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Country **China.**Locality **Singanfu.**People **Chinese.**

Stock.

Name *Jade Bell in wooden frame, red white jade*
Bell of the type of Chou bronze bell
(cover)

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K'ien-lung period (from a private collection in San-yiam hui)
 Collection **Mrs. T. B. Blackstone Expedition,**

Berthold Laufer, Collector 1908-1910.

Notes

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total length 47.3 cm
 Width *1) 5.9 cm* Length *1) 8.3 cm* Height *1) 0.9 cm* Price *100T.*
2) 4.5 cm *2) 21 cm* *2) 3.7 cm*

Carved from "Han jade" It allowed out by means of
the tubular drill. Exact reproduction of an ancient
bronze bell of the Chou period. Decoration on both
faces identical. Upper and lower edges bordered by
meander patterns; in the center a band with
the ogre's head (T'ao-t'ieh) originally a storm
and rain-god, and below it, a wreath of
leaf ornaments. Handle surmounted by two
combatant dragons cut out in open work.