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CHINA

SNUFF BOTTLE

Material *agate*Dimensions *8.2 cm h., 5.5 cm w., 4.1 cm th.*

Original No.

Marks -

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Attribution *Ch'ing*Description *opaque gray agate bottle with cameo carving in relief from the brownish rind showing three goats in different attitudes, two fungi of immortality (ling chih), and the moon, in which a hare is faintly en-*

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graved. The nose is to be seen in the moon according
to Chinese lore. The stopper is of carnelian.