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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: CHINA⁹, Peking*

People or Culture: Chinese Period: 8th century

Object: Slides and bead

Material: Paste glass

Description: A-D: Aqua glass slides with dragon design in low relief. Used by women to secure an ornamental necklace or chain to the neck or wrist by slipping the slider through both ends of the chain. Also used as a clasp for drawstring pouches. E: Round bead, use unknown.

*Made in Peking, used by Mongols

Dimensions:

(in cm.)

A-D) height: 1.0, length: 1.5 (E) diam: 1.2

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Collection: C. F. Bieber Collection of Asian Folk and Minor Arts, purchased from Miss Caroline Frances Bieber 15 November 1962

(A) side (A-D)

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