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Provenience: CHINA

People or Culture: Chinese
Object: TOGGLE

Material: Wood, metal, enamel, ivory

Description: Double utility toggle: also a small

container with a screw cap. Metal cylinder fitted in a brown wood case slightly convex from the base.

Surface carved with wicker effect and 3 of the 5 poisons spider, lizard and scorpion. Single dot of ivory set in near scorpion tail. Metal cover shows green enamel frog on blue enamel ground with coiled snake

border; head of snake pillowed on head of frog.

Dimensions:
(in cm.)

max. height - 4.1, max. diam - 2.7

Acc. 2780 Collection of Chinese Toggles: Gift of Miss C. E. Bieber, 4 October 1962

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