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Country China

Locality Peking

People \_\_\_\_\_ Stock.

Name Three-stringed musical instrument, called san hien ≡ 三弦 ("three-stringed"). Oval, shallow body of wood, <sup>both sides being</sup> covered with snake + skin & inlaid with pieces of bone <sup>or ivory.</sup> ~~Bone~~ carvings of bat and "longevity" design attached to end. 3 strings, played with the fingers or a plectrum. Used by street ballad.

Collection single.  
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