

Basic Detail Report



End-blown trumpet

Date

1850 ca.

Description

Bone of a left human femur: ball joint removed, leaving blunt end, marrow canal forming naturally hollow bore, knee-joint forming double bell; wire binding. According to the street vendor who sold this instrument to Joe Utley,

the bone originated from a Tibetan monk.

Dimensions

Overall length, tube length: 330 mm Bore (initial, minimum): 19 mm, 17 mm Bell diameter: ca. 64 mm