

Australia

- 1 Spear-head, made by flaking a piece of bottle glass. From northern Western Australia, made before 1907.
- 2 Grinding-stone of sandstone. Found at Tarwan, Victoria in 1901.
- 3 Knife with a quartzite blade and a handle of gum, probably from central Australia. The stripes are made with red ochre, which is a pigment used for ceremony.
- 4 Wood parrying shield with clay in the zig-zag lines, from Victoria. Collected by J.H. Wedge from Tasmania between 1835-37. Thought to have been used during dances.
- 5 Sacred tablet or 'churinga' of wood, with incised designs. From central Western Australia or Northern Territory, made in the late 19th century.
- 6 Spears with hard-wood points, made with stone tools. Probably collected by John Helder Wedge between 1835-37 from Victoria.
- 7 Wood boomerangs, made with stone tools. Collected by J.H. Wedge between 1835-37 from Victoria. The central one is labelled 'Van Diemens Land', the name used for Tasmania until 1856. Aboriginal people from south-east Australia were taken to work in the plantations of Tasmania.
- 8 Wood clubs, made with stone tools. Collected

- by J.H. Wedge between 1835-37 from Victoria.
- 9 Hooked clubs of wood, made with stone tools. Collected by J.H. Wedge between 1835-37 from Victoria. Used in single combat.
 - 10 Wood shields, with designs cut using stone tools. Collected by J.H. Wedge between 1835-37 from Victoria. Used in parrying spear thrusts.
 - 11 Wood bowl, made from a swelling on the trunk of a tree. Probably collected by J.H. Wedge between 1835-37 from Victoria.
 - 12 Axe-heads of dark green stone. Found at Tarwan, Victoria in 1901.
 - 13 Wood clubs (four) from Victoria. Probably collected by J.H. Wedge between 1835-37. These clubs were possibly once owned by William Buckley. He was a former convict who lived with the Aboriginal people in the Port Phillip area from 1803 to 1835.
 - 14 Necklace made of short sections of reed. Made by Aboriginal people from the Bathurst area, New South Wales, before 1850.
 - 15 Wood spear with carved barbs, used for catching fish. The spear is from the coastal area of New South Wales, but it was probably obtained by J.H. Wedge in Tasmania between 1824-34.
 - 16 Wood spear-thrower from New South Wales, made with stone tools. Probably collected by J.H. Wedge between 1835-37.

- 17 Wood club, with stone-cut designs, from the coastal area of New South Wales. Probably obtained by J.H. Wedge from Tasmania in 1835.
- 18 Wood parrying shield, with designs made with steel tools, from the coastal area of New South Wales. Probably obtained by J.H. Wedge between 1824-34 from Tasmania (formerly known as Van Diemens Land).
- 19 Wood parrying shield from south-eastern Australia, made before 1841.
- 20 Wood shield, with the remains of red and white painted designs, from the coastal area of New South Wales. Obtained by J.H. Wedge in Tasmania between 1824-34.
- 21 Wood club, from south-eastern Australia, early 20th century.
- 22 Wood throwing club, of the form called 'lil-lil'. From south-eastern Australia, late 19th century.
- 23 Wood spear-thrower, with a bone peg. From south-eastern Australia, probably made in the late 19th century.
- 24 Wood boomerang, from New South Wales, early 20th century.
- 25 Wood boomerang, from south-eastern Australia, late 19th century.

- 26 Wood bow with vegetable fibre bindings and string, from northern Queensland. Probably collected by J.H. Wedge before 1838.
- 27 Wood fish spear, with four points each tipped with a bone barb, from Queensland. Collected by J.H. Wedge before 1838.
- 28 Wood spear-thrower with a wood peg, from Queensland. The grip is made from two pieces of shell and gum.
- 29 Wood club, studded with iron nails, from Queensland, early 20th century.
- 30 Wood club, from Queensland, early 20th century.
- 31 Shield decorated with burnt lines, which form a figure carrying a shield and a boomerang. From Western Australia, probably made about 1950.
- 32 Shield made of soft wood, from Queensland or northern New South Wales, early 20th century. The hollow for the handgrip was also used as a container for water.
- 34 Bowl of wood, from Queensland, made before 1880.
- 35 Wood boomerangs with incised designs, from Queensland, early 20th century.

- 36 Wood fire-sticks with a case covered in abrus seeds and shells, probably from Queensland. Fire-sticks had a practical purpose but were also of great significance, and were kept in elaborately decorated cases.
- 37 Hammer / axe, with stone heads set in gum, from Western Australia. Made before 1838.
- 38 Axe, with a polished stone head. The head has a shaft of wood wrapped around it. The original binding is missing. Collected from New South Wales before 1844.
- 39 Wood boomerang, the returning type, from Western Australia, early 20th century. Probably made as a toy.
- 40 Wood spear-thrower, with a wood peg, from Western Australia, late 19th century.
- 41 Wood spear-thrower, with a wood peg and a flaked flint set into the pad of gum at the grip. From Western Australia, made before 1841.
- 42 Wood shield with burnt-in designs, from Western Australia, 20th century.

