

Ming	Li Chao-tao	李昭道			✓ F
GROUP		PLACE		CODE	
Locality <u>Peking. (acquired in Siganfu)</u>	CONTACT & NEG. NOS. <u>NEG. 103677A(2-77)</u>		116012 CAT. NO.		
People <u>Chinese.</u>	Stock.		1114L ACC. NO.		
Name <u>Painting on silk</u>				<u>found no</u> <u>6020</u>	
Landscape with buildings copied from a Tang painting probably at the Ming time. Northern Chanistic school.				CONDITION M: G D: F	
by <u>Li Chao-tao</u>					
Notes <u>Inscription with date 714</u>		PUBLISHED REFERENCES			
Width <u>40 cm</u>	Length <u>96 cm</u>	Height	Price <u>10 TL</u>		
Comments by Wilbur, early 1940's:					
'Palaces in Mts. Colour on dark side. A very interesting painting from point of style. (Compare with photograph T'ang file, from Metropolitan Museum of a similar subject). Certainly this is not a T'ang painting but a much later copy of an early theme, preserving, although with distortions, an earlier style. Note double lines in Mt. delineation. Calligraphy seems poor.'					
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Seal on top and inscription below:

秦勅恭畫  
四日臣昭道  
庚寅廿又  
戊辰四月  
二年歲在  
大唐開元

"In the 2. year of the period Hsai-yuan (714 A. D.) of the Tang dynasty, on the 4th day of the 4th month, request fully painted by <sup>me</sup>Chao Tao, at imperial command." but the year 戊辰 corresponds to 728.

