



Argillite Totem Pole

Date

c. 1900

Medium

argillite

Description

largest in NMC Collection. totem pole slightly tapered toward top, well polished. lower figure a full beaver with a face in his tail. full raven above this with disc in his mouth, next full human figure holding a small child and frog between his legs. top figure an eagle with head bent low over a bear? head and forearms protruding from a fluted circlet. underside hollowed out. separate base glued on. attrb Charles Edenshaw

Dimensions

Other: 71.8 × 8.9 × 7.6 cm (28 1/4 × 3 1/2 × 3 in.)