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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

Provenience: CHINA

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Field No.

People or Culture: Chinese

Object: shadow figure

Material: painted and varnished hide

Description: Probably head of hero-type figure having an orange face, red forked lips, and black sideburn; a "J" and a "C" shaped slit denote cheeks and are red on concave sides; black eye has thick, curly, black eyebrow; headdress has green front section, and behind it a tan band with a narrower red band down its middle tied into a bow at one place; 2 slightly expanding red pendants hang behind

Dimensions:

(in cm.) 9 x 4

(over)

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Collection: Purchased from Miss Edna H. Bahr
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the head; a red pompon sits
above a black cap on the
back of the headdress.