Jade (Nephrite)

17.87

S.I.1174

Chinese,

Chou dynasty. Neolithic

Perforated disc of the type <u>pi</u>; bored from both sides leaving pronounced median ridge; mottled medium to dark olive greens and brown, shot with pale quartz-like streaks; profuse earth colored encrustation and incipient disintegration; shallow saw marks and some pitted areas. (Rim chipped). Box.

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.166 in diameter. (6-9/16")

- Bought from Lee Van Ching, of Shanghai, in New
 York. For price, see Original Miscellaneous List, p. 271.
- Original attribution: Han. See further,
 S.I.1174, Appendix VIII.
 - 3. (I. M., 1945). Chou dynasty.
 - 4. Sp. G. is 3.005. 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.