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209 A FINE KINGFISHER FEATHER PICTURE, showing a pheasant perched on the trunk of a tree bearing large ivory flowers, above rocks and tree peonies, while another bird perches on an overhanging branch, all in brilliant tones of turquoise and purple on a black ground, the contemporary carved wood frame painted and gilt with bats among clouds and formal scrolls, $32\frac{1}{2}in$. by 26in.

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210 Five Engravings, after Ho Shih-k'uei, from a series of ten engravings depicting the Battles of the Emperor of China, ending in the capture of Jehangir by Ch'ang Ling in 1828, $19\frac{1}{2}in$. by $36\frac{1}{2}in$, circa 1830, framed and glazed (5)

211 An interesting Tibetan Tanka, the upper part, encircled by a range of mountains, contains a number of small shrines surrounding a large temple in front of which is seated a deified buddhist leader in *lalitasana* with long monastic robes, holding the *cakra*, the lower section is divided between fighting soldiers and monks, 34*in. by* 23*jin.*

212 A PAIR OF CLOISONNÉ ENAMEL TEMPLE ORNAMENTS, each surmounted by a deity, one representing Avalokitesvara seated crosslegged, her robes with champlevé enamel decoration, the other with a deity, possibly intended for Kuan Ti, kneeling in full armour, each figure resting on a lotus seed pod edged with petals, above foliate scrolls which issue from vases with ribbon handles, the bases with wave decoration and two borders of formal petals, 15*in.*, Ch'ien Lung (2)

