

Jade
(Nephrite)

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S.I.1048

Chinese,

~~Chou dynasty.~~ Neolithic

Perforated disc of the type pi; bored from both sides leaving pronounced median ridge; closely mottled rich shades of greens and browns almost hidden by profuse areas of grayish white and milky white incipient disintegration. (Numerous chips on rim). Box.

.204 in diameter. (8-1/16")

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1. Bought from Seaouke Yue, of Shanghai, in New York. Said to have been excavated in Chekiang. For price, see Original Miscellaneous List, p. 234.
2. Original attribution: Shang. See further, S.I.1048, Appendix VIII. (See Paragraph 5.)
3. (I.M., 1945). Chou dynasty.
4. Sp. G. is 2.981. Nephrite.
5. (H.E.Buckman, 1964) The Envelope File contained no further information and has now been destroyed.
6. (T.Lawton, 1978) Attribution changed from Chou to Neolithic. See folder sheet for 17.19.