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July 26, 1956

Dear Mr. Yaux

In reply to the telephone inquiry this morning, I greatly regret having to tell you that there will be a further delay in the processing of payment of your bill for the bronze hu and jade pi. As you know, payment is made through the Disbursing Office of the Smithsonian Institution, which is at present installing a new method of processing bills, including a machine for running off the card-type of check. Unfortunately, this change-over is taking a little longer than was anticipated, but it is hoped that it will be in operation by the first of next month, and you should receive your check very shortly thereafter.

Very truly yours,

(Miss) H. Elise Buckman, Secretary to the Director.

C. F. Yau, Esq. Tonying & Company, Inc. 5 East 57th Street New York 22 N. Y.

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5 EAST 57TH STREET NEW YORK CITY

C. F. YAU PRESIDENT July 5, 1956

F.G.A. Order No. 3074

Smithsonian Institution, Freer Gallery of Art, Washington 25, D. C.

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56.15 235.53	" 1	Square Bronze Period: Han	Price	7,500.00

The services, supplies or equipment indicated above are hereby accepted

These objects appear as Item No. 4 on list approved by J. E. Graf, Acting Secretary, on May 9, 1956, and Item No. 7 on list approved by J. E. Graf, Acting Secretary, on May 7, 1954.

Approved July 6, 1956, for \$19,500.00.

A. G. WENLEY,

Director,

Freer Gallery of Art.

TONYING & COMPANY, INC. 5 EAST 57TH STREET NEW YORK CITY

July 5, 1956

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Mr. A. G. Wenley, Director, Freer Gallery of Art, Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Wenley:

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I have your letter of July 2nd and we are pleased to enclose herewith bill in duplicate covering the Chou Dynasty Jade Pi, priced at \$3,000.00, and the Han Dynasty Bronze Hu, priced 56.15 at \$7,500.00.

Many thanks.

Sincerely yours,

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56.16 July 2, 1956

Dear Mr. Yaus

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If you will be good enough to send me your bill in duplicate for the Chau dynasty jade pi, priced at \$3,000.00, and the Han dynasty bronze 235.53 hu, priced at \$7,500.00, I will be glad to put it through our Disbursing Office for payment.

Yours truly,

A. G. Wenley. Director.

C. F. Yau, Esq. Tonying and Company, Inc. 5 East 57th Street New York 22 N. Y.

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December 13, 1955

Freer Gallery of Art Smithsonian Institution Washington, D. C. ATT: Mr. Wenley

RE: SHIPMENT # 3504

F. L.A.

Dear Mr. Wenley:

Please be advised that under this date, we forwarded via Railway express, prepaid, the following property:

> # 1 case containing: One large jade pi (disc) 18 inches

which we packed and shipped to you on the instructions of Tonying & Co., 5 East 57 Street, N. Y.

Trusting that same arrives safely and in due time, we are

Very trulu yours,

DAY & MEYER MURRAY & YOUNG CORP.

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TONYING & COMPANY, INC.

5 EAST 57TH STREET

NEW YORK CITY

December 13, 1955

Mr. A. G. Wenley, Director,
The Freer Gallery of AArt,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Wenley:

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We shipped you yesterday the large Jade Pi (Disc) of Chou Dynasty, by express prepaid and fully insured. We trust it may reach you safely.

With the season's best greetings,

Sincerely yours,

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56.16 r 24.55 December 20, 1955 Mr. Wenley, Director of the Freer Gallery of Art, has asked me to acknowledge the safe receipt last Friday of the package containing the Chinese jade pi which you packed and shipped for Tonying & Co. Mr. Yau has also been notified of its receipt. Very truly yours, (Miss) H. Elise Buckman, Secretary to the Director. Day & Meyer - Murray & Young Corp. 1166-70 Second Avenue at 61st Street New York N. Y. heb

Hard cond December 16, 1955 Dear Mr. Yau: Mr. Wenley has asked that I notify you of the safe receipt, late this afternoon, of the Chinese Jade pa which you have forwarded for consideration. Thank you which you h Very truly yours, (Miss) H. Elise Buckman, Secretary to the Director. C. F. Yau, Esq. Tonying & Co., Inc. 5 East 57th Street New York 22 N. Y.