

Basic Detail Report



Shield

Date

c. 1860

Primary Maker

Apsaalooke (Crow)

Medium

Buffalo rawhide, antelope skin, porcupine quills, eagle and hawk feathers, trade cloth, pigments

Description

Shield of buffalo rawhide, antelope skin, porcupine quills, eagle and hawk feathers, trade cloth, pigments and on the reverse, in black ink: "12/741". The shield has a crescent of green pigment, followed by hide, and a center of black with uneven edges. The green section has rawhide strung through it at the top and feathers just

below it on the undyed section. The center feathers include five hawk feathers and three eagle feathers attached with red fabric. Red trade cloth is attached to the shield less than halfway down the side. The red trade cloth has eagle feathers attached with rawhide.

Dimensions

Overall: 22 1/2 in. (57.2 cm)