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Little by little from the beginning,

Wipe it over little by little.

Old fingers,

We need to be more natural.

Got hot,

Remove it without destroying the glaze.

The wind is too strong.

Yang Fan, bring the swim bladder here.

Come,

OK,

Take the front.

Front shot,

Or you don't know which side is which side.

Look at this rat shit.

从开头一点一点的,

一点一点擦过来。

手指上面做旧,

我们要更加自然一些。

变热了,

去除了它不破坏釉。

风太大。

杨帆你把鳔拿过来。

来,

OK,

拍正面。

拍正面,

要不你不知道哪边是哪边,

你看这老鼠屎。

开头 (kāi tóu) beginning; to start. 一点一点 (yī diǎn yī diǎn) little by little; bit by bit; gradually.

过来 (guò lái) to come over; to manage; to handle; to be able to take care of.

上面 (shàng miàn) on top of; above-mentioned; also pr. (shàng mian).

更加 (gèng jiā) more (than sth else); even more.

釉 (yòu) glaze (of porcelain).

帆 (fān) sail; Taiwan pr. (fán), except 帆布 (fān bù) canvas. 鰾 (biào) swim bladder; air bladder of fish.

正面 (zhèng miàn) front; obverse side; right side; positive; direct; open.

屎 (shǐ) stool; feces; ear wax; nasal mucus.

这些积满灰尘和破损痕迹的屏 破损 (pò sǔn) to become damaged. 痕迹 (hén These dusty and broken jì) vestige; mark; trace. 屏风 (píng fēng) screen. screens, 凤, It has been sealed in the 已经在故宫的地库里封存将近三 故宫 (gù gōng) the Forbidden City; abbr. for 故宫博物 basement of the Forbidden 院 (gù gōng bó wù yuàn). 封存 (fēng cún) to sequester; 百年了。 City for nearly three hundred to seal up (for safe keeping); to freeze (an account); to years. mothball. 将近 (jiāng jìn) almost; nearly; close to. 百 年 (bǎi nián) hundred years; century; lifetime. 罕见的三米半身长, 罕见 (hǎn jiàn) rare; rarely seen. 身长 (shēn The rare three-meter halflength, cháng) height (of person); length of clothing from shoulders to bottom (tailor or dressmaker's measure). Precious rosewood frame. 珍贵的紫檀木边框, 珍贵 (zhēn guì) precious. 紫檀 (zǐ tán) red sandalwood. 边框 (biān kuàng) frame; rim. The snail inlay that shows 彰显财富的螺钿镶嵌, 彰显 (zhāng xiǎn) to manifest. 财富 (cái fù) wealth; wealth, riches. 螺 (luó) spiral shell; snail; conch. 钿 (diàn) to inlay with gold, silver etc; ancient inlaid ornament shaped as a flower. 镶嵌 (xiāng qiàn) to inlay; to embed; to set (e.g. a jewel in a ring); tiling; tesselation. Inlaid with bronze words for 镶铜寿字, 镶(xiāng) to inlay; to embed; ridge; border. 铜 (tóng) copper (chemistry); see also 红铜 (hóng tóng). 透露出它的尊贵。 Reveal its dignity. 透露 (tòu lù) to leak out; to divulge; to reveal. 尊 贵 (zūn guì) respected; respectable; honorable. The big one, 接大的, 用大的。 Use big ones. 五个月后, Five months later, 它们将以全新的面目出现在故宫 They will appear in another 它们 (tā men) they (for inanimate objects). 全新 (quán prominent palace in the xīn) all new; completely new. 面目 (miàn 的另一个显赫宫殿里, Forbidden City with a whole mù) appearance; facial features; look. 另一 (lìng new look, yī) another; the other. 显赫 (xiǎn hè) illustrious; celebrated. 宫殿 (gōng diàn) palace. Now they still need to lie here 现在它们还需要静静地躺在这 quietly. 里。 咱这超细纤维呢? Where's our superfine fiber? 纤维 (xiān wéi) fiber. 这儿这儿。 Here here.

你要顶的话,

像这么薄的薄片它就没法顶了。

薄片 (báo piàn) thin slice; thin section; flake; Taiwan pr. (bó piàn). 没法 (méi fá) at a loss; unable to do anything about it; to have no choice.

this.

If you want to top,

It can't hold a thin slice like

都已经往下摁了, 摁(èn) to press (with finger). Have already pressed down, 但有的是摁不下去的, But some can't hold on, 有的是 (yǒu de shì) have plenty of; there's no lack of. 下 去(xià qù) to go down; to descend; to go on; to continue; (of a servant) to withdraw. 因为这个卡槽变形了。 Because this card slot is 槽 (cáo) trough; manger; groove; channel; (Tw) deformed. (computing) hard drive. 变形 (biàn xíng) deformation; to become deformed; to change shape; to morph. 他们视自己为普通的故宫工作人 They see themselves as 工作人员 (gōng zuò rén yuán) staff member. ordinary staff of the Forbidden 员, City, 但其实他们是最顶级的文物修复 顶级 (dǐng jí) top-notch; first-rate. 文物 (wén But in fact, they are the top wù) cultural relic; historical relic. 修复 (xiū fù) to experts in restoration of 专家, restore; to renovate; restoration; (computing) to fix (a bug). 是给国家最顶级的文物治病的医 He is a doctor who treats the 治病 (zhì bìng) to treat an illness. country's top cultural relics. 生。 他们的着装言谈与我们无异, Their dress and talk are no 着装 (zhuó zhuāng) to dress; dress; clothes; outfit. 言 different from ours. 谈(yán tán) discourse; words; utterance; what one says; manner of speech. 无异 (wú yì) nothing other than; to differ in no way from; the same as; to amount At the same time living in the 同时生活在机器工业时代, age of machine industry, But their craft has a life of 但他们的手艺却有几千年的生命 手艺 (shǒu yì) craftmanship; workmanship; handicraft; trade. 千年 (qiān nián) millennium. thousands of years, 了, 他们师傅的师傅是中国古代士农 士农工商 (shì nóng gōng shāng) "the four classes" of The masters of their masters were workers in ancient ancient China, i.e. scholars, farmers, artisans, and 工商中的工。 Chinese scholars, farmers, merchants. commerce and industry. 还有哪个字坏了, Which word is broken, 坏了 (huài le) shoot!; gosh!; oh, no!; (suffix) to the utmost. Lack of land? 缺地儿来着? 地儿 (dì r) place; space. 来着 (lái zhe) auxiliary showing sth happened in the past. 不一样 (bù yī yàng) different; distinctive; unlike. Not every fan is different. 它不是每扇都不一样。 这么着干粘对得上吗? Is this sticky and dry? 这么着 (zhè me zhe) thus; in this way; like this. The stuff is too big, 在东西太大, 要是小怎么都好办。 It's easy to handle if you are

young.

There are thirty-two such screens,

这样的屏风一共三十二扇,

+ ☐ (shí èr) twelve; 12.

It was the 60th birthday of Emperor Kangxi,

是康熙皇帝六十大寿时,

康熙 (kāng xī) Kangxi, title of the reign (1661-1722) of the Kangxi Emperor 圣祖 (shèng zǔ). 皇帝 (huáng dì) emperor. 六十 (liù shí) sixty; 60.

Birthday gifts from 16 sons and 32 grandsons alive.

当时在世十六个儿子和三十二个孙子送的祝寿礼物。

在世 (zài shì) to be alive. 十六 (shí liù) sixteen; 16. 孙子 (sūn zǐ) Sun Tzu, also known as Sun Wu 孙武 (sūn wǔ) (c. 500 BC, dates of birth and death uncertain), general, strategist and philosopher of the Spring and Autumn Period (700-475 BC), believed to be the author of the "Art of War" 孙子兵法 (sūn zǐ bīng fā), one of the Seven Military Classics of ancient China 武经七书 (wǔ jīng qī shū). 祝寿 (zhù shòu) to offer birthday congratulations (to an elderly person).

The front of the screen is made of bright yellow silk,

屏风的正面用明黄色绸做地,

黄色 (huáng sè) yellow (color); pornographic.

Colorful embroidered various forms of birthday characters,

彩绣各种不同形式的寿字,

绣 (xiù) to embroider; embroidery.

The total is over 10,000,

总数过万,

总数 (zǒng shù) total; sum; aggregate.

Commonly known as Wanshou screen.

俗称万寿屏。

俗称 (sú chēng) commonly referred to as; common term. 屏 (bīng) see 屏营 (bīng yíng).

The back of the screen is very rare to write verses with mineral azurite paint,

屏风的<mark>背面</mark>非常罕见的用矿物质 的石青颜料书写诗句, 背面 (bèi miàn) the back; the reverse side; the wrong side. 矿物质 (kuàng wù zhì) mineral, esp. dietary mineral. 石青 (shí qīng) azurite; copper azurite 2CuCO3-Cu(OH)2; azure blue. 颜料 (yán liào) paint; dye; pigment. 书写 (shū xiě) to write. 诗句 (shī jù) verse.

In each fan, two people each mentioned a five-character poem,

每扇有两人各提五言律诗一首,

律诗 (lǜ shī) regular verse; strict poetic form with eight lines of 5, 6 or 7 syllables and even lines rhyming.

Is the son of Emperor Kangxi's Yin generation,

是康熙帝<mark>胤</mark>字辈的儿子,

胤 (yìn) descendant; heir; offspring; posterity; to inherit.

The birthday poem written by Hong's grandson for him,

弘字辈的孙子为他作的祝寿诗,

弘 (hóng) great; liberal.

This included Yongzheng and Qianlong who later became emperors.

这其中就包括后来成为皇帝的<mark>雍</mark> 正和乾隆。 雜正 (yōng zhèng) Yongzheng, reign name of Qing emperor (1722-1735). 乾隆 (qián lóng) Qianlong Emperor (1711-1799), sixth Qing emperor, princely title 宝亲王 (bǎo qīn wáng), personal name 弘历 (hóng lì), reigned 1735-1799.

这三十二扇屏风给运到寿康宫,

宫 (gōng) palace; temple; castration (as corporal punishment); first note in pentatonic scale.

These thirty-two screens were transported to Shoukang Palace,

Now eight more have been

shipped here,

现在又运了八扇过来,

no problem.

没问题。

没问题 (méi wèn tí) no problem.

Then its wood shrank,

然后它木头收缩了,

收缩 (shōu suō) to pull back; to shrink; to contract;

(physiology) systole.

It forms cracks after shrinking,

收缩以后它形成裂缝,

裂缝 (liè fèng) crack; crevice.

If you make the gap tighter,

你要是整个让缝隙变严的话,

缝隙 (fèng xì) small crack; chink.

This thing becomes smaller.

这个东西就变小了。

So you can't change its size,

所以不能改变它的尺寸,

尺寸 (chǐ cun) size; dimension; measurement.

You can only pick up the inserts in the gap,

只能是在缝隙里面摘嵌条,

只能 (zhǐ néng) can only; obliged to do sth; to have no other choice. ix (qiàn) to inlay; to embed; Taiwan pr.

Give it a shape to hop on it,

把它形给它随上,

So it is kept,

这样就保留了,

The cultural relics did not

touch it before,

之前文物不再动它,

Just add another part to it,

只是再给它附加了一部分,

附加 (fù jiā) additional; annex. 一部分 (yī bù

fen) portion; part of; subset.

This part is actually reversible,

这部分实际上是可逆的,

实际上 (shí jì shàng) in fact; in reality; as a matter of fact; in practice. 可逆 (kě nì) reversible; (math.)

invertible.

It can be removed.

它可以去掉。

去掉 (qù diào) to get rid of; to exclude; to eliminate; to

remove; to delete; to strip out; to extract.

All right.

好了。

Is this one easy to break?

这个是容易断那个吗?

This is a bug.

这个有虫。

虫 (chóng) lower form of animal life, including insects, insect larvae, worms and similar creatures; person with a particular undesirable characteristic.

The Kang area behind is very

serious.

后边那地炕特严重。

后边 (hòu bian) back; rear; behind. 炕 (kàng) kang (a heatable brick bed); to bake; to dry by the heat of a fire.

This black mold is very serious.

这黑霉特严重。

If there is no exquisite skill of

the restorers,

如果没有修复师们精湛的技艺,

精湛 (jīng zhàn) consummate; exquisite. 技艺 (jì

vì) skill; art.

These once luxurious screens,

这些曾经华贵无比的屏风,

华贵 (huá guì) sumptuous; luxurious. 无比 (wú bi) incomparable; matchless.

It will continue to be broken in a corner of the Forbidden City in this appearance.

还会以这个<mark>模样</mark>继续在故宫某个 角落里残破下去。 模样 (mú yàng) look; style; appearance; approximation; about; also pr. (mó yàng). 角落 (jiǎo luò) nook; corner. 残破 (cán pò) broken; dilapidated.

When the time comes, the textile can be peeled off separately.

这个<mark>到时候</mark>可以把<mark>纺织品</mark>给它就 是单独<mark>揭</mark>下来。 到时候 (dào shí hòu) when the moment comes; at that time. 纺织品 (fǎng zhī pǐn) textile; fabrics. 揭 (jiē) to take the lid off; to expose; to unmask.

no problem.

没问题。

This restoration brought together the Ministry of Culture, Protection and Technology of the Palace 这次的修复集合了故宫文保科技 部、

bronze,

Museum,

青铜、

青铜 (qīng tóng) bronze (alloy of copper 铜 and tin 锡 (xī)).

Woodware,

木器、

木器 (mù qì) wooden articles.

lacquerware,

漆器、

漆器 (qī qì) lacquerware.

mosaic, 镶嵌、

Many craft groups such as calligraphy and painting, weaving and embroidery, 书画和织绣等多个工艺组,

Leaving the Palace Museum to celebrate its 90th anniversary,

离故宫博物院庆祝建院90周年,

故宫博物院 (gù gōng bó wù yuàn) Palace Museum, in the Forbidden City, Beijing; National Palace Museum, Taipei. 周年 (zhōu nián) anniversary; annual.

Only five months left.

只剩五个月的时间了。

They work together,

他们通力合作,

通力合作 (tōng lì hé zuò) to join forces; to give full cooperation.

On average, one screen should be repaired a week,

平均要保证一周修复一扇屏风,

一周 (yī zhōu) one week; all the way around; a whole cycle.

In order to catch up with the exhibition progress.

才能赶上展览进度。

赶上 (gǎn shàng) to keep up with; to catch up with; to overtake; to chance upon; in time for. 进度 (jìn dù) pace; tempo; degree of progress (on project); work schedule.

And this is only a small part of the repair work,

而这还只是修复工作中的很小一部分,

It is the tip of the iceberg.

是冰山一角。

冰山一角 (bīng shān yī jiǎo) tip of the iceberg.

Did not fall to the end.

没完全落到底。

Start talking to them.

开始跟他们。

They both disagree. 他们俩还不同意。

This one did not fall 这个没完全落到底, completely,

Have you seen. 看见没有。

Not next to it, 跟它没挨着, 挨着 (āi zhe) near.

就它两个不统一。 The two are not unified.

落闸的时候,

Correct. 对。

When the gate is off,

Its original owner was

The emperor of the Qing

Qianlong.

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than one generation.

还晚落一个闸, It's too late to close a gate, 闸 (zhá) gear; brake; sluice; lock (on waterway); electric switch or circuit breaker.

这边还差一个齿。 There is one tooth missing 这边 (zhè biān) this side; here. 齿 (chǐ) tooth.

here.

也可能这一毛病就调一天半天 半天 (bàn tiān) half of the day; a long time; quite a It may also be adjusted for a day and a half. while; midair. 的。

王津正在修的这座钟名字叫铜渡 The name of the clock that 津(jīn) saliva; sweat; a ferry crossing; a ford (river Wang Jin is building is crossing); abbr. for Tianjin 天津. 座钟 (zuò zhōng) desk 金乡村音乐水法钟, Tongdujin Country Music clock. 渡 (dù) to cross; to pass through; to ferry. 乡村音

Waterfa Clock. 乐 (xiāng cūn yīn yuè) country music (country & western music genre).

Emperor Qianlong, 清朝皇帝酷爱钟表收藏,

它原来的主人是乾隆皇帝,

乾隆。

Dynasty loved the collection of (1644-1911). **酷爱 (kù ài)** to be keen on; to have a clocks and watches, passion for. 钟表 (zhōng biǎo) clock. 收藏 (shōu cáng) to hoard; to collect; collection; to bookmark

清朝 (qīng cháo) Ch'ing or Qing dynasty

(Internet).

莫过于顺治、 莫过于 (mò guò yú) nothing can surpass. 顺治 (shùn

Shunzhi, zhì) reign name of second Qing emperor (1644-1662).

康熙、 Kangxi,

The three emperors showed 三位皇帝示爱钟表的程度一代胜 一代 (yī dài) generation. 胜过 (shèng guò) to excel; to their love for timepieces more 过一代。 surpass.

西方工业革命以后, After the Western Industrial 西方 (xī fāng) the West; the Occident; Western countries. 工业革命 (gōng yè gé mìng) Industrial Revolution, Revolution, c. 1750-1830.

传教士到中国来, 传教士 (chuán jiào shì) missionary. Missionaries came to China, They will study what the 他们会研究皇帝喜欢什么, emperor likes, 就把当时最新最好的钟表送到宫 Just send the latest and greatest clocks to the palace at that 里, time, 形成了一类独特的收藏。 A unique collection is formed. 一类 (yī lèi) same type; category 1 (i.e. class A). 关上那个缝, Close that seam, 美上 (guān shàng) to close (a door); to turn off (light, electrical equipment etc). 缝 (fèng) seam; crack; narrow slit. 正好赶上那棵树中间, Just caught up in the middle of that tree, 正面看不到拼缝, 不到 (bù dào) not to arrive; not reaching; insufficient; No patchwork is visible on the front. less than. 拼 (pīn) to piece together; to join together; to stake all; adventurous; at the risk of one's life; to spell. It's almost impossible. 差一点都不成。 差一点 (chà yī diǎn) see 差点 (chà diǎn). 不成 (bù chéng) won't do; unable to; (at the end of a rhetorical question) can that be?. 大英博物馆我们去的时候看, When we went to the British 大英博物馆 (dà yīng bó wù guǎn) British museum. Museum. I basically didn't see it, 基本没有看到, 基本看他们的小型的比较多, 小型 (xiǎo xíng) small scale; small size. Basically, they have more small ones, 那种大型的基本没有, There are basically no such 那种 (nà zhǒng) that; that kind of; that sort of; that large ones, type of. 这个表主要原来一直在库房里搁 This watch has been stored in 库房 (kù fáng) storeroom; warehouse. 搁 (gē) to place; the warehouse for more than to put aside; to shelve. 100多年, 100 years. 也没有修复过吗? Has it been repaired? 这次主要是为了建院90周年办修 This time it is mainly for the 90th anniversary of the 复成果展. founding of the institute to hold a restoration exhibition. 我们就挑了这么一对比较大型 一对 (yī duì) couple; pair. We picked such a relatively large pair, 的. The other one is more severely 另外一个就破损比较严重的。 damaged.

Palace clocks as a special gift,

It has a very sophisticated and complicated mechanical transmission system and gorgeous appearance, 宫廷钟表作为特殊礼物,

有着极为精巧复杂的机械传动系 统和华丽的外表, 宫廷 (gōng tíng) court (of king or emperor).

有着 (yǒu zhe) to have; to possess. 极为 (jí wéi) extremely; exceedingly. 精巧 (jīng qiǎo) elaborate. 机械 (jī xiè) machine; machinery; mechanical; (old) cunning; scheming. 传动系统 (chuán dòng xì tǒng) transmission system; power drive. 华丽 (huá lì) gorgeous. 外表 (wài biǎo) external; outside; outward appearance.

It represented the most advanced level of machinery manufacturing and technology in the world at that time, 代表了当时世界上最<mark>先进</mark>的机械 制造和工艺水平, 先进 (xiān jìn) advanced (technology); to advance.

But repairing them is not as easy and pleasant as the mood when viewing them. 但修复它们就不像<mark>观赏</mark>时的心情 那样轻松愉悦了。

观赏 (guān shǎng) to look at sth with pleasure; to watch (sth marvelous); ornamental. 那样 (nà yàng) that kind; that sort. 愉悦 (yú yuè) joyful; cheerful; delighted; joy; delight.

Since clocks and watches are practical devices,

由于钟表都是实用器,

Need to be maintained

需要持续不断的加以维护。

加以 (jiā yǐ) in addition; moreover; (used before a disyllabic verb to indicate that the action of the verb is applied to sth or sb previously mentioned); to apply (restrictions etc) to (sb); to give (support, consideration etc) to (sth). 维护 (wéi hù) to defend; to safeguard; to protect; to uphold; to maintain.

Until 1924,

Feng Yuxiang's men drove the last emperor Pu Yi out of the palace,

直到1924年,

冯玉祥的部下将末代皇帝溥仪赶 出宫室, 冯玉祥 (féng yù xiáng) Feng Yuxiang (1882-1948), warlord during Republic of China, strongly critical of Chiang Kai-shek. 部下 (bù xià) troops under one's command; subordinate. 末代皇帝 (mò dài huáng dì) the Last Emperor, biopic of Pu Yi 溥仪 by Bernardo Bertolucci. 溥仪 (pǔ yí) Puyi, personal name of the last Qing emperor (reigned as child 1909-1911), the subject of Bertolucci's biopic The Last Emperor. 赶出 (gǎn chū) to drive away.

The watchmaker still stays in the Forbidden City,

钟表匠人依然留在紫禁城内,

匠 (jiàng) craftsman. 紫禁城 (zǐ jìn chéng) the Forbidden City; the Imperial Palace in Beijing; same as 故宫 (gù gōng).

The restoration memory of the clock is the only one that has been stretched down in the Forbidden City.

钟表的修复记忆是唯一在故宫里 一直<mark>绵延</mark>下来,

绵延 (mián yán) continuous (esp. of mountain ranges); to stretch long and unbroken; a continuous link; sostenuto (sustained, in music). Intangible cultural heritage without faults.

没有断层的非物质文化遗产。

斯层 (duàn céng) fault (geology); (fig.) gap; rupture (in the transmission of some skill); (tomography) crosssectional. 非物质文化遗产 (fēi wù zhì wén huà yí chǎn) (UNESCO) Intangible Cultural Heritage.

Pour the one who managed it,

倒那个打点的,

打点 (dǎ dian) to bribe; to get (luggage) ready; to put in order; to organize things; (baseball) RBI (run batted in).

Engrave,

打刻打点,

It should be done after four quarters,

应该是打完四刻再打点,

Now it's about three quarters to finish,

现在是打完三刻就打点了,

Have to pour it.

还得倒一下。

After the teachers and fathers retired,

在老师父们退休以后,

Wang Jin and his apprentice Qi Haonan,

王津和他的徒弟亓浩南,

徒弟 (tú dì) apprentice; disciple. 亓 (qí) his; her; its; their. 浩 (hào) grand; vast (water).

Today they are the only two palace clock restorers in the Forbidden City. 如今是故宫仅<mark>有的</mark>两位宫廷钟表修复师。

有的 (yǒu de) (there are) some (who are...); some (exist).

There are thousands of clocks in the Forbidden City,

故宫钟表还有上千件,

One's life can never be completed,

一个人的一生是修不完的,

一生 (yī shēng) all one's life; throughout one's life.

Need to pass from generation to generation to complete.

需要一代代师徒传递来完成。

师徒 (shī tú) master and disciple. 传递 (chuán dì) to transmit; to pass on to sb else; (math.) transitive.

We have a meeting at 3:30 in the West Yard.

三点半咱们西院开个会。

This is pretty.

这漂亮。

Correct,

对,

This is Guangzhou Gold in Guangzhou.

这是广州的广州金。

This is the bronze room,

这里是铜器室,

黑乎乎 (hēi hū hū) variant of 黑糊糊 (hēi hū hū). 珍宝 (zhēn bǎo) a treasure. 银器 (yín qì) silverware.

铜器 (tóng qì) copper ware; bronze ware.

广州 (guǎng zhōu) Guangzhou subprovincial city and

capital of Guangdong; Canton.

These dark things are actually silverware from the Treasures of the Forbidden City.

这些<mark>黑乎乎</mark>的东西其实是故宫珍 宝馆的银器。

珍宝馆的展品历来重器多, 展品 (zhǎn pǐn) exhibit; displayed item. 历来 (lì There are always many exhibits in the treasure hall. lái) always; throughout (a period of time); (of) alltime. 重器 (zhòng qì) treasure. These things are about to be 这些事即将更换的陈列展品。 即将 (jí jiāng) on the eve of; to be about to; to be on the verge of. 更换 (gēng huàn) to replace (a worn-out tire replaced on display exhibits. etc); to change (one's address etc). 陈列 (chén liè) to display; to exhibit. Silverware is easy to oxidize 银器很容易氧化变黑, 氧化 (yǎng huà) to oxidize. 变黑 (biàn hēi) to darken. and turn black, The task of the brassware room 铜器室的任务是要将它们除锈见 锈(xiù) to corrode; to rust. is to remove rust from them, 除锈而又不伤及胎体, Remove rust without 胎体 (tāi tǐ) (in ceramics, lacquerware etc) the base damaging the carcass, (made of clay, metal, bamboo etc) onto which a glaze, lacquer or other decorative elements are applied. 必须要有经验丰富的金属修复师 Must be completed by an 须要 (xū yào) must; have to. 经验丰富 (jīng yàn fēng experienced metal restorer. fù) experienced; with ample experience. 完成。 这是套杯, This is a set of cups, 十二件, Twelve pieces, 它这个都是文人典故。 It is all literati allusions. 文人 (wén rén) scholar; literati. 典故 (diǎn gù) classical story or quote from the literature. 这每个里都是一个历史故事, Each of these is a historical story, 都有图案。 All have patterns. 图案 (tú àn) design; pattern. 一般大家知道, As everyone knows, The very famous seven sages of 非常有名的竹林七贤。 竹林 (zhú lín) bamboo forest. 贤 (xián) worthy or the bamboo forest. virtuous person; honorific used for a person of the same or a younger generation. 这个也就是给它除锈。 This is to derust it. 也就是 (yě jiù shì) that is; i.e.. 他们是顶级的青铜器修复师, 青铜器 (qīng tóng qì) bronze implement; refers to They are top bronze restorers, ancient bronze artifacts, from c. 2,000 BC. 上世纪70年代轰动世界的马踏飞 In the 1970s, the sensational 轰动 (hōng dòng) to cause a sensation; to create a stir in (a place); commotion; controversy. 踏 (tà) to tread; to

horse stepping on the flying 燕, swallow,

就是他们的师傅修复的。 It was repaired by their master.

干有亮、 Wang Youliang,

stamp; to step on; to press a pedal; to investigate on the

spot.

恽小刚、 Yun Xiaogang, 恽 (yùn) surname Yun. Lu Tuanjie, 吕团结, ☐ (lu) pitchpipe, pitch standard, one of the twelve semitones in the traditional tone system. 团结 (tuán jié) to unite; unity; solidarity; united. 80年代进入故宫工作, Entered the Forbidden City in the 1980s, Follow the master to repair a 跟随师傅修复了大量青铜器。 跟随 (gēn suí) to follow. 大量 (dà liàng) great amount; large number of bronzes. large quantity; bulk; numerous; generous; magnanimous. 故宫院藏的青铜器早些年修的已 The bronze wares in the 早些 (zǎo xiē) a bit earlier. Forbidden City have almost 经差不多了, been repaired a few years ago. Now their daily work includes 现在他们的日常工作中包括了大 日常工作 (rì cháng gōng zuò) routine. 金银 (jīn a large number of gold and 量金银器和所有沾金属的文物, yín) gold and silver. 沾 (zhān) to moisten; to be infected silverware and all cultural by; to receive benefit or advantage through a contact; to relics stained with metal. touch. Museums everywhere will also 各地博物馆还会送来破损青铜 各地 (gè dì) in all parts of (a country); various regions. send broken bronzes. 器, 因此, therefore, 青铜器修复技艺还在延续。 Bronze restoration skills 延续 (yán xù) to continue; to go on; to last. 能把复制品做好了, 复制品 (fù zhì pǐn) replica; reproduction. I can make a copy, 你在修改当中就一点问题都没 You have no problems at all during the revision, 有, 能够做好一个复制品, Can make a copy, 基本上能够能入这行了。 Basically able to enter this line. 基本上 (jī běn shang) basically; on the whole. This is the color of its rust, 这是本身它锈的颜色, 本身 (běn shēn) itself; in itself; per se. Among them, he has the 这当中他又有底子, 底子 (dǐ zi) base; foundation; bottom. foundation, 你做复制品, You make a copy, 你必须得跟原物它方位都得一 You have to have the same 方位 (fang wèi) direction; points of the compass; orientation as the original, bearing; position; azimuth. 这边什么色这边就得什么色, What color is here, what color is here, 也挺麻烦的。 It's also very troublesome.

China's bronze culture 中国的青铜文化起源于公元前21 起源 (qǐ yuán) origin; to originate; to come from. 公元 前 (gōng yuán qián) BCE (before the Common Era); originated in the 21st century 世纪, BC (before Christ). BC, As for the 5th century BC, 至于公元前5世纪, 这段时期相当于文献记载的夏、 相当于 (xiāng dāng yú) equivalent to. 文献 (wén This period is equivalent to the xiàn) document. 记载 (jì zǎi) to write down; to record; documented Xia, written account. 商、 Quotient, 西周至春秋时期。 From the Western Zhou 西周 (xī zhōu) Western Zhou (1027-771 BC). 春 秋 (chūn qiū) Spring and Autumn Period (770-476 BC); Dynasty to the Spring and Autumn Period. Spring and Autumn Annals, chronicle of Lu State (722-481 BC). 青铜器的出现使农业和手工业的 手工业 (shǒu gōng yè) handicraft. 生产力 (shēng chǎn The emergence of bronzes has li) production capability; productive force; improved the productivity of 生产力水平得到提高, agriculture and handicrafts, productivity. 历史上叫做青铜时代。 历史上 (lì shǐ shàng) historical; in history. 叫做 (jiào It is called the Bronze Age in zuò) to be called; to be known as. history. China is not the first country to 中国并非最早进入青铜时代的国 并非 (bìng fēi) really isn't. enter the Bronze Age, 家, 但是中国青铜器所达到的巅峰却 But the peak reached by 巅峰 (diān fēng) summit; apex; pinnacle (of one's Chinese bronzes is unmatched. career etc); peak (of a civilization etc). 匹敌 (pǐ dí) to 无以匹敌。 be equal to; to be well-matched; rival. The directions are the same, 方位都一样了, 它这儿有什么锈, What rust is there. 你就往这上面做什么锈, Just do rust on this, 让它有层次感。 Let it have a sense of hierarchy. 层次 (céng cì) layer; level; gradation; arrangement of ideas; (a person's) standing. Facing each piece of exquisite 面对一件件精美的青铜器, 美的 (měi dí) Midea (brand). bronze ware, We can no longer tell, 我们已经不能分辨, 分辨 (fēn biàn) to distinguish; to differentiate; to resolve. What are the unearthed 究竟哪些是出土的历史文物, 出土 (chū tǔ) to dig up; to appear in an excavation; historical relics, unearthed; to come up out of the ground. 哪些是可以乱真的手工修复了。 Which ones can be repaired by 乱真 (luàn zhēn) to pass off as genuine; spurious. hand. 做出来这个颜色要跟它基本上一 Make this color basically the same as it. 致,

可是锈的斑点状态不一定都完全 斑点 (bān diǎn) spot; stain; speckle. 不一定 (bù yī However, the rust spots are not always the same. ding) not necessarily; maybe. 一致。 这是一门至今依然鲜为人知的传 This is a traditional technique 鲜为人知 (xiǎn wéi rén zhī) rarely known to anyone that is still little known. (idiom); almost unknown; secret to all but a few. 统技艺。 It has green on it here, 这边上面它有绿, 在那上面得沾点绿, I have to get some green on it, 跟画画儿也差不了多少, It's not much different from 画儿 (huà r) picture; drawing; painting. 不了 (bù painting, liǎo) unable to; without end. 可是又没有人家画画的那种创 But there is no such kind of 人家 (rén jiā) household; dwelling; family; sb else's house; household business; house of woman's husbandcreation that others paint, to-be. 创作 (chuàng zuò) to create; to produce; to write; creative work; creation. 你必须得照着这个样子来做。 You have to do it this way. 与我们想象中的气氛肃穆、 The atmosphere is solemn with 肃穆 (sù mù) solemn and respectful; serene. our imagination, 战战兢兢面对文物不同, Facing different cultural relics 战战兢兢 (zhàn zhàn jīng jīng) trembling with fear; tremblingly, with fear and trepidation. Restore the site of the treasure 修复国之瑰宝的现场, 瑰宝 (guī bǎo) gem; (fig.) rare and valuable item; gem; treasure. 现场 (xiàn chẳng) the scene (of a crime, of the country, accident etc); (on) the spot; (at) the site. In fact, most of them are just 其实大多数就是这样轻描淡写 大多数 (dà duō shù) (great) majority. 轻描淡写 (qīng such an understatement. miáo dàn xiě) to sketch in light shades; to play down; to 的, deemphasize (idiom). 显得很日常化。 It seems very everyday. You have to take it like this, 就得这么拿, If you mention it like this, 你如果这么一提搂, 搂 (lǒu) to hug; to embrace; to hold in one's arms. 它也许这儿就是坏的。 It may be bad here. 严师出高徒, Strictly teaches high disciples, 高徒 (gāo tú) brilliant student. 王有亮也已成为顶级青铜器修复 Wang Youliang has also 大师 (dà shī) great master; master. become a top bronze 大师, restoration master, 过手的文物他自己也数不清了。 He can't count the relics he has 数不清 (shǔ bù qīng) countless; innumerable. passed. 灯光底下不做色, No color under the light, 灯光 (dēng guāng) (stage) lighting; light. 底下 (dǐ xia) the location below sth; afterwards.

最好光线能足, It's better to have enough light, 就像今儿的就行。 Just like today's. 今儿 (jīn r) (coll.) today. 你看这上面是绿吧, You see, it's green, right? 其实它里边就包含着红, 里边 (lǐ bian) inside. In fact, it contains red in it, 包含着蓝。 Contains blue. 现在我们调色就是一下能调出 Now we can adjust the color 调色 (tiáo sè) to blend colors; to mix colors. palette at once, 来, I really can't tune it out at that 那会儿真调不出来, 眼看 (yǎn kàn) soon; in a moment; to look on as sth Seeing that color is wrong, 眼看着那个色就是不对, happens. 不对 (bù duì) incorrect; wrong; amiss; abnormal; queer. 师傅到时候他不收你活。 When the master arrives, he will not accept you for work. Sometimes the color can't 有时候那颜色真调不出来, 有时候 (yǒu shí hou) sometimes. really be adjusted, 一个礼拜都调不出色儿来, I couldn't tune in for a week, 礼拜 (lǐ bài) week; religious service; worship. 难受死了。 feels awful. 故宫有严格的文物保护制度, The Forbidden City has a strict cultural relic protection system, 每天早晨他们都要打开七道大 Every morning they open 早晨 (zǎo chén) early morning. 大门 (dà mén) the Doors, US rock band. seven doors. 市面上流传一种说法, 市面 (shì miàn) market. 说法 (shuō fa) way of speaking; There is a saying in the market, wording; formulation; one's version (of events); statement; theory; hypothesis; interpretation. 故宫夜里闹鬼, The Forbidden City is haunted 夜里 (yè li) during the night; at night; nighttime. 闹 鬼 (nào guǐ) haunted. at night, 所以早来的人应该大喊一声。 早来 (zǎo lái) to come early; already; early. 大喊 (dà So those who came early should shout. hǎn) to shout. 一声 (yī shēng) first tone in Mandarin (high, level tone). 走着。 Walking. You have to yell. 得吆喝吆喝。 吆喝 (yāo he) to shout; to bawl; to yell (to urge on an

animal); to hawk (one's wares); to denounce loudly; to

shout slogans.

真实情况是这样的。 The real situation is like this. 怕这里头有什么小动物什么的, I'm afraid there are some small 什么的 (shén me de) and so on; and what not. animals here. 尤其它蹭一下窜出来了。 Especially it came out with a 其它 (qí tā) other; the others; else; other than it; in addition to the thing mentioned above. 蹭 (cèng) to rub rub. against; to walk slowly; (coll.) to freeload. **窜 (cuàn)** to flee; to scuttle; to exile or banish; to amend or edit. 晚上没人, No one at night, There are some weasels or wild 有一些什么黄鼠狼或者什么野猫 有一些 (yǒu yī xiē) somewhat; rather; some. 黄鼠 狼 (huáng shủ láng) see 黄鼬 (huáng yòu). 野猫 (yě 小动物。 māo) wildcat; stray cat. 这几只猫, These cats, 也许就是宫廷御猫的后代。 Maybe it is the offspring of the 御(yù) to resist; imperial; (classical) to drive (a royal cat. chariot); to manage; to govern. 后代 (hòu dài) descendant; progeny; posterity; later ages; later generations. 陶瓷组王五胜面对的是一只唐三 The ceramic group Wang 陶瓷 (táo cí) pottery and porcelain; ceramics. 王 1. (wáng wǔ) Wang Wu, name for an unspecified Wusheng faced a Tang Sancai 彩马。 horse. person, third of a series of three: 张三 (zhāng sān), 李四 (lǐ sì), 王五 Tom, Dick and Harry. 唐 (táng) to exaggerate; empty; in vain; old variant of 螗 (táng). 它那不塞严实了, It's not tightly packed, 塞 (sāi) to stop up; to squeeze in; to stuff; cork; stopper. 严实 (yán shi) (sealed) tight; close; (hidden) safely; securely. 这树脂的没法补。 树脂 (shù zhī) resin. This resin can't make up. 唐三彩是古代陶瓷烧制工艺的珍 烧制 (shāo zhì) to fire (in a kiln). 珍品 (zhēn Tang Sancai is a treasure of pin) valuable object; curio. ancient ceramic firing 品, techniques. 一种盛行于唐代的彩釉陶器。 A colorful glazed pottery 盛行 (shèng xíng) to be in vogue; to be prevalent. 唐 popular in the Tang Dynasty. 代 (táng dài) Tang dynasty (618-907). 陶器 (táo qì) pottery. 三彩是多彩的意思, Sancai means colorful. 多彩 (duō cǎi) colorful; flamboyant. It does not specifically refer to 并不专指三种颜色。 three colors. 在同一器物上, On the same object, 同一(tóng yī) identical; the same. 器物(qì

yellow,

黄、

绿、

green,

wù) implement; utensil; article; object.

白、 White, 蓝、 blue, 赭、 ocher, 赭 (zhě) ocher. 黑等基本有色同时交错使用, Black and other basic colored 有色 (yǒu sè) colored; non-white; non-ferrous materials are used interlaced (metals). 交错 (jiāo cuò) to crisscross; to intertwine. simultaneously, Form a colorful artistic effect. 形成绚丽多彩的艺术效果。 绚丽多彩 (xuàn lì duō cǎi) bright and colorful; gorgeous. Secondary cultural relics, 二级文物, 二级 (èr jí) grade 2; second class; category B. 这过去有可能是收藏的, This may have been collected 过去 (guò qu) (verb suffix). 有可能 (yǒu kě in the past, néng) possible; probable; possibly; probably; may; might. It was also unearthed at the 最早也是出土的了, earliest, 好像是捐赠给故宫的。 It seems to be donated to the 捐赠 (juān zèng) to contribute (as a gift); to donate; Forbidden City. benefaction. 因为这个体积比较大, 体积 (tǐ jī) volume; bulk. Because this volume is relatively large, 再一个它这个形态比较好, It's better in this form. 形态 (xíng tài) shape; form; pattern; morphology. 定的级别高点, 级别 (jí bié) (military) rank; level; grade. Set high points, But it's more broken, 但是它就是碎的比较厉害, Ears and pony tails, 耳朵什么马尾巴、 腿都没有了。 The legs are gone. 要是整个上色的话, 上色 (shàng shǎi) to color (a picture etc); to dye (fabric If the whole color is applied, etc); to stain (furniture etc). Because there is so much 因为缺的太多了, missing, 有点涉嫌创造性修复了, A bit suspected of creative 涉嫌 (shè xián) to be a suspect (in a crime); to be suspected of. 创造性 (chuàng zào xìng) creativeness; repair, creativity. 所以像这种情况一般就是减弱一 减弱 (jiǎn ruò) to weaken; to fall off. So in this case, the contrast is weakened. 下对比, 因为那反差太大了, Because the contrast is too big, 反差 (fǎn chā) contrast; discrepancy.

这黑的和白的,

This black and white,

主要给它弄成这种颜色就行了, Mainly make it this color, The color of the place where 像露胎的地方这种颜色就行。 胎(tāi) fetus; litter; tire; abbr. of 轮胎. the tire is exposed is fine. Tang Sancai horses are 唐三彩马一般作为随葬品, 随葬品 (suí zàng pǐn) burial goods; burial gifts. generally used as funeral objects, It was very popular in the Tang 在唐代非常盛行, Dynasty, 可以多方位的折射出唐文化的绚 It can reflect the brilliance of 多方位 (duō fāng wèi) many-sided; versatile; various aspects; all-round; multidirectional. 射出 (shè Tang culture in many ways. 丽光彩。 chū) emission; ejaculation. 绚丽 (xuàn lì) gorgeous; magnificent. 光彩 (guāng cǎi) luster; splendor; radiance; brilliance. It can be seen from the existing 从现存三彩马可以看出, 现存 (xiàn cún) extant; existent; in stock. 看出 (kàn three-color horses, chū) to make out; to see. 唐代三彩匠师们不仅对马的外貌 The Sancai craftsmen of the 对马 (duì mǎ) Tsushima Island, between Japan and South Korea. 外貌 (wài mào) profile; appearance. Tang Dynasty were not only 特点十分熟悉, familiar with the appearance and characteristics of horses, 而且对马的神态、 And the look of the horse, 神态 (shén tài) appearance; manner; bearing; deportment; look; expression; mien. 秉性也有深入的了解, There is also a deep 秉性 (bǐng xìng) innate character; natural disposition; understanding of disposition, attitude. 深入 (shēn rù) to penetrate deeply; thorough. 因此塑造起来得心应手。 So it is easy to shape. 塑造 (sù zào) to model; to mold; (fig.) to create (a character, a market, an image etc); (literature) to portray (in words). 得心应手 (dé xīn yìng shǒu) lit. what the heart wishes, the hand accomplishes (idiom) skilled at the job; entirely in one's element; going smoothly and easily. 他们不仅使三彩马在外形上做到 在外 (zài wài) outer; excluded. 形上 (xíng They not only made the threeshàng) metaphysics. 做到 (zuò dào) to accomplish; to color horse very realistic in 了十分逼真, achieve. 逼真 (bī zhēn) lifelike; true to life; distinctly; appearance, clearly. 而且充分发挥了艺术想象力, And give full play to artistic 想象力 (xiǎng xiàng lì) imagination. imagination, Appropriate use of artistic 恰当的运用了艺术夸张的手法, 恰当 (qià dàng) appropriate; suitable. 手法 (shǒu

使马的内在精神表现得淋漓尽

致。

exaggeration,

fully manifested.

Make the horse's inner spirit

内在 (nèi zài) inner; internal; intrinsic; innate. 淋漓尽

致 (lín lí jìn zhì) lit. extreme saturation (idiom); fig.

vividly and thoroughly; in great detail; without

restraint; (of a performance) brilliant.

få) technique; trick; skill.

The biggest difference from commercial restoration is that commercial restoration is done exactly the same. Others can't see it,

跟商业修复它最大区别就是商业 修复它做完得完全一样,

做完 (zuò wán) to finish; to complete the task.

别人看不出来,

看不出 (kàn bu chū) can't see; can't make out; unable to tell.

We have to be more or less visible.

咱们这个多少还得让人看出来 点。

在接下来这段日子里,

In the following days,

马五胜要恢复这只三彩马的完整

接下来 (jiē xià lái) to accept; to take; next; following.

Ma Wusheng wants to restore the complete shape and color of this three-color horse.

造型和色彩。

造型 (zào xíng) to model; to shape; appearance; style; design; form; pose.

There are many missing parts to use imagination,

很多缺失的部分要发挥想象力,

缺失 (quē shī) deficiency; shortcoming; hiatus.

This is no less than making a work of art.

这不亚于做出一件艺术品。

不亚于 (bù yà yú) no less than; not inferior to. 做 出 (zuò chū) to put out; to issue. 艺术品 (yì shù pǐn) art piece; work of art.

Missing the bottom half,

缺下半截,

下半 (xià bàn) second half. 截 (jié) to cut off (a length); to stop; to intercept; section; chunk; length.

The lower half of the three legs.

三条腿的下半截。

三条 (sān tiáo) three of a kind (poker).

Sometimes we also look for some other previous pictures for reference.

有时候我们还要找一些以前其它 的图做参考。

Wang Wusheng entered the Forbidden City in 1983 to work,

王五胜1983年进入故宫工作,

Five years ago, he and Wang Youliang belonged to the bronze group.

五年前他还和王有亮同属于青铜 组,

年前 (nián qián) before the end of the year; before the new year.

Now he takes two young people,

如今他带着两个年轻人,

年轻人 (nián qīng rén) young people; youngster.

Ji Dongge and Dou Yicun took on the work of the ceramics group.

纪东歌和窦一村担负起陶瓷组的 工作。

窦(dòu) hole; aperture; (anatomy) cavity; sinus. 担 负 (dān fù) to shoulder; to bear; to undertake.

How sticky this is,

这怎么黏黏糊糊的,

黏 (nián) sticky; glutinous; (Tw) to adhere; to stick on; to glue. 黏糊糊 (nián hū hū) sticky.

还有一个吧,

Look for it.

找找。

什么东西? what? 那谁知道你弄的。 Who knows you did it. 谁知道 (shéi zhī dào) God knows...; Who would have imagined...?. 怎么可能是我。 How could it be me. You did not do it. 不是你弄的谁弄的。 我发现什么事不知道谁弄的都扣 I find that I don't know who 什么事 (shén me shì) what?; which?. 扣 (kòu) to fasten; did it and it's on my head. to button; button; buckle; knot; to arrest; to confiscate; 我头上。 to deduct (money); discount; to knock; to smash, spike or dunk (a ball); to cover (with a bowl etc); fig. to tag a label on sb. 头上 (tóu shàng) overhead; above. Who said this, 谁说的, We don't use that kind of thing. 那种东西我们都不用。 我就号称背锅侠。 I am called the Back Pot Man. 号称 (hào chēng) to be known as; to be nicknamed; to be purportedly; to claim (often exaggeratedly or falsely). 因为我们等于用的都是有机材 Because we are using organic 有机 (yǒu jī) organic. materials, 料, 其实是模仿无机的那种质感, It is actually imitating the 无机 (wú jī) inorganic (chemistry). 质感 (zhì inorganic texture, gån) realism (in art); sense of reality; texture; tactile quality. That kind of porcelain luster. 那种瓷器的光泽。 瓷器 (cí qì) chinaware; porcelain. 光泽 (guāng zé) Guangze county in Nanping 南平 (nán píng) Fujian. 这是碎了九瓣的, This is broken into nine petals, 瓣 (bàn) petal; segment; clove (of garlic); piece; section; fragment; valve; lamella; classifier for pieces, segments etc. 把它裂的给掩盖下去。 裂 (liè) to split; to crack; to break open; to rend. 掩 Cover it up. 盖 (yǎn gài) to conceal; to hide behind; to cover up. There are 350,000 sets of 故宫藏有陶瓷器35万件套, 陶瓷器 (táo cí qì) pottery; chinaware. ceramics in the Forbidden City, 他们三个人的工作量是非常大 工作量 (gōng zuò liàng) workload; volume of work. The workload of the three of them is very heavy. 这是贴封条, This is a seal, 封条 (fēng tiáo) seal. 这是过年过节的传统。 过年 (guò nián) to celebrate the Chinese New Year. 过 This is the tradition of Chinese New Year. 节 (guò jié) to celebrate a festival; after the celebrations (i.e. once the festival is over).

拿钥匙得签字。

Take the key and sign.

签字 (qiān zì) to sign (one's name); signature.

他们工作的这块区域叫西三所, The area they work in is called 区域 (qū yù) area; region; district. the West Third Institute. Used to be a cold palace, 曾经是冷宫, 冷宫 (lěng gōng) (in literature and opera) a place to which a monarch banishes a wife or concubine who falls from favor; (fig.) the doghouse; a state of disfavor. Where Wang Wusheng walked, 王五胜走过的地方, 走过 (zǒu guò) to walk past; to pass by. 也许就是当年冷宫的妃嫔们走过 Maybe it was the concubines of 当年 (dàng nián) that very same year. 妃嫔 (fēi pín) imperial concubine. Lenggong who passed by. 的。 文物修复场所用电非常严格, The electricity consumption of 场所 (chẳng suǒ) location; place. cultural relics restoration sites is very strict. 不准自己烧水。 You are not allowed to boil 不准 (bù zhùn) not to allow; to forbid; to prohibit. 烧 water yourself. 水 (shāo shuǐ) to heat water; to boil water. 每天早晨. every morning, They all have to go to the 他们都要集中去开水房, boiling water room, Put in the boiling water for the 提上一天的开水。 day. Tap water can't be used 自来水直接用就文物上不行, 自来水 (zì lái shuǐ) running water; tap water. directly on cultural relics. Have to do something without 得做点里面没有离子的, 离子 (lí zǐ) ion. ions in it, 叫纯水. Called pure water, At least there will be no 至少里面不会有氯离子, 氯 (lǜ) chlorine (chemistry). chloride ions in it, Because chloride ions have a 因为氯离子对文物金属会有一定 腐蚀 (fǔ shí) corrosion; to corrode (degrade certain corrosive effect on chemically); to rot; corruption. 腐蚀作用。 cultural relics. Where do you two go, 你们俩上哪去一趟, Shang Shou Kang Palace. 上寿康宫。 Bronze House Wang Youliang 铜器室王有亮十几岁就出来工作 十几 (shí jǐ) more than ten; a dozen or more. 学徒 (xué came out to work as an tú) apprentice. 当学徒, apprentice when he was a teenager. 徒弟高飞则是上完大学再从事文 高飞 (gāo fēi) Goofy (friend of Mickey Mouse). Gao Fei, the apprentice, went

to college and then engaged in

restoration of cultural relics.

物修复,

The Forbidden City still has a 故宫仍然有传统的师徒制, traditional mentorship system, 现代社会, modern society, How to deal with this new type 如何处理这种新型的师徒关系, 新型 (xīn xíng) new type; new kind. of teacher-student relationship, Wang Youliang, 王有亮、 高飞给出了很好的示范。 Gao Fei gave a good example. 示范 (shì fàn) to demonstrate; to show how to do sth; demonstration; a model example. 他们走过的地方就是著名的慈宁 The place they walked is the 慈 (cí) compassionate; gentle; merciful; kind; famous Ci Ning Palace, humane. 🕆 (ning) would rather; to prefer; how 宫, (emphatic); Taiwan pr. (níng). 明清两代, Ming and Qing dynasties, 明清 (míng qīng) the Ming (1368-1644) and Qing (1644-1911) dynasties. 每逢皇帝去世, 每逢 (měi féng) every time; on each occasion; Every time the emperor died, whenever. 先帝的后妃们就升级为太后、 The concubines of the first 后妃 (hòu fēi) imperial wives and concubines. 升 emperor were upgraded to 级 (shēng jí) to escalate (in intensity); to go up by one queen mothers, grade; to be promoted; to upgrade (computing). **\textstyle \textstyle \texts 后 (tài hòu) Empress Dowager. Toffee, 太妃. 妃 (fēi) imperial concubine. 光荣退休。 Glorious retirement. 光荣 (guāng róng) honor and glory; glorious. In Ci Ning Palace, 在慈宁宫、 寿康宫这片西北区域过着近乎隐 The northwest area of 西北 (xī běi) Northwest China (Shaanxi, Gansu, Qinghai, Ningxia, Xinjiang). 近乎 (jìn hu) close to; Shoukang Palace lived a life of 居的生活, intimate. 隐居 (yǐn jū) to live in seclusion. almost seclusion. 这里以前被戏称为, 称为 (chēng wéi) called; to call sth (by a name); to It was previously nicknamed, name. 将近300年没有男人进来过。 No man has come in for nearly 进来 (jìn lái) to come in. 300 years. 王有亮师徒今天的任务就是为了 Wang Youliang's task today is 原状 (yuán zhuàng) previous condition; original state.

to restore the original display of Shoukang Palace.

Dust protection for metal

恢复寿康宫原状陈列,

对金属文物做除尘保护。

除尘 (chú chén) to eliminate dust (i.e. filter out suspended particles).

Although the Lafayette in the Qing palace plays always drives the Ci Ning Palace, 虽然清宫戏里<mark>老佛爷动不动</mark>就起 驾慈宁宫,

老佛爷 (lào fó yé) title of respect for the queen mother or the emperor's father; nickname for Empress Dowager Cixi 慈禧太后 (cí xǐ tài hòu). 动不动 (dòng bu dòng) (typically followed by 就 (jiù)) apt to (lose one's temper, catch a cold etc); at the drop of a hat. 驾 (jià) to harness; to draw (a cart etc); to drive; to pilot; to sail; to ride; your good self; prefixed word denoting respect (polite 敬辞).

But there are only a handful of queen mothers who have actually lived in Cining Palace. 但真正住过慈宁宫的太后<mark>屈指可数</mark>。

屈指可数 (qū zhǐ kě shǔ) can be counted on one's fingers (idiom); very few.

Shoukang Palace was built on the west side of Cining Palace,

寿康宫建在慈宁宫<mark>西侧</mark>,

西侧 (xī cè) west side; west face.

The scale is smaller than Cining Palace,

规模比慈宁宫小,

Seems more livable,

显得更宜居,

宜居 (yí jū) livable.

The palace built by Qianlong's birth mother, Empress
Dowager Chongqing.

使乾隆<mark>为生</mark>母崇庆皇太后修建的 寝宫。 为生 (wéi shēng) to make a living. 崇庆 (chóng qìng) variant of 重庆 (chóng qìng). 皇太后 (huáng tài hòu) empress dowager. 修建 (xiū jiàn) to build; to construct. 寝 (qǐn) to lie down.

Qing history records,

清史记载,

A total of three queen mothers lived in Shoukang Palace,

寿康宫一共住过三位太后,

Among them, Qianlong's biological mother lived here the longest,

其中乾隆<mark>生母</mark>在这里生活的最 久, 生母 (shēng mǔ) natural mother; birth mother.

A total of 42 years.

共42年。

In order to present the 90th anniversary of the establishment of the Palace Museum, 为了给故宫博物院建院90年献 礼,

President Shou Kang will complete the strongest recovery in history.

寿康总将完成史上最强复原。

史上 (shì shàng) in history. 复原 (fù yuán) to restore (sth) to (its) former condition; to recover from illness; recovery.

After 244 years,

时隔244年,

时隔 (shí gé) separated in time (usu. followed by a quantity of time).

More than 200 treasures once hidden deep in the warehouse of the Forbidden City,

200多件曾经深藏故宫库房的珍宝,

Will return to Shoukang Palace.

They are cleaning the Hainan Huanghuali cabinet with the largest volume in the world. 将重回寿康宫。

他们正在擦的是世界上体量最大的海南黄花梨柜子,

重回 (chóng huí) to return.

体量 (tǐ liàng) body weight; dimensions. 海南 (hǎi nán) Hainan Province, in the South China Sea, short name 琼 (qióng), capital Haikou 海口; Hainan Island; Hainan District of Wuhai City 乌海市 (wū hǎi shì), Inner Mongolia; Hainan Tibetan Autonomous Prefecture 海南藏族自治州 (hǎi nán zàng zú zì zhì zhōu), Qinghai. 黄花 (huáng huā) yellow flowers (of various types); chrysanthemum; cauliflower; (yellow) daylily; a young virgin (boy or girl). 柜子 (guì zi) cupboard; cabinet.

Those who know a little about wood furniture will know how valuable it is.

It is worth mentioning that,

There is a hidden compartment in the cabinet,

When the Palace Museum was first built,

More than 100 treasures were cleared from it,

It turns out that this is the place where the Queen Mother cherished her most beloved treasure.

Sometimes what is made by machines may not be as good as this.

Is the largest,

The tallest cabinet,

So this big cabinet also specially built a two-story little fairy dragon for it,

It should be a large cabinet moved from another place.

It will be (inaudible 00:20:51) radiant.

略懂<mark>木质</mark>家具的人会知道它有多 么贵重。

值得一提的是,

柜子里面设有暗格,

当年故宫初建博物院时,

从中清理出珍宝100多件,

原来这里是太后<mark>珍藏</mark>自己最<mark>心爱</mark>的珍宝的地方。

有时候现在机器做出来的都不一 定有这好。

是体量最大,

体型最高的这样一座大柜,

所以这大柜还<mark>特地</mark>给它建立了二 层的小<mark>仙</mark>龙,

它应该是从<mark>别的</mark>地方移过来的大柜。

它以后(听不清00:20:51)焕彩生 辉。 木质 (mù zhì) wooden. 贵重 (guì zhòng) precious.

值得一提 (zhí de yī tí) to be worth mentioning.

设有 (shè yǒu) to have; to incorporate; to feature.

博物院 (bó wù yuàn) museum.

从中 (cóng zhōng) from within; therefrom. 清理 (qīng lǐ) to clear up; to tidy up; to dispose of.

珍藏 (zhēn cáng) collection; to collect (valuables). 心 爱 (xīn ài) beloved.

体型 (tǐ xíng) build; body type. 最高 (zuì gāo) tallest; highest; supreme (court etc).

特地 (tè dì) specially; for a special purpose. 仙 (xiān) immortal.

别的 (bié de) else; other.

不清 (bù qīng) unclear. 焕 (huàn) brilliant; lustrous. 生辉 (shēng huī) to dazzle; to brighten up (a room etc).

是, Yes, 这还没烫上蜡, This is not hot and waxed, 再烫上蜡更好, It's better to hot and wax again, Still try to be as light as 还是尽量轻。 尽量 (jìn liàng) as much as possible; to the greatest possible. extent. 我上班的时候, When I go to work, 我们师父已经66岁了, Our master is 66 years old, 师父 (shī fu) used for 师傅 (in Taiwan); master; qualified worker. 所以说一些重重劳动都得我们 So we have to do some heavy 重重 (chóng chóng) layer upon layer; one after another. labor, It's all the master pointing from 都是师父在后边指点, 在后 (zài hòu) behind. 指点 (zhǐ diǎn) to point out; to behind, indicate; to give directions; to show how (to do sth); to censure; to pick at. 这应该怎么弄, How should this be done, 那应该怎么弄, What should I do, 师父在后边坐着, The master is sitting behind, Let's get it. 我们来弄。 尤其登高的东西, Especially things that climb high, 更不能让老师父上了。 Not to let the teacher go on. 一般情况下我就不上了, I won't go on under normal circumstances, 也不是说岁数大, It's not that you are old, 岁数 (suì shu) age (number of years old). 反正有年轻的在尽量年轻的来 Anyway, some young people are coming as young as

特明显。

You see this flying high just 你看刚才这高飞来了, now,

Shuttle by myself, 自己就穿梭着, 穿梭(chuān suō) to travel back and forth; to shuttle.

Much better, 好看 (hǎo kàn) good-looking; nice-looking; good (of a movie, book, TV show etc); embarrassed; humiliated.

This style came out, 这气派就出来了, 气派(qì pài) imposing manner or style.

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Especially obvious.

Qianlong's biological mother might be like this back then,

乾隆的生母当年也许就像这样,

Sit here and admire my cabinet.

坐在这里欣赏过自己的柜子。

There are still many capable people in our ancestors,

还是老祖宗能人多,

祖宗 (zǔ zōng) ancestor; forebear. 能人 (néng rén) capable person; Homo habilis, extinct species of upright East African hominid.

Catch up at that moment,

搭上那会儿,

搭 (dā) to put up; to build (scaffolding); to hang (clothes on a pole); to connect; to join; to arrange in pairs; to match; to add; to throw in (resources); to take (boat, train); variant of 褡 (dā).

You don't give it a good job,

你不给好好弄,

好好 (hǎo hǎo) well; carefully; nicely; properly.

The emperor can behead his head,

皇上都能砍头,

上都 (shàng dū) Shangdu, also known as Xanadu, summer capital of the Yuan Dynasty (1279-1368). 依 头 (kǎn tóu) to decapitate; to behead.

The dean will not cut our heads now.

现在院长不会砍咱们头。

院长 (yuàn zhǎng) the head of an institution whose name ends in 院 (yuàn); chair of a board; president of a university; department head; dean; premier of the Republic of China.

Then remove the ladder,

然后把梯子撤走,

梯子 (tī zi) ladder; stepladder. 撤走 (chè zǒu) to retire; to remove; to withdraw; to evacuate.

According to right,

照正,

Correct after repair.

修后正。

The intense work is over,

紧张的工作结束了,

Wang Yongliang is going to perform a special task.

王永亮要去执行一个特殊的任

务。

执行 (zhí xíng) to implement; to carry out; to execute; to run.

it is good,

好,

can.

可以。

Nowhere in the palace courtyard can be left,

故宫院内所有的地方都不能出,

Can only go out to the hospital,

只能上院外出,

外出 (wài chū) to go out; to go away (on a trip etc).

Teachers and fathers used to be more regular,

以前老师父都比较规矩,

When working,

一般干活的时候,

干活 (gàn huó) to work; to be employed.

He usually builds a broken pot outdoors,

他一般都是在<mark>室外</mark>这弄一个什么 破盆, 室外 (shì wài) outdoor.

然后弄点水, 点水 (diǎn shuǐ) to skim; lightly touching the water (as Then get some water, the dragonfly in the idiom 蜻蜓点水); skin-deep. 抽完了再干活。 完了 (wán le) to be finished; to be done for; ruined; Work again after smoking. gone to the dogs; oh no. 当时学的是自动化, I learned automation at the 自动化 (zì dòng huà) automation. time. 后来毕业以后找工作, Later, I looked for a job after graduation, 正好是机缘巧合, 机缘 (jī yuán) chance; opportunity; destiny. 巧合 (qiǎo It's just a coincidence, hé) coincidence; coincidental; to coincide. 正好钟表室需要一个人, It happens that the clock room needs one person, 年轻人一般不愿意来这一块。 一块 (yī kuài) one block; one piece; one (unit of Young people are generally reluctant to come to this one. money); together; in the same place; in company. I came to the Forbidden City to 当时来故宫看了看, take a look, Going around in this room, 在这屋里转转, 转转 (zhuàn zhuan) to stroll. I also feel very interested, 也觉得挺感兴趣, In the future, there will also be 将来也有一技之长, 一技之长 (yī jì zhī cháng) proficiency in a particular a skill, field (idiom); skill in a specialized area (idiom). I think it's fine, 我觉得还可以, 就在这留下了。 Just stay here. 来钟表室以后, After coming to the clock room, 发现两个师父都比较和蔼, I found that the two masters 和蔼 (hé ǎi) kindly; nice; amiable. are more kind, 也没有想象中那么苛刻, It's not as harsh as I imagined, 苛刻 (kē kè) harsh; severe; demanding. Also take special care of me, 对我也特别关照什么的, 关照 (guān zhào) to take care; to keep an eye on; to look after; to tell; to remind. 就跟亲人一样, Just like relatives, 亲人 (qīn rén) one's close relatives. The relationship is pretty good. 关系还都不错。 前几天刚修好的底座, The base just repaired a few 前几天 (qián jǐ tiān) a few days before. 修好 (xiū hǎo) to repair (sth broken); to restore (sth damaged); to days ago, establish friendly relations with; (literary) to do meritorious deeds. 底座 (dǐ zuò) base; pedestal; foundation.

又出问题了。 出问题 (chū wèn tí) to have sth go wrong; to have a There is another problem. problem arise; to give problems. It's not working now, 现在又不行了, **不行了** (bù xíng le) (coll.) on the point of death; dying. Turns out this is pretty good, 原来这都是挺好的了, 挺好 (tǐng hǎo) very good. Because the humidity we 因为前两天我们摸的湿度才8%, 湿度 (shī dù) humidity level. touched was only 8% in the first two days, 现在今天是45%。 It is 45% today. The tide is big, 潮气一大, 潮气 (cháo qì) humidity; moisture. 底板可能有点变形了。 The bottom plate may be deformed a bit. 钟表的修复就是这样反反复复, 反反复复 (fǎn fǎn fù fù) repeatedly; time and time The repair of clocks is repeated in this way, again. 好像永远没有尽头。 尽头 (jìn tóu) end; extremity; limit. There seems to be no end. 宫廷钟表都是特制的, The palace clocks are all 特制 (tè zhì) special; unique. specially made, 一般只生产一个或一对, Generally only produce one or a pair, 大都是孤品, Mostly orphans, 大都 (dà dōu) for the most part; on the whole; also pr. (dà dū). 没有配件可换。 No accessories can be changed. 配件 (pèi jiàn) component; part; fitting; accessory; replacement part. 恢复走时功能还不是修复工作的 Restoring the travel time 走时 (zǒu shí) (of a watch or clock) to keep time; function is not yet the focus of (physics) propagation time; travel time (of a wave). 重点, restoration work. Restoring its performance 恢复它的演艺功能才是最难的。 演艺 (yǎn yì) performing arts. function is the most difficult. This should be every house has 这应该是每个房子都得动, 房子 (fáng zi) house; building (single- or two-story); to move, apartment; room. 干时间长了慢慢也就磨出来了, 慢慢 (màn màn) slowly. 磨 (mó) to rub; to grind; to After a long drying time, it will gradually wear out. polish; to sharpen; to wear down; to die out; to waste time; to pester; to insist. 你要是坐不住, If you can't sit still, **不住 (bù zhù)** repeatedly; continuously; constantly; unable to (resist, conceal etc). 你就改行。 You just change. 改行 (gǎi háng) to change profession. 时间长了, Long time,

主要你还是喜欢它, Mainly you still like it,

You have to say that the more you work, the more interested you are,

你要说越干越有兴趣,

要说 (yào shuō) as for; when it comes to. 有兴趣 (yǒu xìng qù) interested; interesting.

You can sit still.

你就能坐得住,

Don't feel boring,

也不觉得枯燥,

不觉 (bù jué) unconsciously. 枯燥 (kū zào) dry and dull; uninteresting; dry-as-dust.

The more you work, the less interested,

你越干越没兴趣,

The less interested,

越没兴趣,

The more you can't turn this life,

这活越转不了,

The more anxious the more you won't turn.

越着急越不转。

So the master also said,

所以师傅也说过,

If you really can't do it anymore,

你要真是说干不下去了,

<mark>真是 (zhēn shi)</mark> indeed; truly; (coll.) (used to express disapproval, annoyance etc about sth).

Just go for a stroll outside and turn around before you do it.

干脆你就先到外面溜达溜达转转

回来再干,

这样可能比你继续那么没有耐心

This may be better than if you continue to work so impatiently,

的那么干下去可能是更好,

Maybe you are in this irritable mood.

弄不好你在这种心情烦躁情况 下,

烦躁 (fán zào) jittery; twitchy; fidgety.

溜达 (liū da) to stroll; to go for a walk.

You may have to get out of the basket,

你可能还要出篓子,

篓子 (lǒu zi) basket.

You didn't find out what was wrong,

你一点毛病没找出来,

Also add some problems.

还添些毛病。

添 (tiān) to add; to increase; to replenish.

In 1977, 16-year-old Wang Jin entered the Forbidden City to work.

1977年16岁的王金进入故宫工

作,

Now his name is Qi Haonan,

现在他叫齐浩南,

It's been nearly ten years,

也近十年了,

Cultivated the fourth generation of heirs for the restoration of clocks in the Palace Museum. 为故宫博物院钟表修复培养了第四代传人。

传人 (chuán rén) to teach; to impart; a disciple; descendant.

They are the staff of the wood restoration team,

他们是木器修复组的工作人员,

There are several young people in the Woodware Group who graduated from the Sculpture Department of the Central 木器组有<mark>几个从中央美院雕塑</mark>系 毕业的年轻人,

几个 (jǐ ge) a few; several; how many. 中央 (zhōng yāng) central; middle; center; central authorities (of a state). 雕塑 (diāo sù) a statue; a Buddhist image; sculpture; to carve.

They are very interested in restoring the shape and color of this three-color horse,

他们对恢复这只三彩马的造型和 色彩很感兴趣,

Can help with ideas.

Academy of Fine Arts.

可以帮忙出主意。

Tail dragging,

尾巴拖着,

拖 (tuō) to drag; to tow; to trail; to hang down; to mop (the floor); to delay; to drag on.

It is inconvenient when fighting.

打战的时候不方便。

尾巴都这么起来了。

不方便 (bù fāng biàn) inconvenience; inconvenient.

The horse is running fast, 马跑快了,

I have seen that, 我见过那种,

Drag one to the ground.

The tail is up like this.

拖着一只挨着地。

挨(ái) to suffer; to endure; to pull through (hard times); to delay; to stall; to play for time; to dawdle. 着地(zháo dì) to land; to touch the ground; also pr. (zhuó dì).

There are those next to the ground,

有挨着地的,

Some do not touch the ground.

有不挨着地的。

The interaction of different craft groups is also conducive to the restoration of cultural relics. 不同工艺组的互动也有利于文物 修复。

It is easy to fold when made of

做陶的它做长容易折。

陶 (táo) pottery; pleased.

pottery.

Horses of the Tang Dynasty. 唐代的马。

Fat body.

身子肥。

身子 (shēn zi) body; pregnancy; health.

Little head. 小脑袋。 小脑袋. Little head, 身子还短, Body is still short, 有点像蒙古马。 It's a bit like a Mongolian 蒙古 (měng gǔ) Mongolia. horse. 汉代马。 Han Dynasty horse. 汉代 (hàn dài) the Han dynasty (206 BC-220 AD). 到了魏晋时期都是那种弯长脖 In the Wei and Jin Dynasties, 魏晋 (wèi jìn) Wei (220-265) and Jin (265-420) the neck was bent like that. dynasties. 子, 然后小脑袋。 Then the little head. Ceramic restoration is a 陶瓷修复是一项综合性的工作, 综合性 (zōng hé xìng) synthesis. comprehensive work, 既要了解各个朝代陶瓷器的主要 It is necessary to understand 各个 (gè gè) every; various; separately, one by one. 朝 代 (cháo dài) dynasty; reign (of a king). the main characteristics of 特征, ceramics in each dynasty, 又要熟知各类修复材料, Also be familiar with various 熟知 (shú zhī) to be well acquainted with. 各类 (gè restoration materials, lèi) all categories. 掌握一些相关的物理化学知识, Master some relevant physical 物理化学 (wù lǐ huà xué) physical chemistry. and chemical knowledge, 还要注意审美的培养, Also pay attention to the 审(shěn) to examine; to investigate; carefully; to try (in cultivation of aesthetics, court). 这是一项对人的能力要求非常高 This is a job that requires very high human abilities. 的工作。 The hind legs are carried. 后腿就是带着的。 胸肌很宽。 胸肌 (xiōng jī) pectoral muscles. The pectoral muscles are wide. 马的(听不清00:27:07)跟人一模 跟人 (gēn rén) to marry (of woman). 一模一样 (yī mú The horse (inaudible 00:27:07) is exactly like a human, yī yàng) exactly the same (idiom); carbon copy; also pr. 一样, (yī mó yī yàng). 人趴着。 People are lying on their 趴 (pā) to lie on one's stomach; to lean forward, resting stomachs. one's upper body (on a desktop etc); (Taiwan) percent. 三彩马的胸口多了一条隔带, 胸口 (xiōng kǒu) pit of the stomach. There is an extra strap on the chest of the Sancai Horse, 但王五生不确定这个造型是否正 But Wang Wusheng is not sure whether this shape is correct, 确, 马的尾巴也一直缺着, The horse's tail is always

missing,

He decided to go to another place to find the answer.

他决定去另一个地方寻找答案。

Isn't there no tail?

这不没有尾巴吗?

这不 (zhè bu) (coll.) As a matter of fact, ... (used to introduce evidence for what one has just asserted).

just for reference,

参考一下,

I look at what form,

我看看什么形式的,

Including the front strap,

包括前头系带,

前头 (qián tou) in front; at the head; ahead; above.

It just so happens that it costs the same as ours.

刚好它花跟咱们这都差不多。

刚好 (gāng hǎo) just; exactly; to happen to be.

Like this form of cutting stubble immediately based on the original defect, 像这种马上就得根据人家原来缺的<mark>缺损</mark>的断<mark>茬</mark>的形式,

缺損 (quē sǔn) defective; defect. 茬 (chá) stubble land after crop has been taken; a second crop obtained by rotation of land; an opportunity.

See which one is closer.

看看跟哪个更接近。

The straps on the saddle of the horse are almost the same.

马的鞍子上带子基本差不多了。

鞍(ān) graphic variant of 鞍(ān). 带子(dài zi) belt; band; ribbon; strap; girdle; (coll.) audio or video tape.

You look a bit similar to this,

你看跟这个有点类似,

类似 (lèi sì) similar; analogous.

But it's not exactly the same,

但是也不完全一样,

So if there is too much controversy like this, it is generally not done.

所以像这种<mark>争议</mark>太多的一般就不做了,

争议 (zhēng yì) controversy; dispute; to dispute.

Like Venus' arm,

就像维纳斯的胳膊似的,

维纳斯 (wéi nà sī) Venus (mythology, Roman goddess of love).

You don't know how his hands are.

This is also the same.

这也一样。

He seems to have the answer,

他似乎得到了答案,

It feels a bit historical to walk

走这地儿有点历史的感觉了。

你不知道他是手是怎么个形式,

Wang Wusheng (transliteration 00:28:25) is about to retire soon,

王无声(音译00:28:25)很快就要 退休了, 无声 (wú shēng) noiseless; noiselessly; silent. 音译 (yīn yì) transliteration (rendering phonetic value, e.g. of English words in Chinese characters); characters giving phonetic value of Chinese word or name (when the correct characters may be unknown); transcription (linguistics); to transcribe phonetic symbols.

He has never been to many places in the Forbidden City.

故宫还有不少地方他也没去过,

不少 (bù shǎo) many; a lot; not few.

看到这样的场景, Seeing such a scene, 场景 (chẳng jǐng) scene; scenario; setting. 他的心情和我们是一样的。 His mood is the same as ours. 去北园区, 园区 (yuán qū) site developed for a group of related To the North Campus, enterprises; (industrial or technology) park. 然后我们院里边有一些大型的文 Then there are some large cultural relics in our courtyard, 物, 也要到那边去修复。 那边 (nà bian) over there; yonder. Go there to repair it. 故宫博物院正计划在北京海淀 The Palace Museum is planning 海淀区 (hǎi diàn qū) Haidian inner district of northeast to be in the Haidian District of \overline{X} , Beijing, includes Peking University, Tsinghua University 清华大学 (qīng huá dà xué) and Zhongguancun 中关村 Beijing, (zhōng guān cūn). 建设一个故宫北院区, Build a north courtyard area of the Forbidden City, 为大型文物提供现代化的保护空 Provide modern protection 现代化 (xiàn dài huà) modernization. space for large cultural relics, 解决现有场地局限的问题。 Solve the problem of existing 现有 (xiàn yǒu) currently existing; currently site limitations. available. 场地 (chẳng dì) space; site; place; sports pitch. 局限 (jú xiàn) to limit; to confine; to restrict sth within set boundaries. 因为我们的工作室你看看, 工作室 (gōng zuò shì) studio; workshop. Because you look at our studio, Small things can be enlarged, 小东西还能放大, 放大 (fàng dà) to enlarge; to magnify. Things just can't let go. 东西根本就放不下。 放不下 (fàng bu xià) not to have room to put sth; to be unable to let go. People's hands are different, 人们的手都不一样, 干的活上面沾的东西不一样。 The things on the work are different. 我昨天特意洗了洗。 I deliberately washed it 特意 (tè yì) specially; intentionally. yesterday. 你还洗里, You still wash. Teacher Wang sticks to the 王老师粘的锈。 rust. 全是锈。 It's all rust. 我们粘的漆, Our glued paint, 漆 (qī) paint; lacquer; to paint (furniture, walls etc). 裱画粘的是浆糊。 Paste is glued to the mounting 裱 (biǎo) to hang (paper); to mount (painting). 浆 糊 (jiàng hu) paste; Taiwan pr. (jiàng hú). picture.

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木器的粘着鳔。 Sticky swim bladder for woodware. Every time I come out of the 每一次从故宫出来, Forbidden City, 就像从几百年前穿越回了现代社 It's like traveling back to 穿越 (chuān yuè) to pass through; to traverse; to cross. modern society from hundreds 会, of years ago, 北院建在五环与六环之间, The North Yard is built 五环 (wǔ huán) five rings; pentacyclic (chemistry). 之 between the Fifth and Sixth 间 (zhī jiān) between; among; inter-. Ring Road, 距离北京的市中心, Distance to the city center of 市中心 (shì zhōng xīn) city center; downtown. Beijing, 也就是故宫有30多公里。 That is, the Forbidden City is more than 30 kilometers away. 人们戏称, People joked, 戏称 (xì chēng) to jokingly call; jocular appellation. 北京再修20环就到海南了, Beijing will repair the 20th ring road to Hainan. 这其实是很多国家建大城市的时 This is actually when many 大城市 (dà chéng shì) major city; metropolis. countries built big cities, 候, 都会遇到的难题, Problems that will be 难题 (nán tí) difficult problem. encountered, 他们遭遇了堵车。 They encountered a traffic jam. 遭遇 (zāo yù) to meet with; to encounter; (bitter) experience. 你也不让我抽根烟, You won't let me smoke a cigarette, 你上回开一直303我记得。 You opened 303 last time, I 上回 (shàng huí) last time; the previous time. remember. 小闵, 闵 (mǐn) old variant of 悯 (mǐn). Xiao Min. 这儿给你一间, Here is one for you, 那边给一间。 Give one over there. Here for me, 这边给我的, 303也是我的吗? Is 303 mine too? 走。 go.

All right,

好了,

烧火的时候, 烧火 (shāo huǒ) to light a fire for cooking. When the fire is burning, 油往出贱的那种火花。 The spark of oil coming out of 贱 (jiàn) inexpensive; lowly. 火花 (huǒ huā) spark; cheap. sparkle. These are the former palaces, 这些是以前宫廷里, The appliances used by the 皇帝和妃嫔们冬天烤火取暖的用 烤火 (kǎo huǒ) to warm oneself at a fire. 取暖 (qǔ emperor and his concubines to nuǎn) to warm oneself (by a fire etc). 用具 (yòng 具. warm the fire in winter, jù) appliance; utensil; gear; equipment. 跟民间相比, Compared with the private 民间 (mín jiān) among the people; popular; folk; nongovernmental; involving people rather than sector, governments. 相比 (xiāng bǐ) to compare. They are indeed much larger, 它们的体积确实要大很多, 设计的也很讲究, The design is also very particular, 以前档案管理的时候, When file management was in 档案 (dàng àn) file; record; archive. the past, These only count as data, 这些只算作资料, 现在归为文物了。 It is now classified as a cultural 归 (guī) to return; to go back to; to give back to; (of a relic. responsibility) to be taken care of by; to belong to; to gather together; (used between two identical verbs) despite; to marry (of a woman) (old); division on the abacus with a one-digit divisor. 这个底下炭盆应该是挺大的, The bottom charcoal basin should be quite big, If he wants to use it for heating, 他如果要用做取暖的话, 底下碳盆肯定要比大得多, The bottom carbon basin must 碳(tàn) carbon (chemistry). be much larger than that, 因为烤火不可能就是说挨着火特 Because it's impossible to grill 不可能 (bù kě néng) impossible; cannot; not able. 就是 a fire, which means it's very 说 (jiù shì shuō) in other words; that is. 别近。 close to the fire. 王有亮的任务就是要把这些挤压 Wang Youliang's task is to 挤压 (jǐ yā) to squeeze; to press; to extrude. 整 reshape these squeezed and 变形的铜器整形恢复原状, 形 (zhěng xíng) shaping; reshaping; plastic surgery or deformed bronzes to their orthopedics (abbr. of 整形外科 (zhěng xíng wài kē)). 恢 original shape. 复原状 (huī fù yuán zhuàng) to restore sth to its original 这个过程会用到他们高超的整形 This process will use their 高超 (gāo chāo) excellent; superlative. superb plastic surgery 技术, techniques,

This censer looks like this after being reshaped.

这个香炉整形后是这个模样。

香炉 (xiāng lú) a censer (for burning incense); incense burner; thurible.

Under the condition that its color cannot be changed,

保证它这颜色不能变的情况下,

Can give him a little softer.

又能给他烤软和一点。

It will be convenient for plastic surgery.

到时候整形的时候方便。

Take a hot air box to heat it.

拿热风箱给它加温,

It looks unremarkable, 看起来平淡无奇, 风箱 (fēng xiāng) bellows. 加温 (jiā wēn) to heat; to add warmth; to raise temperature; fig. to stimulate.

看起来 (kàn qǐ lai) seemingly; apparently; looks as if; appear to be; gives the impression that; seems on the face of it to be. 平淡无奇 (píng dàn wú qí) ordinary and mediocre (idiom); nothing to write home about.

In fact, temperature control in this process is difficult to grasp. 其实这个过程温度控制很难把 握.

It is necessary to bake the flexibility of the metal,

既要烤出金属的柔韧性,

韧性 (rèn xìng) toughness.

火大 (huǒ dà) to get mad; to be very angry.

预备 (yù bèi) to prepare; to make ready; preparation;

炉子 (lú zi) stove; oven; furnace.

preparatory.

And the temperature should not be too high,

又不能温度太高,

Otherwise, the original color of the cultural relics will be destroyed.

否则会破坏文物原有的颜色。

Sometimes if you get angry,

有时候你要是火大了,

The stove can burn, 炉子都能给烧糊了,

烫我手了, Burned my hand,

预备, preparation,

起。 Up.

Colleagues from the Woodware Group also came to 木器组的同事也过来帮忙了。

help.

还行。 Okay.

行。 Row.

Because this thing has been around for many years,

因为这个东西它多少年头也长 了,

年头 (nián tóu) start of the year; whole year; a particular year; period; days; epoch; a year's harvest. It's not like saying your new copper plate,

You just hit,

Do whatever you want.

Because you have experienced before,

You think it's not that it's particularly difficult,

But if you really say that you haven't seen it before,

You dare not start easily.

There are also many charcoal

The incense burner is waiting for Wang Youliang to go for plastic surgery and recovery.

Give me the ID card,

basins,

I am still anxious to go back at this point.

Wang Jin and Qi Haonan are going on a business trip.

There is a place to invite them.

Ladies,

Gentlemen,

Welcome to Xiamen.

It's hot.

Dear both sides of the strait,

它不像说你新的铜板,

你随便打,

随便做。

因为以前你经历过,

你就认为它不是说特别难,

可是你要真的说以前没接触到

过,

你就不敢轻易下手。

还有非常多的炭盆、

香炉等着王有亮去整形恢复。

把身份证给我,

这点回去还着急。

王津和和亓浩楠要出差了,

有一个地方邀请他们。

各位女士,

各位先生,

欢迎来到厦门。

真热。

尊敬的海峡两岸,

铜板 (tóng bǎn) copper coin; copper plate (e.g. for printing).

下手 (xià shǒu) to start; to put one's hand to; to set about; the seat to the right of the main guest.

非常多 (fēi cháng duō) much; very many.

身份证 (shēn fèn zhèng) identity card; ID.

回去 (huí qu) to return; to go back.

各位 (gè wèi) everybody; all (guests, colleagues etc); all

of you.

来到 (lái dào) to come; to arrive. 厦门 (xià

mén) Xiamen or Amoy, subprovincial city in Fujian,

abbr. 厦 (xià).

海峡 (hǎi xiá) channel; strait. 两岸 (liǎng àn) bilateral;

both shores; both sides; both coasts; Taiwan and

mainland.

Colleagues in the watch industry.

钟表界同仁。

同仁 (tóng rén) Tongren county in Huangnan Tibetan autonomous prefecture 黄南藏族自治州 (huáng nán zàng zú zì zhì zhōu), Qinghai.

The meeting site seemed to have the style of a United Nations conference hall.

开会的现场似乎有着<mark>联合国会场</mark> 的气派, 开会 (kāi huì) to hold a meeting; to attend a meeting. 联合国 (lián hé guó) United Nations. 会场 (huì chǎng) meeting place; place where people gather.

This is an exposition of the clock circle.

这是一次钟表圈的博览会。

博览会 (bó lǎn huì) exposition; international fair.

This time we mainly want to see some materials and tools,

这次我们主要想看一些材料和工 具,

> 仿古 (fǎng gǔ) pseudo-classical; modeled on antique; in the old style. 参展 (cǎn zhǎn) to exhibit at or take part in a trade show etc.

In addition, because there are some antique clock factories participating in this exhibition,

钟的工厂<mark>参展</mark>,

他们现在做出来的钟加工技术还

另外因为这次展览还有一些仿古

וות (jiā gōng) to process; processing; working (of machinery).

The clock processing technology they have made is still good.

王津发现了一个让他<mark>哭笑不得</mark>的 展品。

哭笑不得 (kū xiào bù dé) lit. not to know whether to laugh or cry (idiom); both funny and extremely embarrassing; between laughter and tears.

Wang Jin found an exhibit that made him dumbfounded.

这说故宫珍藏青铜<mark>战舰模型</mark>钟,

战舰 (zhàn jiàn) battleship; warship. 模型 (mó xíng) model; mold; matrix; pattern.

This means that the Forbidden City's collection of bronze battleship model clocks,

目前我在故宫里还真没见到这样的,

见到 (jiàn dào) to see.

So far I haven't seen anything like this in the Forbidden City.

我们故宫有那种<mark>舰型的小的模</mark>型,

舰 (jiàn) warship. 小的 (xiǎo de) I (when talking to a superior).

Our Forbidden City has a small model of that kind of ship,

But I haven't seen it like this.

但是这个样子没见过。

Mr. Wang.

王先生。

是不错的。

Wang Jin.

王津。

Qi Haonan.

亓浩楠。

They met Huang Jiazhu, a famous watch collector in the Chinese watch circle.

他们巧<mark>遇了华人</mark>钟表圈中著名的 钟表<u>收藏家</u>黄嘉竹, 遇 (yù) to meet; to encounter; to treat; to receive; opportunity; chance. 华人 (huá rén) ethnic Chinese person or people. 收藏家 (shōu cáng jiā) a collector (e.g. of artworks). 竹 (zhú) bamboo; Kangxi radical 118.

Huang Jiazhu has been collecting watches for 20 years,

黄嘉竹钟表收藏经历20年,

Participate in more than 50 auctions around the world every year,

每年参加世界各地大小拍卖超过 五十次,

每年 (měi nián) every year; each year; yearly. 世界各地 (shì jiè gè dì) all over the world; everywhere; in all parts of the world. 大小 (dà xiǎo) dimension; magnitude; size; measurement; large and small; at any rate; adults and children; consideration of seniority. 拍卖 (pāi mài) to auction; auction sale; to sell at a reduced price. 五十 (wǔ shí) fifty.

There have been over a thousand auctions.

已经有超过一千场的拍卖经历了。

Is there such a pocket watch in the Forbidden City?

故宫有没有这种怀表?

有没有 (yǒu méi yǒu) (before a noun) Do (you, they etc) have ...?; Is there a ...?; (before a verb) Did (you, they etc) (verb, infinitive)?; Have (you, they etc) (verb, past participle)?. 怀表 (huái biǎo) pocket watch.

维多利亚女王 (wéi duō lì yà nǚ wáng) Queen Victoria

(reigned 1837-1901).

A lot,

不少,

But the amount of repair is not large,

但是修的量不大,

不大(bù dà) not very; not too; not often.

This big one does not seem to be in the Forbidden City.

这大的好像故宫没有。

As long as I have two or three things that the Forbidden City does not have,

只要我有两三件故宫没有的话,

I am happy.

我就开心了。

Now the things of Queen Victoria's daughter are here,

现在维多利亚女王女儿的东西在这里面,

You can bring one for me.

你帮我带一个好了。

The same is the watch ring,

同是钟表圈,

But this seems to be a world different from Wang Jin.

但这似乎是与王津不太相同的一 个世界。

You see the point here,

你看重点在这里,

The point is here,

重点就在这里,

It says,

它上面写,

To my beloved daughter Victoria,

From parents who love her.

给我爱的女儿维多利亚,

Her daughter's name is

她女儿叫维多利亚,

Victoria,

来自爱她的父母。

维多利亚 (wéi duō lì yà) Victoria (name); Victoria, capital of the Seychelles.

There is no such thing in the Forbidden City?

故宫没有这种?

The clocks in the Forbidden
City are collected from all over
the world,

故宫的钟表是因为收藏了世界各地的,

Royal collection back then,

当年皇家收藏,

皇家 (huáng jiā) royal; imperial household.

Some of the world's fine products are shipped here,

都是世界一些精品运到这里,

Including some of our large British clocks,

包括我们的一些大型的<mark>英国</mark>钟 表

英国 (yīng guó) United Kingdom 联合王国 (lián hé wáng guó); United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland; abbr. for England 英格兰 (yīng gé lán).

None of the British Museum.

大英博物馆都没有。

Mr. Huang Jiazhu from Taiwan, he went to auctions all over the world,

台湾的黄嘉竹老先生他走世界各 地拍卖,

台湾 (tái wān) Taiwan.

Some of his collections are not bad.

他收藏了一些还也是不错,

A small part of the early days,

比较早期的一小部分,

早期 (zǎo qī) early period; early phase; early stage. 一小 部分 (yī xiǎo bù fèn) a small part; a small section.

Maybe I just want to compete with the Forbidden City.

可能就是想跟故宫的比试比试吧。

比试 (bǐ shì) to have a competition; to measure with one's hand or arm; to make a gesture of measuring.

There are still more table types,

Pocket watches,

怀表类,

But Zhong still,

但是钟还是,

还是表类比较多,

It can be said that the collection or number of watches in the Forbidden City may be unique in the world.

故宫钟表可以说在世界是<mark>藏品</mark>或者<mark>件数</mark>可能都是<u>独一无二</u>的。

藏品 (cáng pǐn) museum piece; collector's item; precious object. 件数 (jiàn shǔ) item count (of a consignment etc). 独一无二 (dú yī wú èr) unique and unmatched (idiom); unrivalled; nothing compares with it.

The upper seam is yellow,

上面那缝是黄的,

It's not shabby that you plugged it in black.

你堵上黑的不是挺寒碜的。

寒碜 (hán chen) ugly; shameful; to ridicule.

Wang Wusheng started to color Sancai immediately.

王五胜开始给三彩马上色了。

Xiao Ji and the others repaired that porcelain,

小纪她们修那瓷器,

她们 (tā men) they; them (for females).

If you don't have good light, 你要没有好光线, 你一些微妙的变化看不出来。 You can't see some subtle 微妙 (wēi miào) subtle. changes. 去延禧宫川展览, Go to the Yanxi Palace and 禧 (xǐ) joy. 川 (chuān) abbr. for Sichuan Province 四川 River Exhibition. (sì chuān) in southwest China. Look at the Ming Dynasty 看明代御窑瓷器展, 明代 (míng dài) the Ming dynasty Imperial Kiln Porcelain (1368-1644). **窑** (yáo) kiln; oven; coal pit; cave Exhibition, dwelling; (coll.) brothel. 故宫博物院与景德镇瓷器对比。 景德镇 (jǐng dé zhèn) Jingdezhen prefecture-level city Comparison of porcelain from the Palace Museum and in Jiangxi province 江西, famous for porcelain. Jingdezhen. 纪东歌要借着看展的机会去拜访 拜访 (bài fǎng) to pay a visit; to call on. 研究生 (yán jiū Ji Dongge wants to use the opportunity of watching the shēng) graduate student; postgraduate student; 研究生时的导师, exhibition to visit the tutor of research student. 导师 (dǎo shī) tutor; teacher; graduate students, academic advisor. Ji Dongge graduated from the 纪东歌毕业于中央美院, Central Academy of Fine Arts, 来故宫工作前去很多地方学习 I went to many places to study before coming to work in the 过. Forbidden City, 这其中就有景德镇。 Among them is Jingdezhen. In addition, 另外, 景德镇还是一个专门为皇帝烧造 Jingdezhen was also a place dedicated to making porcelain 瓷器的地方。 for the emperor. 纪东歌的老师, Ji Dongge's teacher, 在古陶瓷研究和考古工作上很有 考古 (kǎo gǔ) archaeology. 建树 (jiàn shù) to make a He has made great achievements in ancient contribution; to establish; to found; contribution. 建树. ceramics research and archaeological work, 这次展出由他讲解。 This exhibition is explained by 展出 (zhǎn chū) to put on display; to be on show; to exhibit. him. 家的 (jiā de) (old) wife. 机构 (jī gòu) mechanism; The Imperial Kiln Factory is a 御窑厂是皇家的机构, royal institution, structure; organization; agency; institution. 怎么还会废品堆成山呢? How can waste products pile 废品 (fèi pǐn) production rejects; seconds; scrap;

discarded material.

up into mountains?

This time the Ming Dynasty Imperial Kiln Porcelain Exhibition, 这次的明代御窑瓷器展,

Restoration products of the Jingdezhen imperial kiln site,

景德镇御窑遗址的修复产品,

遗址 (yí zhǐ) ruins; historic relics.

Exhibited with the royal porcelain of the same period collected in the Forbidden City,

与故宫收藏的<mark>同时期</mark>皇家瓷器一 起展出, 同时期 (tóng shí qī) at the same time; contemporary.

At a glance,

一目了然,

一目了然 (yī mù liǎo rán) obvious at a glance (idiom).

You can see the standard of royal porcelain selection.

就可以看出当年皇家瓷器<mark>挑选</mark>的 标准。

挑选 (tiāo xuǎn) to choose; to select.

I went to Jingdezhen to have a look.

我去景德镇一看,

我去 (wǒ qù) (slang) dang!; shoot!.

Why is there a mountain?

为什么有座山?

Just broken,

就是打碎了,

打碎 (dǎ suì) to shatter; to smash; to break into pieces.

The waste is piled up.

废品堆起来了。

The official kiln porcelain produced by the Jingdezhen Imperial Kiln Factory must be selected.

景德镇御窑厂生产的官窑瓷器都 要经过挑选,

Some porcelains with small defects or substandards have to be broken and concentrated,

一些有小<mark>瑕疵</mark>或不合格的瓷器都 要被打碎并集中, 瑕疵 (xiá cī) blemish; flaw; defect.

Also prevent it from flowing into the private sector

也防止流入民间,

防止 (fáng zhǐ) to prevent; to guard against; to take precautions. 流入 (liú rù) to flow into; to drift into; influx; inflow.

The genuine product was sent to the Forbidden City.

正品就被送入紫禁城。

正品 (zhèng pǐn) certified goods; quality product; normal product; A-class goods.

Porcelain made in the same kiln,

同一窑炉烧造的瓷器,

炉 (lú) stove; furnace.

Since then, there has been a different fate.

自此有了不同的命运。

自此 (zì cǐ) since then; henceforth. 有了 (yǒu le) I've got a solution!; to have a bun in the oven (abbr. for 有了胎 (yǒu le tāi)).

In this exhibition,

在这次展览中,

They realized a historical gathering spanning five hundred years.

它们实现了<mark>跨越</mark>五百年的历史聚 会。

跨越 (kuà yuè) to step across; step over.

你可以想象它的富贵堂皇了。 富贵 (fù guì) riches and honor. 堂皇 (táng You can imagine its wealth and grandeur. huáng) imposing; grand. Our teacher is very good, 我们老师特别厉害, 他们在学术界也很有地位, They are also very well placed 学术界 (xué shù jiè) academic circles; academia. in academia. And he belongs to UBM strong 而且他就属于博闻强识、 博闻强识 (bó wén qiáng shí) erudite; widely read and knowledge, knowledgeable. Tonggu Bojin. 通古博今。 This one was dug up by 这个是景德镇挖出来的。 挖(wā) to dig; to excavate; to scoop out. Jingdezhen. 五百多年前, More than five hundred years ago, 它们是景德镇御窑烧造的瓷器残 They are defective porcelains 残次品 (cán cì pǐn) defective goods. fired in the imperial kilns of 次品, Jingdezhen. 才出窑炉就被打碎深埋。 Just out of the kiln, he was 埋 (mán) to blame. broken and buried. 但今天, But today, 它们是古器物专家眼中的珍宝。 They are treasures in the eyes of ancient artifact experts. Look at this kind of bowl, 看这种碗, Really 真的, 这碗要不打碎可能就买一个楼 If you don't break this bowl, you might buy a building. 了。 这个有什么毛病? What's wrong with this?

猩红 (xīng hóng) scarlet.

We are now going to the 我们现在要去器物部的陶瓷组,

ceramics group in the utensils department,

I didn't see anything wrong.

Not so red,

Scarlet.

It's red and black,

没看出来有什么毛病。

红得不好,

猩红了。

它的红有点发黑,

Then I went to find teacher 还接着找王光尧老师, 尧 (yáo) surname Yao; Yao or Tang Yao (c. 2200 BC), one of Five legendary Emperors 五帝 (wǔ dì), second Wang Guangyao, son of Di Ku 帝喾 (dì kù). 再继续请教一下问题。 Continue to ask questions. 请教 (qǐng jiào) to ask for guidance; to consult. 而且他就是因为水平太高, And because of his high level, 好多人都找他, Many people are looking for 好多 (hǎo duō) many; quite a lot; much better. him. 他也不希望自己学生太差。 He also doesn't want his students to be too bad. Maybe we don't know how to 也许我们并没有那么懂如何欣赏 appreciate porcelain, 瓷器, But it is used a lot in our lives. 但它在我们生活中大量使用, Contact every day, 天天接触, 天天 (tiān tiān) every day. 而且几年前有过一首流行歌曲 歌曲 (gē qǔ) song. 青花瓷 (qīng huā cí) blue and white And a few years ago there was a popular song "Blue and porcelain. 《青花瓷》, White Porcelain", 用年轻人容易接受的方式, In a way that young people can easily accept, 拉近了它和我们的距离。 It closes the distance between it and us. It should be talking about the 应该是说到宣德时期, 说到 (shuō dào) to talk about; to mention; Xuande period,

(preposition) as for. 宣德 (xuān dé) Xuande Emperor, reign name of fifth Ming emperor Zhu Zhanji 朱瞻基 (zhū zhān jī) (1398-1435), reigned 1426-1436, Temple name 明宣宗 (míng xuān zōng).

中国人基本上把外来的一种青花 The Chinese basically used a 中国人 (zhōng guó rén) Chinese person. 外来 (wài foreign blue and white lái) external; foreign; outside. 青花 (qīng huā) blue and 技术, technology, white (porcelain).

实现了一个自我技术的转化演变 Realized a process of 自我 (zì wǒ) self-; ego (psychology). 转化 (zhuǎn huà) to change; to transform; isomerization transformation and evolution 的过程, of self-technology, (chemistry). 演变 (yǎn biàn) to develop; to evolve; development; evolution.

Since then, blue and white is 从此青花不再贵重。

陶瓷有意思吧,

It has many deep meanings, 它有好多深层的意思, 深层 (shēn céng) deep layer; deep; deep-seated;

underlying.

no longer valuable.

Is ceramics interesting?

不像其他东西, Unlike other things, 你表面上一眼能看到很华丽, 一眼 (yī yǎn) a glance; a quick look; a glimpse. You can see it very gorgeous on the surface, 很漂亮。 very beautiful. But the ceramic has too much 但陶瓷它因为凝结的太多, 凝结 (níng jié) to condense; to solidify; to coagulate; clot (of blood). It is not like other utensils, 它不像其他器物, 可能阶级感觉分得特别强, Maybe the class feeling is 阶级 (jiē jí) (social) class. particularly strong, 高级就是高级, Advanced is advanced, Common people can't use it. 老百姓用不到。 低级的可能跟皇家够不上。 The low-level may not be able 低级 (dī jí) low level; rudimentary; vulgar; low; to reach the royal. inferior. 陶瓷就是从老百姓到皇家, Ceramics is from the common people to the royal family, Basically everyone uses it, 所有人基本上都在用, 也都有欣赏的, I also appreciate it, In fact, there is no sense of 其实跟我们大家是没有什么距离 没有什么 (méi yǒu shén me) it is nothing; there's distance from all of us. nothing ... about it. 感的, 你像现在我们都在用。 You are like we are using it now. 我天哪, <mark>天哪 (tiān na)</mark> Good gracious!; For goodness sake!. My goodness, 你搞这种事。 You do this kind of thing. 纪东歌写论文时的难题要请教老 Ji Dongge asked the teacher for the difficult problems in 师。 writing the thesis. 这是一个瓷缸的残片。 This is a fragment of a 瓷(cí) chinaware; porcelain; china. 缸 (gāng) jar; vat; porcelain jar. classifier for loads of laundry. Such a wide wall thickness, 这么宽的壁厚, 可以想象它是多么大的瓷缸。 You can imagine how big a porcelain jar it is. 你去把它看一下那个器形是什么 Go and take a look at the shape 什么样 (shén me yàng) what kind?; what sort?; what of the vessel, appearance?. 样,

你脑子里就记住了, 脑子 (nǎo zi) brains; mind. 记住 (jì zhu) to remember; You remember it in your mind, to bear in mind; to learn by heart. No one on Monday, 星期一没人, 星期一 (xīng qī yī) Monday. The best part is here. 最爽了在这里。 爽 (shuǎng) bright; clear; crisp; open; frank; straightforward; to feel well; fine; pleasurable; invigorating; to deviate. The Forbidden City is closed 周一故宫闭馆, 周一 (zhōu yī) Monday. on Monday, 骑行在空无一人的太和门广场 **骑行** (qí xíng) to ride (a bicycle, horse, motorbike etc); Riding on the empty Taihemen cycling; horseback riding; motorbike riding; a ride. 空 Square, Η. 无一人 (kōng wú yī rén) not a soul in sight (idiom). 太 和 (tài hé) Taihe County in Fuyang 阜阳 (fù yáng), Anhui; Taihe district of Jinzhou city 锦州市, Liaoning. It is a rare life experience for 对谁都是难得的人生体验。 难得 (nán dé) seldom; rare; hard to come by. everyone. The first person to enjoy it was 最早享受过的人是百年前的末代 the last emperor Puyi a 皇帝溥仪。 hundred years ago. 粘上了, Glued, 师父。 Master. 珍宝馆的人气已经亮白了许多。 The popularity of Treasure Hall 人气 (rén qì) popularity; personality; character. has become brighter. 故宫博物院九十周年院庆即将来 九十 (jiǔ shí) ninety. 即将来临 (jí jiāng lái The 90th anniversary celebration of the Palace lín) imminent. 临. Museum is coming soon, 王有亮和同事们要同时开工很多 Wang Youliang and his 开工 (kāi gōng) to begin work (of a factory or colleagues have to start many engineering operation); to start a construction job. 项工作。 tasks at the same time. Isn't there rust on it? 因为上面不是有锈吗? If you have rust, 你有锈的话, 你要焊就焊不上去。 You can't solder it up if you 焊 (hàn) to weld; to solder. 上去 (shàng qù) to go up. want it. 这个基本上全挂不上。 Basically, I can't hang it up. 就是金属性能没有了。 The metal performance is 性能 (xìng néng) function; performance. gone. 对。 Correct.

就是提炼的金属础性, 提炼 (tí liàn) to extract (ore, minerals etc); to refine; to Is the basic nature of the refined metal, purify; to process. It's like a mine for mining. 这就跟采矿的矿似的。 这就 (zhè jiù) immediately; at once. 采矿 (cǎi kuàng) mining. Lu Tuanjie found that 吕团结发现, The bronze goblet in my hand 手上的这件青铜觚焊接不上了, 觚 (gū) goblet; rule; law. 焊接 (hàn jiē) to weld; cannot be welded. welding. Because its copperness has 因为它的铜性消失了。 disappeared. Copper was first extracted 铜最早是在矿物质里提炼出来 from minerals, 的, Thousands of years later, 几千年后, The bronzes are slowly turning 青铜器又慢慢变成矿石的状态 变成 (biàn chéng) to change into; to turn into; to become. 矿石 (kuàng shí) ore. into ore again. 了。 效果也不好。 The effect is not good. 强度比粘的还不如。 The strength is not as good as 强度 (qiáng dù) strength; intensity. 还不如 (hái bù sticky. rú) to be better off ...; might as well 尚素红来铜器室不久, 不久(bù jiǔ) not long (after); before too long; soon; Not long after Shang Suhong came to the bronzeware room. soon after. There is still a lot to learn from 还有很多需要跟师傅和师兄学习 师兄 (shī xiōng) senior male fellow student or the master and brother. apprentice; son (older than oneself) of one's teacher. 的。 小亓, Xiao Qi, 没事, 没事 (méi shì) it's not important; it's nothing; never Okay, mind; to have nothing to do; to be free; to be all right (out of danger or trouble). Let's try this. 咱们试一下这个。 This hand hooked, 这手勾着, 勾 (gōu) to attract; to arouse; to tick; to strike out; to delineate; to collude; variant of 钩 (gōu), hook. 省得压手。 省得 (shěng de) to avoid; so as to save (money or time). Save your hands. Row. 行。 Let's just follow Teacher 咱俩就听王老师的指挥, 哨俩 (zán liǎ) the two of us. Wang's command, It has to be higher. 还得高一点。

往下走了吧。

Go down.

OK? 行吗?

go. 走。

Here, 这边,

Look at this. 你看这。

After the top cover is closed, 顶盖合上后, 顶盖 (dǐng gài) roof; lid. 合上 (hé shàng) to close (box,

book, mouth etc).

How to ensure that these little

animals are active? 来?

7月**日小**光子油

Still bothering Wang Jin.

还是困扰着王津。

Mt (kùn rǎo) to perplex; to disturb; to cause

complications.

怎么保证这些小动物都活动起

This door has such a top, 这个门得这么一顶,

Tether it. 栓 fshuān) bottle stopper; plug; (gun) bolt; (grenade)

Here, 在这块,

This should go on, 这样应该下去,

Should be able to fall. 应该能落下。 **落下 (luò xià)** to fall; to drop; to land (of projectile).

Don't dare to do more. 不敢多上。

See that the chicken didn't 看那个鸡没动?

move?

indicate a strong degree; quite; rather.

such as guns.

really not bad, 真不错,

This is not bad, 这还真不错,

There is no shortage of things. 真不缺东西了。

One for the gilded bronze 一对于铜镀金乡村音乐水法钟,

country music water clock,

so far, **看来 (kàn lai)** apparently; it seems that.

镀金 (dù jīn) to gold-plate; to gild; (fig.) to make sth

quite ordinary seem special.

起码有一个可以按期完工了。 起码 (qǐ mǎ) at the minimum; at the very least. 按期 (àn At least one can be completed qī) on schedule; on time. 完工 (wán gōng) to finish on schedule. work; to complete a project. 他这钟设计得真好, He designed this clock really well. 设计得真好。 The design is really good. 这么多东西, So many things, 落上基本就能到位, It will basically be in place 到位 (dào wèi) to get to the intended location; to be in when it falls, place; to be in position; precise; well (done). 真不容易。 really not easy. 中间就靠它一个大盆支撑。 It is supported by a large basin 支撑 (zhī chēng) to prop up; to support; strut; brace. in the middle. The restoration of cultural 修复文物是穿越古今, 古今 (gǔ jīn) then and now; ancient and modern. relics is through the past and the present, 与百年之前的人进行对话的一种 A special occupation and a special life experience for 特殊职业和特殊生命体验。 dialogue with people a hundred years ago. 外国钟表的装饰也有讲究。 The decoration of foreign 外国 (wài guó) foreign (country). watches is also exquisite. 这个鸟上弦以后才能跳到那个杆 This bird can only jump to that 上弦 (shàng xián) to wind; to tighten; crescent moon; pole after it is wound, first quarter or waxing moon. 上, 然后再回来。 Then come back. All repaired, 全修好了, 上满了弦, Full of strings, 弦 (xián) bow string; string of musical instrument; watchspring; chord (segment of curve); hypotenuse. 在它演示功能全恢复的情况下, In the case that it demonstrates 演示 (yǎn shì) to demonstrate; to show; presentation; full recovery of functions, demonstration. 你看的那种感觉跟不动的感觉就 The feeling you look at is 不动 (bù dòng) motionless. different from the feeling you 是不一样, don't move. 感觉它就是一种活的。 It feels like it is alive.

你看这静态摆在外边,

静态 (jing tài) static; sedate; quiet; passive; (physics) static; steady-state; (electronics) quiescent.

outside,

Look at this statically placed

外边你看这, 外边 (wài bian) outside; outer surface; abroad; place Look at this outside, other than one's home. It hurts a little bit. 看着都有点心疼什么的。 心疼 (xīn téng) to love dearly; to feel sorry for sb; to regret; to grudge; to be distressed. It took so much repair, 费那么大劲修的, This turned out to be very 这原来修完了都非常漂亮的, beautiful after repair, Look at this now. 你看现在这。 钟表馆里这些藏品. These collections in the Watch House, 很多是王津年轻时修过的钟表, Many watches were repaired by Wang Jin when he was young. 现在他步入职业生涯的晚期了。 步入 (bù rù) to step into; to enter. 生涯 (shēng Now he is in the late stages of his career. yá) career; life (way in which sb lives); period of one's life. 晚期 (wǎn qī) later period; end stage; terminal. Inside is clockwork. 这里面是发条, 发条 (fā tiáo) spring; coil spring (spiral spring used to power clockwork). 大发条, Big clockwork, 大发 (dà fā) Daihatsu, Japanese car company. 当时断过。 It was broken at that time. After breaking, 断了以后, It was reconnected later. 后来重新给接上了。 接上 (jiē shàng) to connect (a cable etc); to hook up (a device); to resume (a conversation); to set (a bone). In 1981, 1981年, Maybe that would, 可能是那会, Follow our teacher, 跟着我们老师, 跟着 (gēn zhe) to follow after; immediately afterwards. 我们一块20岁, We are 20 years old together, Fight with the master. 跟师傅还打下手。 打下手 (dǎ xià shǒu) to act in a supporting role; fig. to play second fiddle. 这5年它要钟表馆不改陈的话, In the past 5 years, if it wants 陈 (chén) to lay out; to exhibit; to display; to narrate; to state; to explain; to tell; old; stale. the watch house not to change the display, Maybe I can't catch up, 可能我也赶不上了, 赶不上 (gǎn bù shàng) can't keep up with; can't catch up with; cannot overtake.

再修我就退休了。

I will retire after repairs.

有时候不觉得, Sometimes I don't think 但是你这么一回想起来是挺快 But you think of it so quickly, 的. This man's life is really 这人的一生真是工作的这几十年 working. These decades passed 一晃就过去了, in a flash. 干不着多少精品也挺遗憾的我觉 I think it's a pity that I can't do many fine products. 得。 is not it? 是不是? This is also the process of 这也是跟自己的人生对话的过 dialogue with your own life, 程, 更何况修复的是提醒时间的钟 What's more, it is the clock that reminds the time. 表。 我们的职业生涯能留下点什么给 What can we leave behind in our career? 后来人? 窦一村给自己添置了一个新武 Dou Yicun bought himself a new weapon, 器, 谷歌眼镜。 Google Glass. 像我们在干活的时候肯定两只手 Like when we are working, we must use both hands. 都要用的, So if you want to take photos, 所以你要拍照片的话, 需要有一个人来帮你拍以前, Before you need someone to help you shoot, 但是往往没有这个条件, But often there is no such condition, 就是一个人做的时候, Is when one person does it,

想起来 (xiǎng qi lai) to remember; to recall. 一晃 (yī huǎng) (of passing time) in an instant; (of a sight) in a flash. 不着 (bù zháo) no need; need not. 添置 (tiān zhì) to buy; to acquire; to add to one's possessions. 武器 (wǔ qì) weapon; arms. 谷歌 (gǔ gē) Google, Internet company and search engine.

但有了这个以后,

没有条件去拍照片,

这样就不方便。

你就一眨眼就能拍照片了, 一眨眼 (yī zhǎ yǎn) in a wink.

There is no condition to take

You can take pictures in the

photos,

But with this,

blink of an eye,

所以说你在操作的时候可以拍照 So you can take photos while 操作 (cāo zuò) to work; to operate; to manipulate. operating, 片、 录视频, Video recording, 视频 (shì pín) video. 非常方便, Very convenient, Especially suitable for the work 特别适合文物修复这个工作用。 of cultural relic restoration. 王五胜就快要退休了。 Wang Wusheng is about to 快要 (kuài yào) almost; nearly; almost all. retire. 你都60了, You are 60, 你还能活多少年呢是吧? How many years can you live, right? A lot of my own business, 好些自己的事, 好些 (hǎo xiē) a good deal of; quite a lot. I haven't done what I want to 自己想干的事还没干。 My plan is to change the car 我的计划是第一件事换辆车, first. 也许是一辆越野车或者一辆房 Maybe it's an off-road vehicle 越野车 (yuè yě chē) off-road vehicle. 房车 (fáng or an RV. chē) recreational vehicle. 车。 Now young people are playing 现在年轻人都玩那个叫什么, what is called, 滑翔伞。 Paraglider. 滑翔伞 (huá xiáng sǎn) paraglider; paragliding. I'm a person who likes to think 我这人特爱想入非非, 想入非非 (xiǎng rù fēi fēi) to indulge in fantasy (idiom); to let one's imagination run wild. about things, I always want to try it myself, 老想自己也试试去, Later I felt that although it was 后来感觉那东西虽然很有意思, very interesting, But maybe not suitable for this 但是也许不太适合这年龄。 反正试试, Try anyway, 也许说不定哪天心血来潮了, Maybe it's a whim one day, 心血来潮 (xīn xuè lái cháo) to be prompted by a sudden impulse; carried away by a whim; to have a brainstorm. 也许就试试去。 Maybe just try it. 这个省事, 省事 (shěng shì) to simplify matters; to save trouble.

下礼拜一二就完了。 It will be over next week. 礼拜一 (lǐ bài yī) Monday. 经过了8个月的修复, After 8 months of restoration, 我们现在可以像乾隆皇帝那样, We can now be like Emperor Qianlong, 欣赏这件钟表的走时表演了。 Appreciate the time performance of this clock. 陶瓷组换了一个地方, The ceramic group changed a place, 修复一批更大的马, Repair a batch of larger horses, 一对兵马俑, A pair of terracotta warriors, 兵马俑 (bīng mǎ yǒng) figurines of warriors and horses buried with the dead; Terracotta Army (historic site). 正在故宫库房修复。 The warehouse is being repaired in the Forbidden City. 青铜组修好的银器交差了, The silverware repaired by the 交差 (jiāo chāi) to report back after completion of one's bronze group is crossed, mission. 这回他们迎来了一个更加重量级 重量级 (zhòng liàng jí) heavyweight (boxing etc). This time they ushered in a more heavyweight job. 的工作。 乾隆生母的金发塔。 The golden tower of Qianlong's 金发 (jīn fà) blond; blonde; fair-haired. birth mother. 抬起来。 lift it up. OK. OK_{\circ} After the mother died, 母亲去世后, 乾隆为了寄托爱思建造了这座金 Qianlong built this blonde 寄托 (jì tuō) to entrust (to sb); to place (one's hope, tower to entrust Aisi. energy etc) in; a thing in which you invest (your hope, 发塔, energy etc). 建造 (jiàn zào) to construct; to build. Store mother's hair, 储藏母亲的头发, 储藏 (chǔ cáng) to store; deposit; (oil, mineral etc) deposits. 这也是寿康宫原状陈列的一部 This is also part of the original display of Shoukang Palace. 分。 故宫博物院90周年院庆来临, The 90th anniversary 来临 (lái lín) to approach; to come closer. celebration of the Palace Museum is coming, When we are with each 当我们与各个展厅里, exhibition hall,

These intact cultural relics have passed away,

这些<mark>保有</mark>完整品相的文物擦肩而 过时,

Do you know that they have gone through broken damage and thrilling repairs.

是否知道它们曾历遍<mark>断裂</mark>残损和 惊心动魄的修复。

Cultural relics are past tense,

文物是过去式,

But the restoration of cultural relics is in progress.

但修复文物是正在进行时。

保有 (bǎo yǒu) to keep; to retain. 品相 (pǐn xiàng) condition; physical appearance (of a museum piece, item of food produced by a chef, postage stamp etc). 擦肩而过 (cā jiān ér guò) brief encounter; to brush past sb.

断裂 (duàn liè) fracture; rupture; to break apart. 损 (sǔn) to decrease; to lose; to damage; to harm; (coll.) to speak sarcastically; to deride; caustic; mean; one of the 64 hexagrams of the Book of Changes (国). 惊 心动魄 (jīng xīn dòng pò) shaking one to the core; extremely disturbing; hair-raising (idiom).

过去式 (guò qu shì) past tense.