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Obverse



Tsuba

Za Katana

Metal

Shitaiishi

School or Style

Haruno

Maker's Name

Masanaga

(Kiken-ter)

pupil of Masayuki

Reverse



Date

2nd half 318th C.

Subject of Decoration

Obverse:—Ho, a celebrated Chinese hero, after his last battle retired to the mountains, where noticing that he was timidly watched by soldiers sent to capture him, he spurred through the

Reverse:—stream, up the bank toward the men, and said, "I will give you my head, for I am tired of it, though

Note:—twenty thousand men like you can never take my head off." And then he cut off his own head and none could claim the reward.