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A trial for a Chinese language database, *Song Tomb Inscriptions Database ???????????*, has been set up for Yale University users from now to October 31, 2018.

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