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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 or earlier,
North

SF18

Object: shadow figure

Material: painted hide

Neg. No.

Description: Figure is a demon head, with a grey face and a black mustache merging with the sideburn to form a beard which leaves the chin exposed; the hair forms a braid behind the neck; on the front of the head-dress is a red ^{pom-pom} sphere and joined to it are 2 long tan and black ^{feathers} feathers; head-dress is partly torn from head.

Dimensions:
(in cm.)

12.5 x 8.2

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

