Provenience: CHINA, northern People or Culture: Chinese, 19th century

thread

CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM-ETHNOLOGY

60.0 × 32.0

Object: shadow figure Material: painted and varnished hide, wire,

Description: Figure of a tan horse with black hooves pulling a 2-wheeled cart; harness is green, brown, & black; there is a green strap

under the horse's belly; tan flower with tan and red center is on large part of harness on

15 November 1962

(in cm.)

rear of horse's back; inside of horse's left ear is pink; mane denoted by row of compact

slits; legs hinged and with vertical slits above hooves; part of upper left foreleg burned away; (over)

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cart with green sides except for red portion, lower left side; 2 red flowers on front and 1 on side; 2 wheels connected by thread; wheels have tan rims, black dots around wheels, purple wheels and spokes; cart section is connected to horse by thread ties; 1 wire handle is attached to the top of the cart; 1 to the middle of the horse's back.

