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Provenience: CHINA, Peking

SF B-5/02

Field No.

People or Culture: Chinese

Period: 19th cent.  
or earlier

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Object: Shadow Figure

Material: Hide

Description: Head of woman with black cut-out face, narrow eye and arched eyebrow.

Headdress: front decorated with red and tan floral design including two red decorations curled at the ends, extending from top of headdress. Black swastika at back of head-dress; two long red objects extend from base of headdress. Bought in Peking, 1930's, by Bieber.

Dimensions:

(in cm.)

14.0 x 5.5

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

