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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: Figure probably is head of wealthy man with black, cut-out face and red lips; black eye has highly arched eyebrow which circles eye and does not connect to back of face; black hair; green band goes a round head at headdress base; wheaddress is formed by a black cap which fits the skull, and an almost cube-shaped attachment above the cap; both the cap and the cube part have flowers(4) with

Dimensions:

(in cm.) 7x6

(over)

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Collection: Purchased from Miss Edna H. Bahr
24 December 1959

green centers, two with yellow ~~XX~~
around the centers, and all 4 with
pink and red petals; the leaves
on 2 of them are green.

