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## CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: CHINA

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Field No.

People or Culture: Chinese, 19th century, northern

Object: shadow figure

Material: painted hide, and wire

Description: Figure is gate in wall with window, or possibly some flat object hanging, to the left of the gate; gate doors are black with 4 horizontal, tan bands crossing them; at the level of second band are what appear to be 2 masks, possibly serving as handles; horizontal and vertical cuts in the figure are suggestive of brick or stone; figure is torn on upper right side; wire rod connected to

Dimensions: 1 gate door.

(in cm.)

40.0 x 40.7

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Collection: C. F. Bieber Collection of Asian Folk and Minor Arts, purchased from Miss Caroline Frances Bieber 15 November 1962

