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"Brautsessel. "



**Title:** "Brautsessel. "

**Alternate title:** Sedan chair for a bride.

**Ref. number:** QQ-30.021.0175

**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}: China {modern state}  
[Themes]: communication: audience  
[Themes]: social structure and socialization: life cycle: wedding: bride  
[Themes]: travel and transport: means and types of transport: carrying frame  
[Themes]: music - art and literature: art: decoration  
[Themes]: social structure and socialization: gender - age and kinship: child: girl  
[Themes]: social structure and socialization: gender - age and kinship: child: girls' wear  
[Themes]: communication: inscription  
[Themes]: special objects and materials: technical objects and installations: ladder  
[Themes]: architecture and settlement: furnishings: lantern  
[Themes]: architecture and settlement: architectural space: street: street scene  
[Themes]: social structure and socialization: life cycle: wedding  
[Archives catalogue]: Images: QQ: QQ-30: Journey to China and India.

**Type:** Still Image

**Format:** [Format]: 21.3cm x 28.5cm  
[Condition]: medium  
[Process]: b/w positive, paper print, albumen

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