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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Field No.

Provenience: CHINA

People or Culture: Chinese

Object: shadow figure

Material: painted hide, wire, bamboo

Description: Probably body of man or woman having a red jacket and green trousers; jacket has 3 shoud characters - 1 on front, 1 on back, and 1 at bottom of jacket - all are tan with cut-out petals around them with green flowers; green sash worn around waist, tied in back, has black, slitted tassels; upper/sleeves each have 2 slitted, green leaves; lower sleeves have tan flowers with

Dimensions:

(in cm.) 21 x 6 maximum

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Collection: Purchased from Miss Edna H. Bahr  
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petals and leaves as on jacket  
body; cuffs are green,  
then tan; trousers have 4  
tan flowers with tan centers  
and red tinting near centers  
- 1 each on upper legs and  
lower legs; ankles tan with  
red and tan shoes which curve  
upwards at front; bamboo  
part of handle missing on  
left hand handle; wheels at  
leg hinges, half-wheels at  
hip hinges.