



fig. 505: bottom right (pp. 285, 286)
Woman's headdress (perak)
 India, Ladakh; late 20th c.
 H (without tassels) 71 cm, W (with side flaps) 56 cm
 Turquoise, textile, fine black wool, cowries, inlaid metal plaque

fig. 506: bottom left; fig. 507: top (detail) (p. 286)
Old and unusual woman's headdress in the shape of a perak
 India, Ladakh; 19th/20th c. (tassels are later additions)
 (Fig. 506) H 76 cm, W at bottom 7.8 cm
 (Fig. 507) H of hat (without tassels) 10.5 cm
 Turquoise, 7 silver amulet attachments, textile base, cowries, amber and other beads



fig. 508: above (p. 286)
Woman's gorget (neck ornament); the attached silver pendants have the shape of stylised tiger-claws for the protection of the wearer
 India, Ladakh; early 20th c.
 H (as shown, without cord) 20 cm, W 24.5 cm
 Coral, seed pearl, amber and turquoise beads and a silver and turquoise *ga'u*, silver pendants, textile



fig. 509: right (p. 286)
Woman's head ornament of flexible leather spokes and strands of coral and turquoise beads (chodpan)
 India, Ladakh; early 20th c.
 H approx. 24 cm; H of silver, amber and turquoise finial 4.5 cm
 Coral, turquoise, amber, silver, leather