

FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY—RUBBING COLLECTION

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Provenience of object Province 山東省 嘉祥縣	China, Shantung Chi a-hsiang-hsien Tzū-yün-shan 紫雲山	Date Latter B.C. Han A.D. n.d.	Type Stone; tomb-slab	Subject Supernatural creatures and figures in history	Language(s) Chinese
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TITLE [Wu liang tz'ü ch'ien shih-shih hua-hsiang shih chih-pa Ch'ien-mien 武梁祠前石室畫像石之八] 前面 (decorated stone relief: stone 8 front face, front shrine at Wu Liang tz'ü)

INSCRIPTION

Author statement

Description of content

Calligraphy

calligrapher

style

engraver

intaglio 陰文—rilievo 陽文

positive 正文—negative 反文

text

other

Completeness

total columns

total complete cols.

total characters

missing parts

text other

ENT
FORM OF
RUBBING

sheets 幅

unmounted

mounted 1

scrolls 卷

albums 冊頁

books 冊

DIMENSIONS
OF RUBBINGapprox. max.
dimensions
(in cm.) of the
inked areavertical
60.0horizontal
195.0

DESIGN

Artist

Engraver

Intaglio 陰文—rilievo 陽文

Completeness

Description This stone relief rubbing is divided into

three parts:

(1) The gable shows supernatural creatures, animals and dragons. The rest is defaced. (for details, see Chavannes, p. 185-186 and Juan Yuan, p.38)

(2) The scenes and inscriptions in the middle section are difficult to (over)

DATE OF OBJECT

Original No date given but Latter Han period, about 2nd century

Copies, additions, repairs

CHARACTERISTICS OF RUBBING

Date (edition)

Supplemental data (seals, manuscript notes, etc.)

Physical characteristics

paper

ink medium

technique

condition good

PUBLISHED INFORMATION ON OBJECT OR RUBBING

Reproduction, transcription, commentary Chavannes, Edouard, Mission Chine (1909) Pl. LIV No. 112 (r)Chavannes, Edouard, Mission Chine (1913) tome 1, p. 185-186 and 136 (t,c)

Juan Yuan, Shan tso chin shih chih (1797), chuan 7, p. 38 (t,c)

(over)

CATALOGUE
DATA

cat. no.

116388

duplicates

244569-h
1

misc. nos.

Laufer

9242

other

243

acc. no.

neg. no.

collector

(E8)

STAGE IN
PROCESSING

cataloguing

complete

incomplete

repaired

misc.

STORAGE
LOCATION

Rm. 66

DESIGN

Description of Content: recognize because the stone was almost defaced. (For details, see Chavannes, p. 186, and Juan Yüan, chuan 7, p. 38).

(3) The lower section presents an official procession with a caption, but no inscription. On the left side a figure facing the procession is likely a welcoming official.

The stone is very damaged, making the figures and inscriptions difficult to see.

PUBLISHED INFORMATION ON OBJECT OR RUBBING

Rep., trans., com.: Feng Yun-p'eng, Shih so (1821) vol. (Han wu liang) (r,t,c)
Jung King, Han wu liang tz'ü hua-hsiang lu (1936) p. 28-29
Lu Kai-chün, Han wu-shih shih-shih hua-hsiang t'i t'zu pu-k'ao (1916) P. 16 (r,t,c)

Additional information relevant to the original object from which the rubbing was taken

Present location

Comment