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Provenience: CHINA

Field No.

People or Culture: Chinese

Cammann-218

Object: TOGGLE

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Material: Jade, silver fittings

Description: Miniature replica in jade of ivory figure of a woman, carried by Old Chinese doctor for diagnosing female illnesses. Woman, nude except for foot-coverings on her bound feet, reclines on a giant leaf, holding a leaf fan in one hand. Carved from white nephrite, with traces of brown on the underside of the leaf. Stem of the leaf loops back against leaf to make a loop for attaching a small silver chain.

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Purchased in Kunming, Yunnan, Winter, 1945 by
Dimensions:
 (in cm.) Schuyler Cammann.

max. length - 7.1, max. width - 3.0, max. thickness -

Acc. 2780

Collection of Chinese Toggles: Gift of
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