

cartonnage

Definition

n. the material of which many Egyptian mummy cases are made consisting of linen or papyrus glued together in many thicknesses and usu. coated with stucco

Example Sentence

The museum guide said that the elaborate mummy case was made of **cartonnage**.

Synonyms

glued linen; glued papyrus; mummy case building material

Antonyms

rocks

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