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Field No.

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Provenience: CHINA, Ssü-ch'uan, Chien-chou ~~Provenience~~ [Chien yang Hsien], Chien-chou [Chien-yang] 104.33/30.24.

People or Culture: Chinese

四川簡陽縣(簡州)

Object: Bed valance

Material: Embroidered cotton

Description: Dark blue cross-stitch on off-white cotton
Border: 3 sides. Confronting birds and flowers. Field: 5 medallions. 2 bottom corner triangles with birds.

Med.1 & 5: 2 differentiated phoenix-birds in rotary flight. Med.2 & 4: Central octogon surrounded by flowers and birds in rotary flight. Med.3: CS: 4 pomegranates in rotary arrangement around central square.

Upper part of the medallions worn off. Many holes and some stains.

Dimensions:

(in cm.)

182 x 34

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Collection: collected by Dr. Carl Schuster; purchased from Dr. Schuster 7 December 1960

Szechuan / Chien yang

