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"Teepflanze. "



**Title:** "Teepflanze. "

**Alternate title:** Tea plant.

**Ref. number:** QQ-30.021.0119

**Creator:** unknown studio

**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]: unknown studio  
[Institutions]: unknown studio

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[Geography]: Asia {continent}: Sri Lanka {modern state}  
[Themes]: anthropology of the body: adornment  
[Themes]: formal description: agricultural scene  
[Themes]: economy and daily life: craft production: basket  
[Themes]: economy and daily life: agriculture and animal husbandry: farm worker f  
[Themes]: economy and daily life: domestic economy: food: tea  
[Themes]: social structure and socialization: gender - age and kinship: woman: women's wear  
[Archives catalogue]: Images: QQ: QQ-30: Journey to China and India.

**Type:** Still Image

**Format:** [Format]: 24.5cm x 19.3cm  
[Condition]: bad; physically damaged  
[Special format]: oval  
[Process]: b/w positive, paper print, albumen

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