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Provenience: CHINA, Kuei-chou, Tsun-i Hsien, Tsun-i
106.55/27.42

People or Culture: Chinese 貴州遵義

Object: Bolster cover

Material: Embroidered cotton rectangular

Description: Dark blue cross-stitch on/white cotton.
Border: 2 bands: outside, (CS: fruit vine) rinceau;
inside, repeated alternating (CS: bird and "goat")
design. Field: Corner triangles, geometric, floral.
Between the triangles a truncated pyramid resembling
a flower pot—one with a swastika, other with a shou
character—and stylized flowers. Center medallion, 4
flowers on a central square (CS: called-on the spot-
"i k'o yin") with floral and geometric designs to

Dimensions: (in cm.) fill out the circle. Piece somewhat
80 x 41 yellowed. (over) For mate see Cat. 233982

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

(CS: Design and execution as good as Ssü-ch'uan work; above level of other Kuei-chou pieces. Said to be local work "40 or 50 years old". Per Mr. Robinson in Kuei-yang, Tsun-i is largely populated by Ssü-ch'uan people.)

