

OBJECTS FROM SITE OF KUAN-TSOU, N. OF NAN-HU.

Nan. K. 001. Fr. of porcelain from cup or bowl, thin, painted in blue under a greenish white glaze; a Manchu character repeated. Chinese. Gr. M. $1\frac{3}{4}$ ", thickness $\frac{1}{8}$ ".

Note.—It is most improbable that this piece is older than the present dynasty, or that any of the blue and white pieces 001 to 004 antedate the 14th century.

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Nan. K. 002. Fr. of porcelain from bowl; greyish white, roughly painted in dull blue under a greenish grey glaze; outside, a fish in silhouette; inside, arched pattern. Gr. M. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", thickness $\frac{5}{16}$ " to $\frac{3}{16}$ ".

Nan. K. 003. Fr. of porcelain from rim of bowl, painted in dull blue under a greyish green glaze; outside, part of a rough floral design; chequer border inside. Chinese. Orig. diam. of bowl c. 5", gr. M. $1\frac{3}{4}$ ", thickness $\frac{3}{16}$ " to $\frac{1}{10}$ ".

Nan. K. 004. Fr. of porcelain from bowl, painted in blue under a greyish white glaze; arched pattern and plain bands. Gr. M. $1\frac{1}{8}$ ", thickness $\frac{5}{16}$ ".

Nan. K. 005. Ring of pale-green glass, part of; semi-opaque, flat inside, rounded outside; very clever imitation of jade. Thickness $\frac{1}{4}$ ", width $\frac{3}{8}$ ", extant chord $2\frac{5}{8}$ ".

Nan. K. 006. Flake of mauve flint, carefully trimmed along two edges. Gr. M. $1\frac{7}{8}$ ".

Nan. K. 007. Bronze fr., part of curved tube, thin, rolled from plate bronze and annealed up join. Diam. $\frac{3}{8}$ " to $\frac{3}{16}$ ", length 1".

Nan. K. 008. Cast bronze fr., part of tube; broken one end; $\frac{1}{2}$ " from this end it widens. Length $1\frac{3}{4}$ ", diam. $\frac{5}{16}$ " to $\frac{3}{8}$ ".

Nan. K. 009. Cast bronze fr., half-bell of 'grelot' type, with projecting tongue pierced for suspension; clapper missing; round middle went three incised lines. On extant side above band, two Chin. chars.; below, conventional design perhaps intended for dragon's head. Diam. $1\frac{3}{16}$ ", tongue $\frac{1}{2}$ " \times $\frac{5}{8}$ ". Pl. VII.