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"Häuptling v. Akwanko (Mbembe) sitzt auf d. Grab seiner Väter. "



- Title:** "Häuptling v. Akwanko (Mbembe) sitzt auf d. Grab seiner Väter. "
- Alternate title:** The chief of Abwanko (Mbembe) sitting on the grave of his ancestors.
- Ref. number:** E-30.85.265
- Creator:** Zürcher, Wilhelm (Mr)
- Date:** Date late: 31.12.1937  
Proper date: 01.01.1932-31.12.1937  
Acquisition year: 1937
- Subject:** [Individuals]: Zürcher, Wilhelm (Mr)  
[Photographers / Photo Studios]: Zürcher, Wilhelm (Mr)  
[Geography]: Bembe {region}: Mbembe {region}: Akwanko {place}  
[Themes]: anthropology of the body: adornment  
[Themes]: religion and philosophy (general): ancestor worship  
[Themes]: environment: physical environment: basalt  
[Themes]: individual roles: offices: chief m  
[Themes]: religion and philosophy (phenomena): sacral buildings and

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settings: grave

[Themes]: religion and philosophy (phenomena): sacral objects and symbols: gravestone

[Themes]: anthropology of the body: headdress: headgear

[Themes]: architecture and settlement: type and material of construction

[Themes]: social structure and socialization: gender - age and kinship: woman

[Archives catalogue]: Images: E: E-30: Cameroon. Land, people, religion. 5 Photographs by Zürcher. A) Land, nature, plants, animals, landscapes, places; b) the life of the people; c) religion.

**Type:** Still Image

**Format:** [Format]: 8cm x 10.9cm  
[Condition]: medium  
[Type of support]: cardboard  
[Process]: b/w positive, paper print, gelatin-silver

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