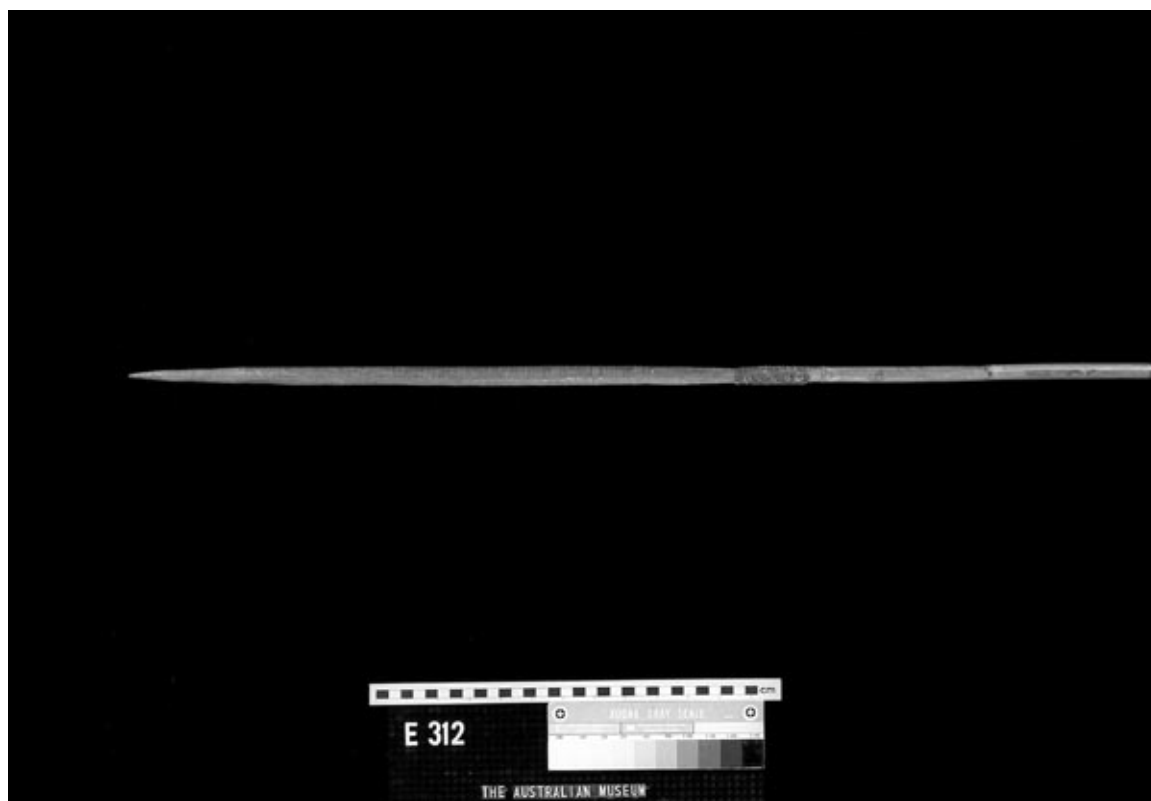


Plate 4. E. 312: Spear

Locality: Lachlan River ] Object Type: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Registration Number: B. 8528

Registration Date: October 1885

Size: L: 90 cm, W: 4.5 cm

Photograph Number: 7036M/ 7-8

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: B. 8534

Registration Date: October 1885

Size: L: 90 cm, W: 22 cm

Photograph Number: 3026M/ 3-6

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 305

Registration Date: February 1887

Size: L: 229 cm, point length: 90 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 306

Registration Date: February 1887

Size: L: 253 cm, point length: 76 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 82634

Registration Date: 11 March 1987

Size: L: 276.5 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 53495

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 286 cm

Photograph Number: 3148M/5-6



Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 53495

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 2885cm

Photograph Number: 3149M/ 1-2

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Boomerang

Registration Number: E. 53489

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 83 cm, W: 5.2 cm

Photograph Number: 2682 M

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 53495

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 276.5 cm

Photograph Number: 3149M/3-4 M

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 53491

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 67.3 cm, W: 15.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2954M/ 5-8



C Plate 5. E. 53491: Club

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 53494

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 100 cm, W: 14.3 cm

Photograph Number: 3043M/ 5-8

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 53490

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 70.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2954M/ 3-4

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 53492 g

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 57.7 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 67823

Registration Date: 25 November 1982

Size: L: 57 cm, W: 12 cm

Photograph Number: 2979M/ 3-4



Plate 6: E. 67823: Club

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 67629

Registration Date: 24 August 1982

Size: L: 81.5cm, W:5.5cm

Photograph Number: 2963M/1-2

Locality: Lachlan River

Object Type: Boomerang

Registration Number: E. 53489 -1

Registration Date: 26 September 1949

Size: L: 73.7 cm, W: 5 cm, T: 1.1 cm

Photograph Number: 2825M/ 3-4 0 I

Locality: Lachlan River  
Object Type: Boomerang  
Registration Number: E. 53489 -2  
Registration Date: 26 September 1949  
Size: L: 79.5 cm, W: 5.6 cm, T: 1.2 cm  
Photograph Number: 2825M/ 5-6

Locality: Lachlan River  
Object Type: Boomerang  
Registration Number: E. 53489 -3  
Registration Date: 26 September 1949  
Size: L: 83 cm, W: 5.2 cm, T: 1.1 m  
Photograph Number: 2682M

Locality: Lachlan River District  
Object Type: Shovel  
Registration Number: E. 28273  
Registration Date: 17 September 1923  
Size: L: 109cm, head length 36 cm, W: 8.7 cm, handle length 73 cm  
Photograph Number: 2680M; 3816

Locality: Lachlan River District  
Object Type: Shovel  
Registration Number: E. 28274  
Registration Date: 17 September 1923  
Size: L: 73.6 cm, head length: 39 cm, W: 14.9 cm  
Photograph Number: 2685M; 3816 PT

Locality: Lachlan River District  
Object Type: Boomerang  
Registration Number: E. 2273  
Registration Date: 12 November 1888  
Size: L: 87 cm, W: 6.1 cm, T: 1.2 cm  
Photograph Number: 2803M/ 5-6

Locality: Lachlan River District

Object Type: Digging Stick

Registration Number: E. 2277

Registration Date: 12 November 1888

Size: L: 93 cm, W: 3 cm

Photograph Number: 3077M/5-6

Locality: Lachlan River District

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 2278

Registration Date: 12 November 1888

Size: L: 74.3 cm, W: 6.7 cm

Photograph Number: 3015M/ 5-10

Locality: Lachlan River, Booberi Station

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 3538

Registration Date: 9 February 1892

Size: L: 48 cm, W: 6.7 cm

Photograph Number: 2918M/1-2



Plate 7: E. 3538: Club

Locality: Lachlan River District J Object Type: Club  
Registration Number: E. 2279  
Registration Date: 12 November 1888  
Size: L: 82.8 cm, W: 10.2 cm  
Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Lachlan River, Gooloogong  
Object Type: Carved Tree  
Registration Number: E. 70441  
Registration Date: 21 November 1963  
Size: H: 137 cm  
Photograph Number: 3194M/5-6

Locality: Manildra, Mandagery Creek  
Object Type: Boomerang - Registration Number: E. 79253  
Registration Date: 5 June 1984  
Size: L: 64 cm, W: 3.8 cm, T: 1.1 cm  
Photograph Number: 3701M/ 6-7; 7007M/ 5-6

Locality: Manildra, Mandagery Creek  
Object Type: Boomerang  
Registration Number: E. 79253  
Registration Date: 5 June 1984  
Size: L: 64 cm, W: 3.8 cm, T: 1.1 cm  
Photograph Number: 3701M/ 6-7; 7007M/ 5-6

Locality: Michelago  
Object Type: Fragments of possum skin coat  
Registration Number: E. 5517  
Registration Date: 16 April 1896  
Size: In box L: 70 cm, W: 70 cm  
Photograph Number: 3092M/ 5-6

Locality: Mossgiel

Object Type: Resin

Registration Number: E. 5155

Registration Date: 22 August 1895

Size: In bottle L: 8.6 cm as with A. 1685 3 & 4

Photograph Number: 3118M/7-10

Locality: Murrumbidgee River

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 20435

Registration Date: 8 August 1912

Size: L: 80 cm

Photograph Number: 3031M/ 5-8

Locality: Murrumbidgee River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 8440

Registration Date: 10 February 1899

Size: L: 64.5 cm, W: 14.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2921M/ 1-2

Locality: Murrumbidgee River

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 2819

Registration Date: 29 April 1890

Size: L: 89 cm, W: 24.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2676M

Locality: Murrumbidgee River

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 11434

Registration Date: 16 March 1903

Size: L: 63.5 cm, W: 12 cm

Photograph Number: 2925M/ 5-6



Plate 8: E. 11434: Club

Locality: Near Lithgow, Blue Mountains

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 3290

Registration Date: 9 July 1891

Size: L: 67.5cm, W: 9.7cm

Photograph Number: 3017M/ 1-4



Plate 9: E. 3290: Shield



Locality: Murrumbidgee, Bringagee

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 52444

Registration Date: 13 October 1947

Size: L: 46 cm, W: 5.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2954M/1-2

Locality: North Riverina

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 9107

Registration Date: 5 March 1900

Size: L: 64 cm, W: 13 cm

Photograph Number: 2921M/7-8

Locality: Near Parkes

Object Type: Carved Tree

Registration Number: E. 5514

Registration Date: 15 April 1896

Size: L: 140 cm

Photograph Number: 3180M/ 8-11; V3272; 3272M

Locality: Oberon

Object Type: Needle

Registration Number: E. 68264

Registration Date: 7 January 1983

Size: L: 11.6 cm, Max W: 2 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Riverina

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 20367

Registration Date: 7 August 1912

Size: L: 73 cm, W: 13 cm

Photograph Number: 2933M/ 1-2

Location: Riverina

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 20405

Registration Date: 8 August 1912

Size: L. 66 cm, W. 14.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2935M/ 5-6

Locality: Riverina

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 20369

Registration Date: 7 August 1912

Size: L: 58.5 cm, W: 15 cm

Photograph Number: 2933M/7-8



Plate 10: E. 20369: Club

Locality: Riverina

Object Type: Message Stick

Registration Number: E. 7658

Registration Date: 11 July 1898

Size: L: 12 cm, W: 3 cm

Photograph Number: 3093M/3-4

Locality: Riverina District

Object Type: Spear

Registration Number: E. 20765

Registration Date: 15 August 1912

Size: L: 353 cm, D: 2 cm

Photograph Number: No photograph number available

Locality: Riverina District

Object Type: Boomerang

Registration Number: E. 20286

Registration Date: 6 August 1912

Size: L: 95 cm, W: 5.5 cm, T: 1 cm

Photograph Number: 2879M/ 7-8; 3883 PT

Locality: Rylstone

Object Type: Pigment of white clay

Registration Number: E. 50045

Registration Date: 26 March 1942

Size: L: 6.2 cm, W: 6.2 cm

Photograph, Number: 7045M/1-2

Locality: South West New South Wales

Object Type: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Registration Number: E. 20575

Registration Date: 10 August 1912

Size: L: 71 cm

Photograph Number: 3081M/ 1-2

Locality: South West New South Wales

Object Type: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Registration Number: E. 20574

Registration Date: 10 August 1912

Size: L: 66 cm

Photograph Number: 3080M/7-8

Locality: South West New South Wales

Object Type: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Registration Number: E. 20578

Registration Date: 10 August 1912

Size: L: 73.5 cm

Photograph Number: 3081M/ 5-6

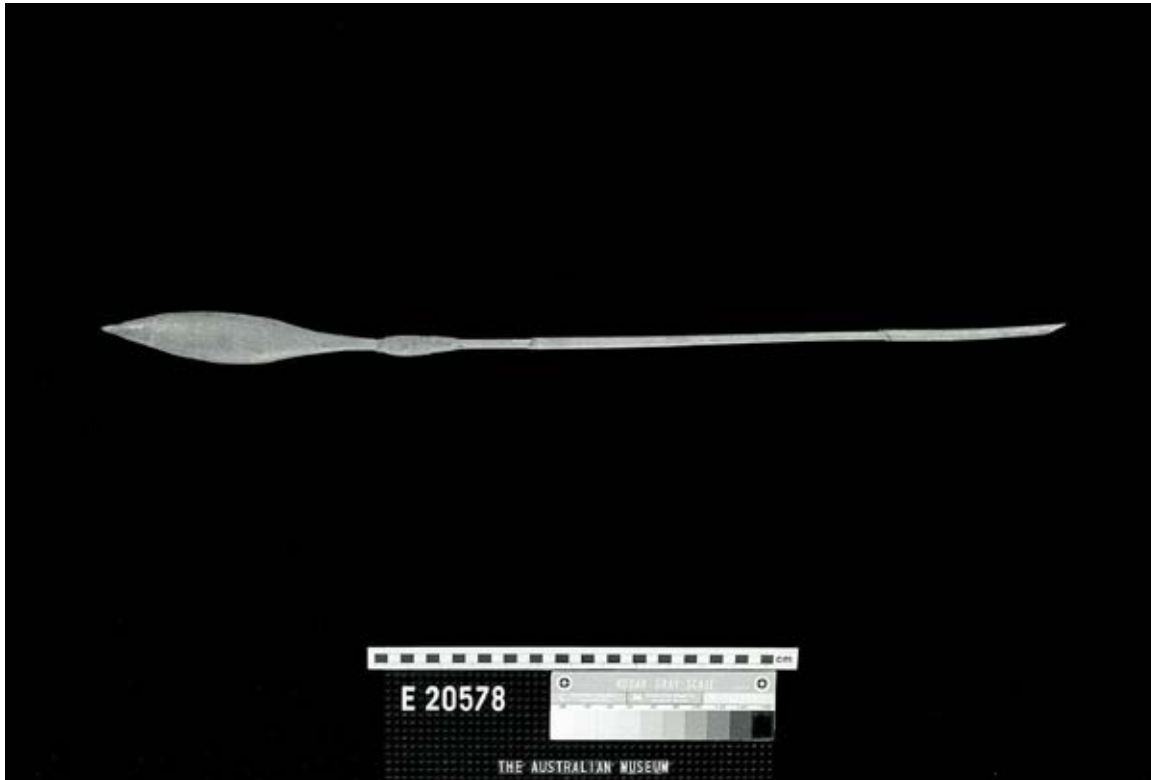


Plate 11: E. 20578: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Locality: South West New South Wales

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 24925

Registration Date: 4 February 1918

Size: L: 102 cm, W: 17 cm

Photograph Number: 2971M/5-8

Locality: South West New South Wales

Object Type: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Registration Number: E. 20573

Registration Date: 10 August 1912

Size: L: 64.8 cm

Photograph Number: 3080M/ 5-6; 3081M/ 7-8

Locality: South West New South Wales

Object Type: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Registration Number: E. 20576

Registration Date: 10 August 1912

Size: L: 21.6 cm

Photograph Number: 3714M

Locality: South West New South Wales \_J

Object Type: Club (Dance Wand) ; 1 Registration Number: E. 24924 -

Registration Date: 4 February 1918 J I

Size: L: 77.3 cm, W: 16 cm .,

Photograph Number: 2971M/ 3-4

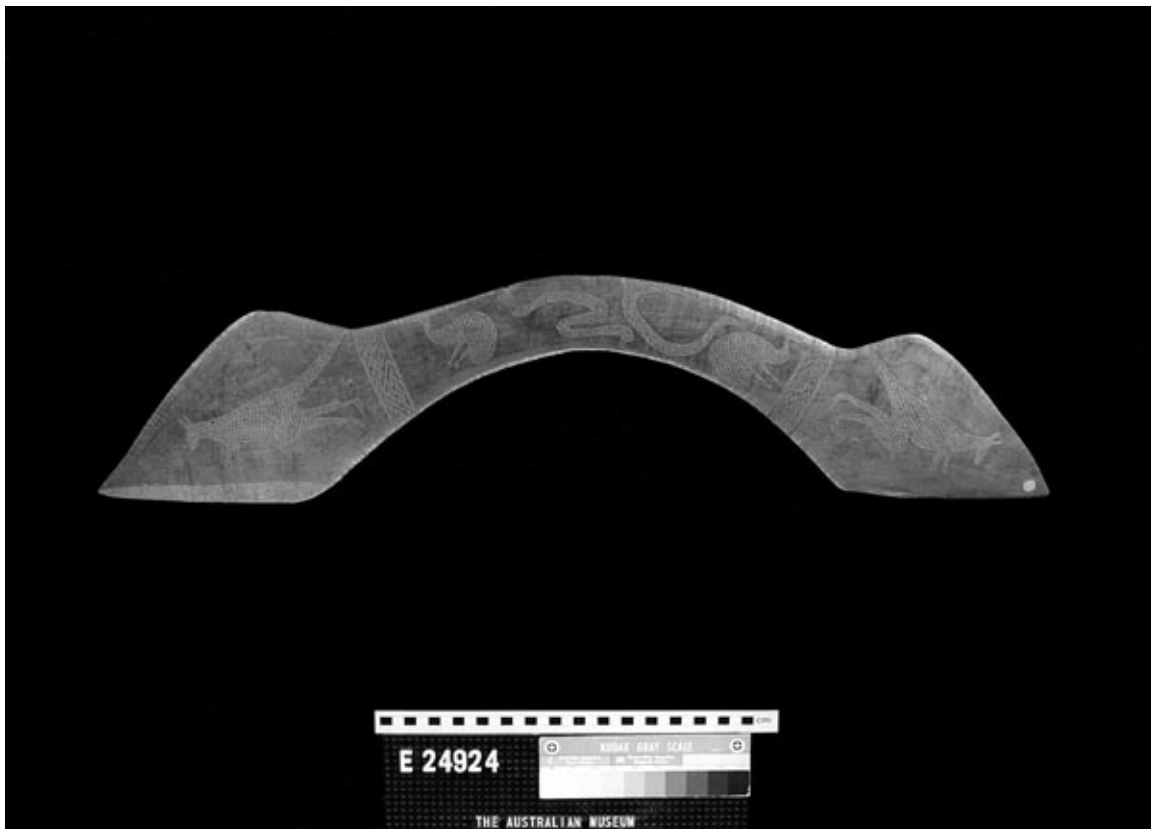


Plate 12: E. 24924: Club (Dance Wand)

Locality: South West New South Wales

Object Type: Throwing Stick (Weet Weet)

Registration Number: E. 20577

Registration Date: 10 August 1912

Size: L: 28 cm

Photograph Number: 3081M/ 3-4

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 77329

Registration Date: 12 August 1981

Size: L: 78 cm, W: 4.5 cm

Photograph Number: 2967M/7-8

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 77326

Registration Date: 12 August 1981

Size: L: 76.5 cm

Photograph Number: 3059M/ 5-9

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 77327

Registration Date: 12 August 1981

Size: L: 63 cm, W: 10 cm

Photograph Number: 2967M/3-4

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 77323

Registration Date: 11 August 1981

Size: L: 58cm, W: 17.5cm

Photograph Number: 2967M/1-2

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 77330

Registration Date: 12 August 1981

Size: L: 74 cm, W: 6 cm

Photograph Number: 2968M/1-2

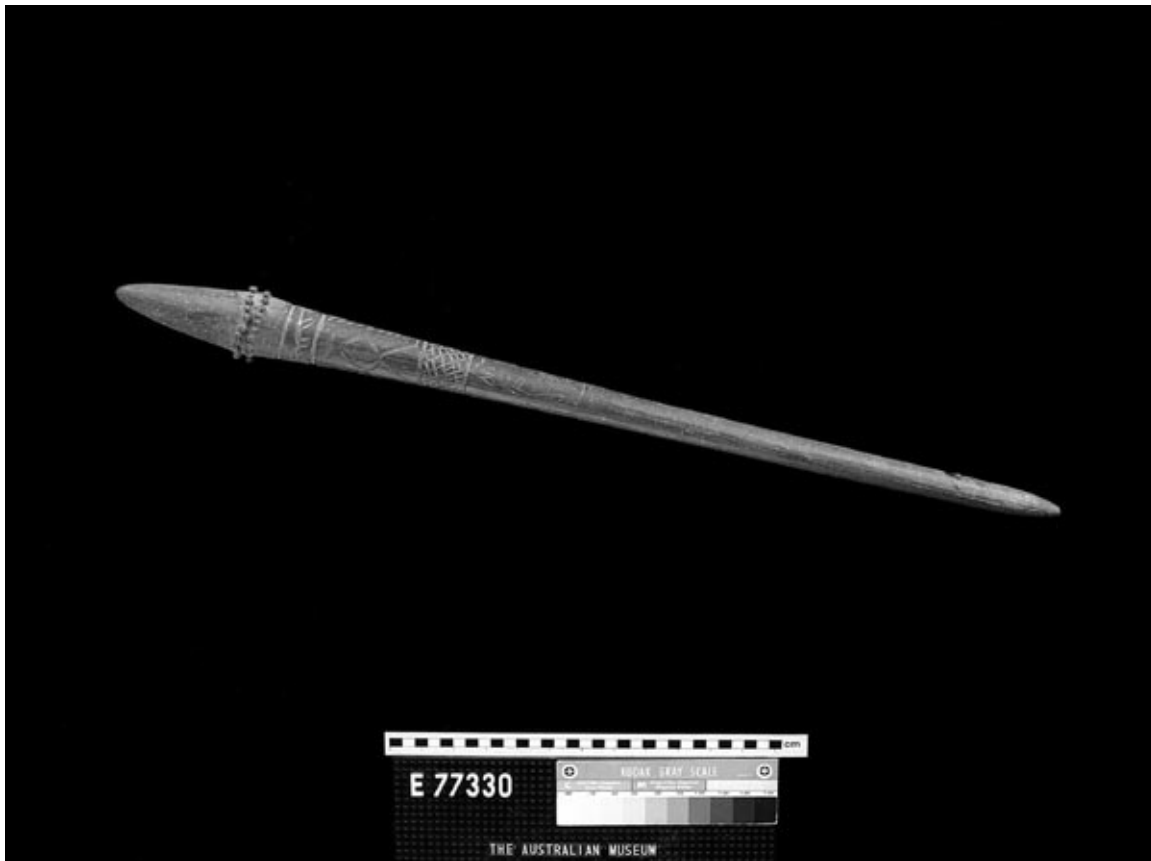


Plate 13: E. 77330: Club

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Club

Registration Number: E. 77328

Registration Date: 12 August 1981

Size: L: 60.5 cm, W: 10 cm

Photograph Number: 2967M/ 5-6



Plate 14: E. 77328: Club

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Shovel

Registration Number: E. 77324

Registration Date: 11 August 1981

Size: L: 85.5 cm

Photograph Number: 3083M/7-8





Plate 15: E. 77324: Shovel

Locality: Wagga Wagga District, Ganmain

Object Type: Shield

Registration Number: E. 77325

Registration Date: 11 August 1981

Size: L: 69.5 cm, W: 8.8 cm

Photograph Number: 3058M/ 7-8; 3059M/ 1-4

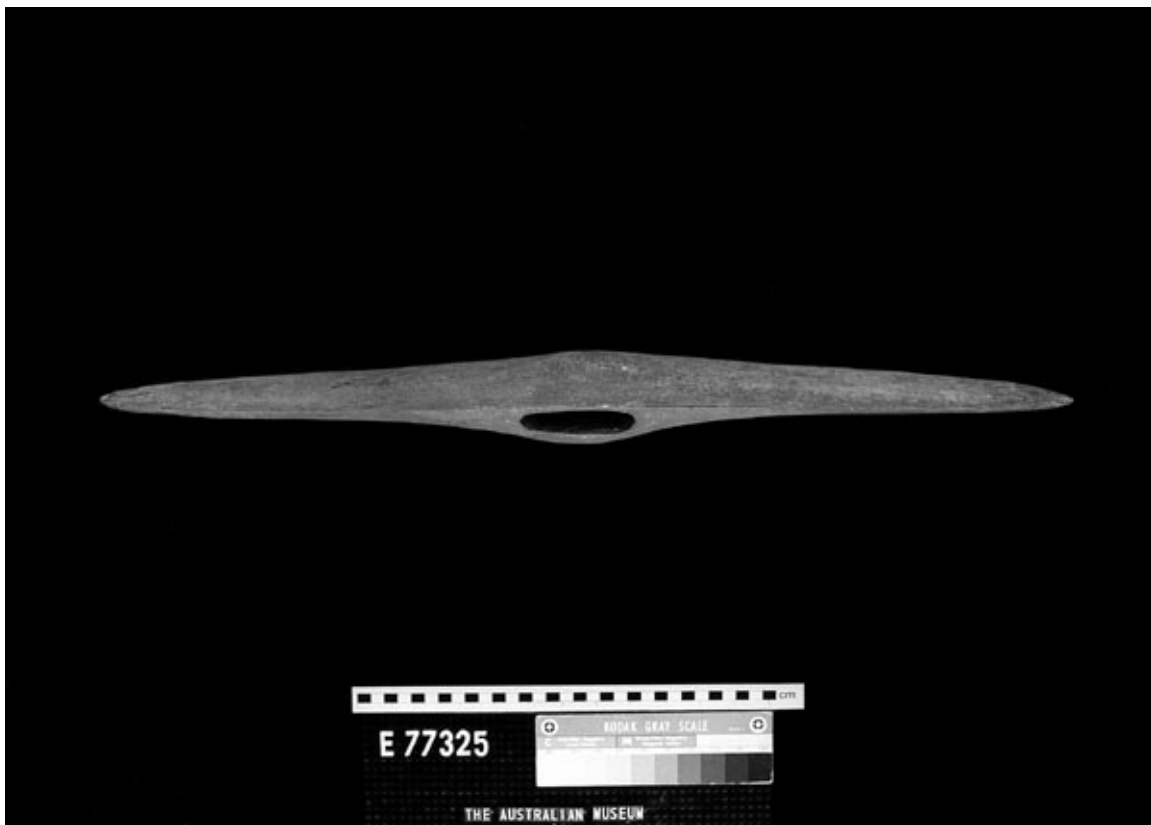


Plate 16: E. 77325: Shield

Locality: Walli, Carcoar, Cliefden Station

Object Type: Carved Tree

Registration Number: E. 24358

Registration Date: 4 July 1917

Size: H: 123 cm

Photograph Number: 3187M/ 5-7

Locality: Wingello

Object Type: Fungus (edible)

Registration Number: E. 5567

Registration Date: 13 June 1896

Size: L: 11.5 cm

Photograph Number: 7040M/ 5-6

Locality: Wingello

Object Type: Fungus (edible)

Registration Number: E. 5568

Registration Date: 13 June 1896

Size: L: 12 cm

Photograph Number: 7040M/7-8

Locality: Yass District

Object Type: Fungus (edible)

Registration Number: E. 19179

Registration Date: 28 February 1911

Size: L: 8.5 cm

Photograph Number: 3105M/ 5-61

## APPENDIX I

### BRUNGLE

Listed below is a summary of objects from the Brungle area. More detailed information may be obtained from the 'Brungle Mission Catalogue' which can be ordered through the Anthropology Division at the Australian Museum.

NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE CLUB E. 58708  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE CLUB E. 58709  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SHIELD E. 77782  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION BOOMERANG E. 77784  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION BOOMERANG E. 77785  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEARTHROWER E. 77786  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77787  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77788  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION HOOK E. 77789  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION CHAIN E. 77790  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION CHAIN E. 77791  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77792  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77793  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77794  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77795  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77796  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION SPEAR E. 77797  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77803  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77804  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION ORA WING E. 77806  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION DRAWING E. 77807  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77809  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77810  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77811  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77812  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77813  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77814  
BRUNGLE, BRUNGLE MISSION PHOTOGRAPH E. 77815  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE BOOMERANG E. 58706  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE SPEARTHROWER E. 58707  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE SHIELD E. 58710  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE SHIELD E. 58711  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE SPEAR E. 58712 -001  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE SPEAR E. 58712 -002  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE SPEAR E. 58713 -001  
NEAR GUNDAGAI, BRUNGLE SPEAR E. 58713 -002

## **APPENDIX II**

### **MISSING ARTEFACTS**

The following artefacts are presently unaccounted for. Our records suggest they are not on loan or exhibition and it is therefore possible they have been incorrectly shelved and will be found at a later date.

BOGAN RIVER, PEAK HILL BOOMERANG E.47399

BOGAN RIVER, PEAK HILL BOOMERANG E. 47401

CAMBEWARRA RESIN E. 19153

LACHLAN RIVER KNIFE A. 16851

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG B. 8479

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG B. 8482

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG B. 8484

LACHLAN RIVER WEET WEET B. 8527

LACHLAN RIVER SPEAR E. 308

LACHLAN RIVER SPEAR E. 311

LACHLAN RIVER SPEAR E. 313

LACHLAN RIVER SPEAR E.314

LACHLAN RIVER ORNAMENT E. 321

LACHLAN RIVER ORNAMENT E. 321 -001 CLACHLAN RIVER ORNAMENT E. 321 -002

LACHLAN RIVER SHIELD E. 19274

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG E. 19458

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG E. 30071

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG E. 30404

LACHLAN RIVER DISTRICT BOOMERANG E. 2274

LACHLAN RIVER DISTRICT BOOMERANG E. 2275

LACHLAN RIVER DISTRICT BOOMERANG E. 2276

LACHLAN RIVER, BOOBERI STATION BOOMERANG E. 3540

LACHLAN RIVER, BOOBERI STATION BOOMERANG E.3539

NURAN, TOTTEN HAM CARVED TREE E.43126

RYLSTONE, NOOLA STATION SCARRED TREE E. 60090

## APPEND IX III

### ARTEFACTS EXCHANGED, TRANSFERRED OR DESTROYED

In the past some artefacts held at the Australian Museum were destroyed because they were thought to be too damaged to be kept. The Australian Museum no longer destroys artefacts, even if they are damaged. There were also occasions where the Museum exchanged artefacts or transferred artefacts to another institution. The Australian Museum no longer exchanges or transfers artefacts, other than through special arrangement with traditional owners.

COWAL STATION, CARVED TREE E. 21717

DARK CORNER STATE FOREST PIGMENT E. 60473

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DARK CORNER STATE FOREST PIGMENT E. 60473

DARK CORNER STATE FOREST PIGMENT E. 60473

DARK CORNER STATE FOREST PIGMENT E.60473

GUNDAGAI DISTRICT CLUB E. 49184

JENOLAN CAVES ABORIGINAL BREAD E. 05049

JERRICKNORA BREASTPLATE E. 54297

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG A. 13142

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG A.13143

LACHLAN RIVER ROOT A. 16855

LACHLAN RIVER ROOT A.16856

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG B. 8480

LACHLAN RIVER BOOMERANG B. 8481

LACHLAN RIVER IMPLEMENT E.318

LACHLAN RIVER CLUB E. 53493

LACHLAN RIVER SPEAR E. 53495

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