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"Tempeldirnen. "



- Title:** "Tempeldirnen. "
- Alternate title:** Temple prostitutes.
- Ref. number:** QQ-30.021.0104
- Creator:** Penn, Albert Thomas Watson, Ootacamud [Udagandalam], India
- Date:** Proper date: -1889
- Description:** The photograph is from an album entitled "Chinesisch-indische Reise", made by Wilhelm Preiswerk (member of the committee) and Inspector Theodor Oehler in 1888-1889. Wilhelm Preiswerk and Theodor Oehler bought the pictures from professional photo studios on this trip. This means that the date of origin of the image cannot be clearly determined as 1888/1889. It is possible that the picture was taken several years earlier, but it is not possible to say exactly when.
- Subject:** [Photographers / Photo Studios]: Penn, Albert Thomas Watson, Ootacamud [Udagandalam], India

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[Institutions]: Penn, Albert Thomas Watson, Ootacamud [Udagandalam], India
[Geography]: Asia {continent}: India {modern state}
[Themes]: anthropology of the body: adornment
[Themes]: recreation - enjoyment and indulgence: festivities: dancer f
[Themes]: communication: group
[Themes]: religion and philosophy (general): Hinduism
[Themes]: economy and daily life: craft production: mat
[Themes]: architecture and settlement: furnishings: studio background
[Themes]: religion and philosophy (phenomena): sacral buildings and settings: temple
[Themes]: social structure and socialization: gender - age and kinship: woman: women's wear
[Themes]: individual roles: offices: religious specialist f
[Archives catalogue]: Images: QQ: QQ-30: Journey to China and India.

Type: Still Image

Format: [Format]: 14.2cm x 13.2cm
[Condition]: good - medium
[Special format]: upper corners rounded
[Process]: b/w positive, paper print, albumen

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