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PREFACE

Tien T'ai Shan (天台山) is situated to the north of Tien-T'ai Hsien (天台縣), Chekiang Province (浙江省). It is said in geography books that this mountain is 18,000 feet high and 800 li around, but these measurements were not made by actual surveying. Yet, owing to its loftiness, its extensiveness, and its grandeur, it is really a great mountain. The famous T'ai Shan (泰山) of Shantung and Hêng Shan (衡山) of Hunan, which I visited some years ago, are far inferior compared to this Mountain.

Visitors from Shanghai may get to the mountain either by way of Tien-T'ai Hsien of Taichow (台州) or by way of Hsin-Ch'ang Hsien (新昌縣) of Shao Hsing (紹興), both being a journey of three days. Owing to its seclusion and the long distance to reach it, people of old regarded the mountain almost inaccessible, but this cannot be said at the present day.

In October of the Fifth Year of the Republic (1916), I went to visit this mountain with Messrs. Fu Yuan-shu (Tsêng-hsiang), Pai Li-chai (T'ing-k'uei) and Chang Chu-shêng (Yuan-chi). We went from Shanghai to Haimên of Taichow and then to Linghai. From Linghai we travelled by land to Tien T'ai Shan. Owing to a sudden change of weather, our visit lasted only five days. We visited the "Red-City" Mountain; we climbed up to the summit of Hua Ting Peak; we enjoyed ourselves at Fang Kwang and Shih Liang, celebrated monasteries and the Stone Beam; but what we took in is less than one-tenth of the beautiful sceneries of Tien T'ai. As it rained almost continuously, we decided to cut short our stay on the mountain. We took the road from Hsin Ch'ang to Ts'ên Hsien, thence to Pai Kwan, and then to Ningpo, where we took the steamer and came back to Shanghai.

I took more than ten pictures when on the mountain. The pictures of the other places which we did not have the chance to visit were taken by the photographers whom we engaged when we were

returning. So now we have gathered all the wonderful sceneries of Tien T'ai Shan in these two books of views. I take pleasure in putting them in order, with a description for each picture, and also in giving some information about the journey, for the benefit of travellers who wish to visit this wonderful mountain.

V. J. TSIANG.

Shanghai, June, Sixth Year of the Republic (1917).

Guide for Travellers to Tien T'ai Shan

To go from Shanghai to Haimên (海門), you should go to the Ta Da Wharf (大達碼頭) at the Southern District (南市) of Shanghai and take the steamer plying between Shanghai and Haimên. It takes only one day and two nights to make this trip. The fare is as follows:

First-class cabin 官 艙	\$5.10
Second-class cabin 房 艙	3.40
Third-class (deck) 統 艙	1.70

It takes about eight hours for the steamer to sail from Haimên to Linghai (臨海) (formerly Taichowfu 台州府). The fare is—

First-class cabin 官艙	\$0.60
Special Second-class cabin 超等房艙	0.40
Second-class cabin 房 艙	0.30
Third-class (deck) 統 艙	0.20

Linghai was formerly the leading District of Taichowfu. There are a number of hotels in the city, but they are not clean. Pa Hsien Kung or "Eight Fairies' Temple" (入仙宫), a Taoist temple situated on the mountain, is a much better place. The charge at the temple is \$0.50 a day for each person, with extra tip for the waiters.

Each coolie charges eighteen cents, including tip, for carrying sedan-chairs or luggage from the Linghai Wharf to the Eight Fairies' Temple.

The coolies who carry sedan-chairs from the Wharf into the city are not good for the mountain roads. So travellers to Tien T'ai Mountain should hire special chair-coolies. A convenient way is to ask the Taoists of the said temple to hire them. The wage is \$1.10 a day for each coolie, including rice money but excluding tip.

The distance between Linghai and Tien T'ai Mountain is about 90 li. If you start at daybreak riding in sedan-chairs from Linghai, you will reach the mountain at the end of the day. There you may stay in the Kuo Ching Temple (國 清 寺) at the foot of the southern side of the mountain. This is one of the biggest Buddhist temples at Tien T'ai Shan, and this temple has many rooms for guests.

The coolies living in the mountain are better than those hired from the city. They can carry chairs more steadily and go faster. On this account, it is advisable for you to change your chair-coolies when you reach the Kuo Ching Temple. Each coolie charges eighty cents a day for carrying chairs or luggage, with extra rice money and tip. It costs one dollar a day per person for board at the Temple.

The distance between the Kuo Ching Temple and the top of Hua Ting Peak (華頂峯) is 45 li. It is very cloudy at the top if the weather is not fine; then it is advisable for you to visit "Red-City" Mountain (赤城山) and other near-by places first. On a fine day you may go to the top of Hua Ting Peak; but you should start at daybreak in order to reach the top before dark, otherwise you have to pass the night at the Kao Ming Temple (高明寺), which is about half way.

When thick clouds surround the summit of Hua Ting Peak, people cannot see anything. At such a time if you have already reached the Kao Ming Temple with the intention of going up to the summit, you may visit the "Shang (Upper) Fang Kwang" Monastery (上方廣寺) first. The Fang Kwang Monasteries (Upper, Middle, and Lower) are only 15 li from the summit, and the access to them is easy. Moreover, there is the celebrated "Stone-Beam Waterfall," the most famous scenery of Tien T'ai Shan. It will pay you to stay there for a number of days and enjoy the beautiful scenes.

To see the "Broken Bridge (斷 橋)" and "Pearl-Screen Waterfall (珠 簾)," you can go from the Fang Kwang Monasteries. As to the other famous sceneries, such as the "Beautiful Jade Terrace (瓊臺)," "Two Look-out Towers (雙闕)," "Tao Yuan or Peach-Land Cave (桃 源 洞)," "Cold Cliff" and "Plain Cliff" (寒 明 二 巖), it usually takes more than ten days to visit them all.

In case you begin your visit at the southern part of Tien T'ai Shan and leave the mountain at its northern end, you are to pass the night at Wan Nien ("Long-Life") Temple (萬年寺) or Tai Ping ("Peaceful") Monastery (太平庵) at your departure; but if you choose to return and leave the mountain from the southern part, you go back to the Kuo Ching Temple, where your heavy luggage may be left when you begin your visit.

It is fifty li from the Tai Ping Monastery to Hsin Ch'ang City (新昌城). By starting at daybreak you will be able to take your tiffin in Hsin Ch'ang City. But in the city there is no restaurant, except some small shops selling vermicelli. Travelling about thirty li more, you will reach Ts'ên Hsien (嵊縣), where the commerce is far more prosperous than in Hsin Ch'ang and the hotels are good.

A journey of 40 li more by water will bring you to Pai Kwan (百官). The fare is very cheap, being only a few small silver (ten cents make a small silver) for each person. But if you wish to hire a vessel, a big boat will cost eight dollars and you have to pay twenty cents for tip upon arrival. In this case, it is better to ask the Boatmen's Union to hire the vessel for you.

In Pai Kwan there is a restaurant named Ling Kiang Lou or "Towering-over-the-River House" (臨 江 樓). You can get very good food and drink there at low price.

There is also a good hotel called Lung Kiang Li Kwan or "Dragon-River Hotel" (龍江旅館). The charge for a first-class room is twenty-four cents a day and for a second-class room sixteen cents.

You can go to Ningpo (客 波) from Pai Kwan by train. It is a journey of 170 li. The fare is two dollars for the first class, one dollar for the second and sixty-five cents for the third.

From Ningpo to Shanghai by steamer takes but a night. The cabin fare is about eighty cents for each person.

中得攝影十數紙而於足跡所未至者則委攝影師補足之故天台寶別然其博大雄奇實可稱攝以余所經岱衡二攝此之不如天台寶五日而畢攬赤城登華項徜徉方廣石梁於天台勝景未得十之民國五年十月。偕傅沅叔(增湘)白栗齋(廷夔)張菊生(元濟)三民國五年十月。偕傅沅叔(增湘)白栗齋(廷夔)張菊生(元濟)三日會天雨不能久待遂由新昌歷嵊縣百官至寧波遵海而歸在山中得攝影十數紙而於足跡所未至者則委攝影師補足之故天台及濟,一會天雨不能久待遂由新昌歷嵊縣百官至寧波遵海而歸在山中得攝影十數紙而於足跡所未至者則委攝影師補足之故天台、資別。 天台山在浙江 好游者。 之奇景乃悉萃此册略爲編次附以說明並及里程食宿以諗世之 江天台縣北志稱高一萬八千丈周圍八百里要未經

民國六年六月蔣維喬識

可至汽船價房艙三元四角統艙官艙加減半數,自上海赴海門在南市大達碼頭乘往來上海海門汽船一日兩夜旅行須知

房艙四角房艙三角統艙二角。自海門至臨海(舊台州府)約八小時可到汽船價官艙六角超等 、惟有寺觀·

八仙宮道人代雇亦可每人每日約一元一角連飯食在內另給輪埠入城之輿夫不能行山路故赴天台須在臨海另雇輿夫卽託自臨海輪埠至八仙宮輿擔夫每名連酒資一角八分。由海舊爲台州府首縣城中雖有旅館然不淸潔惟有寺觀在山上 酒資。

自 臨海至天台約九十里乘肩輿破曉啓行。 一日可至宿於天台南

麓國清寺寺爲天台之大叢林極宏大客房亦多

山中興夫又較城中所雇者穩而速故游天台者至國清寺宜換輿 夫大約興擔夫每日每名八角另給飯食及酒資。

詩中食宿每人每日約一元。

赤城山等處天晴可登華項須黎明卽行則一日可達否則中途,赤城山等處天晴可登華項須黎明卽行則一日可達否則中途自國淸寺至華項四十五里若天非暢晴則山項多雲可先游近旁

宿於高明寺

若欲探斷橋珠簾之勝可自方廣前往瓊臺雙闕稱爲絕險桃源幽布爲天台最著名者不妨多盤桓數日也則可先至上方廣方廣去華頂不過十五里登陟甚便且石梁瀑 華頂多雲濃時則對面不見一物自高明赴華頂若不遇暢晴之日。

如仍由南境出山則可回國淸寺重笨行李亦可寄於國淸自天台南境入山北境出山者則出山時應宿於萬年寺或太平庵。秀寒明二巖亦稱奇特如欲採之非十餘日不能窮也

自太平庵至新昌五十里破曉行半日可達至新昌城午膳城中無 新昌客店亦可住飯店、八個館會的工作。

自嵊縣至百官四十里須趁篷船價甚廉每客不過數角若專雇一目嵊縣至百官四十里須趁篷船價甚廉每客不過數角若專雇一 船大者價八元到後另給酒資二角雇船須託船行。

百官有臨江樓飮饌甚佳價亦低廉。

元三等六角五分。自百官至寧波一百七十里可乘甬百鐵路汽車頭等二元二等 又有龍江旅館可住頭等每日大洋二角四分二等一角六分。

由寧波坐汽船回滬一夕可達房艙價約每人八角。

十國 ^{名 滕} 天台山一集目次

二十五 二十十十十十九八七六 二十二 二十四 中方廣寺 淨土庵 天封寺 太白書堂 華頂慈雲庵前茶圃 華頂峯拜經台前 上方廣寺前森林 華頂蓮峯庵 華頂峯茅蓬二 華頂峯茅蓬一 善興寺前森林

十四四 十三 高明山 圓通洞 高明寺 塔頭遠望 赤城山頂寶塔 國淸寺 高明山下看雲石 智者大師龍衣紫金鉢貝葉經 智者大師真身寶塔 **真覺寺前竹林** 赤城棲霞 國淸寺前七佛塔 國淸寺塔 雙澗迴瀾

十五

大寒風闕

華頂峯善興寺



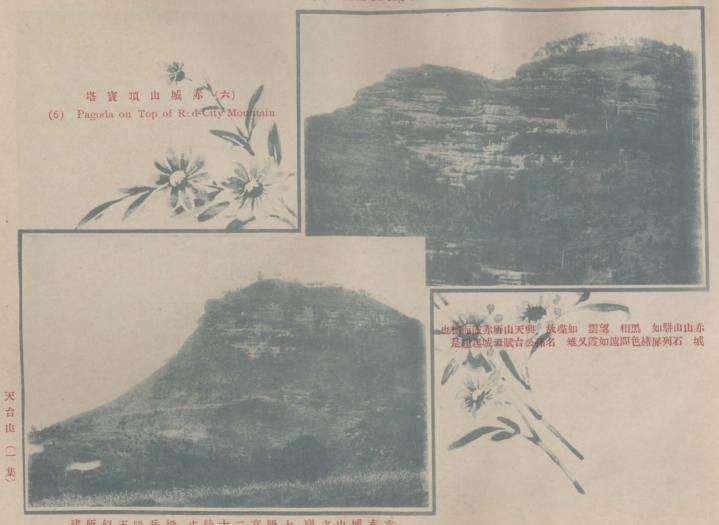
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瀾迴澗雙稱故 流合此至 溪兩右左旁寺 名得師禪干豐因 橋干豐有前寺清國



尼迦七佛迦 尼含俱 孫拘 浮毘 葉二佛婆一名佛鐫塔佛牟釋 葉六佛牟那五佛留四佛舍三佛尸 尸毘 之七上

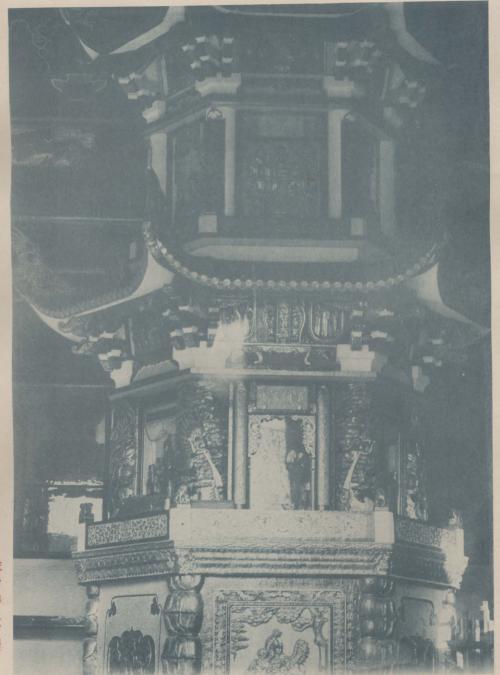


建所妃王陽岳梁 丈餘十二高級七 巓之山城赤在



之攝遠自係影此 村坑頭塔為 曠平始脊嶺至 高愈上愈勢地 睾高數經 嶺地金登寺清國自

致之秀幽極 徑一通中 陰成竹修 密茂林樹前寺 此於寂示師大者智 建所時皇開隋寺



師必貫而儒合者眞 三慧戒 聯 莊彩修方 在肉師者 殿覺於塔焉有 一道釋 智是言於定悟云有嚴繪 新塔焉身之大智內寺眞建

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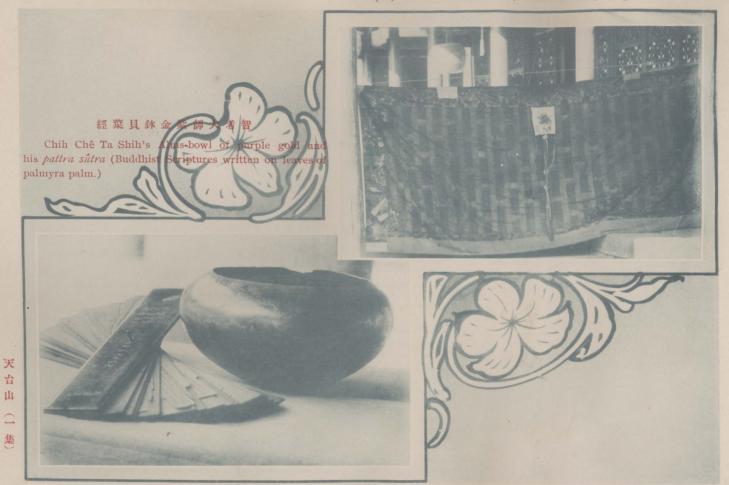


里五十此至寺清國自 也場道溪幽之師大者智 溪幽臨前 山明高倚後 建所時唐為寺

天台山(一

衣 龍 師 大 者 智 (一十)

(11) Chih Chê Ta Shih's (Priest the Wise) Dragon Robe





睡不坐跌年終 中其居人僧來山眉峨川四自有 洞一成自 之承石四有下 架橫石一 上之溪幽 旁寺明高在洞



山

也寺明高之今即 刹建此於師大者智 溪幽臨前 石奇多秀着山



書所慈興丘比梁石為 餘丈二可徑 字佛鐫上 石雲看名 笏如笱如 嶙崢兀突 石大多下山明高



拼風 此民 直不则起大 大亦日風故蔽山旁 以架断忽至山隅經 頂上明自回恆遇者經鄉立能人 風若風有 之無 遮無雨過橋 中此脊 此必峯華寺高



里三至明自雪冬 衣秋寒氣 此多者華 於晏師者 所德 福晉十此寺高 先未裘日 高空寺宿 頂登此坐曹大智建韶僧时天

天 台 山



天台山 (一集)

者抱合可人四三皆

林成木古前其

峯 頂 華 倚 後 寺 興 善

云人見輕不 僧高多中其 者靜智關掩內在 五代茅編 屋小排自 人僧居退皆 中谷廢於落錯 篷茅數無有 閩周頂華



下台經拜在篷茅此

天台 Ш

(20) Five Famous Characters (Tien T'ai Ti I Fêng meaning ''the Highest Peak of Tien T'ai Mountain'') Cut on a Rock beside a Monastery called Pai Ching T'ai or ''Liturgy-Chanting Platform'' at Hua Ting Peak 前台經拜案項華(十二)



字翠第天 石庵庵茅 為累處拜大智 经有见可 雲恆 日可在中然頂 环浆处最天峰华五一台鐫碑旁 作掛牆石 经师者为台拜 得不霧多然出觀此 居端華拱山 高台為頂

(21) Hut at Hua Ting Peak, where a building (now out of existence) called "Tai Pai Shu Tang" or Li Tai-pai's Reading Hall was formerly erected in honour of Li Tai-pai, a celebrated poet of the Tang Dynasty, who, it was said, once visited Tien Tai and studied at the Peak.

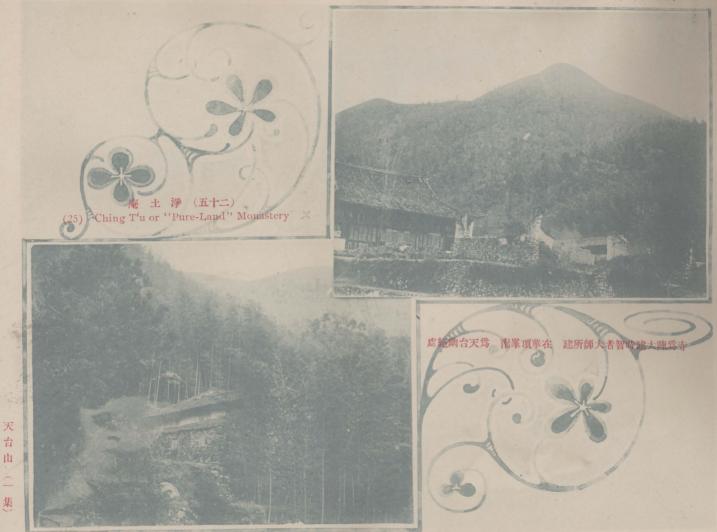


已而庞茅一僅今 堂書建為故 頂華書讀 台天遊嘗白太李唐傳相 下台經拜在



中其藏庵 秀深樹竹 旁寺與善在 一之篷茅頂華亦此

此於產即 茶霧雲之名著 之種多人僧篷茅故 宜最茶植 霧雲多年終頂華



也者台天遊同次此 居所師禪鏡宗為 篷茅之墨頂華亦



澗面山倚 寺廣方上 此居必布瀑梁石觀 深幽極境 鬱盤樹林



書 館 即 商 西直 北 (七)(一) 黄山 衡山 國 海 宮 (八) 孔 林 風 風 廬山 名 畫 風 景 (三) 音 陀 (JL) 虞山 勝

毎

作 有 權 究 印 著 國 發 校編 總 印 分 發行 刷 售 勝 所 所 者 處 Ш 到羅版 三色版 珂羅版 珂羅版 珂羅版 版 (十) 雁蕩山 版版 版 (四) 雲南 貴陽 石家莊 哈爾濱 新嘉坡厦門廣州潮州韶州汕頭香港桂林梧州復慶常德衡州成都重慶瀘縣達縣福州 商 西湖 三色版 五避暑山莊 四 毎 七七 印 元 每張三 種 面面 四三 (六) 角 泰山 元角角角角 兀

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