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INTRODUCTION

India, with her 300 million inhabitants and her area of over 1,850,000 square miles, is to be considered, not as a country, but as a continent. If we eliminate Ceylon, and follow the natural boundary that separates Hindustan from Burma, Tibet and Afghanistan, we are in the presence of scenery of an imposing uniformity. No individual state or special civilisation there has been able permanently to detach itself; everything has always pointed to something in common, to that which we vaguely conceive as *Indian*. A closer inspection shows the uniformity to be split up into a diversity unknown in any other continent; a diversity that sometimes rises into sharp contrasts.

India is inhabited by three of the principal race-groups of the earth, which have mingled in various grades. We have the dark Dravidian type in the south, with a touch of the negroid in some of the forest tribes; yellow Mongols, and fair Indo-Europeans. The origin of the first inhabitants and of the great migrations that led to present conditions still opens a wide field to scientific research.

Together with the differences of race there is an extraordinary diversity of culture and social life in India. Men bristle with jewels: men starve to death. Half-savages dwell next door to the wisest learned men on earth. An open-handedness which appears to us exaggerated, does not exclude a cruelty of which no European would be capable. Religion is lost in a maze of sects and extraordinary customs and, contrary to its ideals, gives birth to all sorts of chicanery, friction and violent struggles.

It is of course quite possible that this diversity is part and parcel of what might be called the Indian character. For India is immoderate beyond measure. The attitude towards the world, which, at bottom, is common to the whose tragedy and whose happiness are that it is an eternal contradiction, an unity always sought and never found, bristling with problems, full of fabulous dreams and strange things, penetrated with mysticism.

India comprises one of the most ancient continents of the earth. Its configuration has naturally altered since the oldest phases of the earth's history; to-day it resembles a giant triangle bordered on the north by mountain ranges, and projecting towards the south into the Indian Ocean, between the Arabian Sea and the Bay of Bengal.

The Deccan, the oldest part of India, forms in its entirety a broad plateau dominating, above all, the south. Towards the Arabian Sea the country slopes fairly steeply to the so-called Western Ghats. They are covered with luxuriant tropical forests and inhabited by primitive tribes. Wild animals abound. Towards the east, however, the country slowly drops, and conveys the great rivers of Southern India from their sources near the Arabian Sea almost over the whole peninsula right to the Bay of Bengal. On the Malabar Coast in the south-west, no doubt the happiest plot of ground in India, there is never any lack of water. Its inhabitants, in whose lives the century-old European colonies and missions are harmoniously blended, live tranquilly in the shade of the coco-nut palms.

On the east coast the supply of water is a question of greater importance, and on the Deccan plateau the problem is hardly capable of solution. In the flat dry regions the remains of the primary rocks often project in the shape of rocky bluffs or boulder districts, e. g. in Trichinopoly (p. 24), Bundelkand, etc. In Mavalipuram (pp. 38–42), south of Madras, several temples and caves have been hewn out of these rocks, containing the oldest remaining monuments of Dravidian art which, at the same time, exhibit the highest degree of inner power.

Near Hyderabad-Golconda the old crystalline bedrock forms a maze of boldly projected blocks (p. 77). Further north, in the Aravalli range of Rajputana, in Mount Abu (p. 252), in Udaipur (p. 241) the folded rock of one of the oldest mountain chains in India has survived in elongated ridges. This region, Jodhpur, Ajmer, Alvar, Jaipur, supplied the celebrated white marble of the Taj Mahal, the Pearl Mosque, and other princely palatial buildings.

Somewhat later than the bedrock of the Deccan, but still dating from hoary antiquity, the horizontal layers of the *Purana strata* were formed which, for instance, have survived in Gwalior (pp. 178–181) and Sanchi as escarpments. Their red and yellow sandstone forms an important building material; the majority of the Moghul monuments are made of it.

In the middle age of the earth, towards the close of the cretaceous periods, the north and north-west of the peninsula were convulsed by stupendous volcanic outbursts which covered the surface with enormous masses of basalt (Deccan Trap). The cliff-like tabular heights which remain are especially characteristic of the region to the east of Bombay (pp. 90, 104). Sometimes a single hill has survived, as in Palitana in the Kathiawar peninsula (pp. 254–255). The caves of Ellora, those gigantic stone hewings, owe their excellent state of preservation to the power of resistance of the basalt.

The highest mountains in the world, the *Himalayas*, arose only in more recent periods of the earth's history, at the middle and end of the tertiary period, from the sea which bordered the primordial parts of India in the north. The lowest chain of the foot-hills, the Siwalik Mounts, is one of the youngest mountains known.

On the slopes of the Himalaya, which enclose India like a rampart and put an end to the tropical luxuriance of Indian nature and culture, are to be found numerous mountain health resorts, mostly of later date, the finest of which is Darjeeling. When the summer heat in the lowlands is too strong the Government of the Presidency of Bombay transfers its seat from Calcutta to Darjeeling, whilst the Viceroy, with the Government of British India, removes from the new capital of Delhi to Simla.

Bengal

Of the Himalayan countries only the naturally beautiful region of Kashmir in the west has always been accessible to foreign influences and invasions. In its early Hindu monuments Greek influence is plainly visible; it was subsequently inundated by Islam, and served the Moghuls as a summer resort. In spite of the fact that the majority of the inhabitants are Muhammedan, Kashmir is ruled by a Hindu Maharajah, a state of things which is more often the reverse in those Indian states tributary to the British Empire, as, for instance, in Hyderabad-Deccan, the largest of the Indian principalities.

In the independent kingdom of Nepal, which lies along the highest ranges between Darjeeling and Simla, Chinese civilisation is mingled with Indian, and Buddhism has been able to maintain itself in a form similar to Lamaism, by the side of the advancing Hinduism. Still more hermetically closed to the outer world than the country of the Gurkas is the mysterious land of Tibet with its hierarchy of Lamas: in Darjeeling the acquaintance of the precursors of this peculiar form of civilisation can be made.

The rim of mountains continues towards the east and separates Hindustan from the Indo-Chinese countries by the almost impassible Assam-Burman frontier hills, covered with tropical forests and inhabited by primitive tribes.

The only gate to India by land is in the *north-west*, although here too, mountain solitudes prolong natural boundaries. Time and again powerful northern tribes have penetrated here, whose assaults and longing for the fertile lowlands usually broke down Indian resistance. The most formidable enemy in the path of the conqueror was the hot climate of the country; the glowing summer led to enervation and mutiny.

The most celebrated of these invasions was that of Alexander the Great; the cultural effects of this bold enterprise on India have been in recent times the object of particularly careful investigation. A flourishing Hellenic-Indian mixed civilisation spread in the north-west in the centuries about B. C.; in Gandhara art Buddhist sculptures were created in Greek style. The recently excavated town of Taxila (in reality there were three

towns in succession, pp. 271–272) was for centuries the seat of prosperous trade and active mental life, the point where central and eastern Asia met western Asia and Europe. In addition to the somewhat superficial Greek influences, various west Asian influences, which are especially perceptible in artistic forms (e. g. in the celebrated lion capitals of the Ashoka column, p. 161), have always found their way to India. Still more lasting in their cultural, economic and political effects than Alexander's campaign were the Muhammedan invasions of later centuries.

The entrance gate of India still plays an important part to-day, seeing that it was in the last hundred years the scene of fierce struggles. A special frontier province emphasises the military character of the region, and the Khyber Pass (pp. 281–284), the path of the big caravans to and from Afghanistan, is the most strongly guarded point of the Indian Empire.

The great plains of the big Indian rivers, the Indus, Ganges and Brahmaputra are the most important regions for the daily life of India. The waters
of these rivers, which have their source in the Himalayas, filled with their
detritus the mighty lowlands between the mountains. The Indus flows
into the Arabian Sca; its two sister rivers flow together into the Bay of
Bengal. It was, above all, the plains of the Ganges, from Agra to Lucknow, Allahabad, Benares, Patna and Calcutta, that witnessed the highest
expression of Indian civilisation; here alone about 150 million Indians
are crowded together, and it is here that we find the most sacred spots of
the country.

Together with some districts in the south (Malabar) and the irrigation basins in the Punjab, the plain of the Ganges is the most densely populated portion of India. But whilst in the humid south a comparatively happy existence is possible, the masses congregate in Northern India in holdings insufficient for keeping house and home together. Underfed and irresolute, with the fear of famine always over their heads, these people merely live from hand to mouth. Between the localities of now partly extinguished princely splendour and the variegated places of pilgrimage, the innumer-

able poor villages of India (90 per cent of the Indians live in villages) are crowded together, an eternal and depressing problem. Apathetic abandonment to fate, to the service of the gods, to the inexorable laws of the caste into which a man happens to be born, prevents his own recognition of the tragic side of such a life. Projected to the modern world, this tragedy becomes a burning question, and forms the starting-point of the noblest reformation measures of India's leaders.

The rhythm of life in India is regulated by the water question. The greater part of the country is dry for more than half of the year. When the heat of spring or summer begins to get intolerable and the supply of water scarcer and scarcer; when the earth splits and threatens to turn into a desert, India patiently awaits the great event of the monsoon with its abundance of cooling rains. In a few days the grey spots are covered with green, the paddy fields are under water, and Man thanks the gods for their gifts. This alternation of dry and rainy periods colours the cultural picture of the surface. Artificial lakes and tanks abound everywhere. It was one of the tasks of the Semindar, or landowner, to ensure a safe existence to his districts, and consequently to his farmers, by keeping his water reservoirs in good condition. A river is sacred water. The great pilgrimages take place on certain days at certain parts of the river. Hundreds of thousands, sometimes even millions, of human beings meet there from all parts of India. The daily ablutions in river or tank, especially early in the morning, are for the Hindu as necessary for the soul as they are for the body. Since the time of the Vedas a Brahmin desires for his village a temple to pray in, a river or tank to bathe in, and only in the third place houses to dwell in. In the south every temple has its own tank. A corpse will be brought as soon as possible after death to a funeral pyre on the river; the next-of-kin sets it alight as a symbol that even the dearest on earth are nought but ashes: the ashes themselves are carried away by the sacred waters.

The chief religion of India is Hinduism, which is professed by about 220

million believers. Religion with them is more than mere faith; it is the predominating factor of life, stronger than political, economic and other necessities. No people on earth devotes itself with more fervour and more ardour to the eternal problems of religion than do the Indians. The Hindu, it is true, may haggle over farthings, may speculate more insanely with his fortune, spend his money with less scruple, display more or less pride of purse, pursue the pleasures of this world with more subtlety than anyone else. But perhaps he does so because he has no standard or aim for the volatile world of appearances.

The natural ideal of India is not the hero who bore mankind with him and made it happy, but the Sadhu (Muhammedan fakir), the man who gives up his civil life and turns his back on his career as business man, savant or politician, as well as on all family ties, in order to wander as a beggar through the country, and to give himself up to meditation in solitary places.

Shiva, the god, is himself the archetype of the Sadhu. Almost in a state of nudity, he wandered through the land, his body strewn with ashes, his hair unkempt, castigating himself, and often begging in vain for food. Sakyamuni became Buddha the Redeemer, as a Sadhu, and Ashoka was the greatest of Indian emperors because he bowed himself down in the dust, quitting all his splendour and devoting himself to fervid meditation. Even in the present times, only that leader can find real acclamation among the people, who has humbled himself in the dust, and by voluntary privation, has set a shining example to all.

A deed is valid only if it is a religious one. But Buddha and Ashoka already abandoned the fundamentals of Buddh sm by announcing a gospel of *community*. The true Sadhu does not live and work for others; he wanders merely as a shadow through the realm of errors.

A genuine Sadhu flees publicity, and confines his advice to a few philosophical commonplaces and prescriptions for meditation. His doctrine does not matter; the aim of all his endeavour is to find his pure ego.

Foreigners usually see only a religious clown who dresses up as for a fair,

and complacently exhibits his grotesque body to the crowd at popular places of pilgrimage. Earnestness and ridicule, piety and the desire to impose are close and frequently inseparable companions. Often the charlatan cannot be distinguished from the saint; everywhere the great vanity of the Indian mingles with his genuine renunciation of the world. And thus we have, in human matters as in art, the sublime by the side of the vulgar, monuments full of loftiness and greatness next door to blatant gimcrackery.

The Sadhu takes his stand above the diversity of races, languages and customs. He is to be seen at the *ghat* (river stairway), near the temple, in the crowded lanes, in the solitudes of the forest—everywhere. From Benares to Ramaswaran on Adam's Bridge, from the sacred Godaveri in Nasik to the shrine of Jagannath in Puri, at the religious festivals in Allahabad, Hardwar, Conjeeveram, Chidambaram, and whatever these sacred places may be called, the Sadhu ideal grips the masses who, insatiably driven forwards, looking neither to the right nor left, feverishly aspire towards their salvation.

Common to Hinduism is the doctrine of Karma, the continuity of all action; closely connected with it is the belief in the transmigration of souls. The fatalism of India maintains that the deed and the liberty thereby gained take effect only beyond the dark portals that close in our life, and then only as a link in a long chain. Animals are sacred. The monkey that so often destroys the crops and is a pest to the country, must be spared: above all, the slaugther of a cow would be a sacrilege. The religious imaginings of the Hindu do not grow out of the necessities of life, but are often in direct contrast thereto.

The Hindu, otherwise so open-minded in spiritual things, is most implacable in his attitude towards social life.

The caste system still permeates the life of the majority of Indians with unyielding consistency. Thousands of different castes which, especially the highest caste of the Brahmins, are split up into innumerable septs,

form closed circles that are strictly segregated from one another. The contact of the lowest castes, and particularly of the "untouchables", the Parias, pollutes most of their higher-born fellow men, and they are therefore avoided like the plague. No wonder that these numerous members of the lowest strata rescue themselves from their legal nullity by flight into the arms of Islam or Christianity.

The predominence of the Brahmins, especially in the almost exclusively Hindu south, is, like the whole caste system, not based on economic differences, but on purely religious superiority, for which birth alone sets the standard. Precisely for this reason, the white Brahmin cord, whose bearer is not only a priest, but also exercises a variety of professions—in recent times frequently as officials—possesses an unshakable authority.

Hinduism is not one single religion; it comprises a tropical luxuriance, in the widest sense of the word, of religious conceptions, from primitive animism and belief in spirits to the most highly developed philosophical system; from zealous theism which is only one step from Christianity, to the most flourishing polytheism and pure atheism.

Although but few animists were revealed by the census, and those mostly the primitive forest tribes, the cult of personified natural phenomena still plays an important part. The adoration of the serpent, for instance, whose poison proves mortal to so many Indians, is widespread and often documented in the plastic arts (p. 68). But whereas in a country like Burma the cult of nature is carried out as a kind of necessity by the side of the predominating Buddhistic religion and without any inner connection with it, Hinduism overflows its boundaries; hence the presence of those numerous contradictions which appear so incomprehensible to those standing outside of it. Thus the cruel goddess Kali, or Durga, often represented as a frightful gargoyle, whose caprices can only be appeased by the bloody sacrifice of animals, is actually the representative of a profound motherworship.

The greatest gods of modern India and the heirs of the old Veda gods are Vishnu and Shiva.

Vishnu (p. 1) is the penetrator or preserver, whose powerful arm grasps the whole universe. His worship is spread particularly in the serious and manly-reticent north and makes the nearest approach to the religions of the Occident. The heroes of the two great epics of Mahabharata and Ramayana, Krishna, the divine cowherd, and Rama, the husband of the beautiful Sita, are counted as incarnations of Vishnu. Pictorial representations of Krishna playing the flute are to be met with everywhere. The god's adventures with women are represented by preference; they seem to emerge in a wallow of sexuality. On the other hand, Krishna is the herold of the sublime wisdom of the Bhagavad-Gita.

Shiva is the Indian god most difficult to grasp. His symbol, the *lingam*, (p. 58) which is found in millions of examples in every size, in temples, by the wayside, or in the shape of an amulet, is to be seen all over India. It symbolises male fecundity. Nandi, the Bull, is Shiva's sacred animal. Plunged for thousands of years in meditation, the god sits on his mountain Kailasa in the Himalayas: he wanders through the land as a Sadhu. As a rule he is represented with his wife Parvati (pp. 43, 103), or in a spirited dancing attitude (p. 304), for the god of the strictest acetism and of overflowing fecundity, is Natesa, the god of the dance. To men Shiva appears above all as destroyer, as fear-inspiring and powerful as Nature. And yet his mercy is infinite. His omnipotence is most sublimely represented in the Trimurti, for here he is Rudra, the destroyer, Brahma the creator, and Vishnu the preserver, all in one person (p. 89). Innumerable are the appearances of the two chief gods, their wives and retainers. There can be no question of a closed system or separate supporters; Vishnu is commingled with his great rival; once he appears as the latter's wife. In the celebrated temple of Natesa at Chidabaram Vishnu also possesses a shrine. The Brahmins often purposely avoid giving a one-sided direction to the sanctuaries which they guard.

The monkey-like Hanuman, to whom in his capacity as chaste celibate exceptional powers are ascribed, and Ganesha with the elephant's head, a son of Shiva, are very popular. The latter is the bringer of good luck, and is evoked on every possible occasion.

Numerous local gods, who are mostly considered as incarnations of the principal god, animate the variegated picture and make it still more confusing. Moreover, incarnation explains everything.—Why should not Jesus be an incarnation of Krishna? The gods known to men are only appearances of the One and Incomprehensible. Thus educated Hindus, who perform their devotions at the various sanctuaries before the most remarkable images, speak only of one God whose omnipotence and goodness consist in Hinduism, or stand above or accompany it.

The Jainas can only be reckoned in an extended sense to Hinduism; they are a religious community founded by Mahavira, a contemporary of Gautama, and in many ways mentally related to him. The Tirthankaras play for the Jainas a similar part to that of the figure of the Enlightened One for the Buddhists. Although the number of worshippers is comparatively small, the sect, owing to the wealth and religiosity of its members, possesses several magnificent temples which they have erected, by preference, on sacred mountains.

Similarly loosely attached, like the Jainas, to Hinduism, are the Sikhs who, about 1600, created in the Punjab a powerful fighting organization against caste compulsion on the one hand, and Islam on the other.

Islam and Christianity came from outside; the former with extraordinary success. But the world religion which has emerged from the lap of Hinduism itself is Buddhism, which victoriously penetrated to Ceylon and Tibet, Further India and Korea, China and Japan. In the land of its origin, however, it is dead. Even the great sanctuary of Buddha Gaya, which rises on the spot where Sakyamuni or Gautama became the Enlightened One, or Buddha, is in the hands of the Brahmins.

A great deal of what is represented in the Occident as being typically

Buddhist is Hindu common property. The personal cult of the Buddha is not contained in the original Buddhist system, but was added by later sects. That which made Buddhism a world religion and, at the same time, expatriated it from India, can hardly be explained by dogmatic definitions; for one thing because our conceptions are obscured by too many sects and systems. The incomparable affective values which were the issue have, perhaps, a social foundation. Buddha dissipated the castes; this, however, happens every time with other reforming Hindu sects. But with Buddha there arises at the same time the notion of community. Hinduism, with its immoderate individualism, could not support this. With the conception of community there begins at the same time history; thus there was no Indian history till the spread of Buddhism. The first great historical event in India is the reign of the Emperor Ashoka, 300 B. C. This great ruler and apostle imprinted on the country for all time its great desire for civilisation. His position in Buddhism is compared with that of St. Paul in Christianity. It is difficult to see what would have become of the dogmas of Sakyamuni without Ashoka.

With Ashoka there begins for India a period in which not only the individual takes his relations with God seriously, but also one when the community is felt to be essential and is minted into a unit by missions, edicts graven on stone, monuments and highways. Hand in hand with the religious fraternity, the monastery, arises the idea of the state.

In the ruins of Buddhist India lies a world-historical tragedy: the tragedy of one of the oldest of civilised territories which subjugated in century-old struggles this hitherto unique attempt to impart a form from the soul of a people, and to create a history. In its beginnings Buddhist art avoided statues or pictures of the Enlightened One himself. Monuments in the shape of tombs or reliquary shrines were built, stupas or Dagobas, and these became more and more luxuriant in their ornamental details. On the stone posts which formed an enclosure around important sanctuaries (p. 149) scenes from the Buddha legend were depicted in Ashoka's time, in which Buddha himself was merely indicated by a symbol. On the later

Sanchi stupa (pp. 112-113) all kinds of Jataka stories are told with virtuosity, treating of events in Gautama's early life. It was only at the time of the Kushan dynasty (A. D. 1 and 2) that representations of the Enlightened One himself appeared, under Greek influence, in the foreground, and grew to that splendid symbol which soon became the common property of Hinduism. There is a convincingly simple greatness in this figure which Hinduism never attained, and probably never endeavoured to reach.

Hardly had Brahmanism or Hinduism driven out the world religion, or destroyed it from the inside and thus again set up the barriers which separate the country of inexorable castes from the rest of mankind, than a powerful assault was made on India from outside. About 1000 A. D. began the fierce Muhammedan attacks from the north-west which finally led to the establishment of the second great Indian realm after that of Ashoka. Under the great Akbar (1556-1605) Muhammedan supremacy reached its zenith. Like Ashoka, Akbar was a dominating personality in the highest degree, general and statesman and, at the same time, full of a burning zeal for the work of civilisation. Just as he approached Hinduism with a broad-minded tolerance, so did he seek in architecture a synthesis between the Muhammedan-Persian and the Hindu forms. His successors, Jahangir, and particularly Sha Jahan, took the same pleasure in erecting palaces; the mosques and tombs of their time attained an elegance never to be surpassed. The shimmering marble splendour of the Taj Mahal (pp. 184-185) forms as perfect a monument for the beautiful empress of India as the tomb of the great Afghan Sher Shah, who foreshadowed Akbar's deeds, forms a monument of powerful dominating rule (p. 151). The Moghul buildings, which were supplemented by finely laid-out gardens, are the act of a foreign volition whose social discipline and trend to unity on Indian soil had works of special fairy beauty executed by Indian hands.

With the death of the intolerant Aurangzeb at the beginning of the 18th

century, the realm of Muhammedanism fell to pieces and with it Indo-Muhammedan civilisation.

After the fall of the Moghuls various tribes fought for supremacy in Northern India. The most successful of these were the Mahrathas. But the third great union of India was already preparing, and this time it was to comprise the whole peninsula from the Himalayas to Adam's Bridge, British India.

British rule signifies not only the military dominion and political organization of an European power, it means far-reaching influences conveyed by the ideas of the West. The movement thus engendered comprises both friends and foes of British rule in the same way, and finds particular expression in political, economic and social programmes. It is the third of the great attempts to make the land of Hinduism into a country with a living state consciousness, a nation. The outlook would appear to be propitious, for this time it is not a question of a kingdom, but of the selfconsciousness of a people. The paths are laid out: the self-evidence of unity is furthered by the press. India is still in a phase of congresses and reforms, unallayed hopes and fears. In this volume we have not taken into consideration the cultural results which may possibly issue therefrom. In the discussion of present day political and economic problems we must not, however, forget the power which *Hinduism* still possesses as of vore. A great religious activity, which is partly working with new means, pulsates throughout the country. In art, especially in painting, the old ideals are operating with regenerative force and already bearing fine fruit. Without Hinduism no Indian realm is conceivable nowadays.

Will the religion of the Sadhus and the castes ever be able to support a nation? The future of India hardly lies in social deeds: possibly her millions will still continue to err, and be compelled by foreign hands to order her fate. India's future lies in this eternal birth of religious ideas, in this whirl of contrasted forces before whose youthful impetuosity space, time and human forms break again and again to pieces.

Hindu art, as it has formed itself unsullied by foreign influences in the Dravidian south, is, together with the results of philosophical composition, the purest expression of the strength and the fate of India for those standing apart. Man is flung out of the indifference—but also out of the self-evidence of his existence, when he strides through the temples whose halls, corridors and tanks form a world of their own, whose sculptures abrogate all relations of dimension, and transform the human shape into fantastic dream-pictures.

The temple towers of Madura, covered over and over with mythological figures, rise like beacons of unreality to the sky. In Southern India there are hundreds of such slender towers, the Gopurams. Further to the north, in Khajuraho, the forms are quieter, but they are multiplied here, too, and their arbitrariness is an obstacle to all notions of utility, fading away into over-rich ornamentation. The Black Pagoda of Konarak, the stones of which are dissolved in an enormous number of elastically fleeting and, at the same time, finely graded sculptures, and the Kailasa Temple in Ellora, hewn out of the rock, with all its inner rooms, towers, secondary shrines, galleries and reliefs, are phenomena which, similar to the Egyptian pyramids, cannot be valued as works of art alone, seeing that they appear to transcend all human bounds.

Among the overwhelming abundance of Indian phenomena, the solitariness of the ruins, the turmoil of the places of pilgrimage, the symbol of Hinduism seems to detach itself in a form of inexorable greatness—Shiva, the destroyer and procreator. His limbs move in spirited dance movements: his countenance is gracious, but as rigid and impenetrable as Fate. The values and forces of our existence are borne along in one single pean of rhythm. Shiva, the great dancer, dances over birth and death. When the pillars crack and the world comes to an end and the whole heaven of gods sinks to nothingness, Shiva will dance his great dance, and new worlds will arise wherever he sets his merciful foot.

The arrangement of the illustrations corresponds to the following journeys:

- 1. Beginning at the extreme south, on Adam's Bridge, some of the most important places of Dravidian civilisation and architecture were visited: Madura, with its peculiar religious life, Trichinopoly, with its romantic citadels and the extensive temple grounds of Srirangam, the somewhat sleepy Tanjore, Kumbakonam, Chidambaram, Conjeeveram, all highly sacred spots for the Indians, with mighty temples, and finally, Mavalipuram, the dwelling-place of the gods on the sea-shore, long since abandoned by Man.
- 2. Once again starting from the extreme south, along the south-east coast from Trivandrum through Malabar, in the shade of the coconut palms, to Tellicherry. Up the Ghats, with their dense virgin forests and over the broad, flat plateau of the Deccan of Mysore to Bengalore and Hyderabad where, side by side with Hinduism, strong Muhammadan influences are to be met with. In Golconda and Bijapur the imposing monuments of ancient Muhammadan princely power were visited.
- 5. Near the modern chief port of India, Bombay, to the temples and monasteries which were hewn out of the rock by the Buddhists, subsequently by the Hindus and Jainas: Karli, the finest of all Buddhist chapels, Elephanta, with its majestic Trimurti; Aurangabad, Nasik, but, above all, Ellora and Ajanta, whose caves are the most magnificent monuments of Indian art and of human culture itself.
- 4. In the north-east to the temple cities of Orissa: the big place of pilgrimage, Puri with the sanctuary of Jagannath, the solitary Black Pagoda of Konarak, Bhubaneswhar, the city of a thousand temples. Through Bengal, one of the most active of provinces in cultural things, with Calcutta, the biggest town and former capital of the realm. Up the Brahmaputra to Gauhati in Assam: along the powerful mountain frontier to Darjeeling, at the foot of the highest peak in the world, and on the threshold of the mysterious country of Tibet.
- 5. In the plain of the Ganges, first of all the classical territory of Buddhism: Patna, in ancient times a powerful royal city, Buddha Gaya, the greatest sanctuary of Buddhism, and Benares with its endless pilgrimages. Up the Ganges to Allahabad, Lucknow and into the romantic Bundelkand, whose now fallen, magnificent monuments of religion and princely power lie out of the path of the ordinary tourist.
- 6. Agra and Delhi, the classical localities of Muhammadan rule. Agra is almost entirely under the influence of Sha Jahan; Fatepur Sikri is the splendid but unfortunate foundation of Akbar the Great; in its ruins Delhi shows the traces of all the great Muhammadan rulers of India.
- 7. Rajputana, the region that most nearly corresponds to our notion of mediaeval India, full of colour and proud shapes, now, as then, blazing with the splendour of princely courts. On Mount Abu and further to the west, in the peninsula of Kathiawar, some of the sacred places

of the Jainas are to be found. Ahmedabad was once the seat of powerful Muhammadan rulers, like Hyderabad, the former capital of Sind, which, in modern times has been easily overtaken by the rising commercial town of Karachi.

- 8. The territory of the former Gandhara kingdom, in the extreme north-west, above all the Punjab and its old cities of Lahore and Amritsar, with Hindu-Muhammadan population; the recently excavated ruins of Taxila, the Khyber Pass, with the caravan city of Peshawar.
- 9. Kashmir, in the western valley of the Himalayas, which, in addition to the beauty of its magnificent mountain scenery and variegated vegetation, possesses interesting architectural monuments and the life and doings of a peculiar mixed people.

Politically India is divided into eight large provinces (Madras, Bengal, Bombay, Bihar and Orissa, United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, Punjab, Central Provinces, Burma) and five smaller administrations (Assam, North and West Frontier Provinces, Baluchistan, Rajputana Agency, Central India Agency) with British-Indian government. The states of the Indian princes, which comprise about 40 per cent of the area and 25 per cent of the total population of the Empire, are variously independent of the central government or the provincial governments and agencies. Some of the most important of the states are Hyderabad, Mysore, Travancore, Gwalior, Jaipur, Udaipur, Baroda, Jammu and Kashmir.

The province of Burma belongs geographically and culturally no longer to India in the narrow sense of the word; hence it will be treated in a special volume together with the other countries of Indo-Chinese civilisation. The Crown Colony of Ceylon, although belonging geographically to Indo-China, will likewise be added to the volume on Further India, so as not to overload the present book. My pictures from Nepal are intended for another publication; the selection for "Orbis Terrarum" will appear together with Tibet. Even then I still have 5000 photographs, for Further India, which is about eight times the area of France or Germany, and lavishes an unheard-of wealth of many-coloured impressions on the visitor, wherever he turns his steps.

When taking the photos, and likewise in the selection of the pictures from a very extensive material, I was guided by the same principles as I indicated in the preface to my book on "France" in this series. I have endeavoured to keep the directness of personal impressions, and at the same time to avoid photographic arbitrariness, which only too often claims to be "artistic", letting the beauty of the country and of its monuments speak for itself. At the same time that I was trying to capture the beauty of India, I wished, likewise, to illustrate her soul. For, in the beauty of a civilisation and in the greatness of its accomplishments there lies a mightier truth than in the thousand-and-one details of a transitory and often ugly workaday world.

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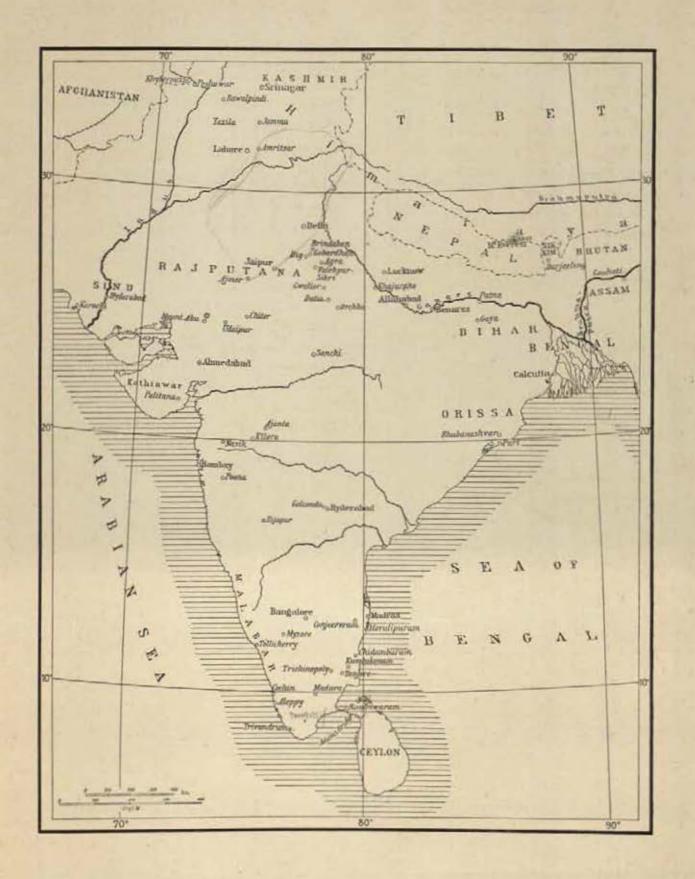
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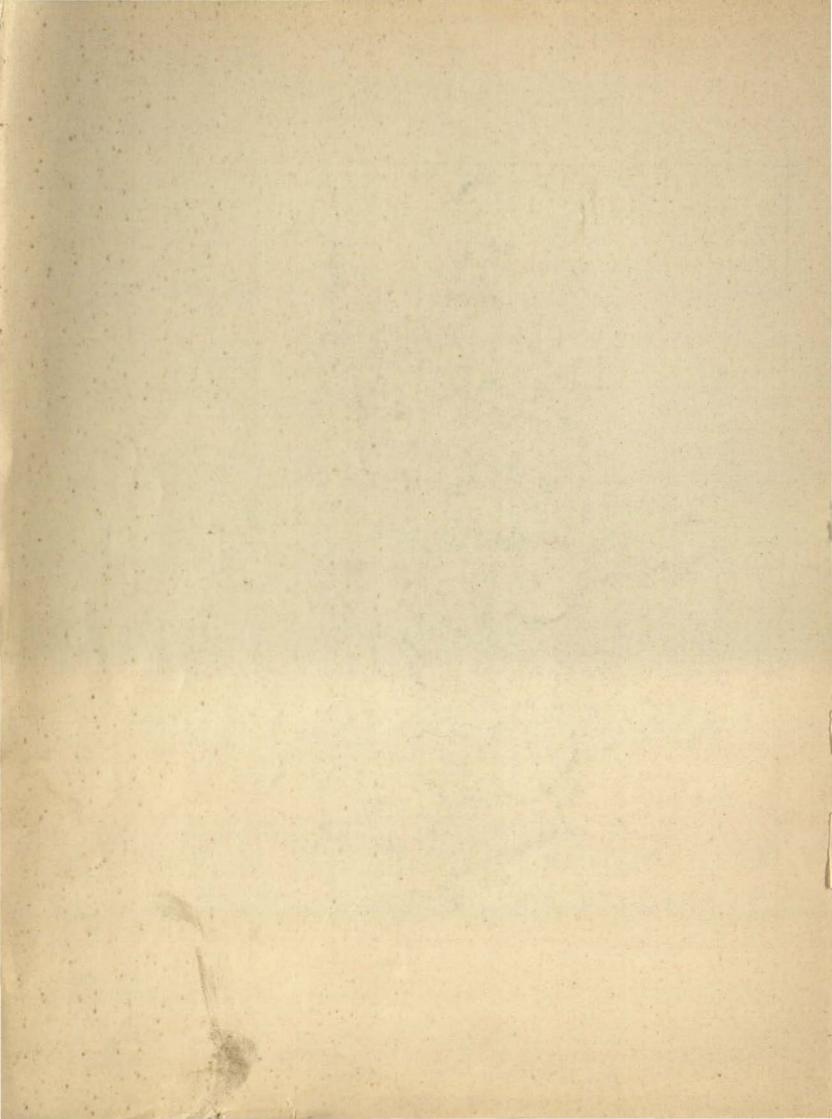
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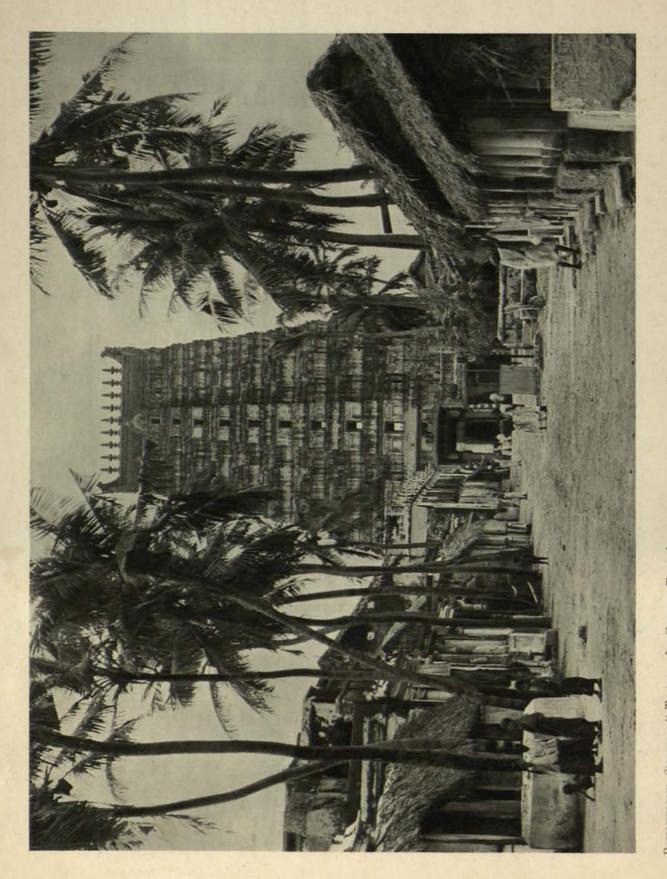






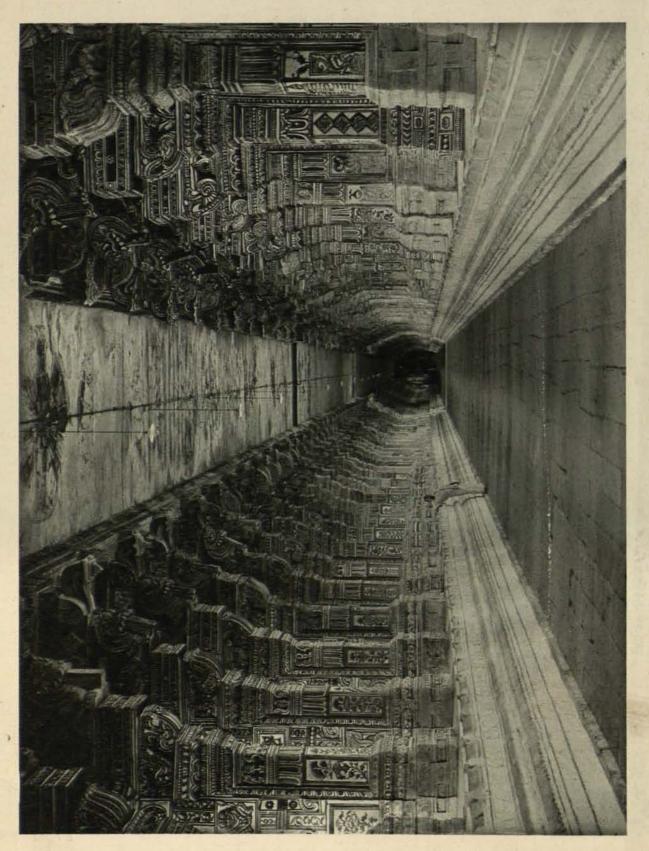
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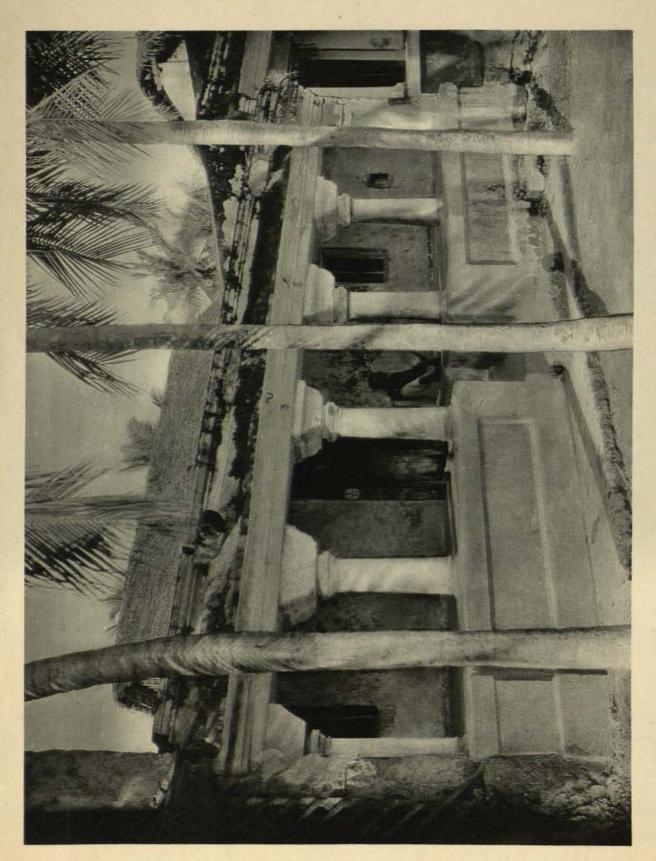
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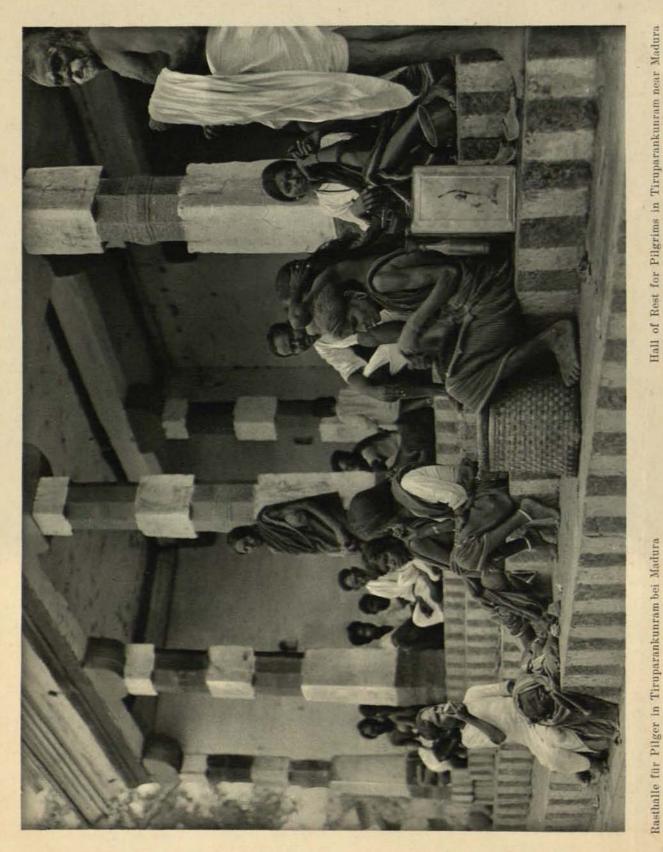
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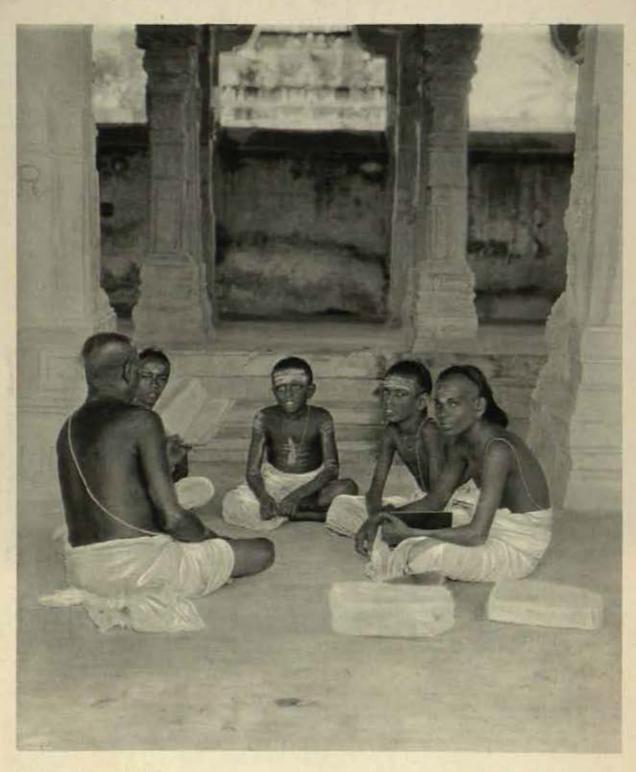


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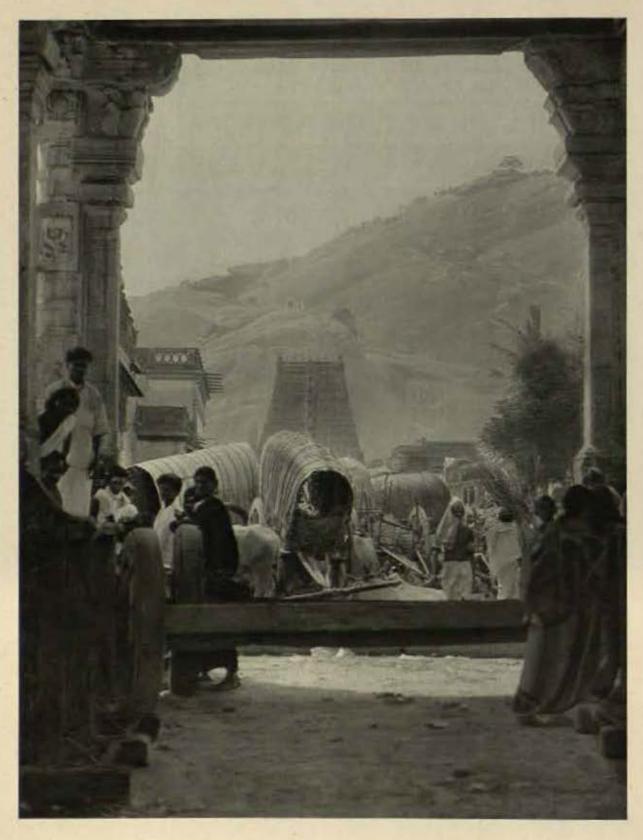
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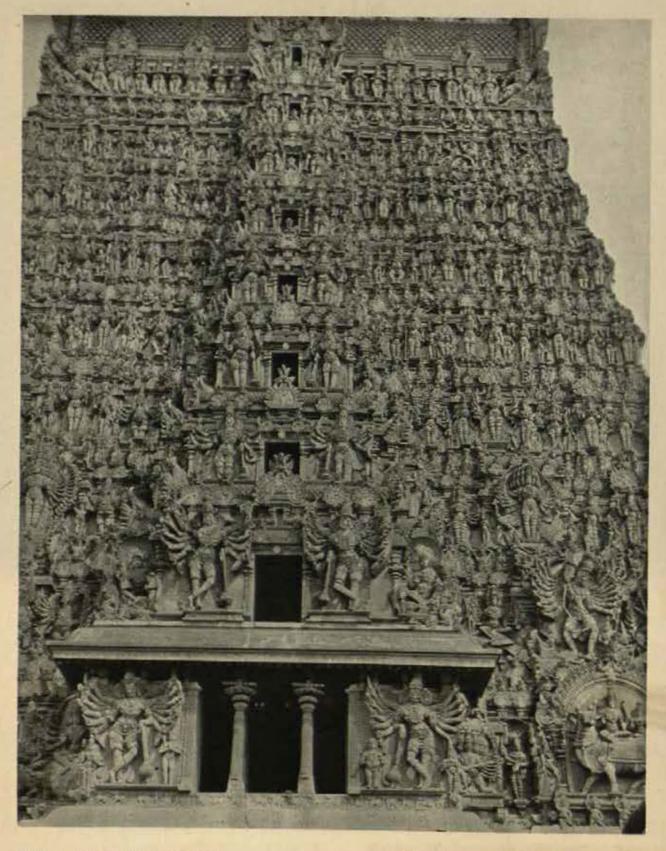
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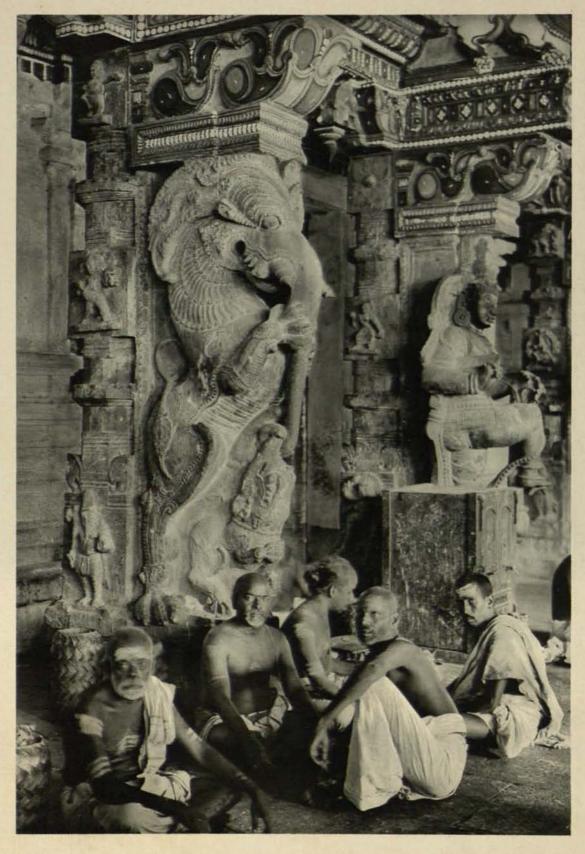
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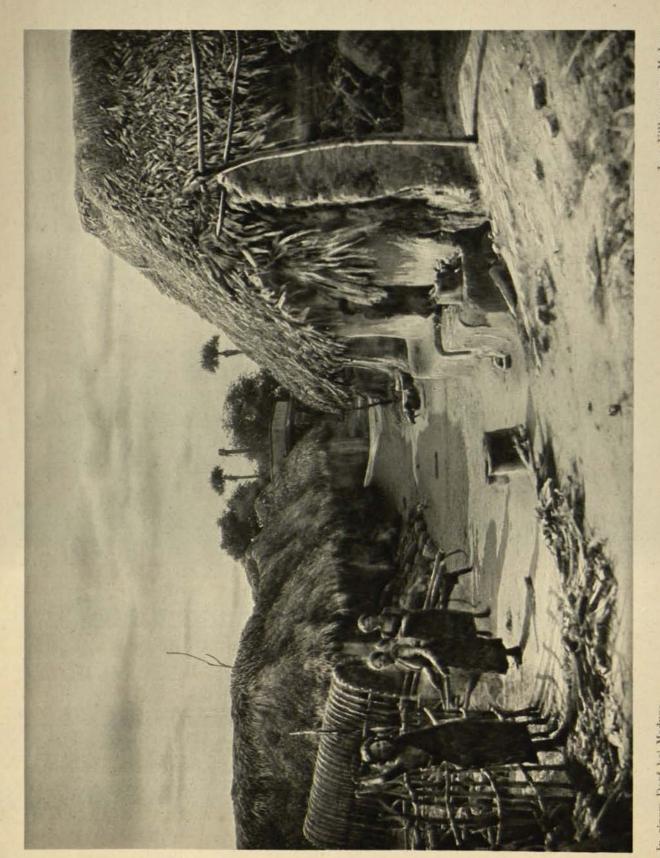
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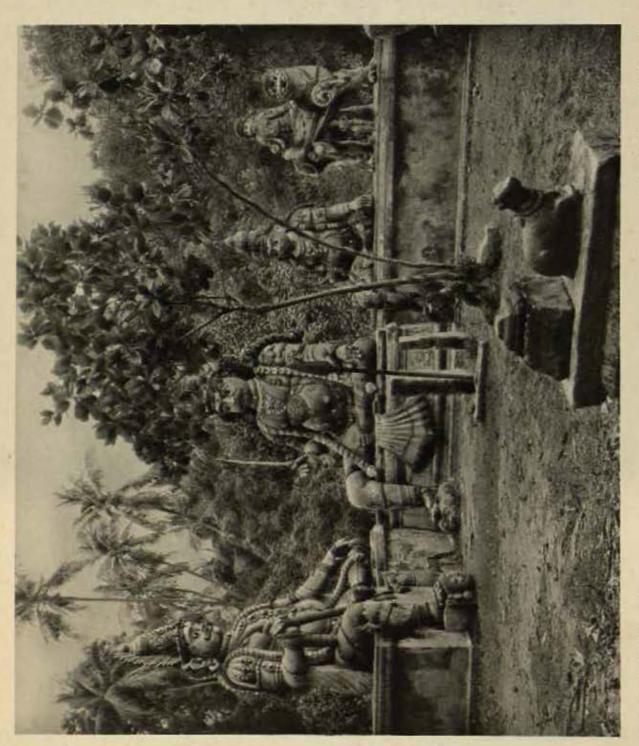


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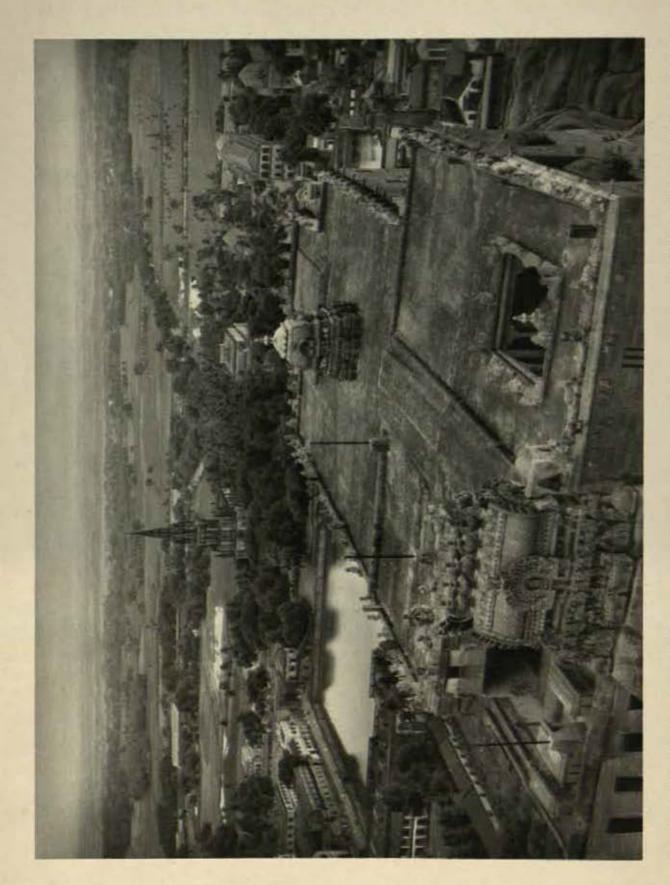


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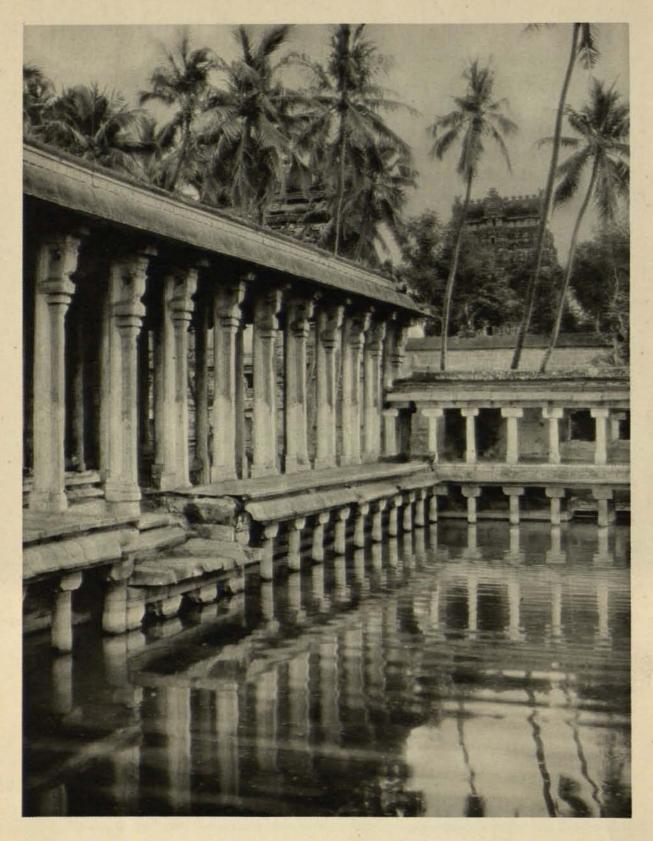


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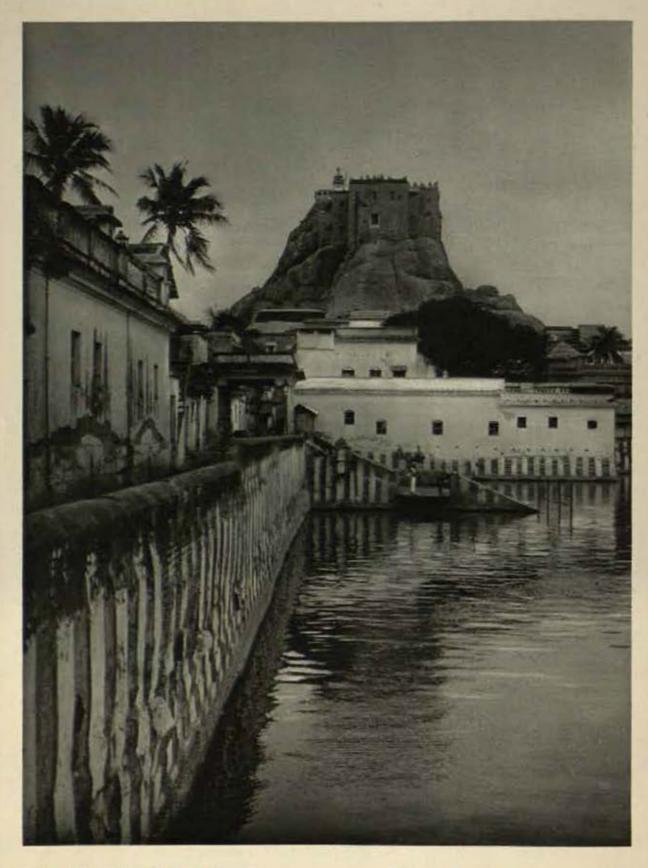


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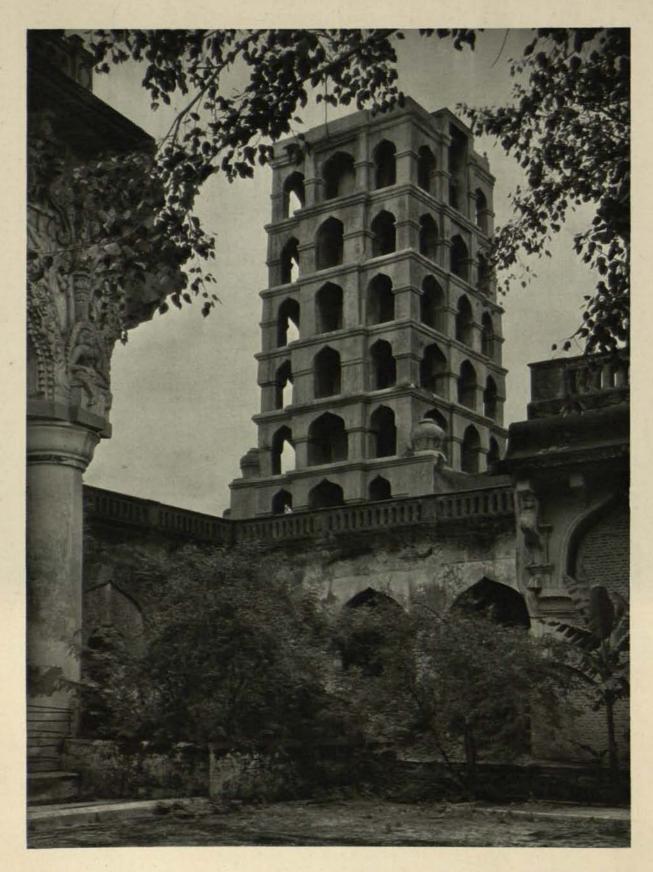
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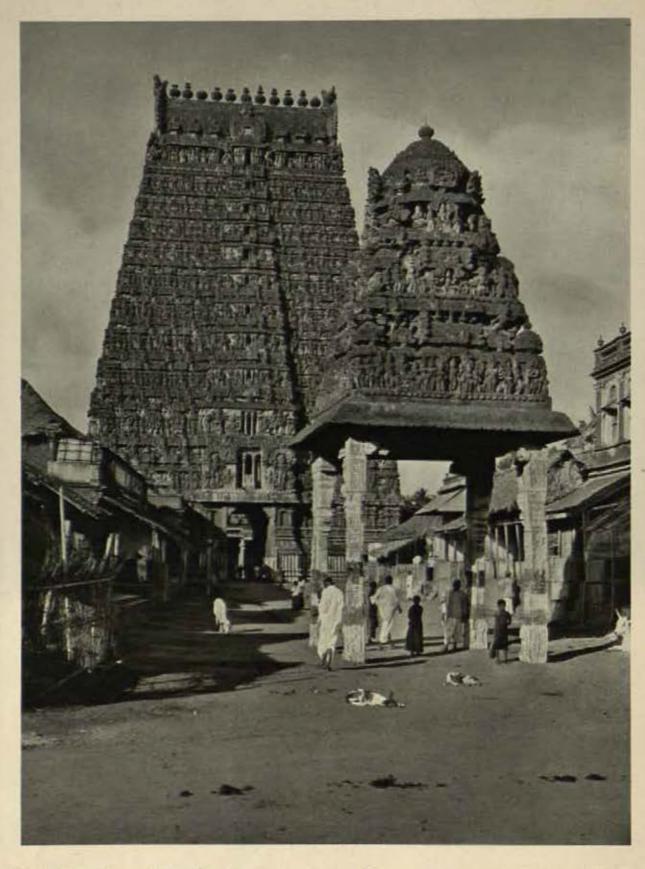


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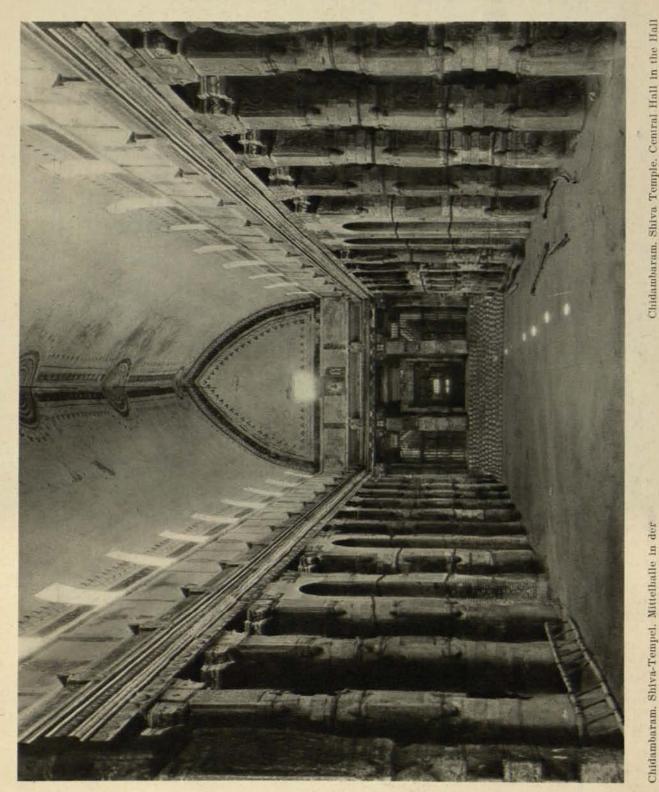
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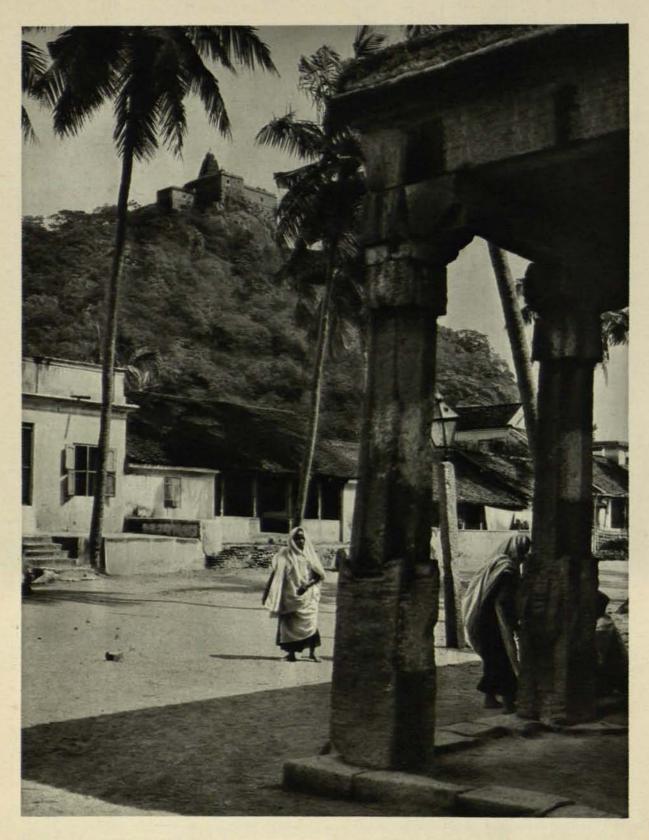
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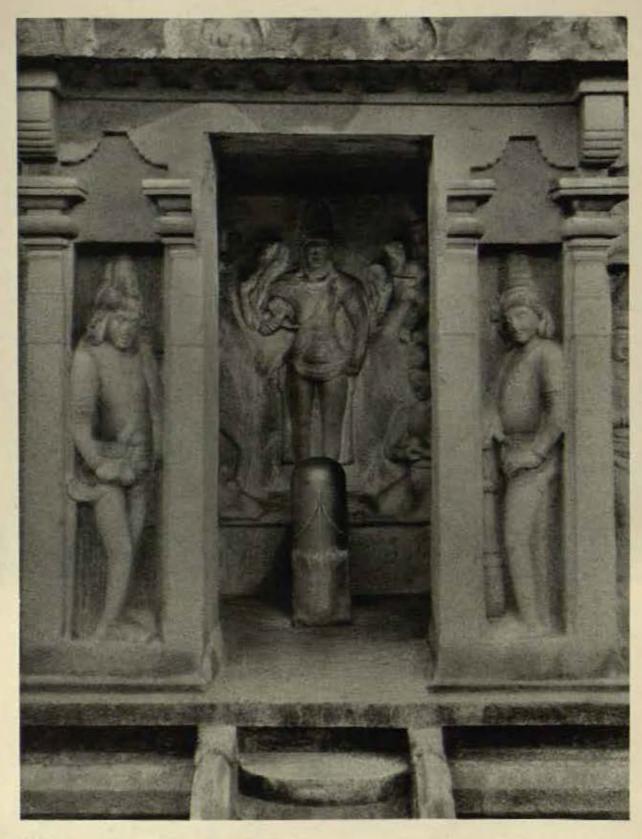


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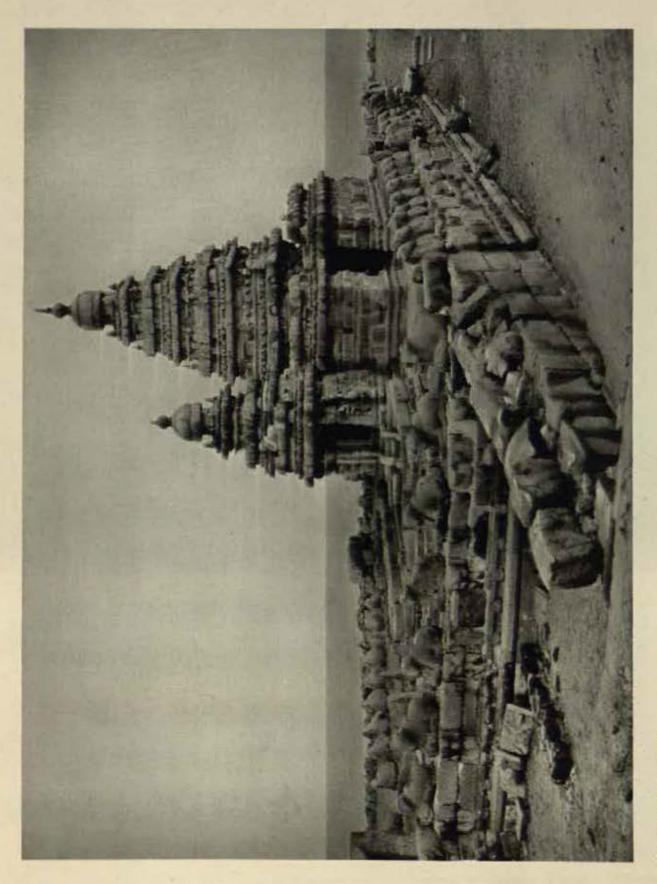


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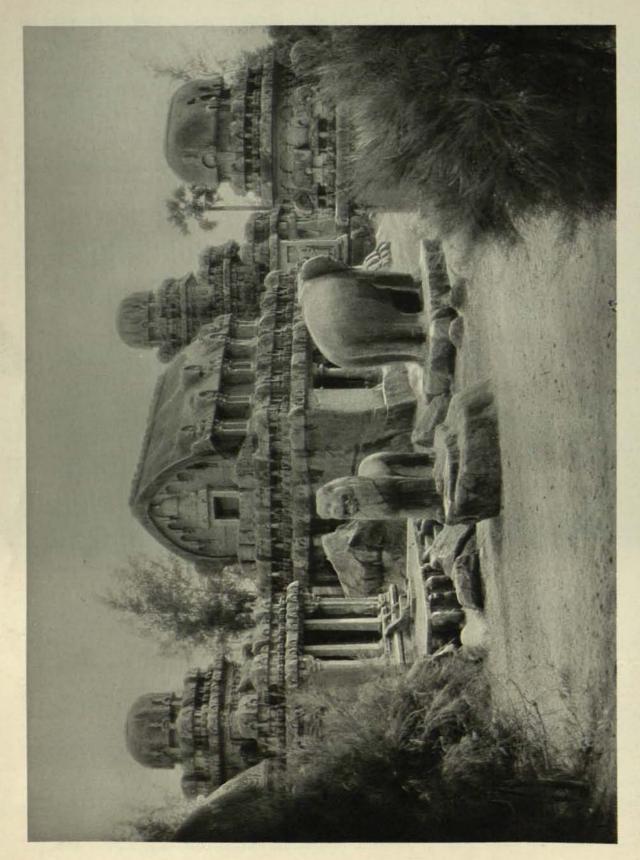
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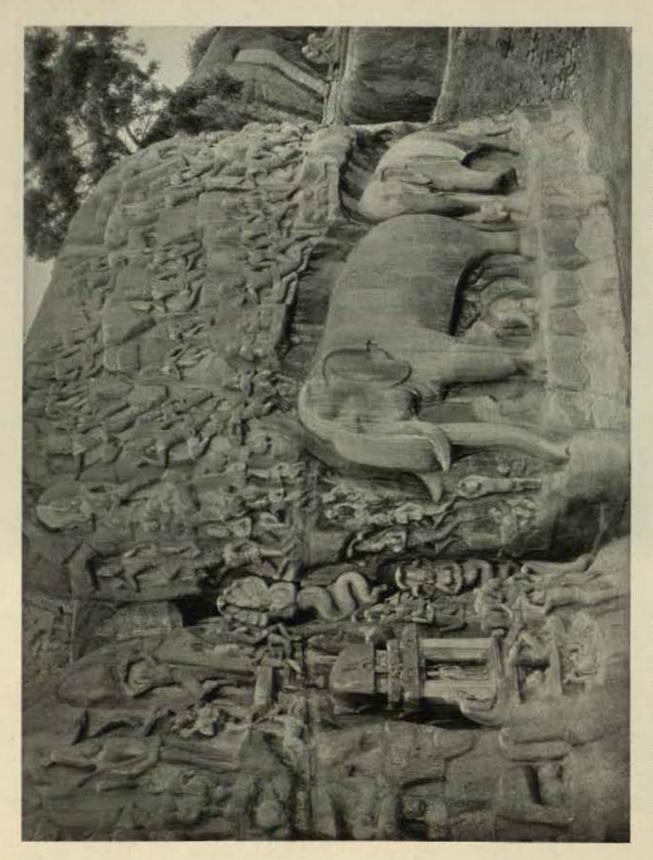
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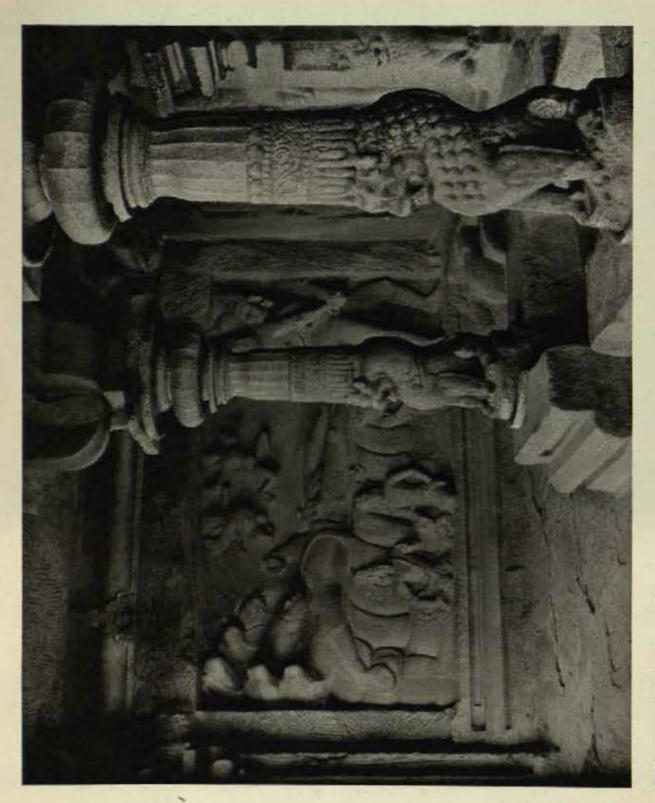
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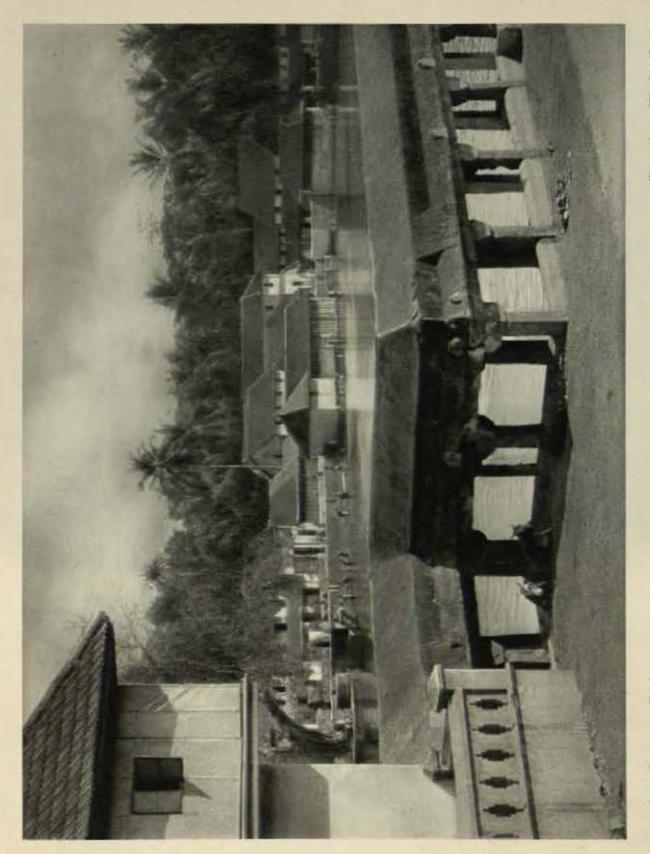
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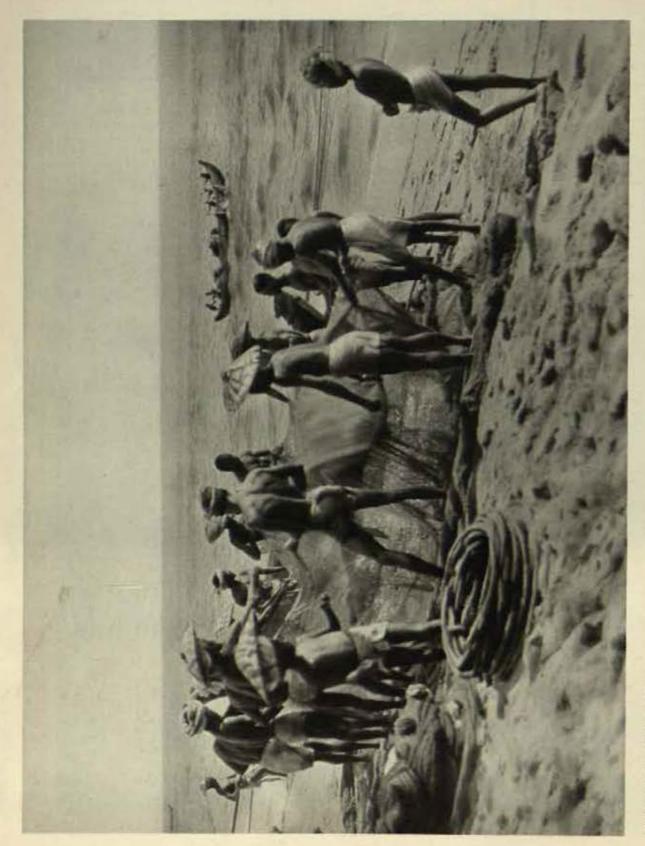
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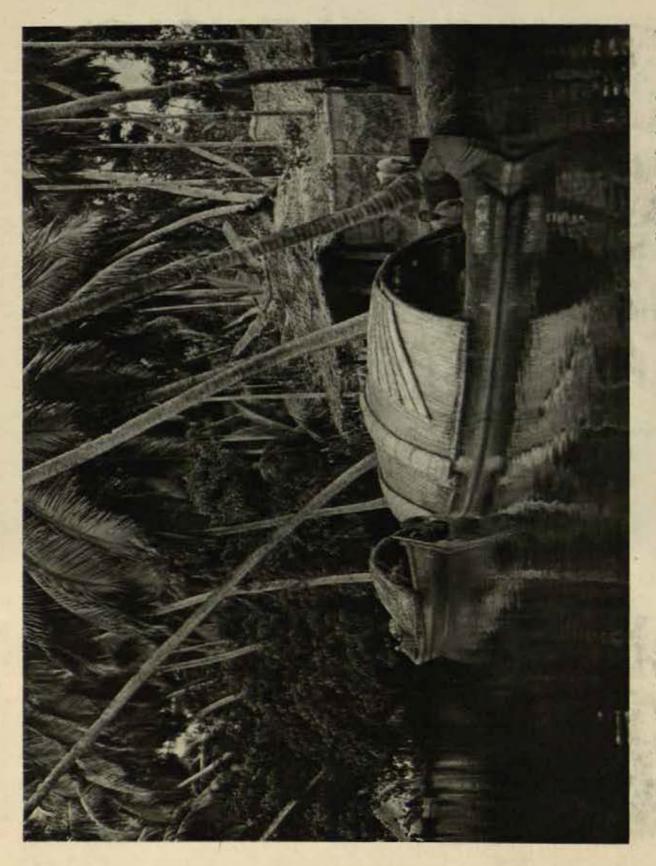
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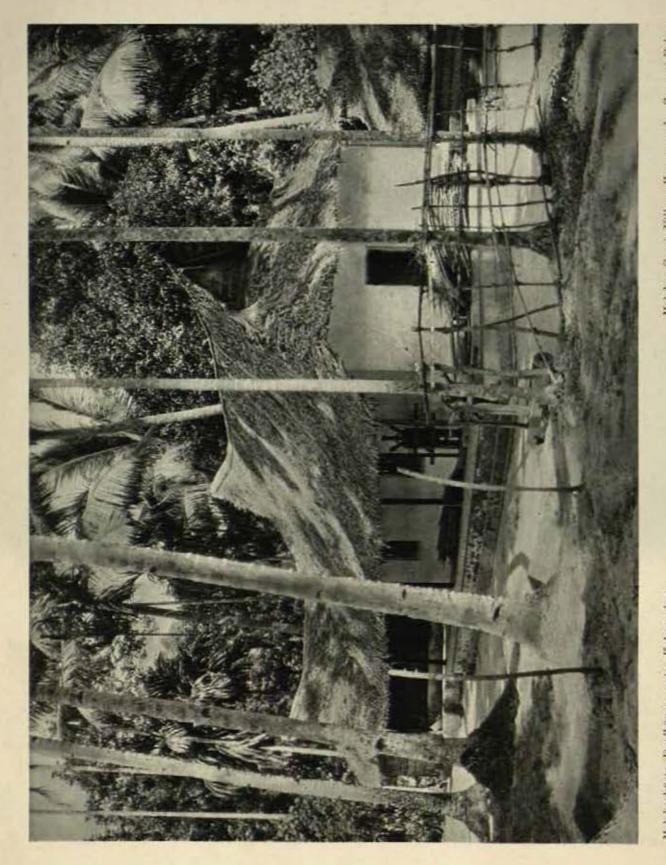
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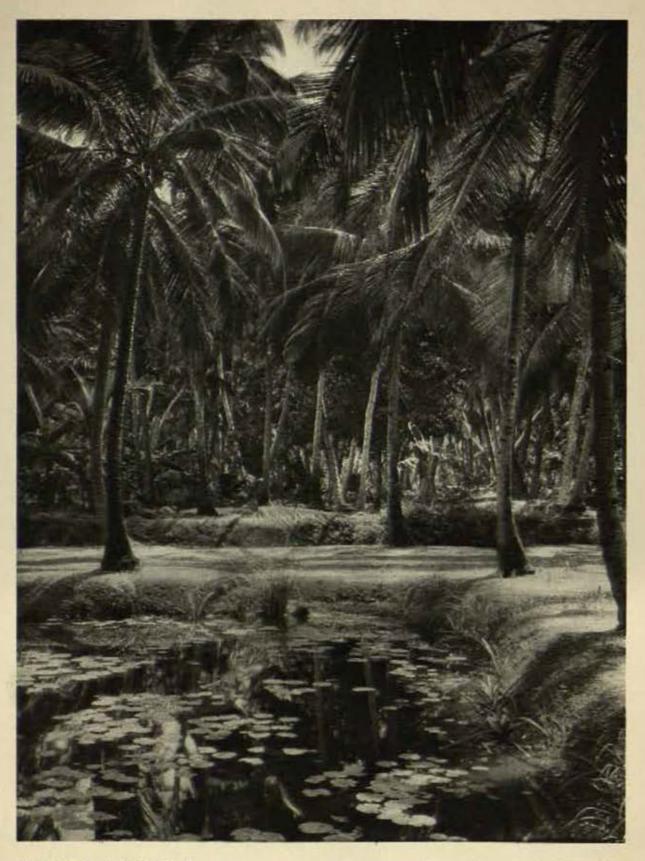
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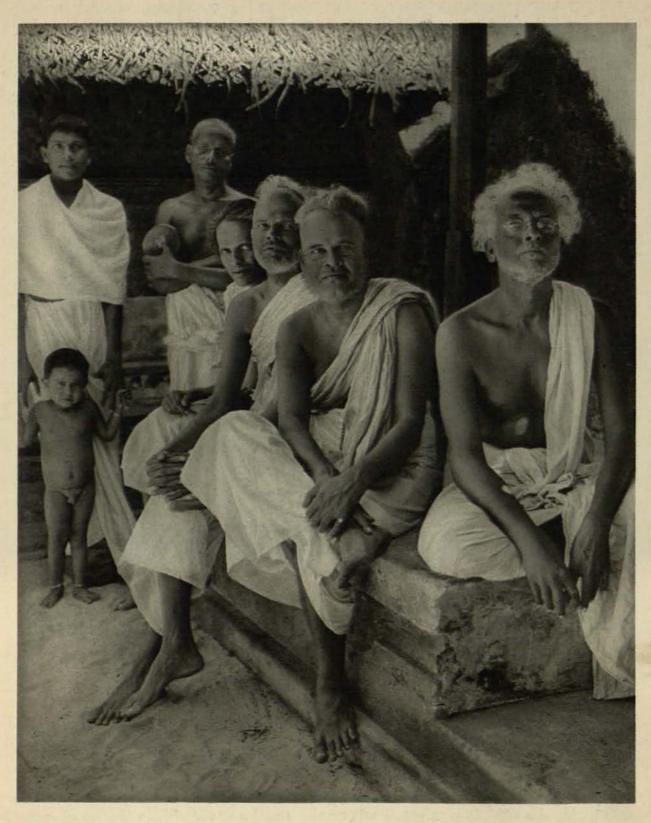
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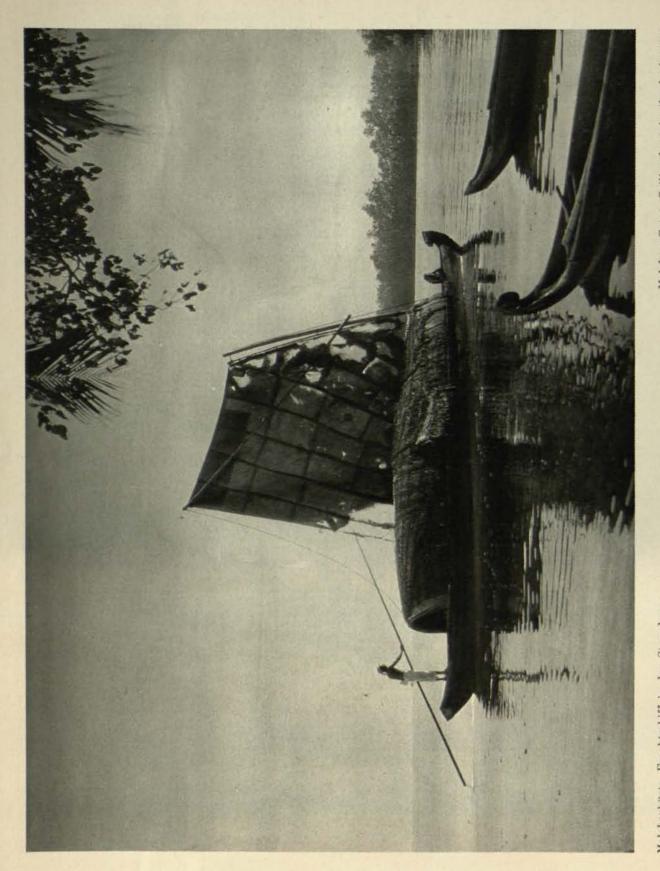
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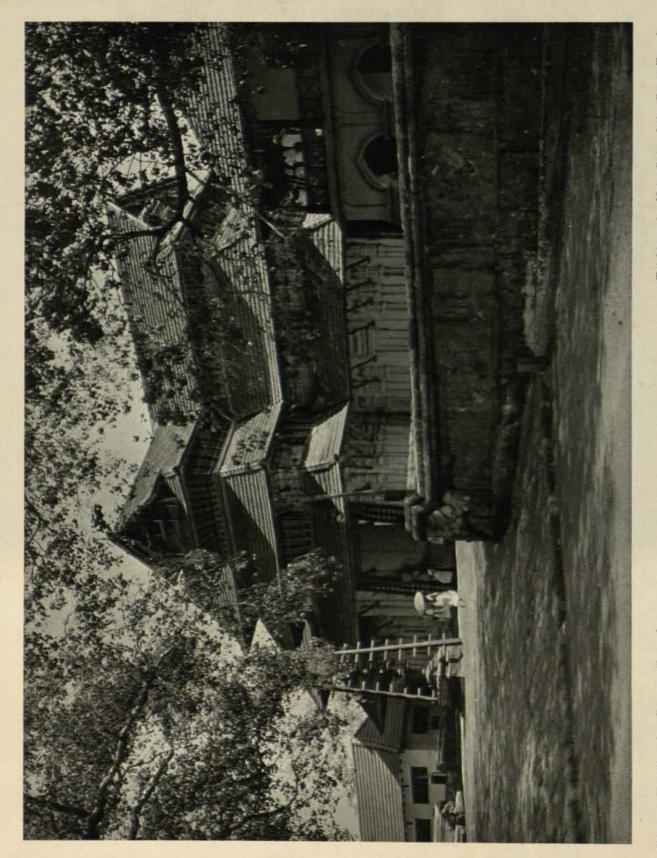
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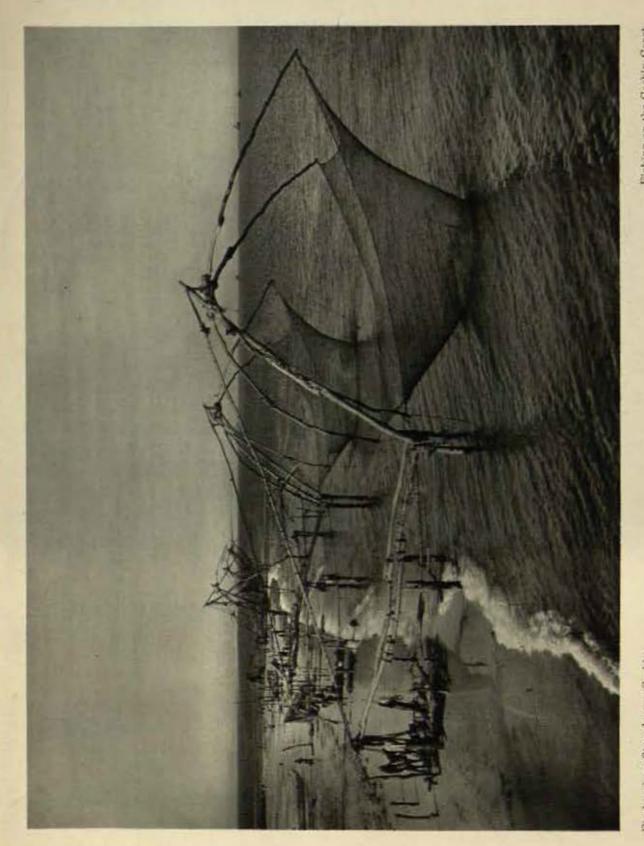
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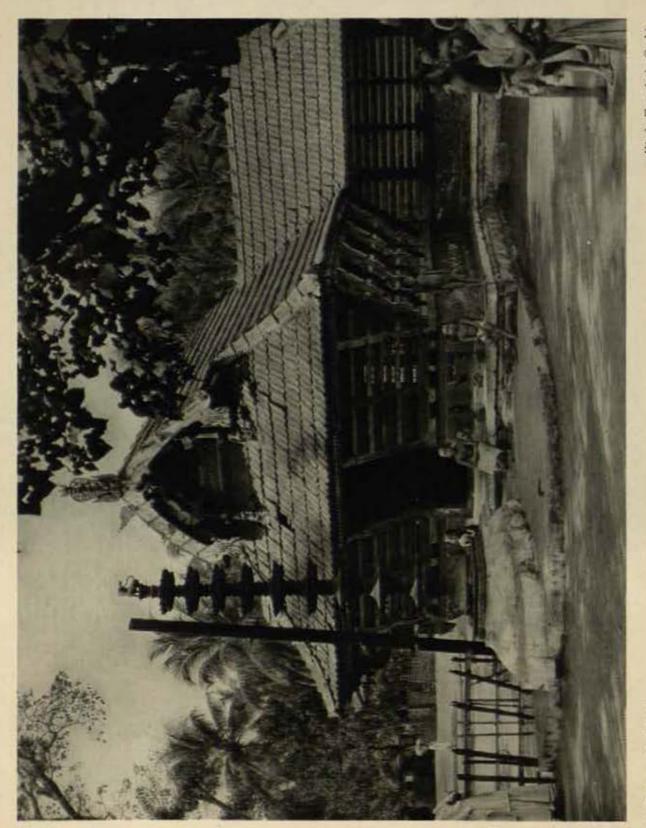
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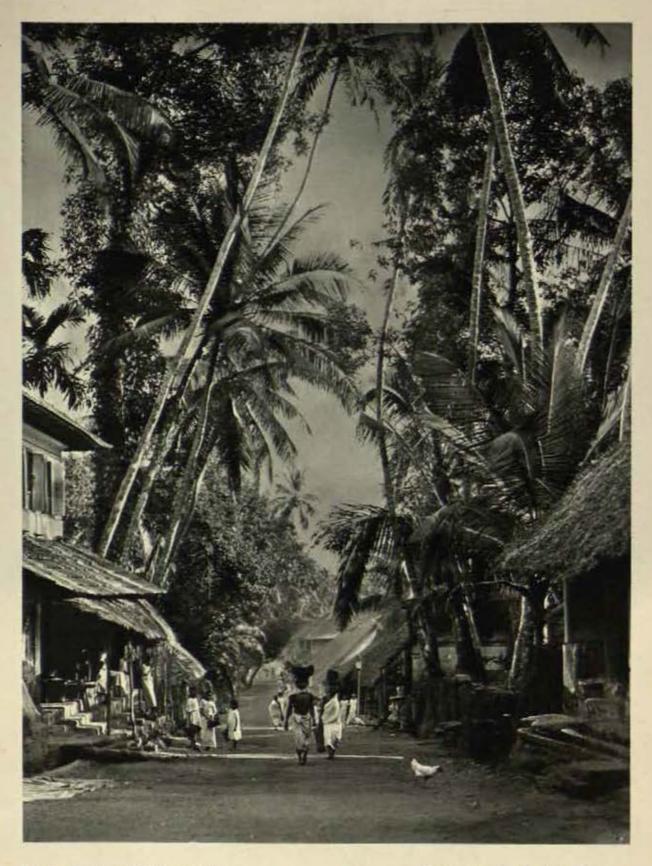
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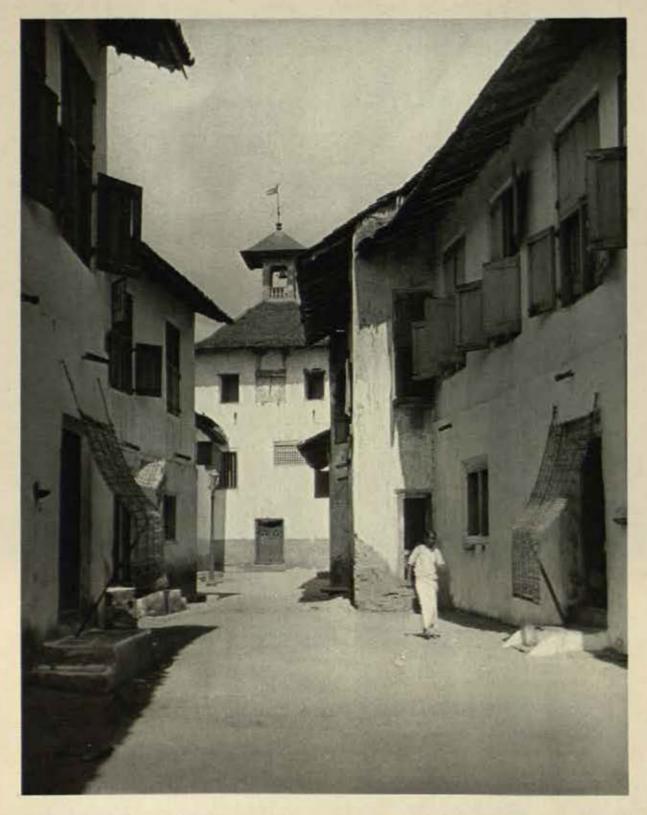
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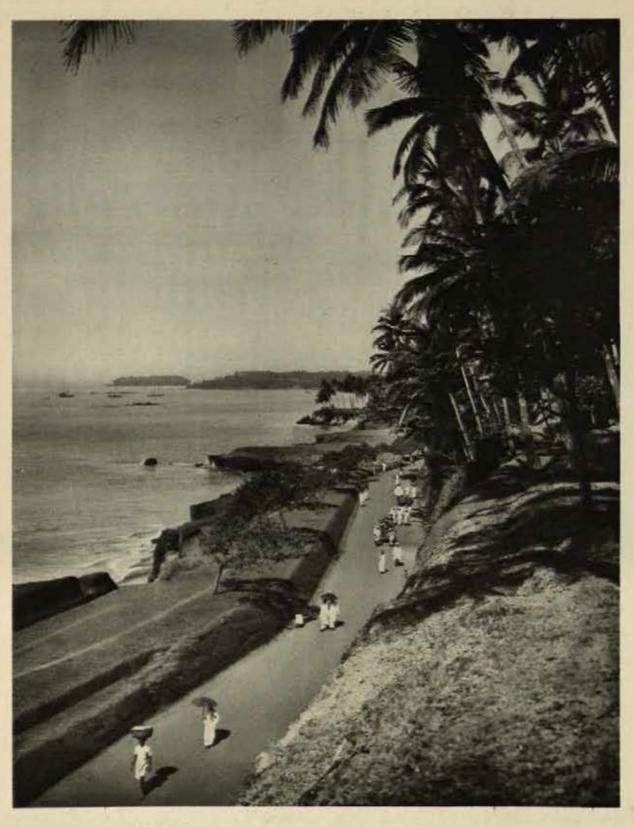
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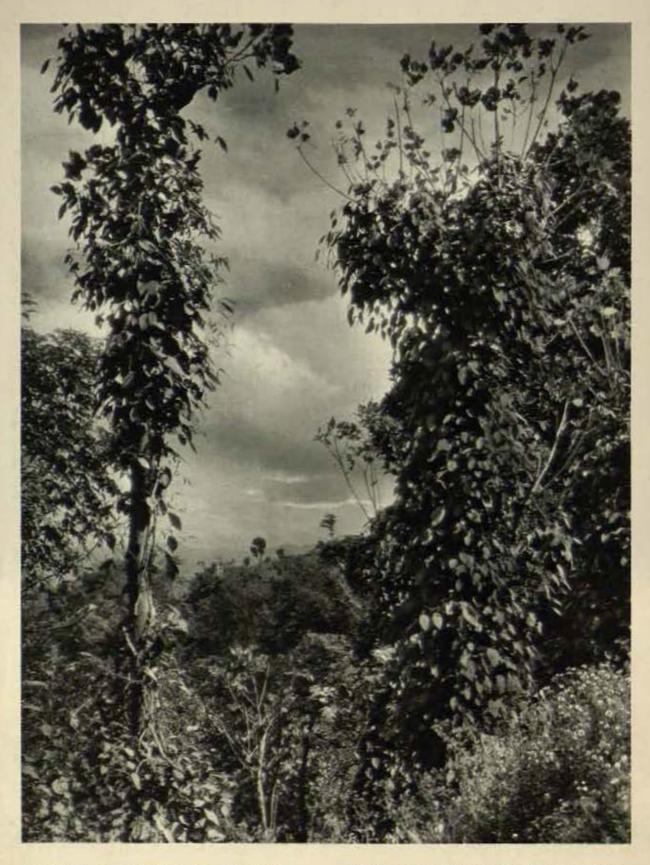
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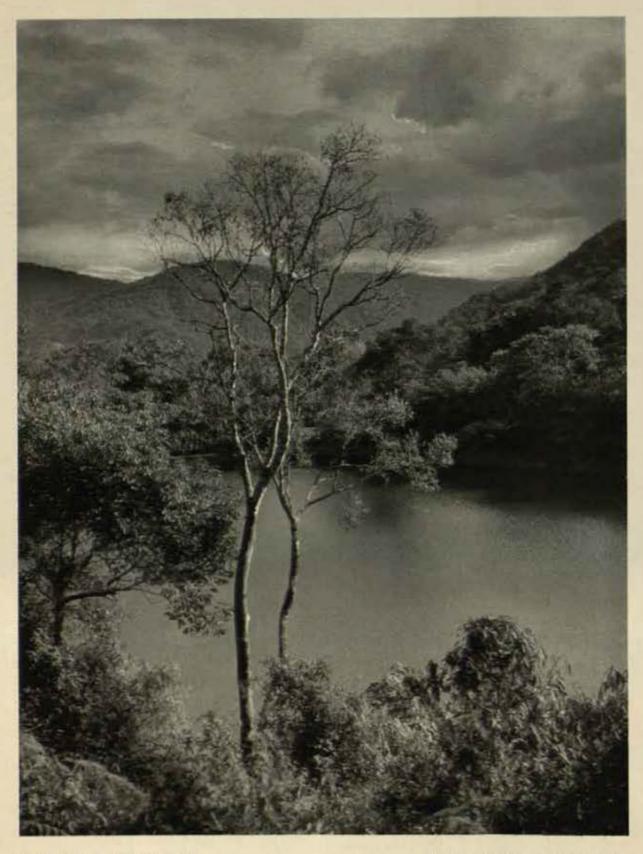
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Lake in the Western Ghats Jungle Lago nella giungla dei ghati occidentali



Dschungel in den Westghats, Karyota-Palme Jungle dans les «Westghats». Palmier Karyota

Jungle in the Western Glats, Caryota Palm Giungla nei ghati occidentali. Palma karyota

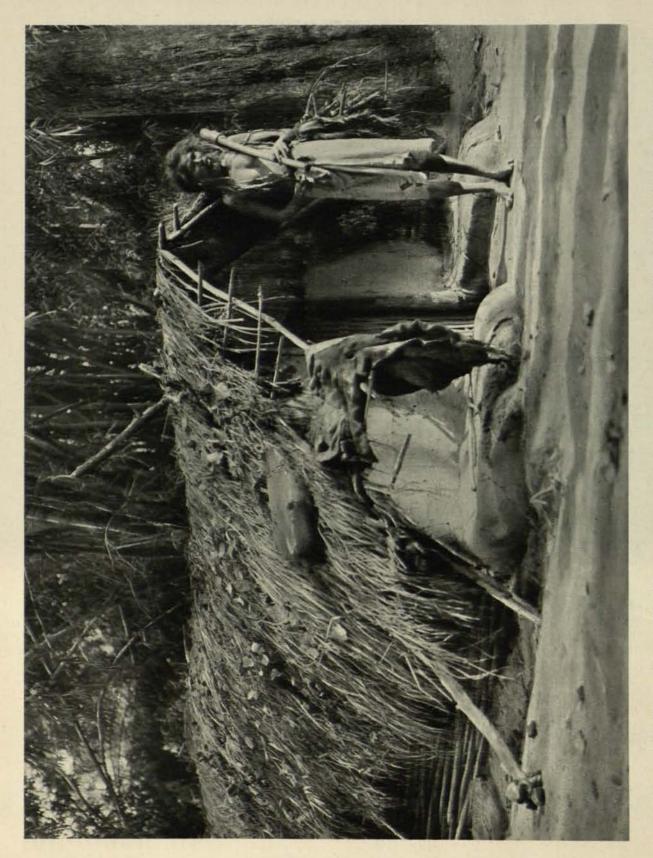


Kadu-Knabe îm Dschungel bei Mysore Jeune garçon Kadu, dans la jungle près de Mysore

Kadu Boy in the Jungle near Mysore Piccolo Kadû nella giungla presso Mysore

Jungle and River at the Foot of the Western Ghats Giungla e fiume at piedi dei Ghati occidentali

Dschungel und Fluss am Fusse der Westghats Jungle et rivière au pied des «Westghats»



A Kadu before his Hut in the Jungle near Mysore Kadù davanti alla sua capanna nella giungla presso Mysore

Ein Kadu vor seiner Hütte im Dschungel bei Mysore Un Kadu devant sa hutte (jungle près de Mysore)

Seringapatam. Sacred Tree with Snake-stones Seringapatam. Albero sacro e pietre dei serpenti

Seringapatam. Helliger Baum mit Schlangensteinen Seringapatam. Arbre sacré avec pierres consacrées aux serpents

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Seringapatam. Ala Masjid (Mosque) Seringapatam. Ala Mascid (moschea)

Seringapatam, Ala Masjid (Moschee) Seringapatam, Ala Masdjid (Mosquée)

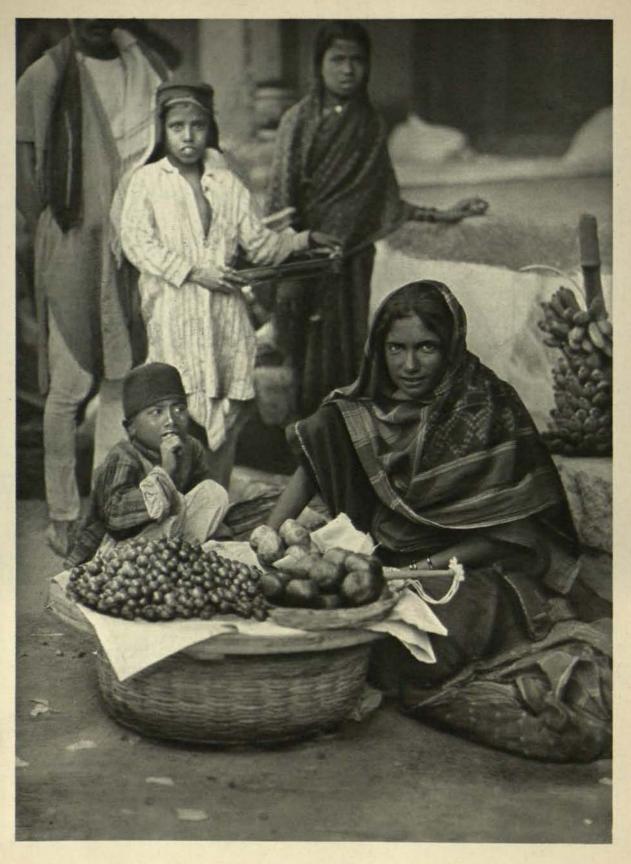
Mysore, Goldsmith at work Mysore, Orefice al lavoro

Mysore (Maisur), Goldschmied bei der Arbeit Mysore (Maïsour), Orfèvre au travail



Hyderabad-Deccan. Street with Bullock-dray Haiderabad-Deccan, Via e carro tirato da buoi

Haiderabad-Dekhan, Straese mit Ochsenkarren Haidarabad (du Dekkan), Rue et char à boufs



Haiderabad-Dekhan. Früchteverkäuferin auf der Strasse

Haïdarabad. Marchande de fruits

Hyderabad-Deccan. Female Fruitseller in the Street

Haiderabad-Decean. Fruttivendola



Bangalore. Hindu-Bettelmönch als Strassensänger Bangalore. Hindu Mendicant Monk as Street Singer Bangalore. Moine mendiant hindou Bangalore. Monaco indù questuante che canta per le strade

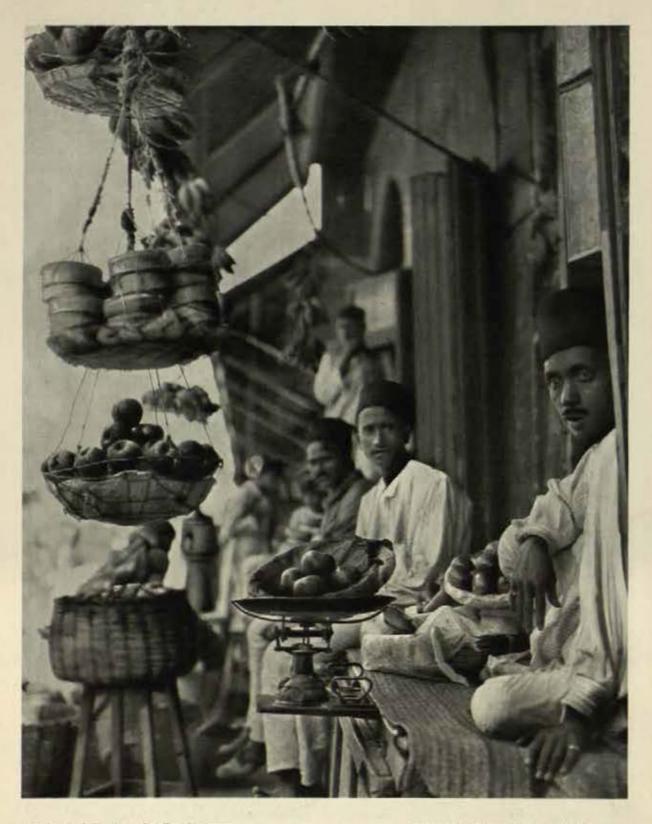


Haiderabad-Dekhan, Blumenhändler beim Aufreihen einer Blumenkette

Haidarabad. Fleuriste fabriquant une guirlande

Hyderabad-Deccan. Flower-seller putting together a garland

Haiderabad-Decean, Fioraio che intreccia una ghirlanda



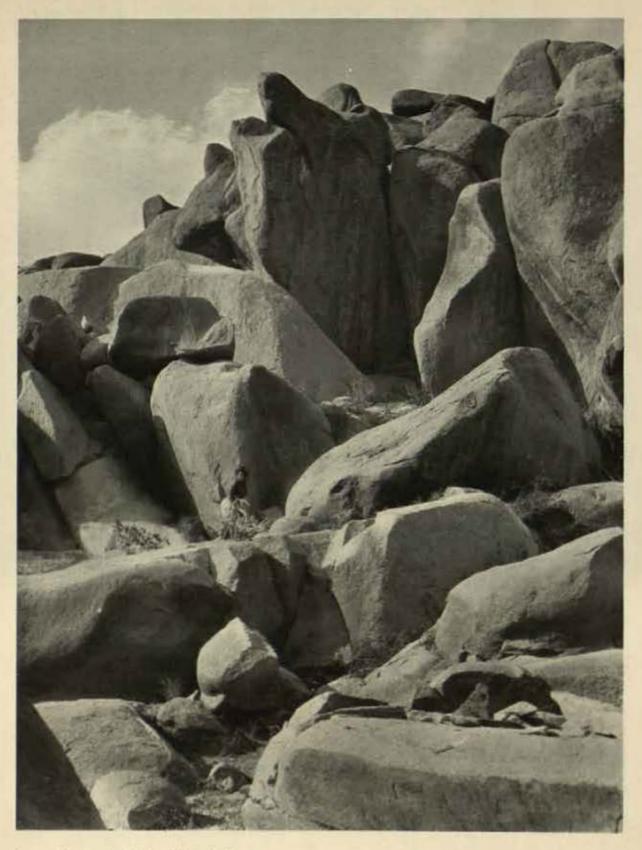
Haiderabad-Dekhan. Im Friichtebasar Haidarabad. Les fruitiers du bazar

Hyderahad-Decean. In the Fruit Bazaar Haiderahad-Decean. Bazar di frutta



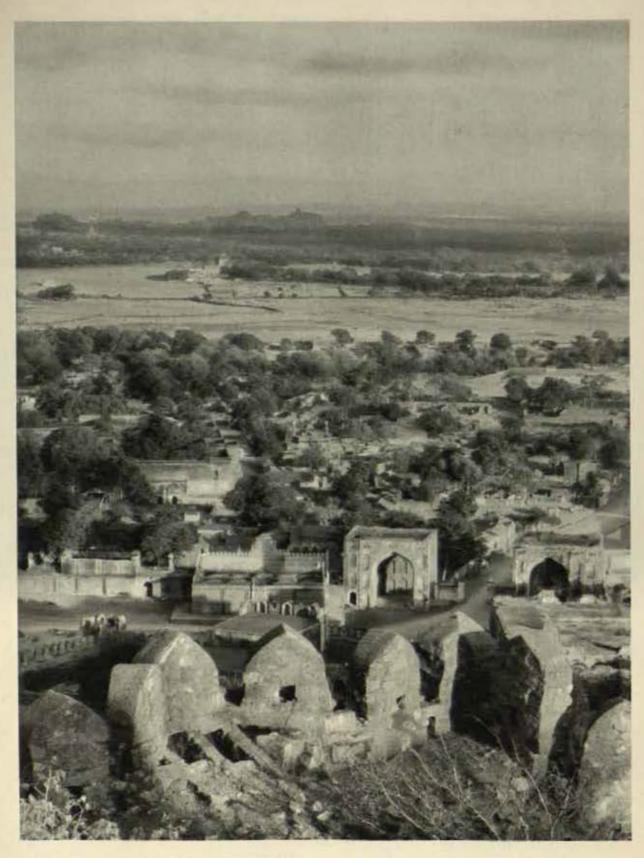
Haiderabad-Dekhan, Strasse mit dem Char Minar Haidarabad. Rue et Tehar Minar

Hyderabad-Decean, Street with the Char Minar Haiderabad-Decean, Via e Char Minar



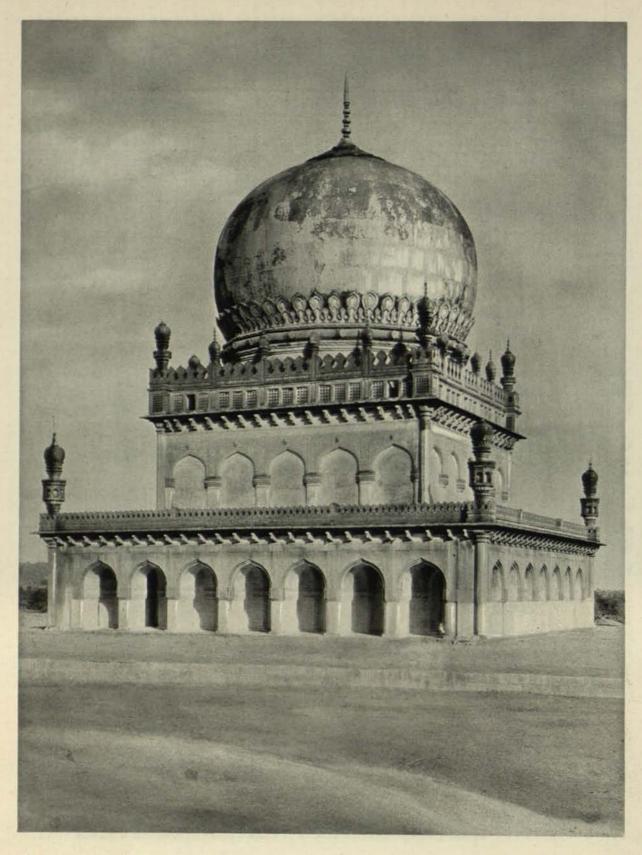
Granit-Blocklandschaft bel Haiderabad Blocs de granit dans les environs de Haidarabad

Granite Rocks near Hyderabad Massi di granito presso Haiderabad



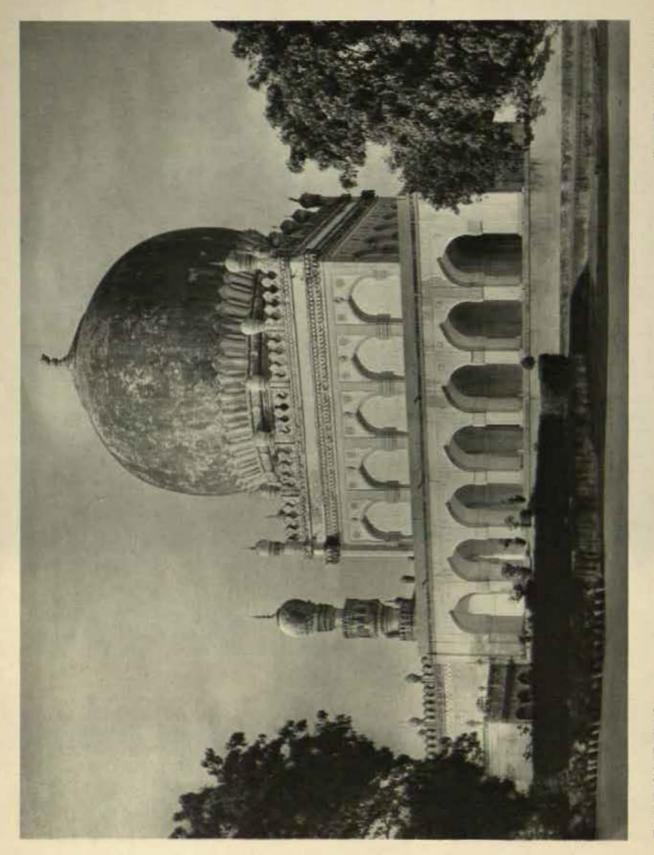
Ausblick vom Golkonda-Fort gegen Halderabad Vue prise de la citadelle de Golconde, vers Haldarabad

View from Golconda Fort towards Hyderabad Vista dal fortino di Golconda verso Haiderabad

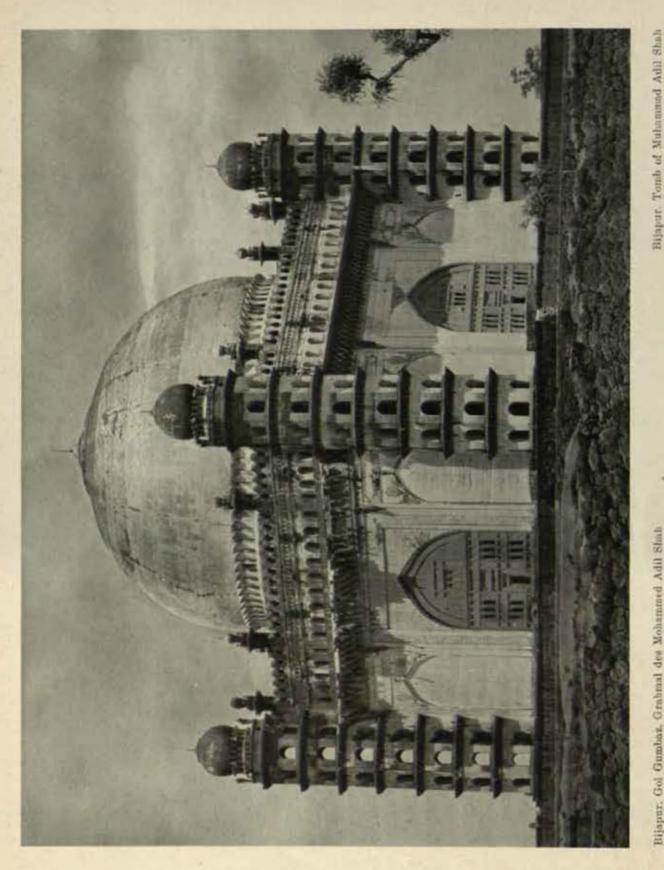


Königsgrab in Golkonda Maŭsolée royal à Golconde

Royal Tomb in Golconda Mausoleo reale a Golconda



Königsgrab in Golkonda Mausoice royal à Golcondo

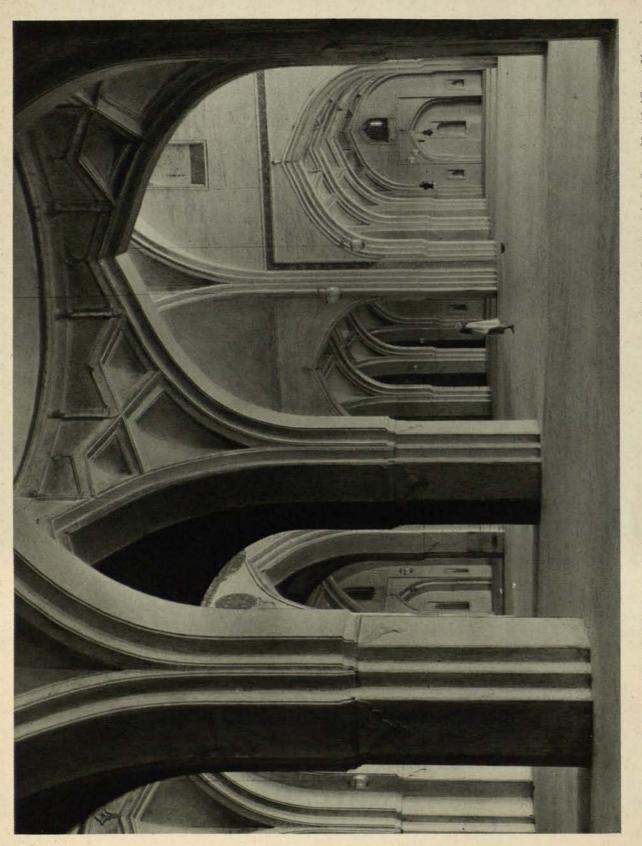


Bijapur, Gol Gumbaz, Grahmal des Mohammed Adil Shah Bidjapour, Le Gol Gumbaz, tombesu de Mohammed Adil Shah

Bijapur, II Gol Gumbaz, tomba di Maometto Adil Seih

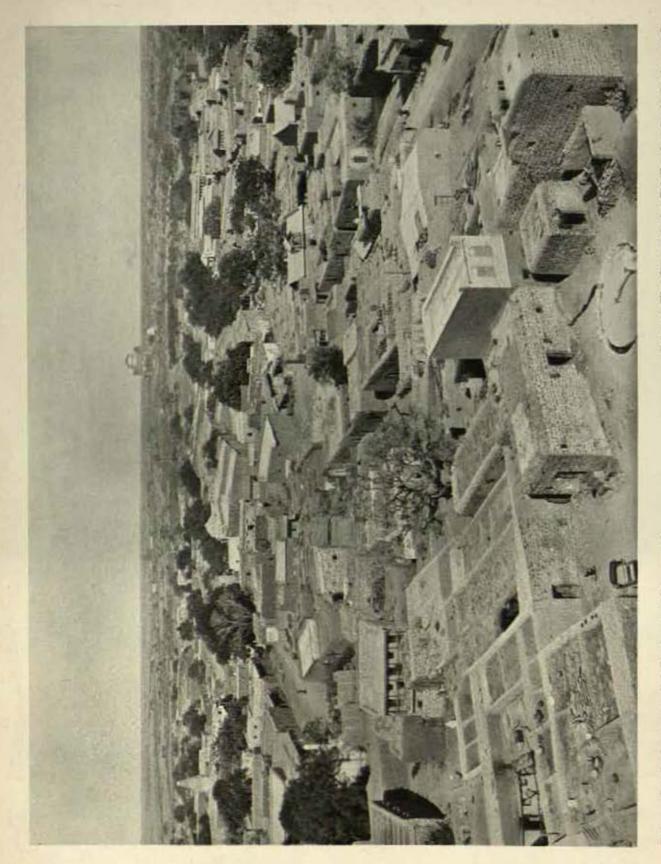
Bijapur, Ibrahim Bauza, Tomb of Ibrahim II. Bijapur, Ibrahim Rouza, tombo di Ibrahim II

Bijapur, Ibrahim Rauza, Grabmal Ibrahims II. Bidjapour, Ibrahim Racuza, tombeau d'Ibrahim II.



Bijapur, Inneres der Jama Masjid (Grosse Moschee) Bidjapour, Intérieur de la Djama Masdjid (Grande Mosquée)

Bijapur, Interior of the Jama Masjid (Great Mosque) Bijapur, Interno della Jama Mascid (grande moschea)

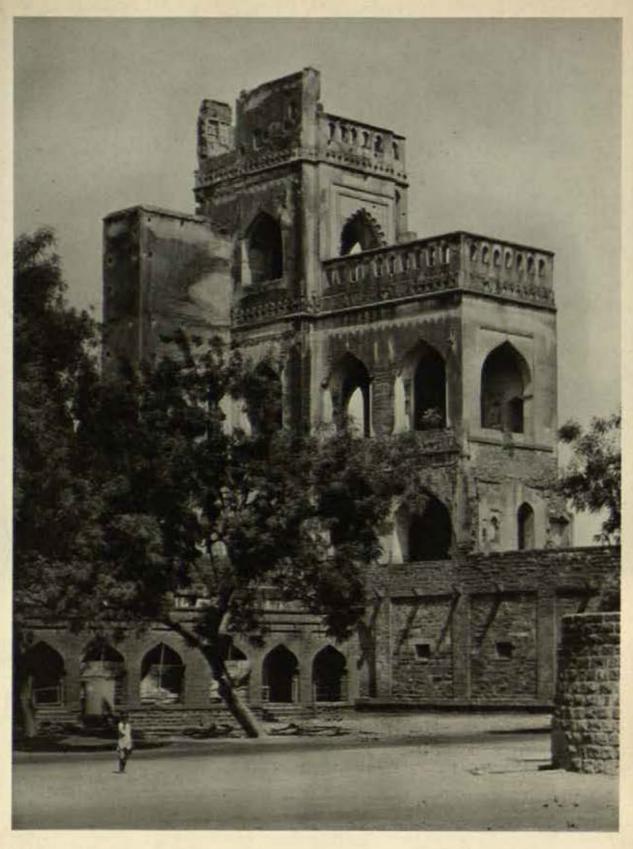


Bijapur, Die Stadt mit dem Gol Gumbas im Hintergrund Bidjapour, La ville, avec le Gol Gumbas à l'arrière-plan

Bijapur, The City with the Gol Gumbaz in the background Bijapur, Panorama della città cel Gol Gumbaz nello sfondo

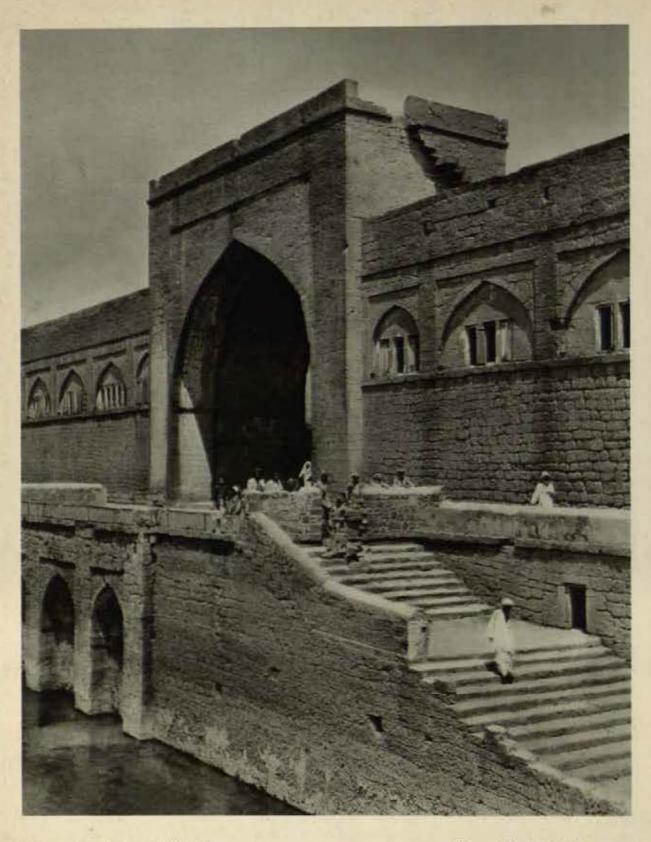
Bijapur, Jugglers Bijapur, Aerobati

Bijapur, Gaukler Bidjapour, Acrobates



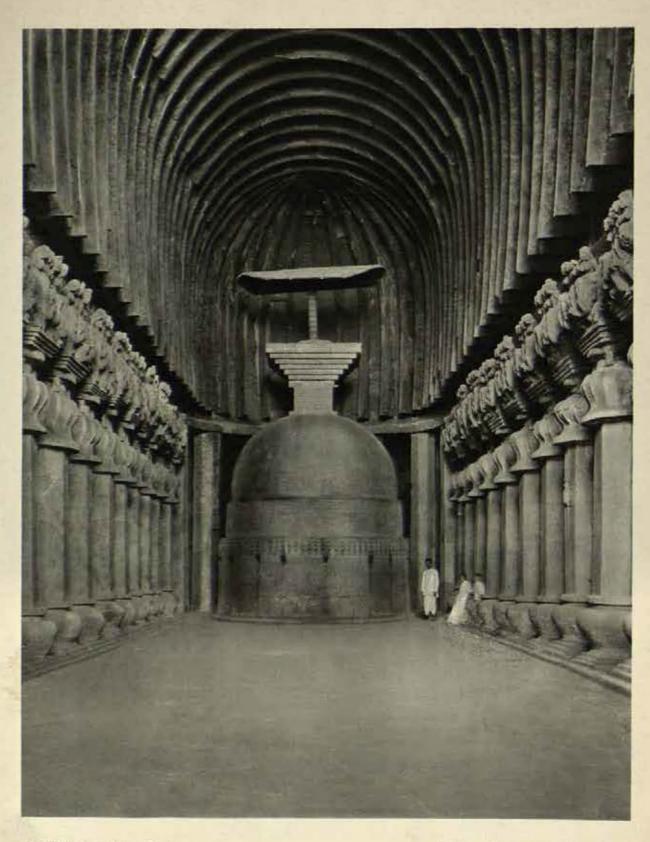
Bijapur, Palastruine Bidjapour, Ruines d'un paluis

Bijapur, Ruined Palace Bijapur, Ruderi di un palazzo



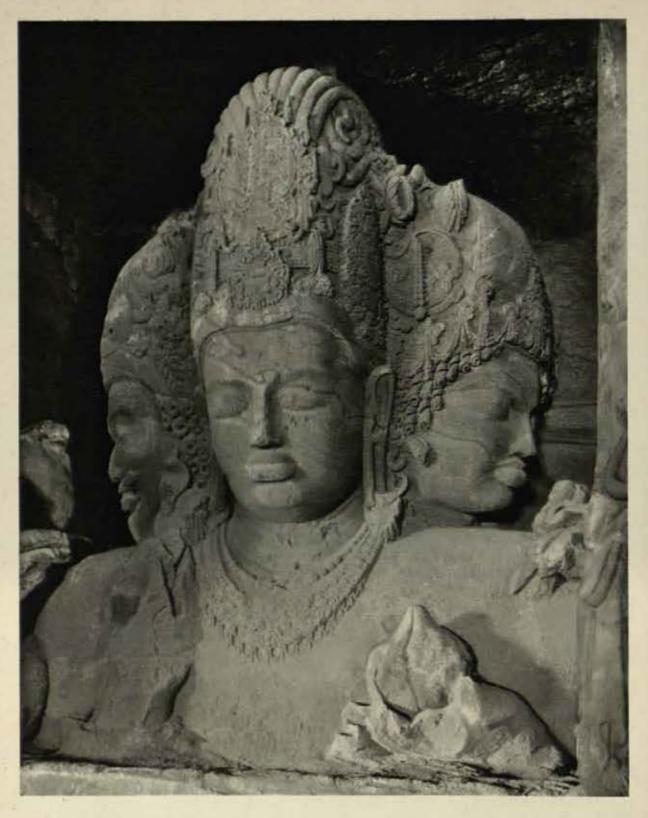
Bijapur. Die Zisterne Taj Baoli Bidjapour. Citerne de Tadj Baoli

Bijapur. The Taj Baoli cisterns Bijapur. La cisterna di Taj Baoli



Im Höhlentempel von Karli Temple souterrain de Karli

In the rock-hewn Temple of Karli Nel templo delle grotte a Karli



Trimurti im Höhlentempel von Elephanta (Bombay)

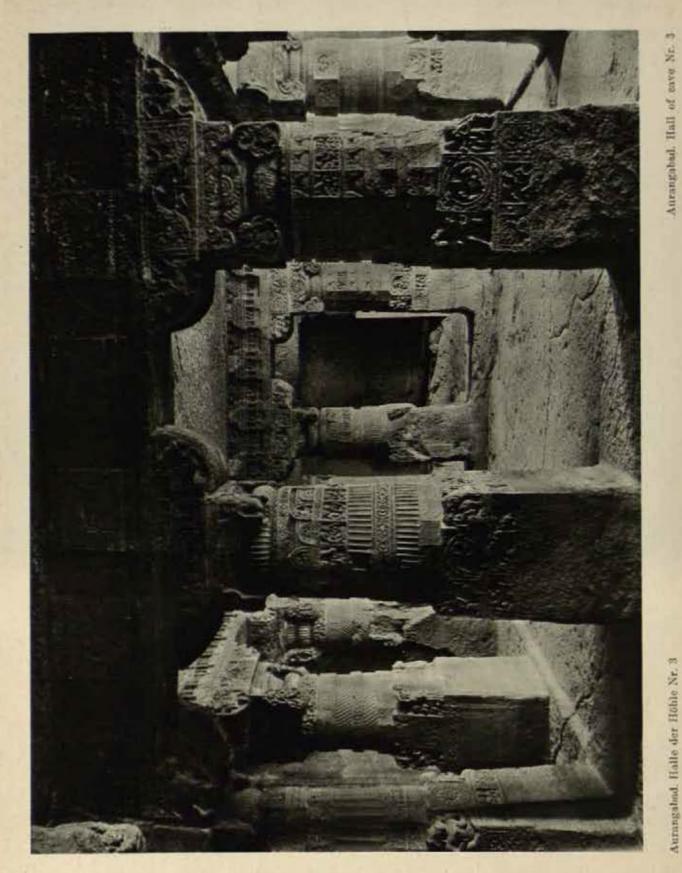
Trimurti A Elephanta (Bombay)

Trimurti in the rock-hewn Temple of Elephanta (Bombay)

Trimurii (trinità) nel tempio delle grotte di Elephanta (Bombay)

Basalt (Deccan Trap) near Aurangabad Rocce di basalto presso Aurangabad

Basalt-Stufenlandschaft bei Aurangabad Couches de basalte près d'Aurangabad

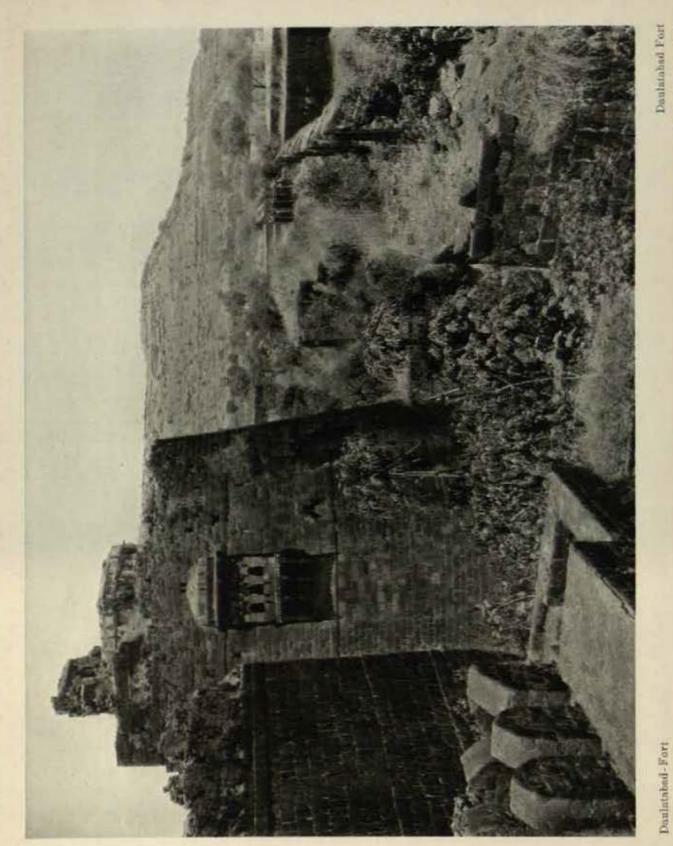


Aurangabad: la truisième grotto

Aurangabad, Atrio della grotta N. 3

Aurangabad, Tomb of the Rabia Daurani Aurangabad, Mausoleo di Rabia Daurani

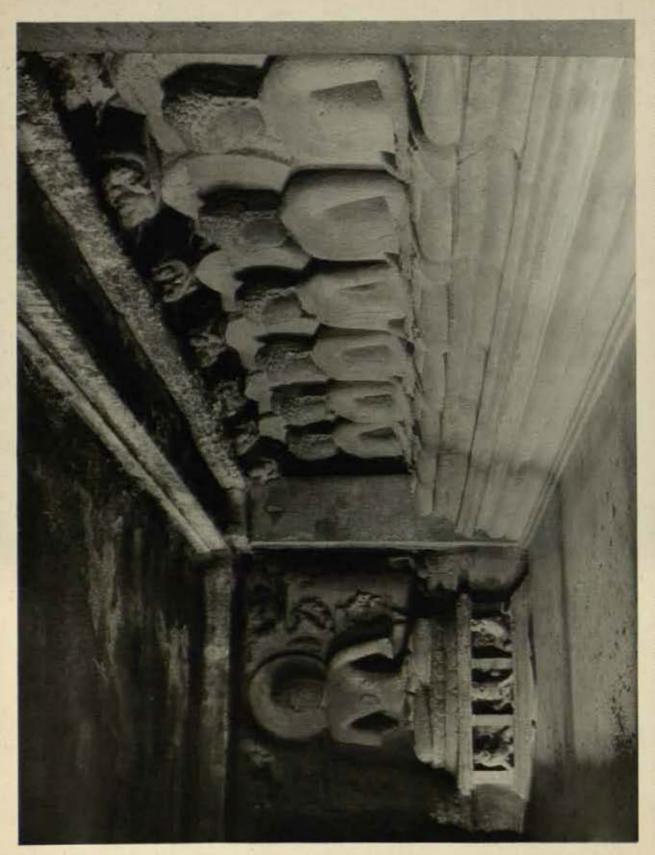
Aurangabad, Grabmal von Rabia Daurani Aurangabad, Mausolée de Rabi'a Durani



Fort de Daniatabad

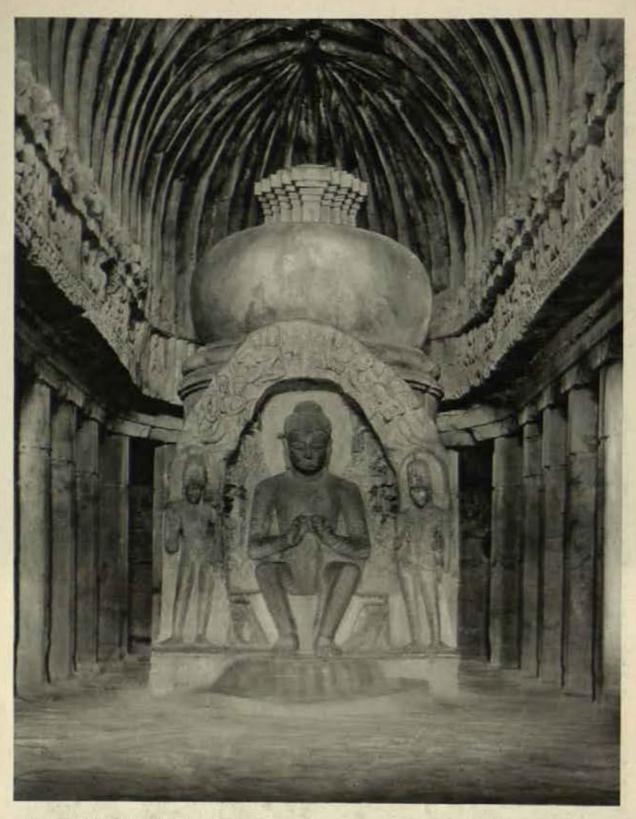
Ellora, Buddhist Cave Nr. 11 Ellora, Grotta N. 11 (buddista)

Ellora, Höhle Nr. 11 (baddhistisch) Ellora, Grotte No. 11 (époque bouddhique)



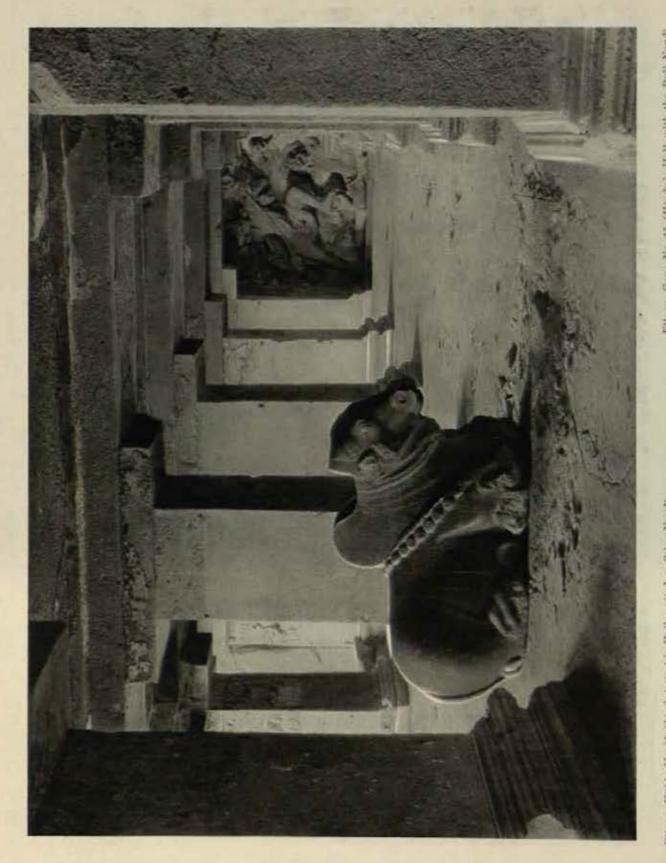
Ellera, Buddha Statues in Cave Nr. 12 Ellera, Statue di Budda nella grotta N. 12

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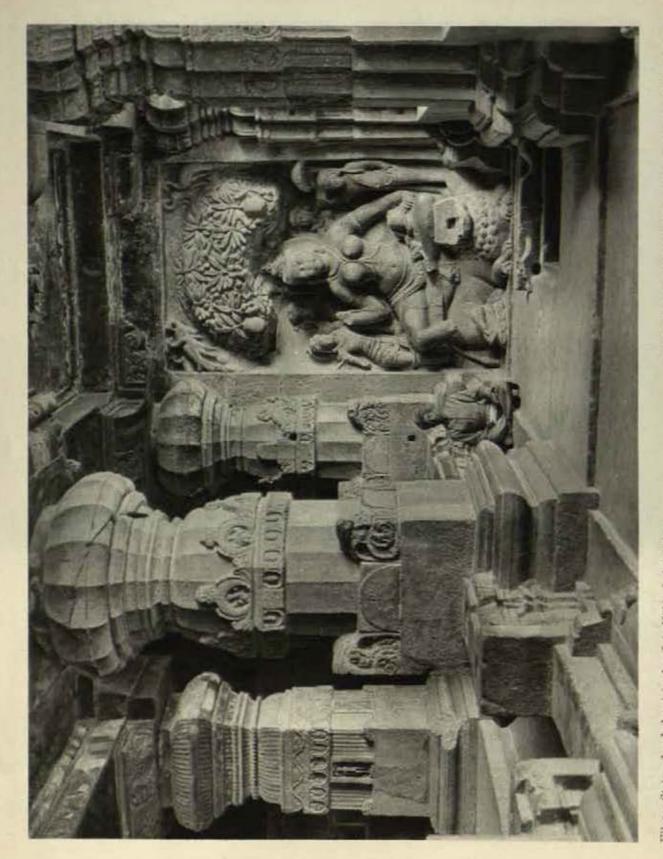
Ellora, Höhle Nr. 10. Buddha-Kapelle Ellora, 10% grotte, Chapelle de Bouddha

Ellora, Grotto Nr. 10, Buddha Chapel Ellora, Grotta N. 10, Cappella di Budda



Ellora, Höhle Nr. 15 (hinduistisch), Halle mit dem Stier Naudt Ellora, 15e grotte (hindoniste), Salle avec le taureau Naudt

Ellora, Cave Nr. 15 (Hindu), Hall with the Bull Nandi Ellora, Grotta N. 15 (Indú), Atrio col toro Nandi



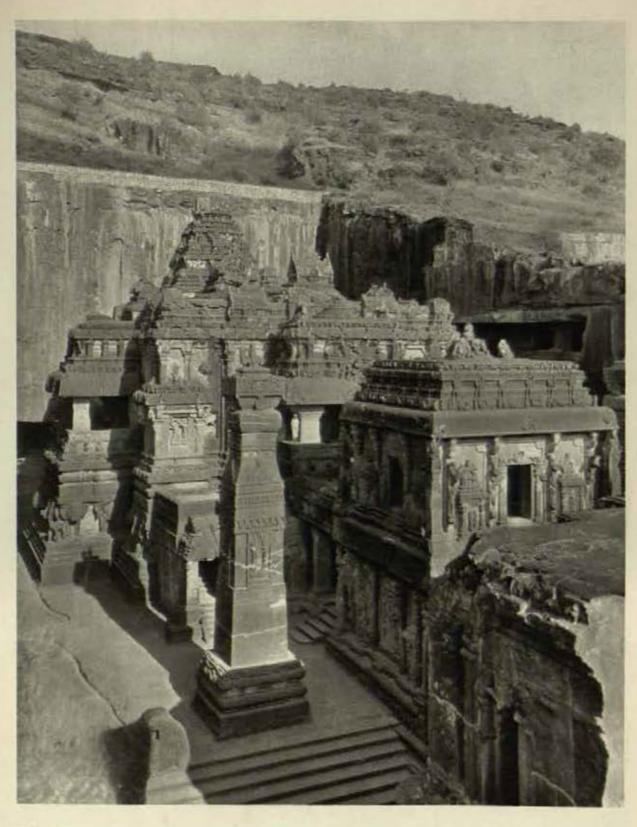
Ellora, Statue of the Indrani in the Jain Cave Indra Sabha Elfora, Statua di Indrani nella grotta di Giaino Indra Sabha

Ellora, Statue der Indrani in der Jain-Höhle Indra Sabha Ellora, Statue d'Indrani dans la grotte djatna d'Indra-Sabha

Ellora, Grotto Nr. 29, Sitas Nani Ellora, Grotta N. 29, Situs Naul

Ellora, Höhle Nr. 29. Sitas Nani

Ellora, Grotte No. 29, Situs Nani



Ellora. Kailasa - Tempel Ellora. Le Kailas

Ellera, Kailasa Temple Ellera, Tempio di Kailasa

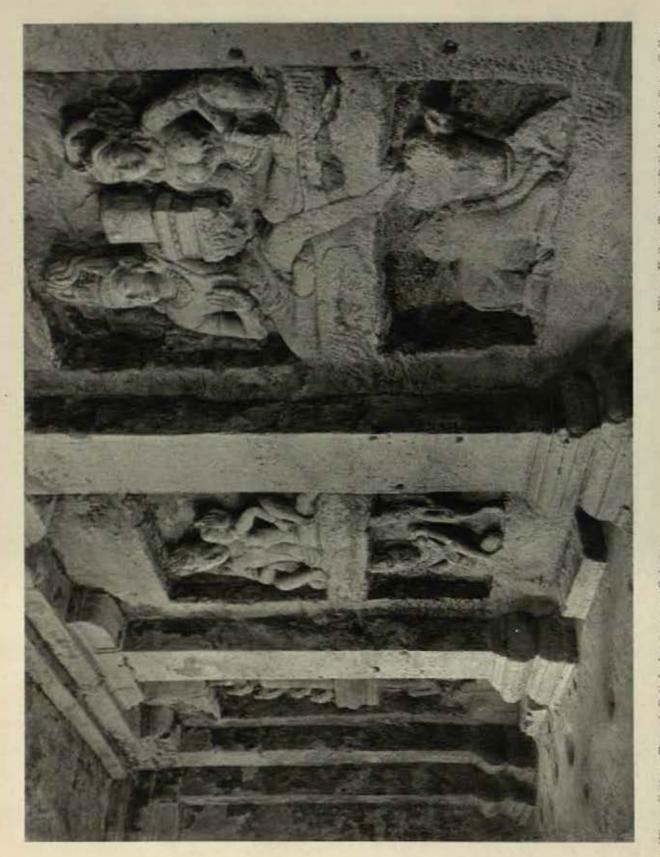


Ellora. Nebenschreine im Kailaza-Tempel Ellora. Sanctuaires latéraux du Kailas

Ellora. Secondary Shrine in the Kallasa Temple Ellora. Cappellette laterali nel tempio di Kallasa

Ellora, Kaliasa Temple, Pedestal of the Chief Temple Ellora, Temple di Kailasa, Basamento del Gran Temple

Ellora, Kailasa-Tempel, Sockel des Haupttempels Ellora, Le Kailas; socie du temple principal



Ellora, Kailasa Temple, Reliefs of the Outer Gallery Ellora, Temple di Kailasa, Bilievi nella galleria esterna

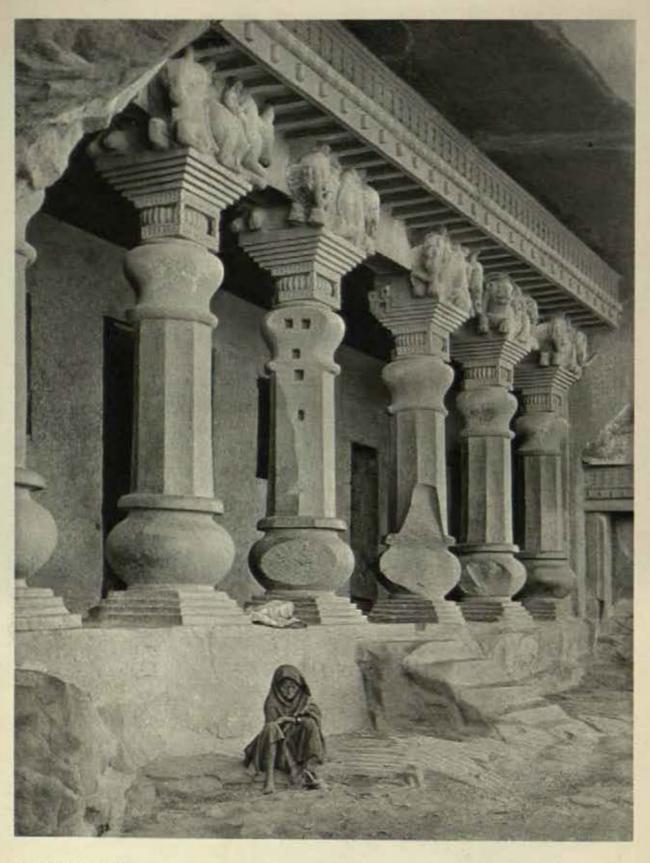
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Plateau of Bombay-Decean near Naulk Altipiano del Decean di Bombay presso Naulk

Hochfliche des Bembay-Dekhan bei Nasik Plateau de Dekkan de Bembay, près de Nasik

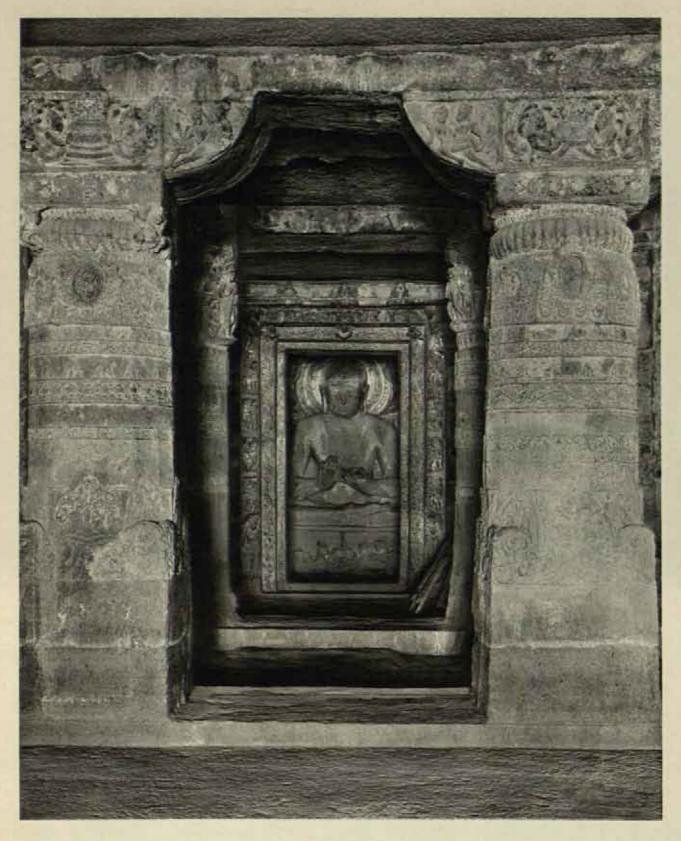
Nashik, Bathing Places on the Sacred Gedaveri River Nasik, Nel frame sucre di Gedaveri

Nasik, Bideles se balgnant dans le fleuve secré du Godaveri



Felshöhle bei Nasik Grotte dans les environs de Nasik

Cave in Nasik Grotta nel masso presso Nasik



Ajanta, Höhle Nr. 1. Mittelschrein mit Buddha-Statue

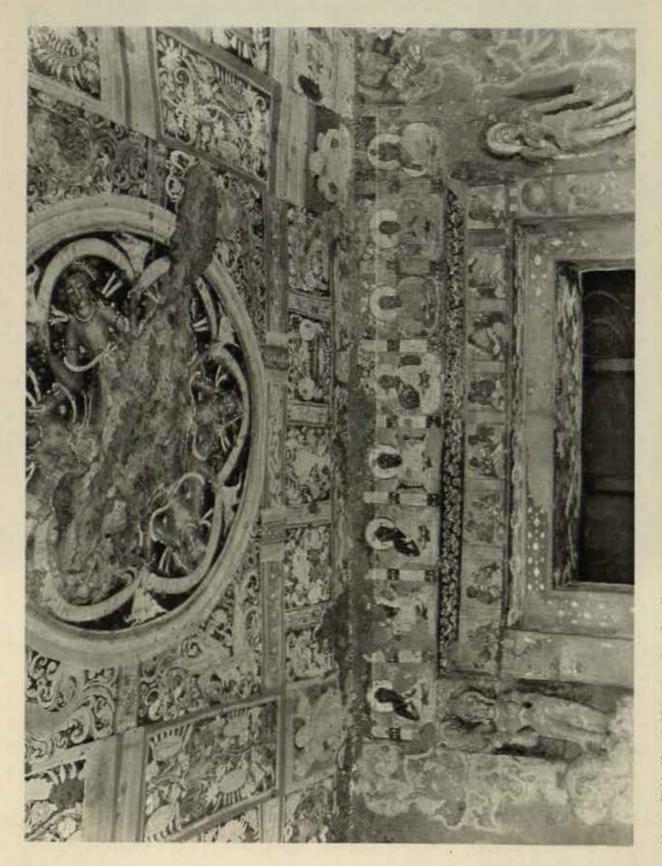
Adjanta, Grotte No. 1. Niche centrale et statue Ajanta, Grotta N. 1. Cappella centrale de Bouddha

Ajanta, Cave Nr. I. Central Shrine with Buddha Statue

con la statua di Budda

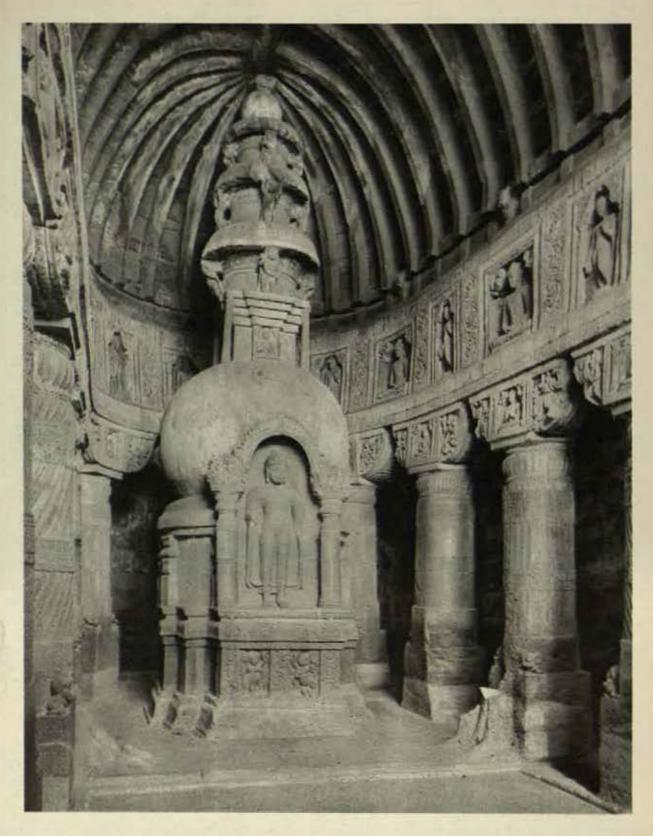
Ajanta, Cave Nr. 17. Frescous in the Portice Ajanta, Grotta N. 17. Dipinti murali nell'atrio

Ajanta, Höbie Nr. 17. Wandmalercien in der Vorhalle Adjanta, grotte No. 17. Peintures marales du parvis



Ajanta Cave Nr. 17. Paintings over the Entrance Ajanta. Grotta N. 17. Dipinti sevra Pingresso

Ajanta, Höhle Nr. 17. Malereien über dem Eingang Adjanta, grotte No. 17. Peintures murales an-dessus de l'entrée

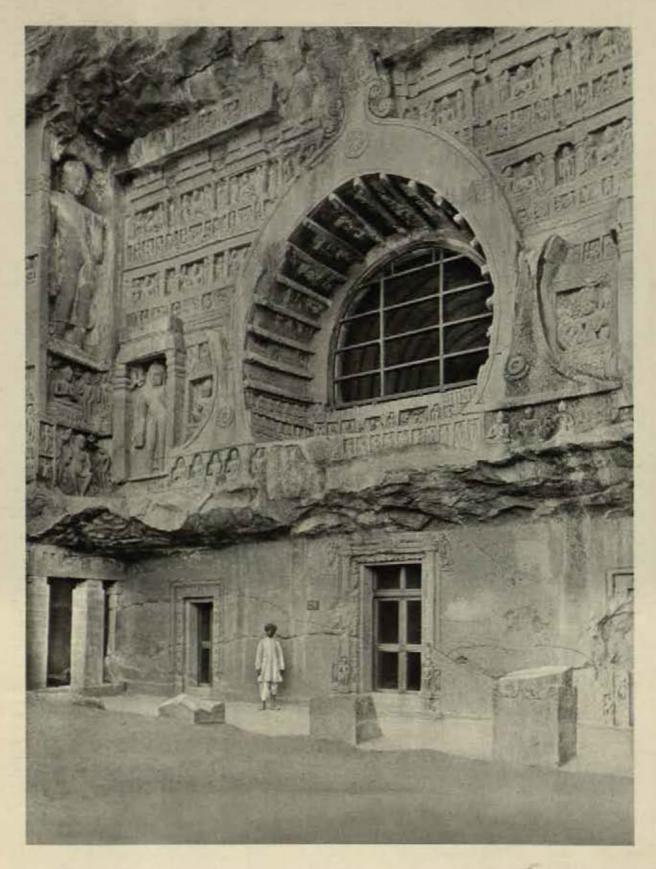


Ajants, Inneres der Höhle Nr. 19. Dagoba mit Buddha-Statue

Adjanta, Intérieur de la grotte No. 19 avec statue de Bouddha

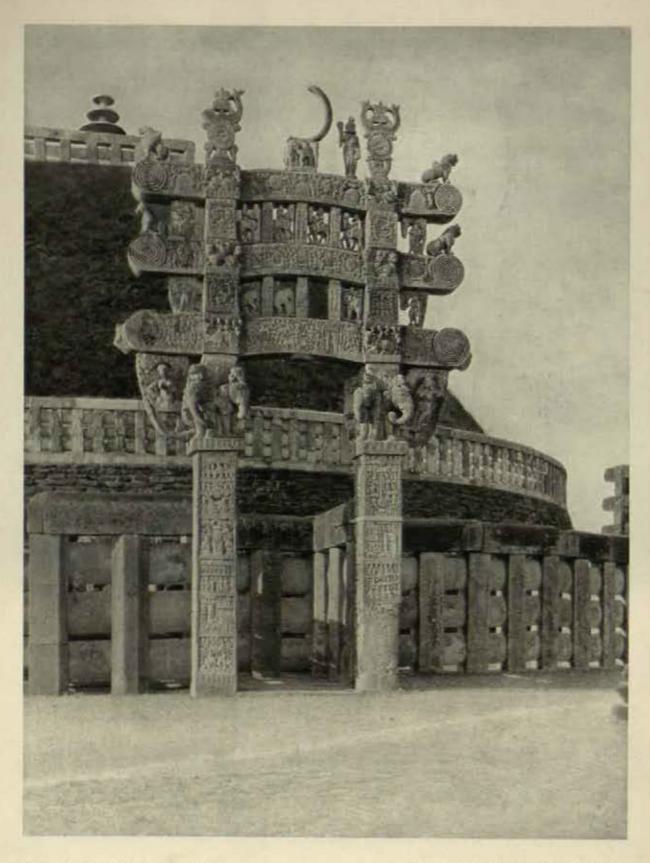
Ajanta. Interior of Cave Nr. 19. Dagoba with Buddha Statue

Ajanta Interno della grotta N. 19. Dagoha con la statua di Budda



Ajanta, Fassade der Höhle Nr. 26 Adjanta, façade de la grotte No. 26

Ajanta, Façade of Cave Nr. 26 Ajanta, Facciata della grotta N. 26



Sanchi, Nordtor der Grossen Stupa Santchi, Porche septentrional de la grande stoupa

Sanchi. North Gate of the Great Stupa Sanchi. Porta settentrionale della grande Stupa



Sanchi. Pfeiler des Osttors am Grossen Stupa

Santchi. La grande stoupa; piliers du porche oriental

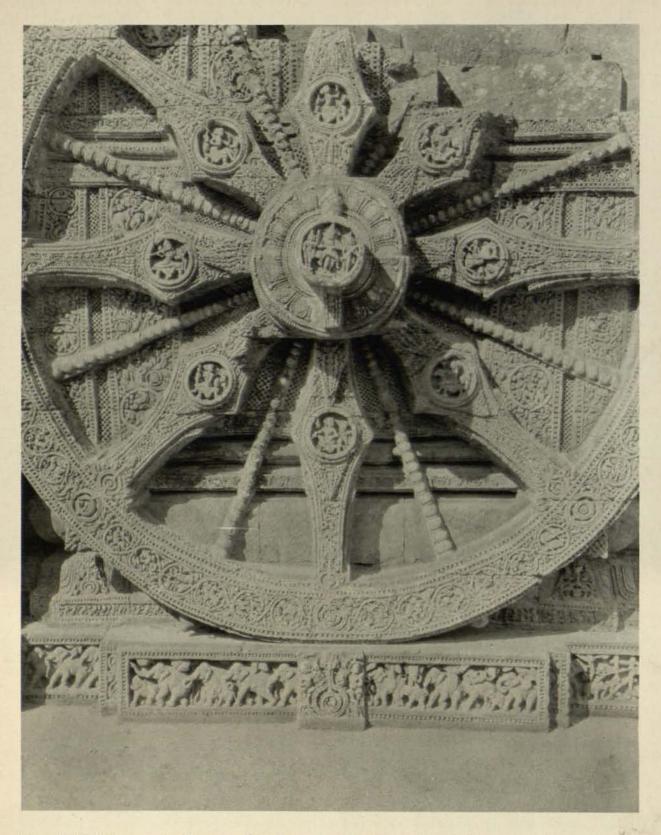
Sanchi. Pillars of the East Gate on the Great Stupa

Sanchi, La grande Stupa, Pilastri della porta orientale



Konarak. Die Schwarze Pagode, Tempel des Sonnengottes. Konarak. La Pagode Noire (temple du soleil)

Konarak, The Black Pagoda Temple of the Sun God Konarak, La Pagoda nera, templo del Dio del Sole

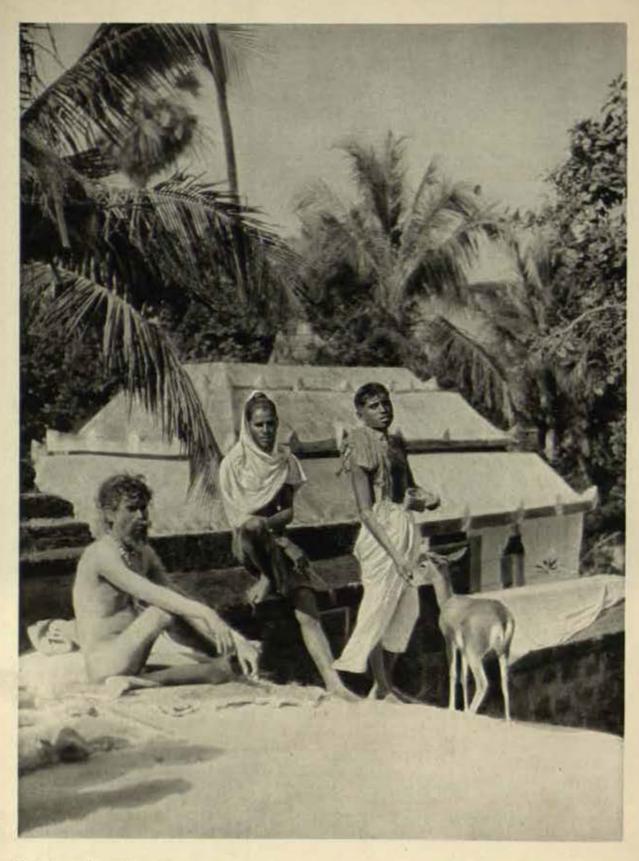


Konarak, Skulpturen an der Schwarzen Pagode, ein Rad des Sonnenwagens darstellend

Konarak. Sculptures de la Pagode Noire: une des roues du char solaire

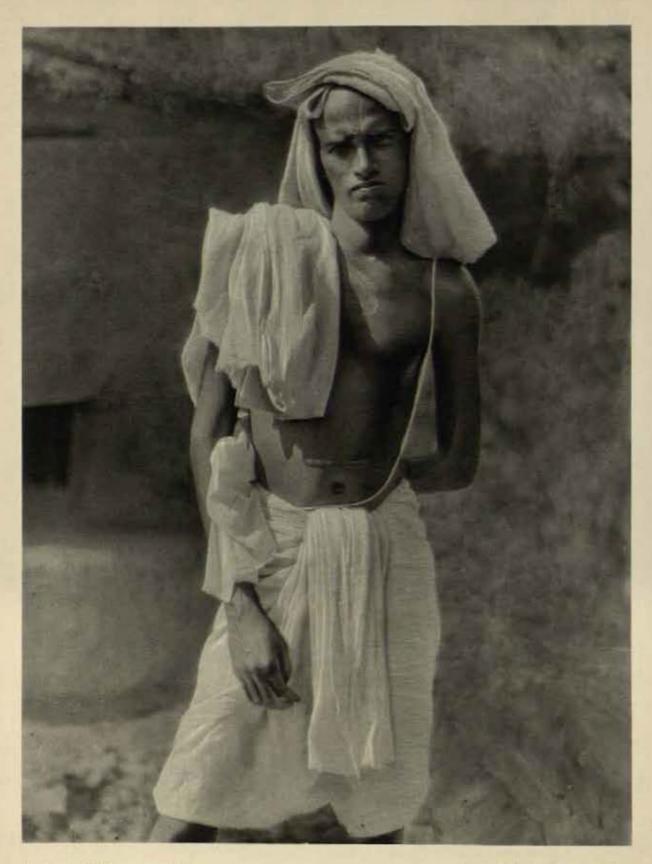
Konarak. Sculptures on the Black Pagoda representing a Wheel of the Sun Chariot

Konarak. Sculture della grande pagoda. Ruota del carro del Sole



Puri. Ein Sadhu und zwei Brahmanen Pouri. Un sadhou et deux brahmanes

Puri, A Sadhu and two Brahmins Puri, Un Sadhù e due Bramini



Puri. Ein Brahmane aus Orissa Pouri. Un brahmane d'Orissa

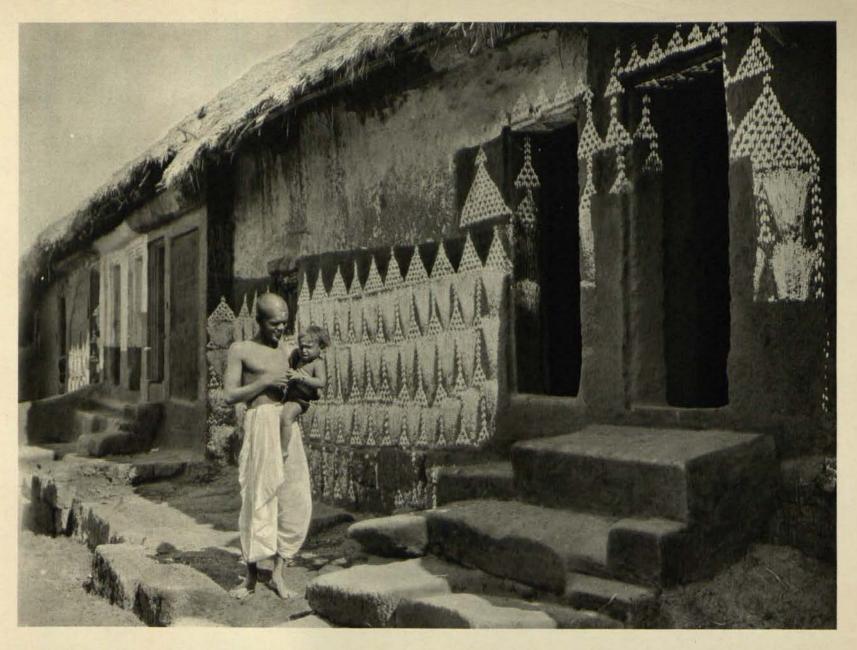
Puri. A Brahmin from Orissa Puri. Bramino di Orissa

Puri, Juggernaut Temple Puri, Temple di Jagannath

Puri. Jagannath-Tempel Peuri. Temple de Djagannath

Puri. Street with Shops before the Temple Puri. Via e banchi davanti al tempio

Puri. Strasse mit Verkaufsbuden vor dem Tempel Pouri. Rue et baraques devant le temple



Bhubaneshvar. Haus eines Brahmanen, für die Neujahrszeit bemalt Bhubaneshvar. Maison d'un brahmane peinte pour le jour de l'an

Bhubaneshvar. House of a Brahmin painted for the New Year Bhubaneshvar. Casa di un bramino dipinta per il Capodanno

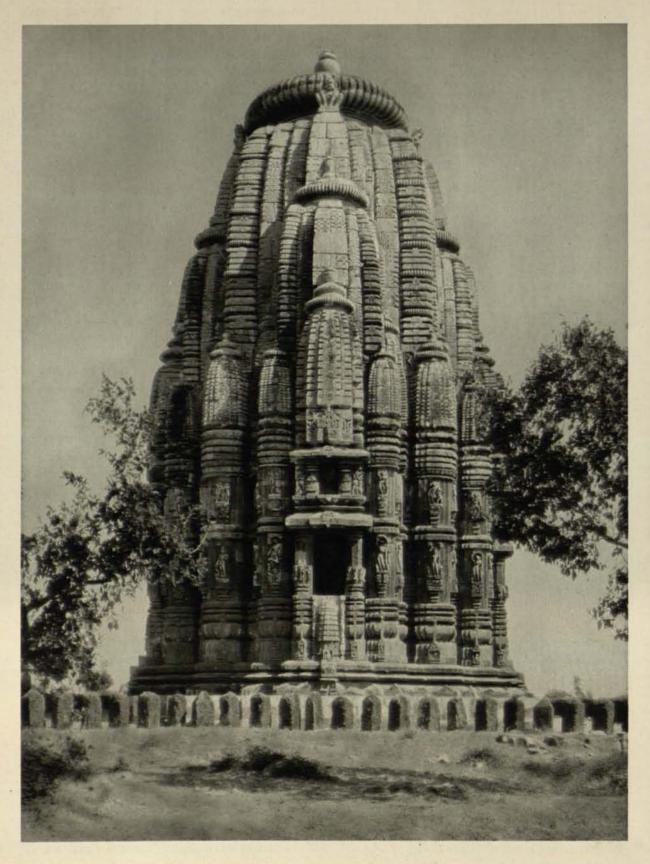
Bhubaneshvar, The Great Lingaraja Temple
Bhubaneshvar, Il Gran Templo di Lingaraja

Bhubaneshvar, Der Grosse Lingaraja-Tempel Bhubaneshvar, Le grand temple de Lingaradja



Bhubaneshvar, Mukteshvara-Tempel Bhubaneshvar, Temple de Mukteshvara

Bhubaneshvar, Mukteshvara Temple Bhubaneshvar, Tempio di Mukteshvara



Bhubaneshvar, Raja Rani-Tempel Bhubaneshvar, Temple de Radja Rani

Bhubaneshvar, Raja Rani Temple Bhubaneshvar, Tempio di Rajà Rani



Bhubaneshvar, Ein Sadhu (Hindu-Eremit) vor seiner Klause

Bhubaneshvar. Un sadhou (ermite hindou) devant sa cellule

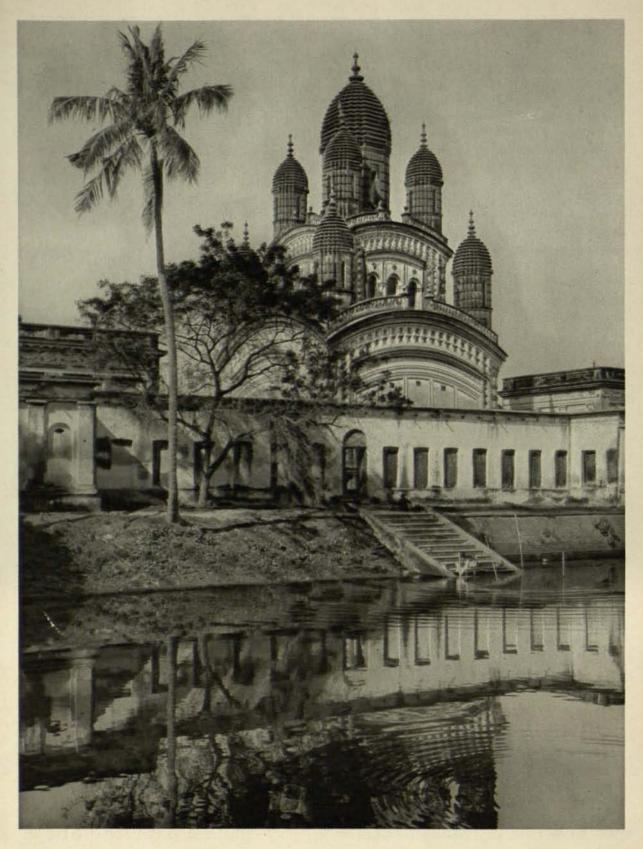
Bhubaneshvar, A Sadhu (Hindu Hermit) in front of his Cell

Bhubaneshvar. Sadhù (eremita indù) davanti alla sua cella



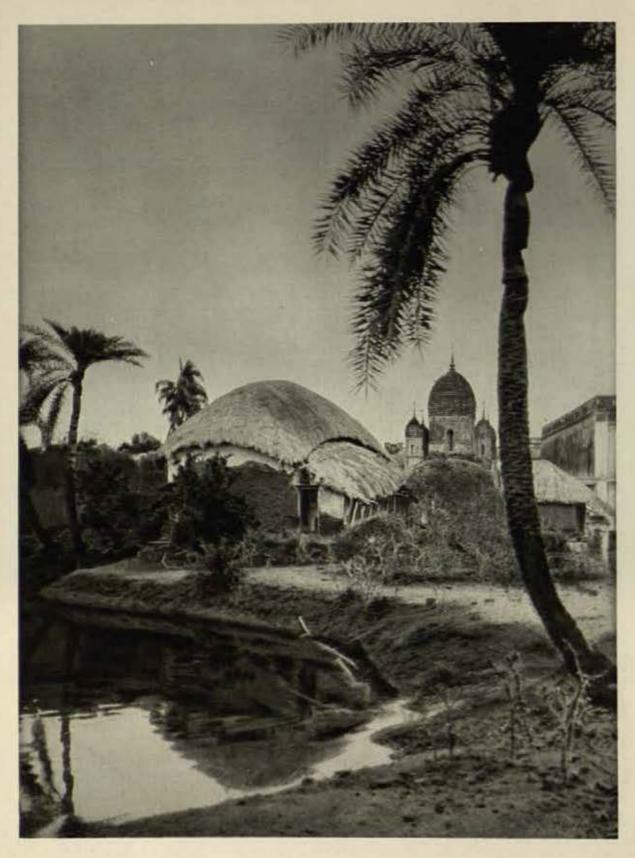
Bhubaneshvar, Mädchen auf dem Weg zur Schule Bhubaneshvar, Fillettes allant å l'école

- Bhubaneshvar, Girls on the way to School Bhubaneshvar, Bambine che vanno a scuola



Der Tempel Dakshineshvara bei Kalkutta Le temple de Dakshineshvara, près de Calcutta

The Dakshineshvara Temple near Calcutta Tempio di Dakshineshvara presso Calcutta



Bengalidorf, Surul bei Bolpur Village bengali

Bengalese Village, Surul near Bolpur Villaggio bengalese, Surul presso Bolpur





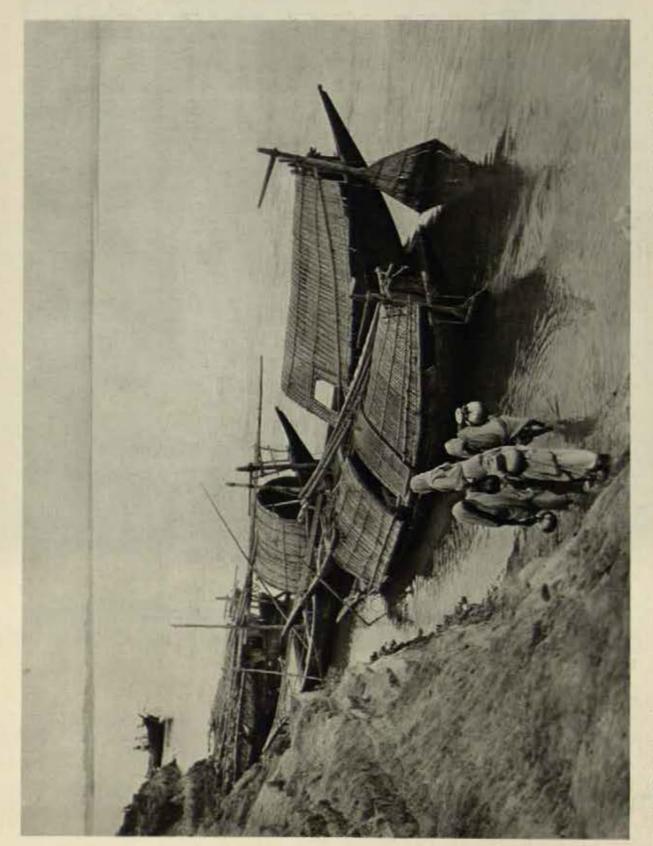
Femme jonant de la musique (Bengale)

Donns con strumento di musica (Bengala)



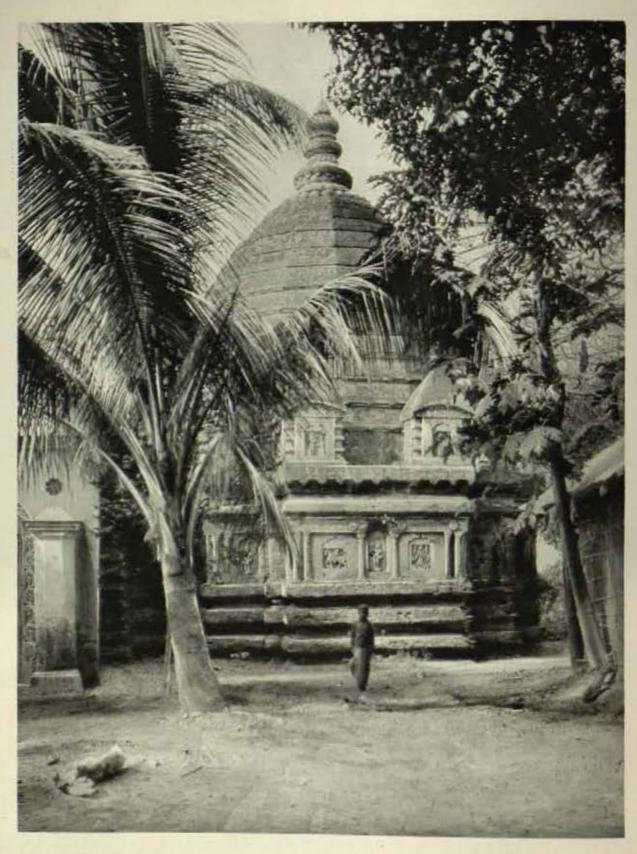
Calcutta, Tank and Hindu Shrines near the Kalighat Temple Calcutta, Stagno con cappelle indù presso il tempio di Kalighat

Kalkutta, Teich und Hinduschreine beim Kalighat-Tempel Calcutta, Bassin et chapelles hindouïstes près du temple de Kalighat



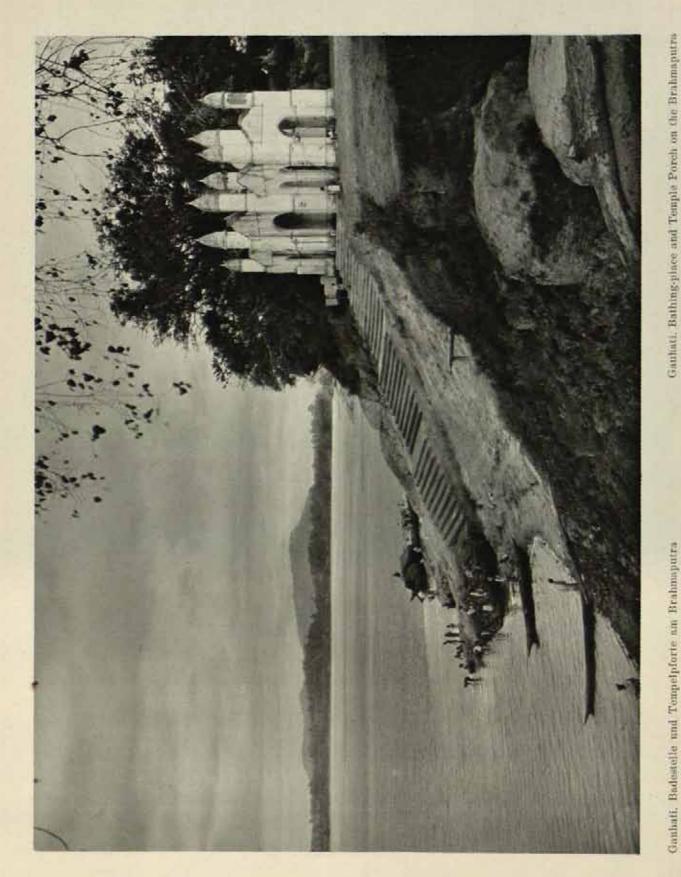
On the Banks of the Brahmaputra Sulle rive del Brahmaputra

Am Ufer des Brahmapuira Au bord du Brahmapoutra



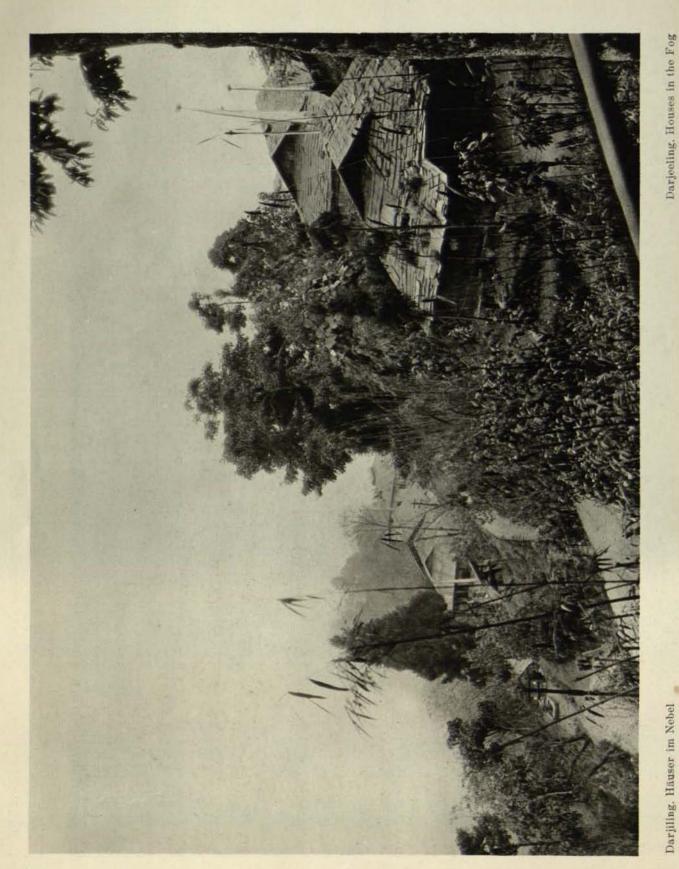
Hindutempel in Gauhati Temple hindou à Gauhati

Hindu Temple in Gauhati Tempio indù a Gauhati

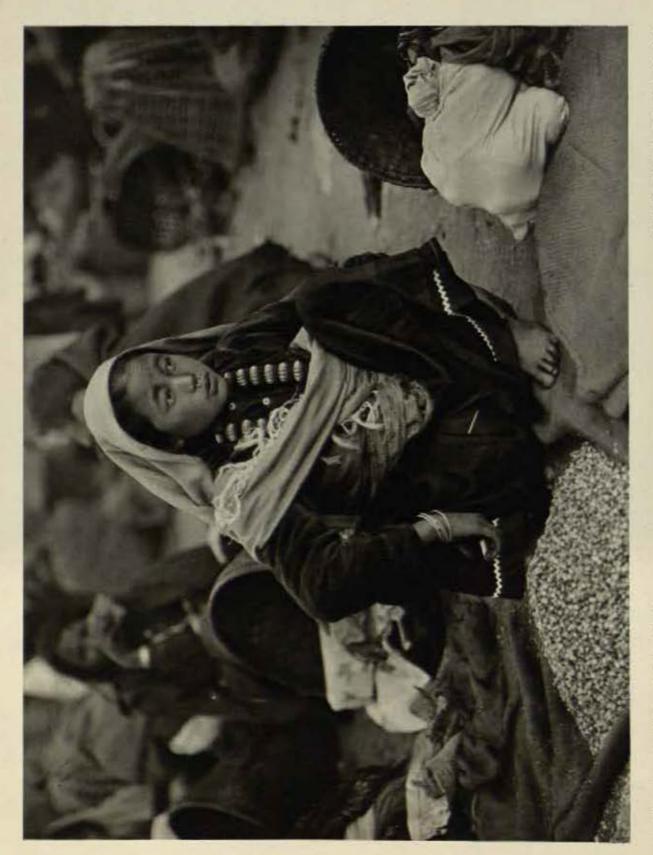


Gaulati, Bagno e porta del tempio sul Brahmaputra

Gauhatt, Esculler pour les bains et portuil d'un temple au bord du Brahmapoutra



Darjiling, Häuser im Nebel Darjiling, Maisons dans le brouillard



Darjeeling, Lepcha Girl at the Market Darjiling, Fanciulla tepcha al mercato

Darjiling, Lepcha-Madchen auf dem Markt Darjiling, Joune Lepcha an marché



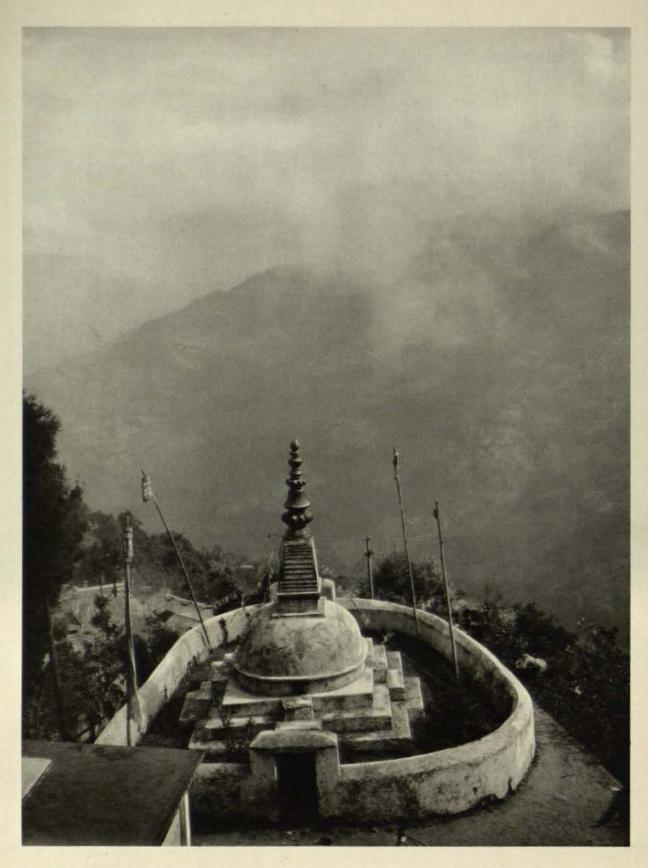
Markt in Darjiling Le marché à Darjiling

Market in Darjeeling Mercato di Darjiling



Teeplantagen bei Darjiling Plantages de thé près de Darjiling

Tea Plantations near Darjeeling Piantagioni di tè presso Darjiling



Stupa bei Darjiling Stoupa près de Darjiling

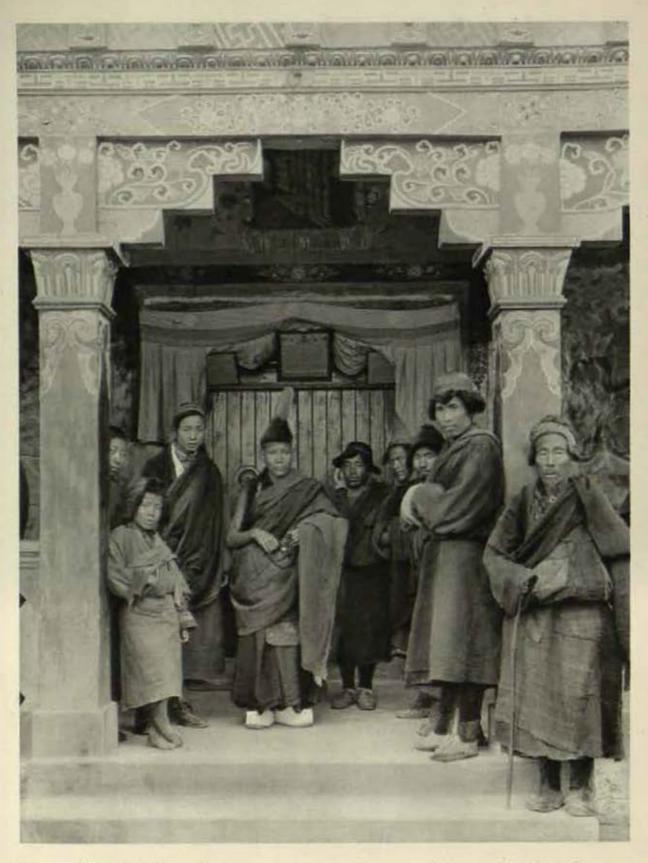
Stupa near Darjeeling Stupa presso Darjiling



Berge bei Darjiling Montagnes près de Darjiling

Mountains near Darjeeling

Montagne presso Darjiling

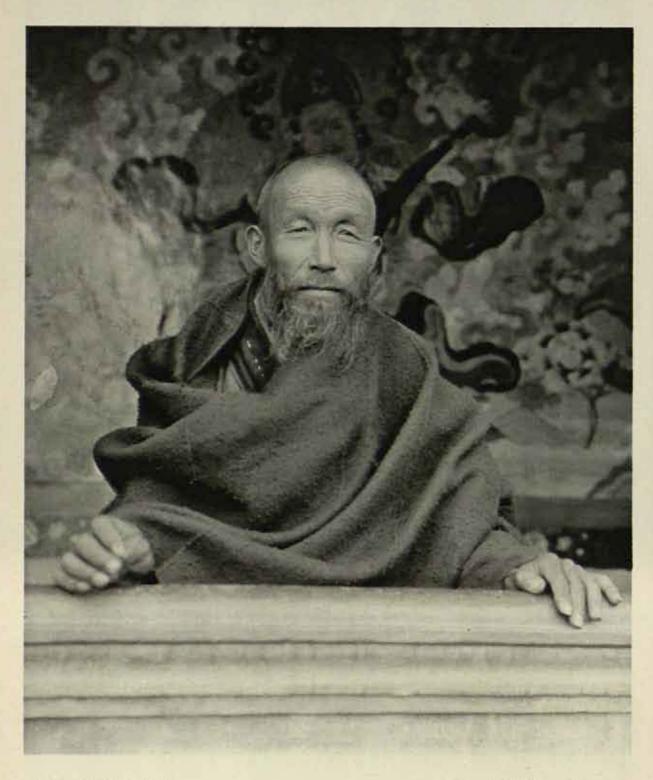


Lamas am Eingang des Ghum-Klosters bei Darjiling

Lamas devant l'entrée du clottre Ghum, près de Darjiling

Lamas at the Entrance of the Ghoom Monastery near Darjeeling

Lama all'ingresso del chiostro di Ghum presso Darjiling



Ein Lama im Ghum-Kloster Un Lama dans le clottre Ghum

A Lama in the Ghoom Monastery Lama nel chiostro di Ghum



Darjiling, Junger tibetanischer Mönch mit Gebetmühlen

Darjiling. Jeune moine tibétain et moulins à prières

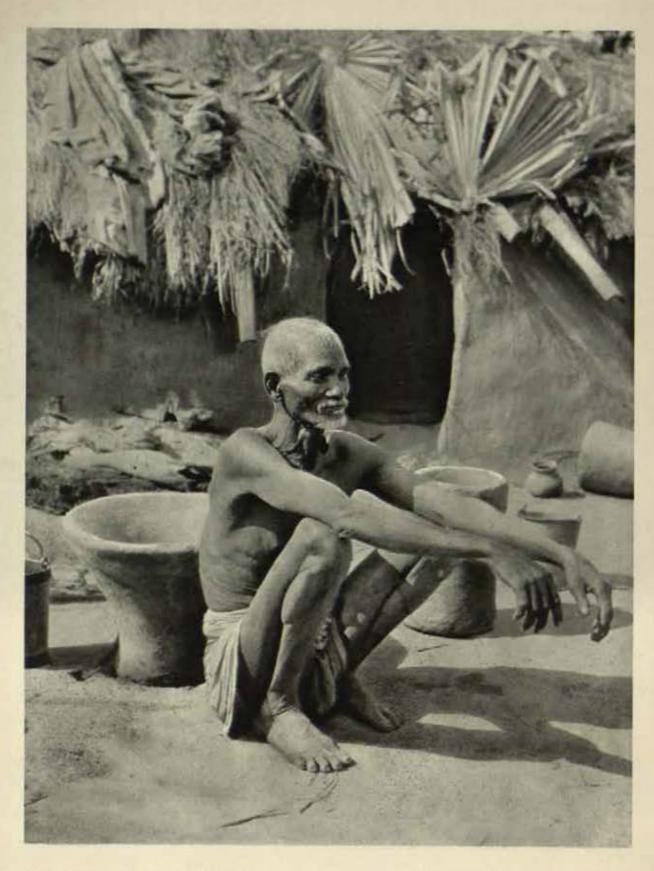
Darjeeling. Young Thibetan Monk with Prayer-Mill

Darjiling. Giovine monaco tibetano con molini da preghiere



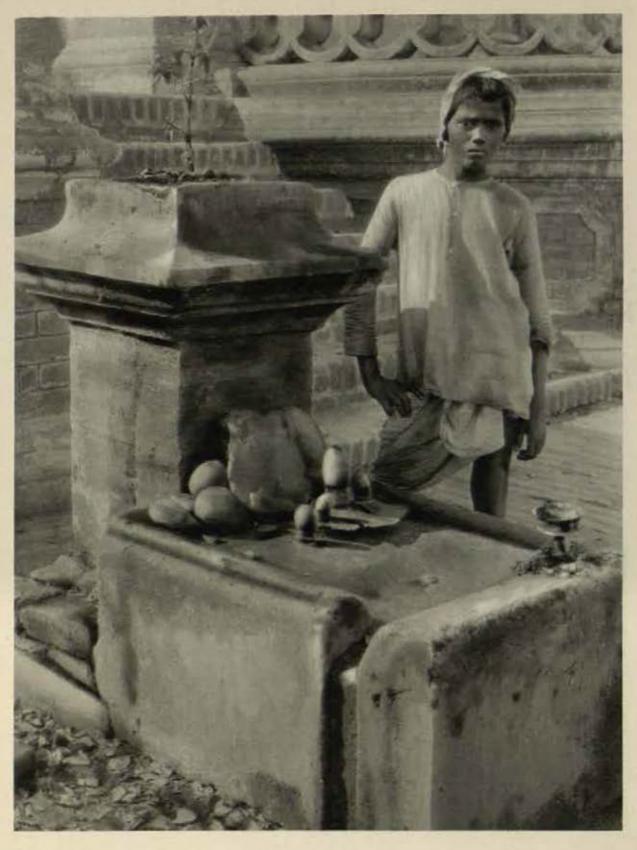
Darjiling, Junge Tibetanerin Darjiling, Jeune Tibetaine

Darjeeling, Young Thibetan Woman Darjiling, Giovane tibetana



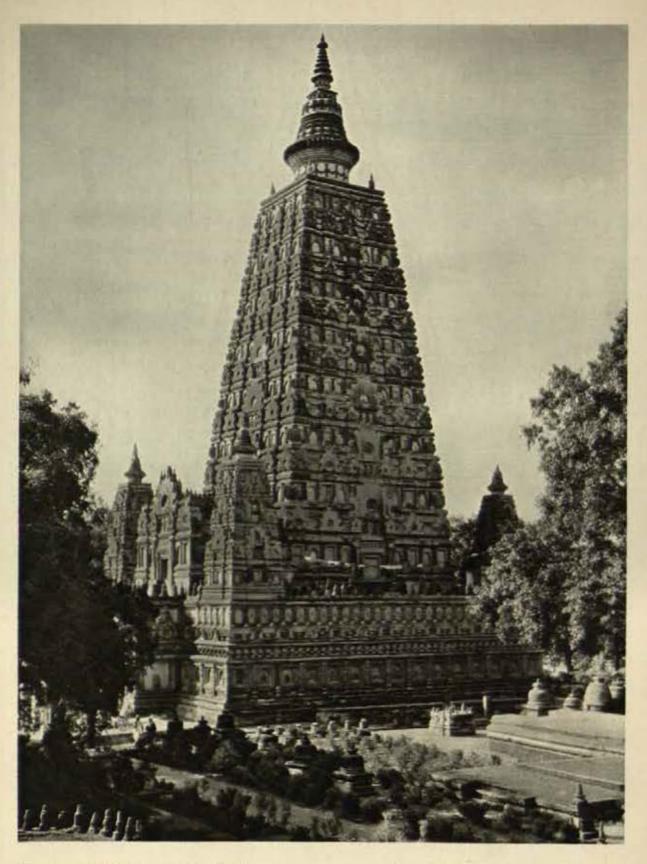
Armer Bauer vor seiner Hütte in Patna Paysan pauvre devant sa case, à Patna

Poor Farmer before his Hut in Patna Contadino indigente davanti alla sua capanna a Patna



Patna. Knabe bei einem Hindualtar Patna. Jeune garçon près d'un autel hindouïste

Patna. Boy near a Hindu Altar Patna. Ragazzo presso un altare indû



Der grosse Buddha-Tempel in Buddha-Gaya Le grand temple de Bouddha à Bouddha-Gaya

The great Buddha Temple in Buddha-Gaya Il gran Templo di Budda a Budda-Gaya



Buddha-Gaya, Eingang zum Buddha-Tempel Bouddha-Gaya, Entrée du temple de Bouddha

Buddha-Gaya, Entrance to the Buddha Temple Budda-Gaya, Ingresso al templo di Budda



Buddha-Gaya, Pilger vor einer Buddha-Statue, in den heiligen Schriften lesend

Bouddha-Gaya. Pèlerin lisant des textes sacrés devant une statue de Bouddha

Buddha-Gaya. Pilgrims before a Buddha Statue reading the Sacred Writings

Budda-Gaya. Pellegrino davanti a una statua di Budda in atto di leggere le sacre scritture

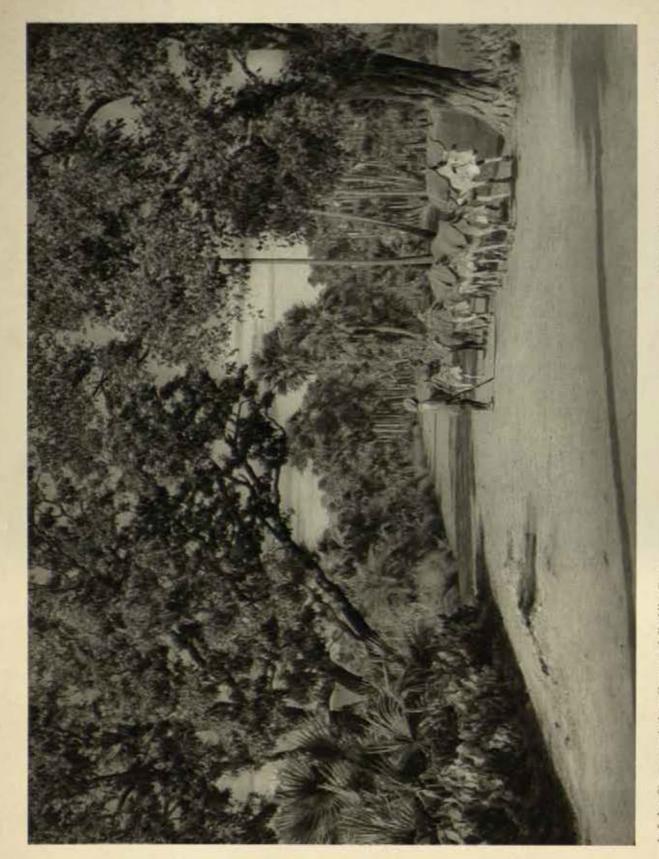


Buddha-Gaya. Pfeiler des alten Zauns und Garten beim Buddha-Tempel

Bouddha-Gaya. Piliers de l'ancienne enceinte et jardin près du temple de Bouddha

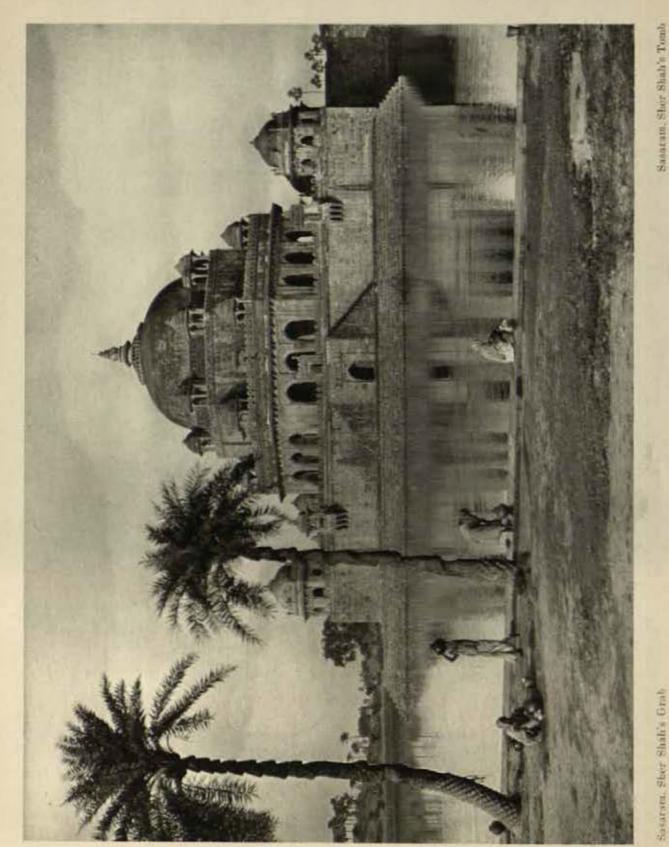
Buddha-Gaya. Pillars of the old Enclosure and Garden near the Buddha Temple

Budda-Gaya. Pilastri dell'antico recinto e giardino presso il tempio di Budda

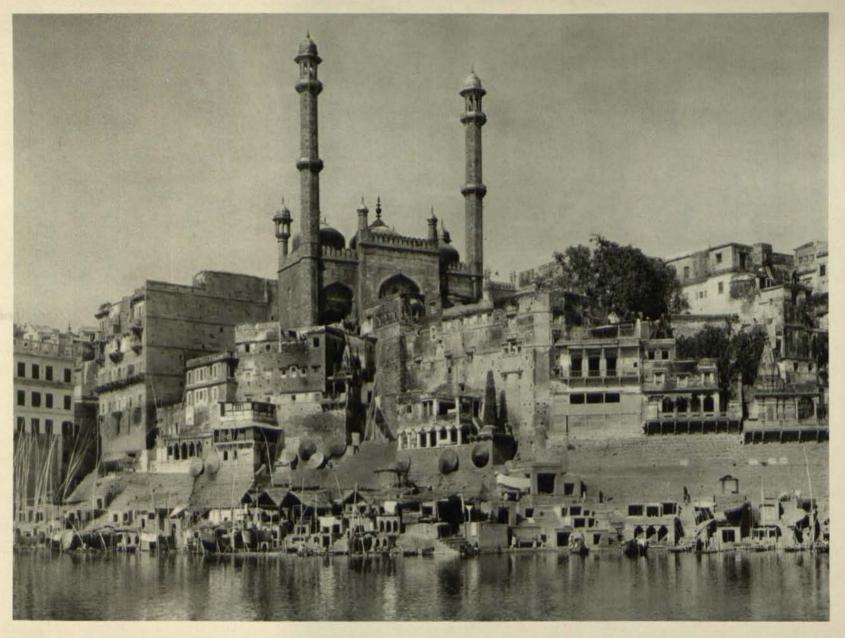


On the Road between Gaya and Buddha-Gaya
In cammine fra Gaya e Budda-Gaya

Auf der Strasse zwischen Gaya und Buddin-Gaya Route entre Gaya et Ponddin-Gaya

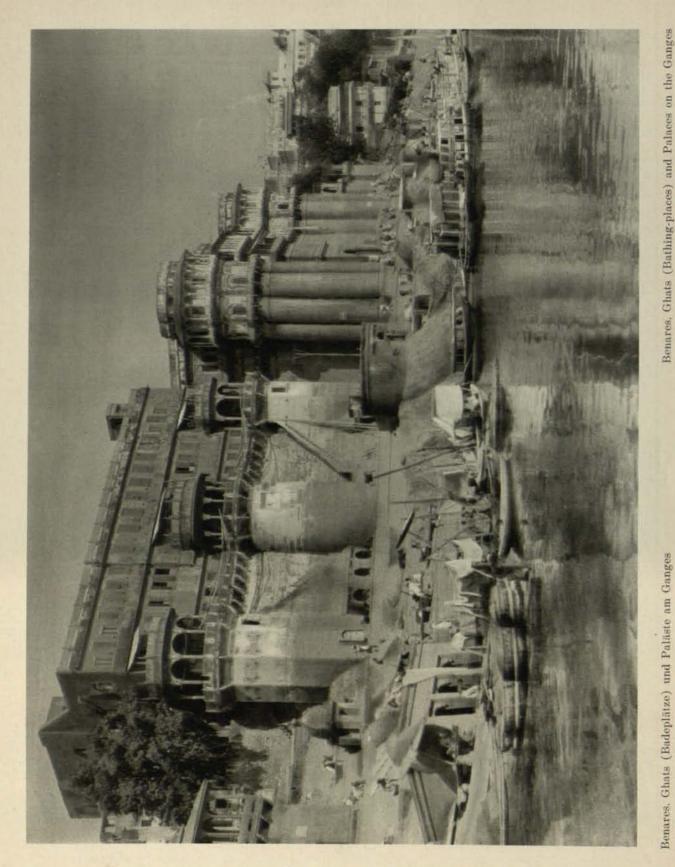


Sasaram, Sher Shali's Grab Sasaram, Mausolée de Sher Shali



Benares. Ufer des Ganges mit der Moschee Aurangzeb's Bénarès. Le Gange et la mosquée d'Aurangzeb

Benares, Bank of the Ganges with Aurangzeb Mosque Benares, Riva del Gange con la moschea di Aurangzeb



Benares, Ghati (gradini per le abluzioni e palazzi sulla riva del Gange)

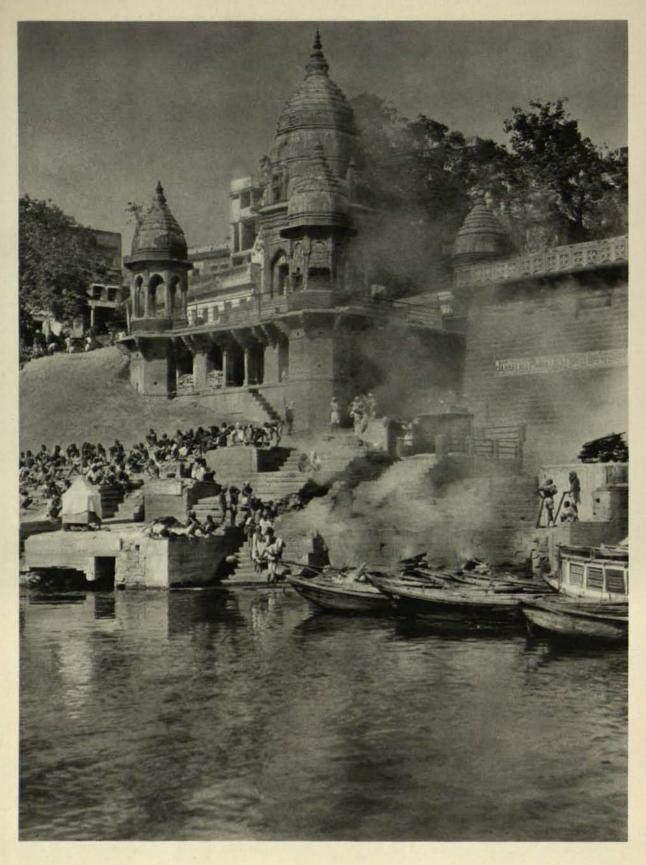
Bénarès, Ghats (porches pour les ablutions) Benares, et palais au bord du Gange

Benares, Sadhus taking a rest Benares, Sadhù in riposo

Benares, Ruhende Sadhus Benarès, Sadhous au repos

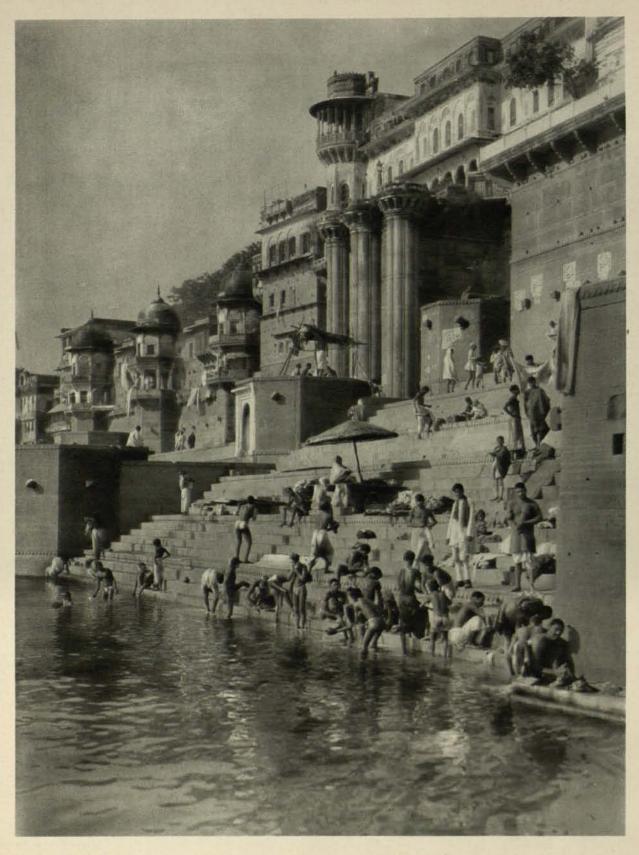
Benares. Pilgrims at the Ghat Benares. Pellegrini sul Ghat

Benares. Pilger am Ghat Bénarès. Pélerins sur les «ghats»



Benares, Leichenverbrennungen am Pari Jalsai Ghat Bénarès. Incinérations sur le «ghat» de Pari Djalsai

Benares. Cremations at the Pari Salsai Ghat Benares. Cremazione sul Ghat di Pari Djalsai



Benares. Ghats am Ganges Bénarès. Ghats au bord du Gange

Benares. Ghats on the Ganges Benares. Ghati sulla riva del Gange



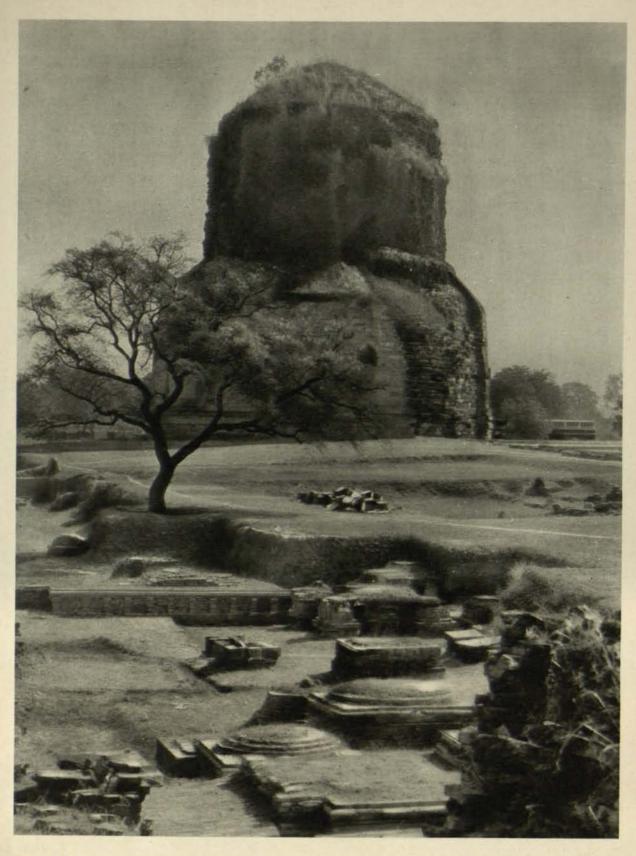
Benares, Betende Pilger am Ganges Bénarès, Pèlerins en prière au bord du Gange

Benares. Praying Pilgrims on the Ganges Benares. Pellegrini oranti sulla riva del Gange



Ein Sadhu Un sadhou

A Sadhu Un Sadhù



Sarnath, Ruinen des Klosters und Dhamekh Stupa Sarnath, Ruines du cloître et stoupa de Dhamekh

Sarnath, Ruins of the Monastery and Dhamekh Stupa Sarnath, Rovine del chiostro e Stupa di Dhamekh

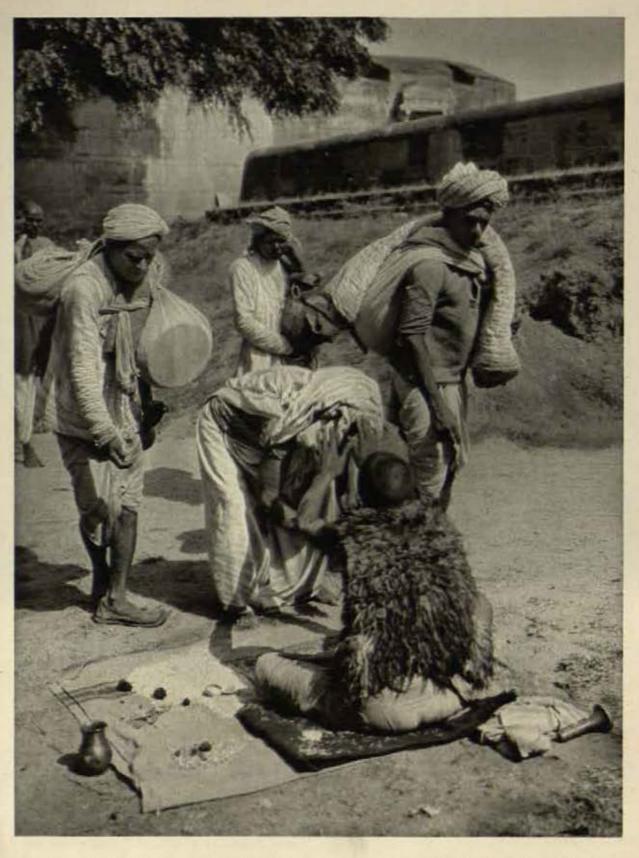


Sarnath. Löwenkapitäl einer vom Kaiser Ashoka errichteten Säule

Sarnath. Chapiteau d'une colonne érigée par l'empereur Ashoka

Sarnath. Lion Capitals on a Pillar erected by the Emperor Ashoka

Sarnath, Capitello di una colonna eretta dall'imperatore Ashoka

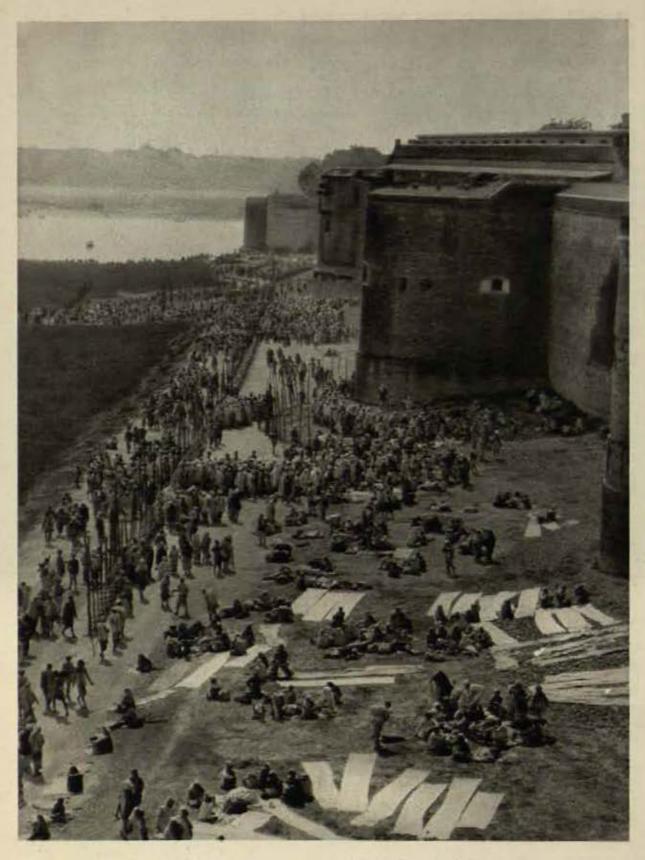


Allahabad. Segnender Bettelmöneh an einer Wallfahrt

Allahabad. Moine mendiant benissant

des pélerins

Allahabad, Mendicant Monk blessing a Pilgrimage
Allahabad, Menaco questuante nell'atto di benedire
un pellegrino



Allahabad, An den Mauern des Forts zur Zeit einer Wallfabrt

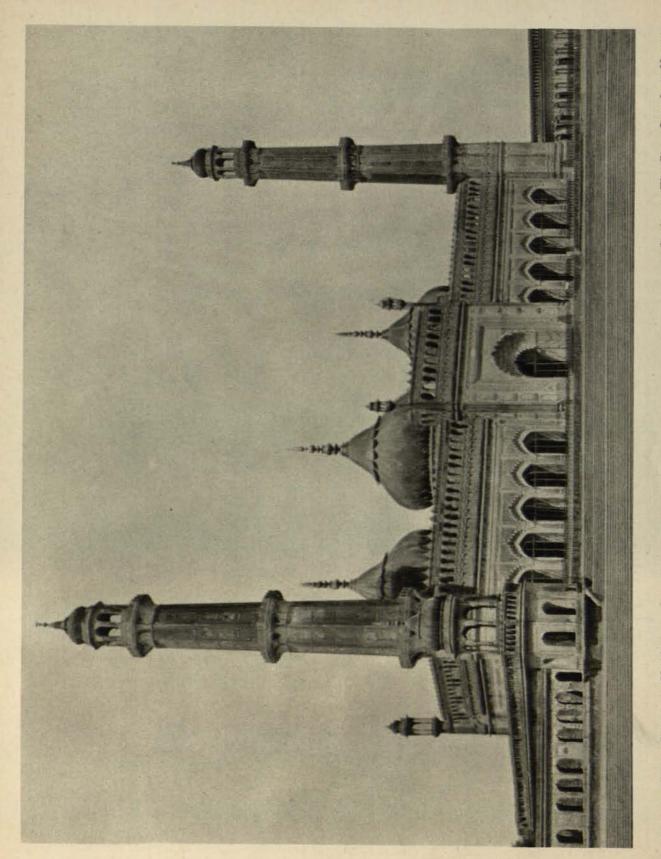
Allahabad. Les murs de la forteresse à l'époque d'un pélerinage

Allahabad. On the Walls of the Fortress at the time of a Pilgrimage

Allahabad. Davanti alle mura di un forte durante un pellegrinaggio

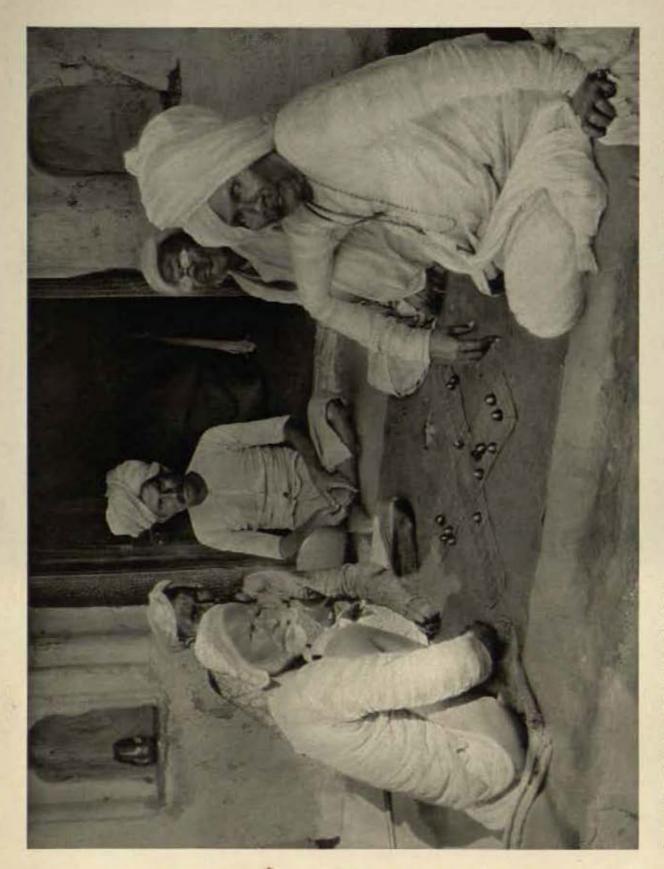
Lucknow, Ruderi nell'interno del forte

Lucknow, Ruine im Fort Luknow, Ruine dans la citadelle



Lucknow, The Great Imambara Mosque Lucknow, La grande moschea dell'Imambara

Lucknow, Grosse Imambara-Moschee Luknow, La grande mosquée Imambara

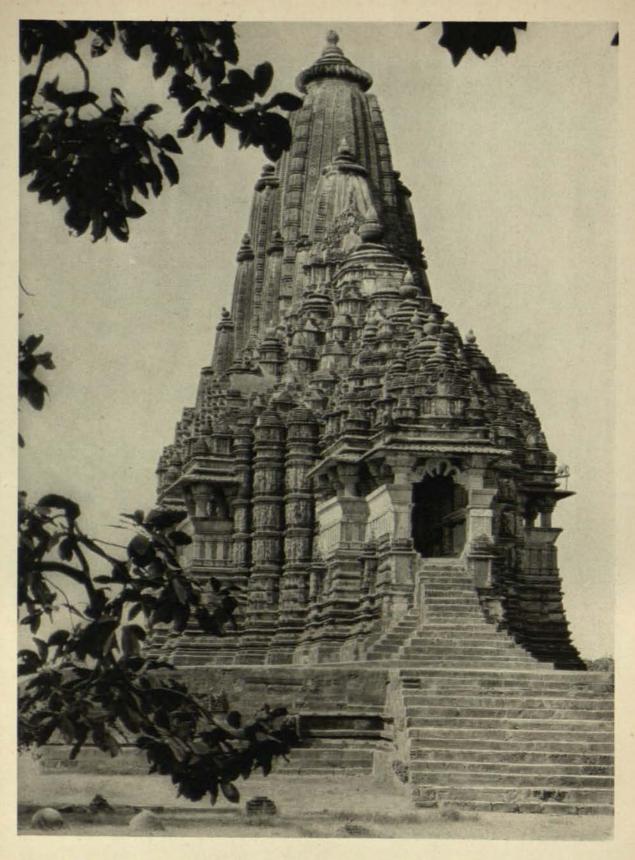


Barwa Sagar (Bundelkand), Men at Play Barwa Sagar (Bundelkand), Uomini al giucco

Barwa Sagar (Bundelkand), Manner beim Spiel Barwa Sagar (Boundelkhand), Hommes en train de joger

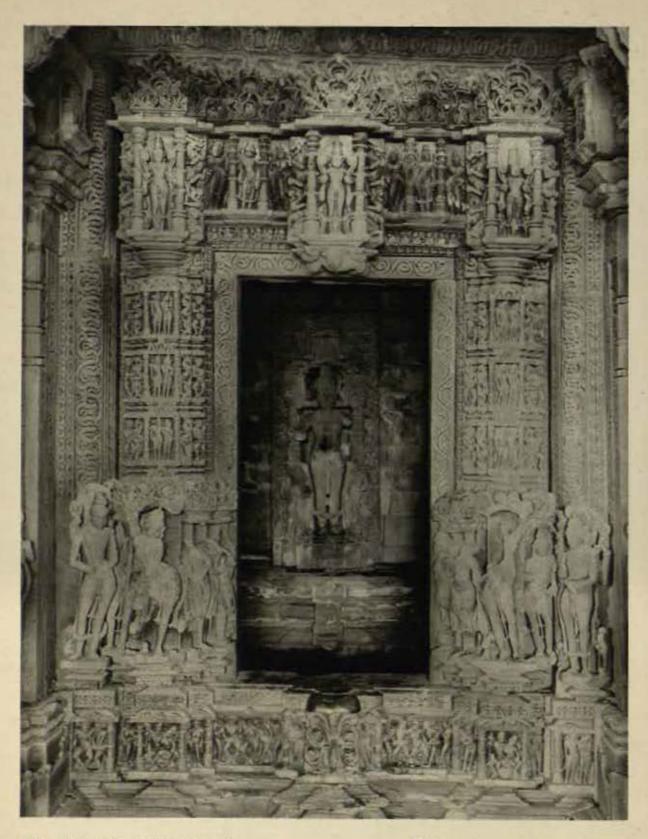
In a Village in Bundelkand In an villaggio del Bundelkand

In einem Dorf in Bundelkand Duns un village du Bonndelkhand



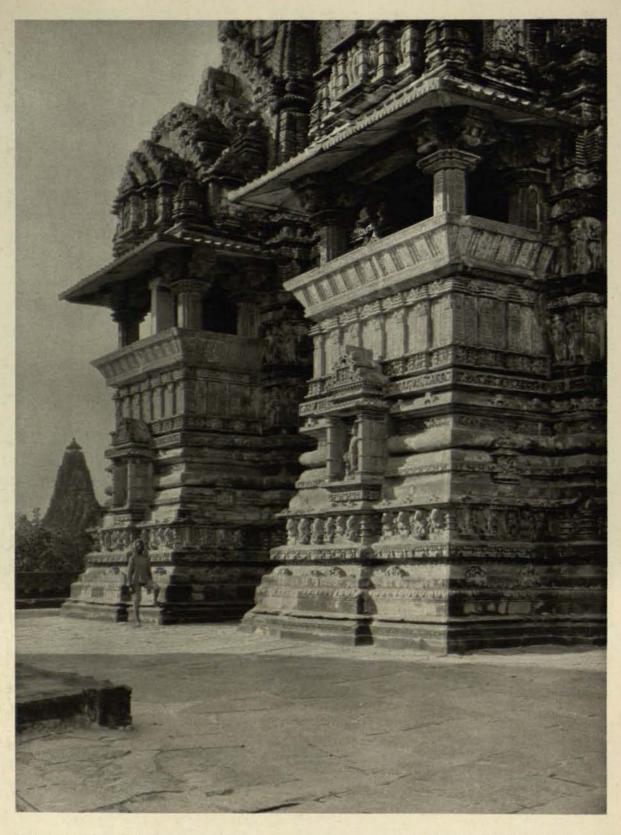
Khajuraho. Kandarya-(Shiva-)Tempel Khadjouruho. Temple de Kandarya (Siva)

Khajuraho. Kandarya (Shiva) Temple Khajuraho. Tempio di Kandarya (Siva)



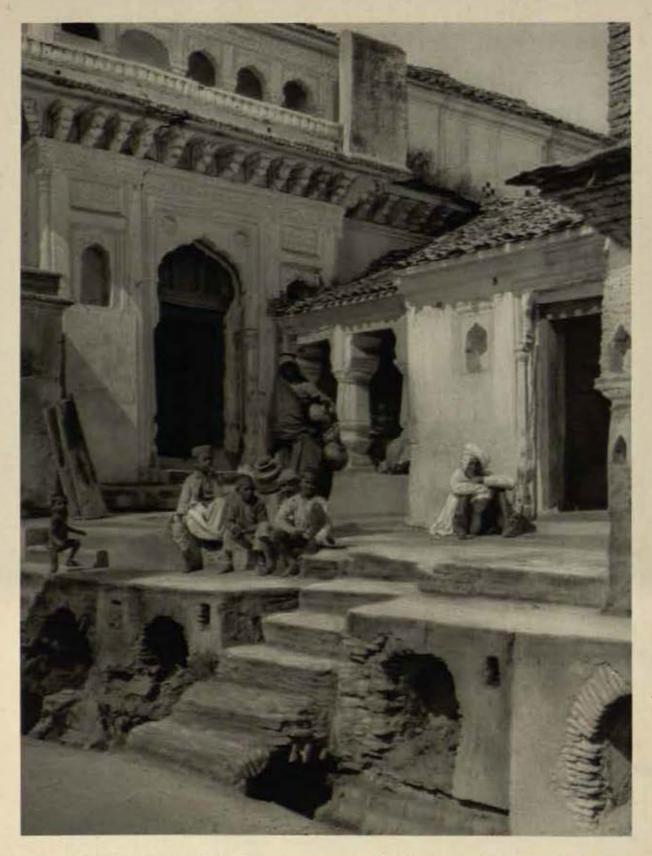
Khajuraho, Schrein des Tempels von Surya. Khadjouruho. Sanctuaire du temple de Sourya

Khajuraho. Shrine of the Surya Temple Khajuraho. Santuario del templo di Surya



Khajuraho. Seitenpavillons an einem Tempel Khadjouraho. Pavillons latéraux d'un temple

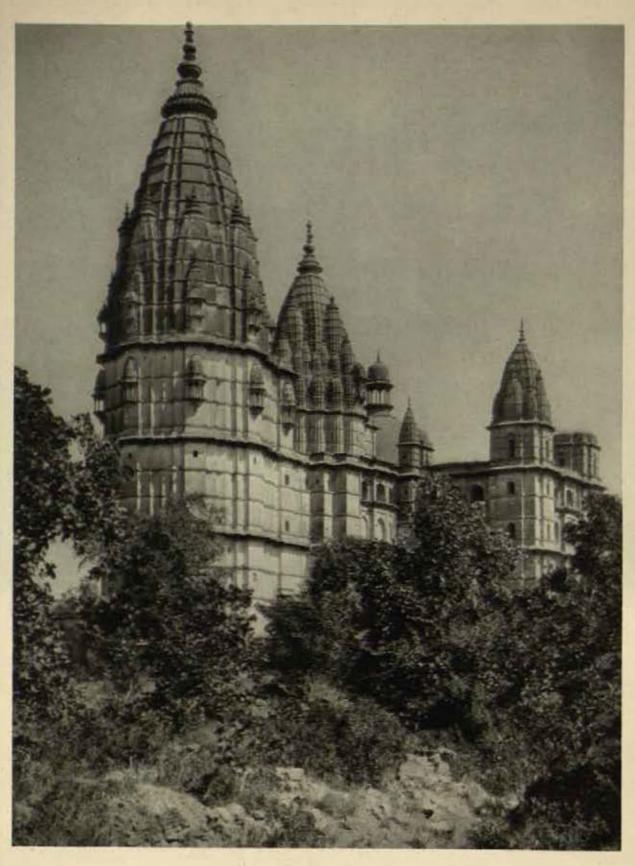
Khajuraho. Side Pavilions in a Temple Khajuraho. Padiglioni laterali esterni di un tempio



Wohnhaus in Mau Ranipur (Bundelkand)

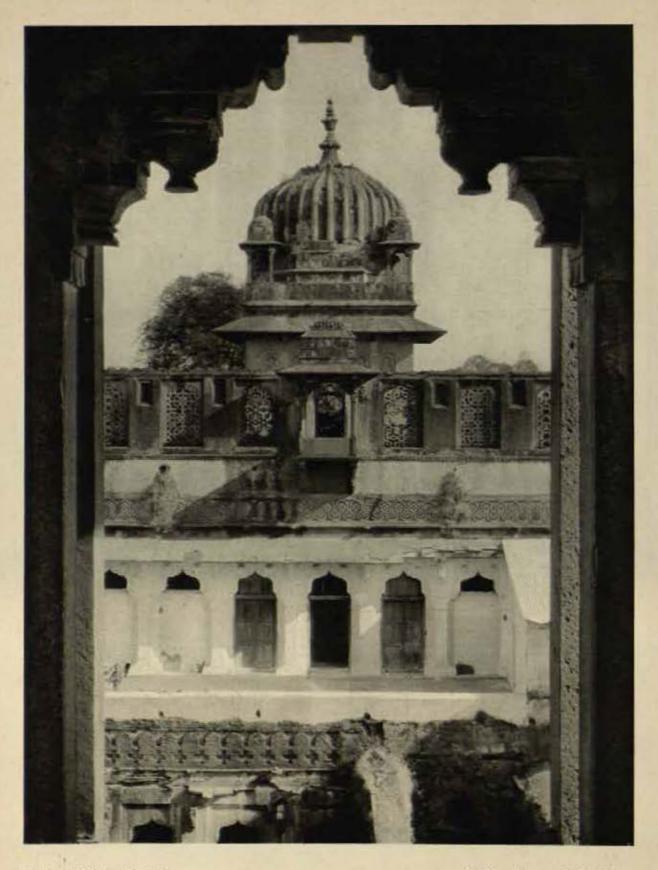
Maison d'habitation à Mau Ranipour (Boundelkhand)

Dwelling-house in Mau Ranipur (Bundelkand) Casa d'abitazione a Mauranipur (Bundelkand)



Urcha. Chaturbhuy Tempel Urcha. Temple de Chaturbhuy

Orchha. Chaturbhuy Temple Urcha. Tempio di Chaturbhuy

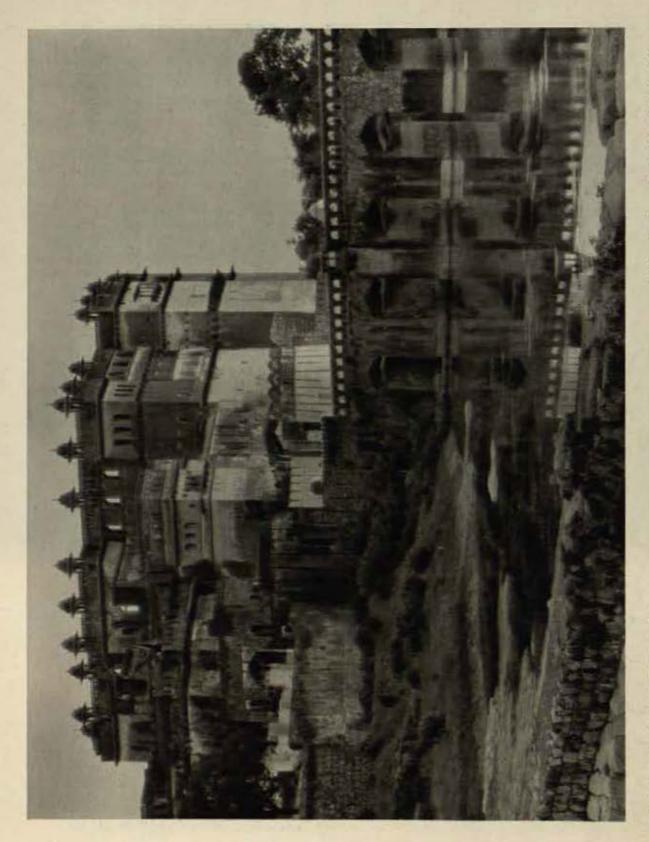


Urcha. Hof eines Palastes Urcha. Cour d'un palais

Orchha, Courtyard of a Palace Urcha. Cortile di un palazzo

Orehha. Northern Part of the Princely Palace Urcha, Parta settonirionale del palazzo principesco

Urcha, Nördlicher Teil des Fürstenpalastes Urcha, Partie nord du palais princier

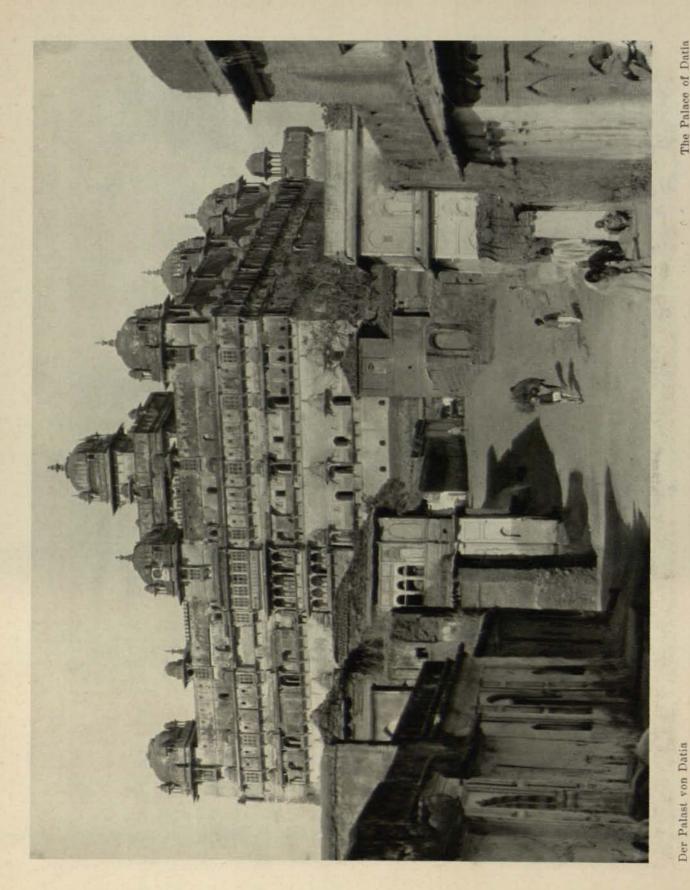


Orelha. Southern Part of the Princely Palace Urcha, Parte meridionale del palazzo principosco

Urcha, Südüchor Teil des Fürsterpalantes Urcha, Partie sud du palate princier

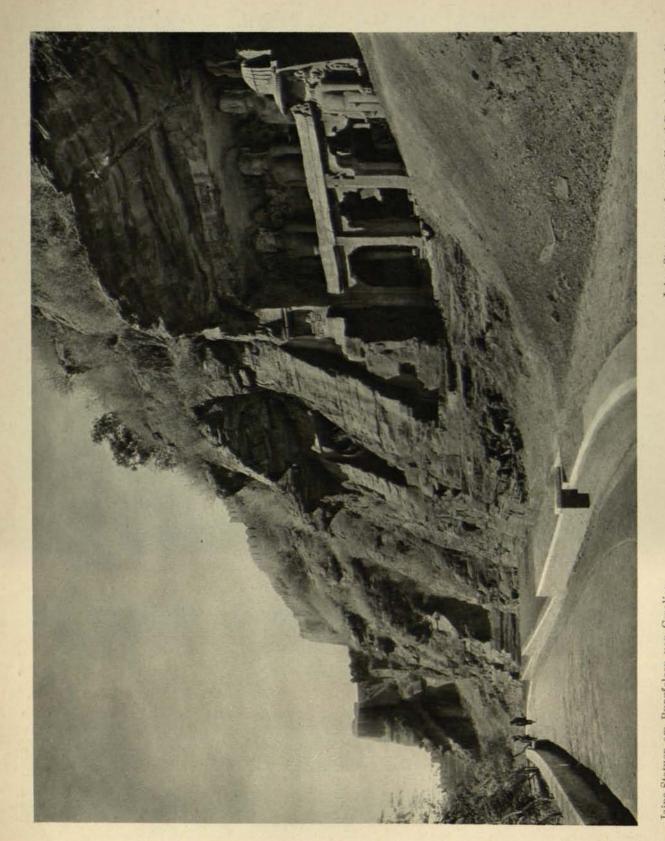
Orchha, Nomade pitching their Camp Urcha, Accampamento di nomadi

Urcha, Wanderndes Volk beim Kampieren Urcha, Campement de nomsdes



The Palace of Datia II palazzo di Datia

Der Falast von Datia Palais de Datia



Jaina Statues on the castellated Rock of Gwalior Statue giainiste sulla rupe del castello di Gwalior

Jaina-Statuen am Burgfelsen von Gwalior Statues djaina au rocher de la citadelle de Gwalior

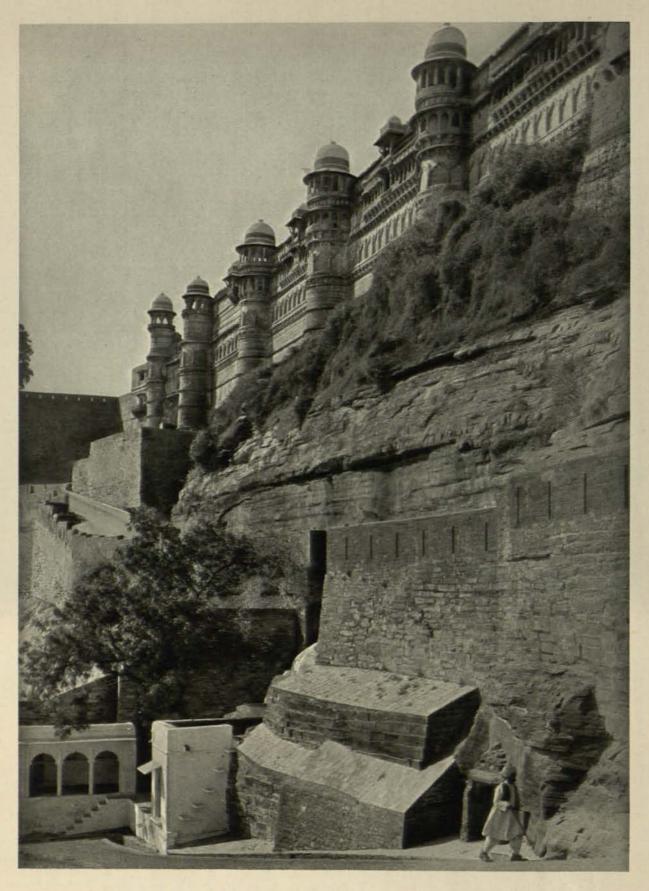
Gwalior. Path to the Citadel Gwalior. Salita al castello

Gwalior, Aufgang zur Burg Gwalior, La citadelle



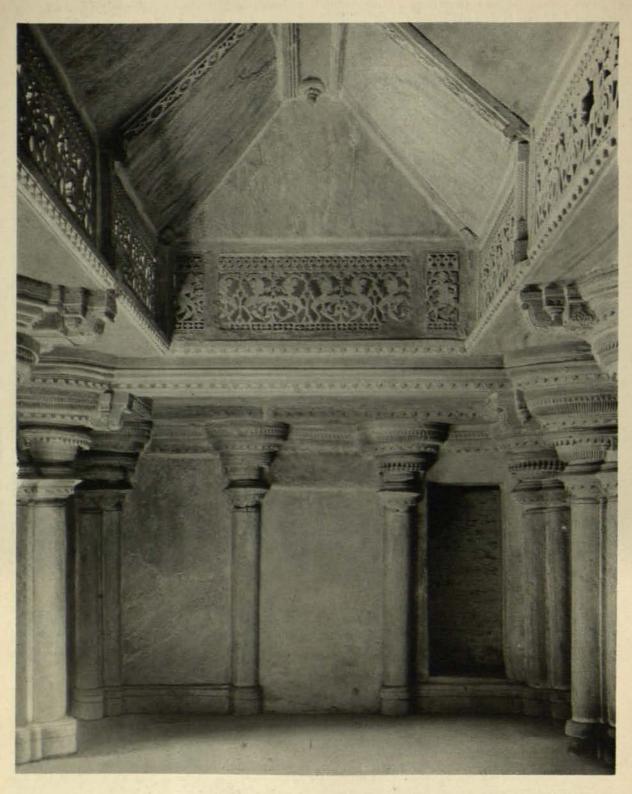
Gwalior-Fort. Der Tempel Telika-Mandir Gwalior. Le temple de Telika-Mandir

Gwalior Fort, The Telika-Mandir Temple Fortezza di Gwalior, Il tempio di Telika-Mandir



Gwalier, Aufstieg zur Burg Gwalier, Montée vers la citadelle

Gwalior. Ascent to the Citadel Gwalior. Salita al castello



Gwalior-Fort, Saal im Palast des Man Singh Citadelle de Gwalior, Salle dans le palais du Man Singh

Gwalior. Hall in the Man Singh Palace Fortezza di Gwalior. Sala nel palazzo del Man Singh



Gwalior, Steingitterwerk im Grabmal des Mohammed Ghaus

Gwalior. Fenêtres de pierre ajourée dans le mausolée de Mohammed Ghaus

Gwalier. Stone lattice-work on the Tomb of Muhammad Ghaus

Gwalior. Graticolato di pietra nel mausoleo di Maometto Ghaus



Agra. Taj Mahal Agra. Le Tadi Mahal

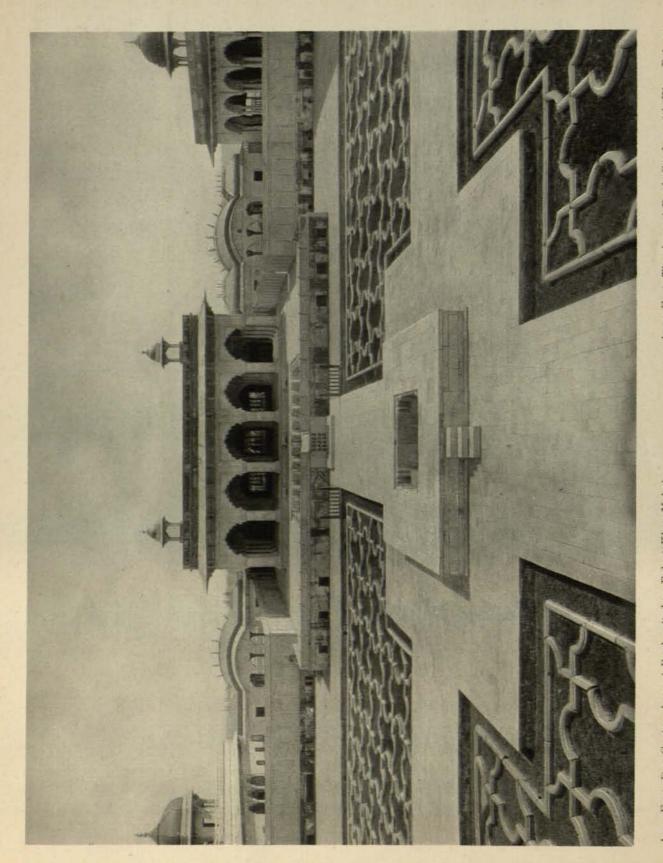
Agra. Interior of the Taj Mahal Agra. Interno del Taj Mahal

Agra, Inneres des Taj Mahal Agra, Intérieur du Tadj Mahal

Agra Fort. Pavilion with view of the Taj Mahal Fortezza di Agra. Padiglione con vista sul Taj Mahal

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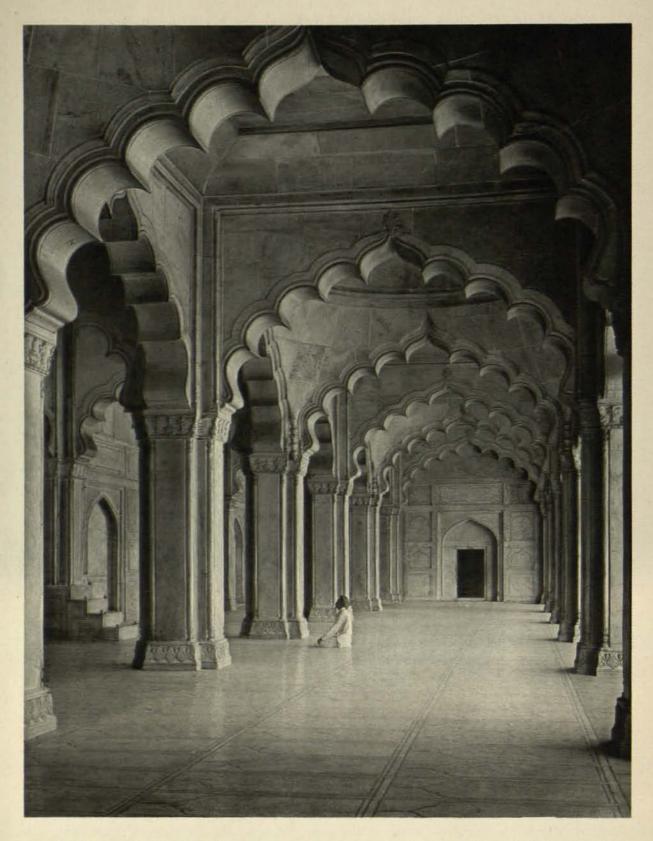
Agra-Fort. Pavillon mit Blick auf den Taj Mahal Fort d'Agra. Pavillon avec vue sur le Tadj Mahal



Agra Fort, The Anguri Bagh Garden with Khas Palace Fortezza di Agra. Il giardino d'Anguri Bagh col palazzo di Kha Mahal

Fort d'Agra. Le jardin d'Angouri Bagh avec le palais de Khas Mahal

Agra-Fort, Der Garten Anguri Bagh mit dem Palast Khas Mahal



Agra-Fort. Inneres der Moti Masjid oder Perlmoschee

Fort d'Agra. Intérieur de la Moti Masdjid ou «Mosquée des perles»

Agra Fort. Interior of the Moti Masjid or Pearl Mosque

Fortezza di Agra, Interno della Moti Mascid (moschea delle perle)



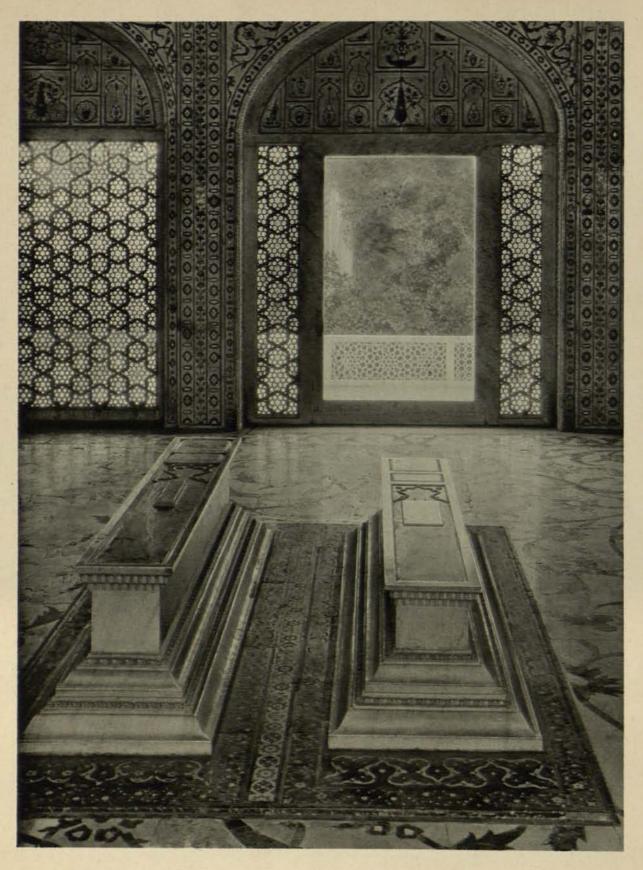
Agra-Fort. Inneres und Hof der Perlmoschee Fort d'Agra. Intérieur et cour de la Mosquée de perles

Agra Fort. Interior and Courtyard of the Pearl Mosque Fortezza di Agra. Interno e corte della moschea delle perie



Agra-Fort, Pavillon Sam-man Burj Fort d'Agra, Pavillon Sam-man Bourdj

Agra Fort, Pavilion Sam-man Burj Fortezza di Agra, Il padiglione Sam-Man Bury



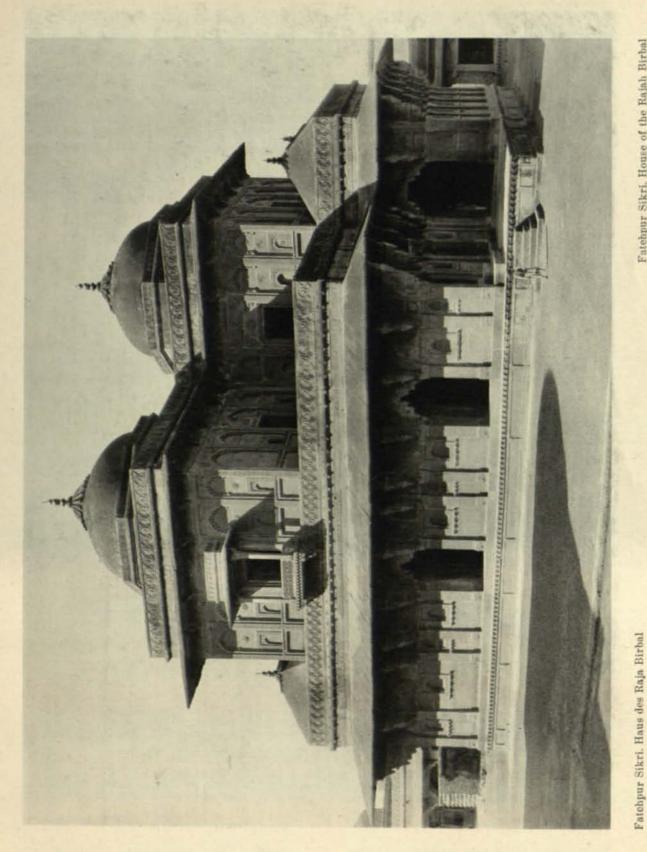
Agra. Im Grabmal des Itimad-ud-Daula Agra. Dans le mausolée d'Itimad-ud-Daula

Agra. In the tomb of the Itimad-ud-Daula Agra. Nel mausoleo di Itimad-ud-Daula



Akbars Grab in Sikandra bei Agra Le tombeau d'Akbar à Sicandra

Akbar's tomb in Sikandra near Agra La tomba di Akbar a Sikandra presso Agra



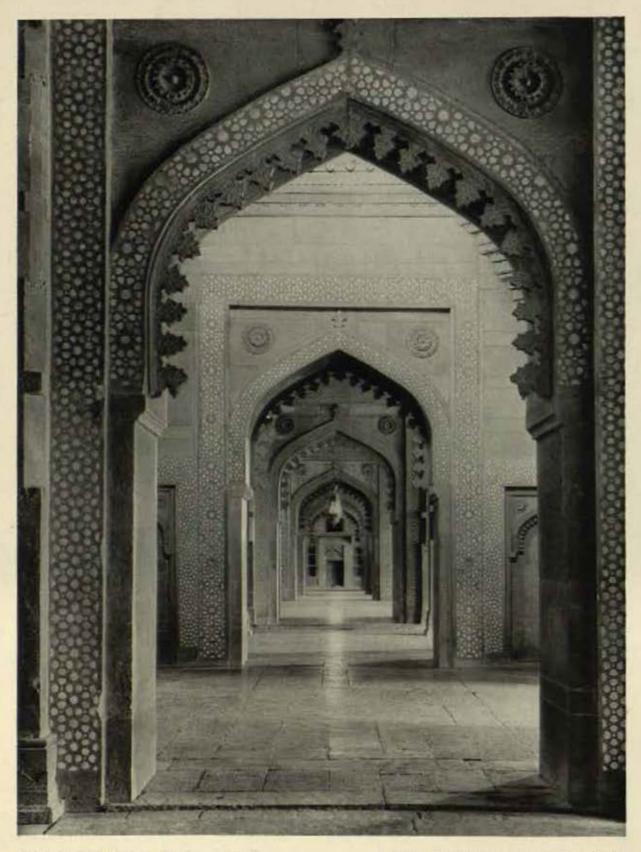
Fatehpur Sikri, House of the Rajah Birbal Fatehpur Sikri, Casa del Raia Birbal

Fatehpour Sikri. Maison du Raja Birbal



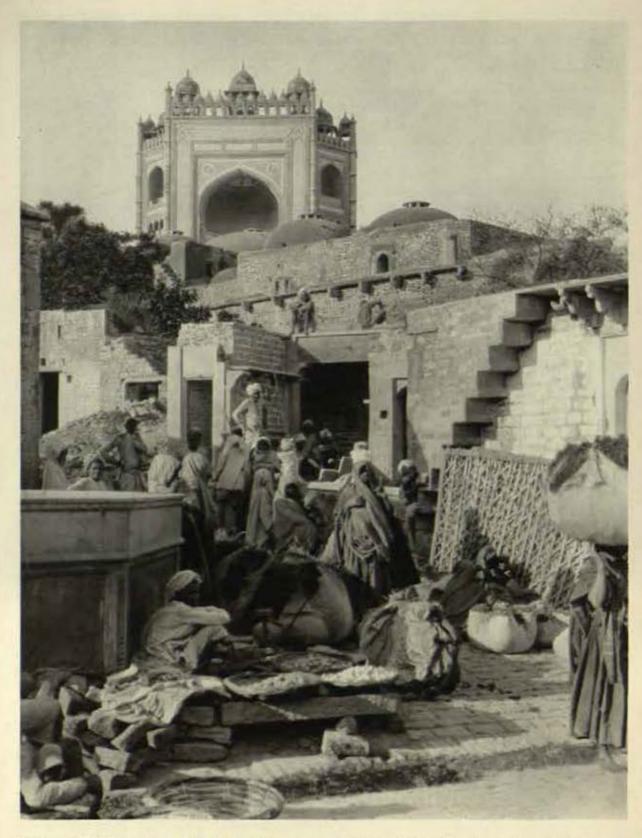
Fatehpur Sikri. Mittelpfeiler im Diwan-i-Khas Fatehpour Sikri. Pilier central du Diwan-i-Khas

Fatehpur Sikri. Central pillar in the Diwan-i-Khas Fatehpur Sikri. Pilastro centrale nel Diwan-i-Khas



Fatehpur Sikri. Inneres der Jama Masjid Fatehpour Sikri. Intérieur de la Djama Masdjid

Fatchpur Sikri, Interior of the Jama Masjid Fatchpur Sikri, Interno della Jama Mascid

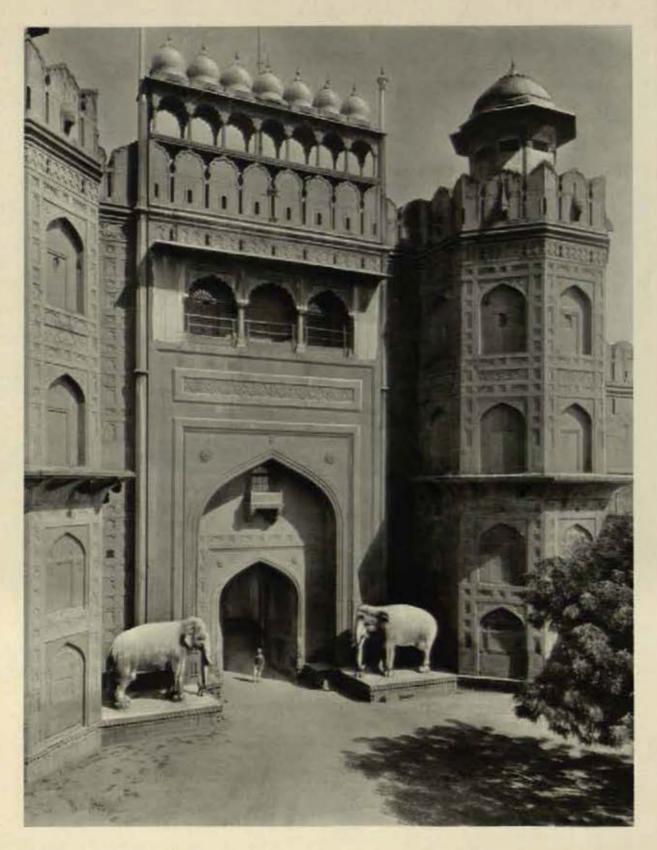


Fatehpur Sikri. Im heutigen Dorf, In der Höhe das Triumphtor Baland Darwaza

Fatehpour Sikri. Dans le village actuel. Sur la hauteur, la porte triomphale (Baland Darwaza)

Fatchpur Sikri. The modern village. On the height the Triumphal Gate Baland Darwaza

Fatehpur Sikri. Nel villaggio moderno (in alto l'arco di trionfo Baland Darwaza)



Delhi. Dan Delhi-Tor des Forts Delhi. Fort; la porte de Delhi

Delhi. The Delhi Gate of the fort Delhi. La porta di Delhi della fortezza

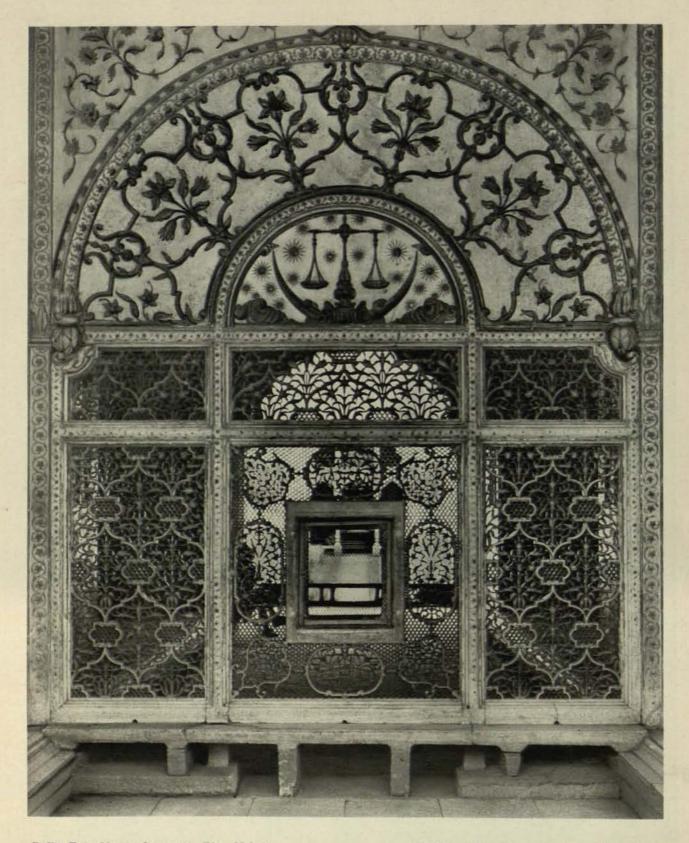


Delhi-Fort. Thronnische im Diwan-i-Am

Fort de Delhi. Le dais du trône dans le

Diwan-i-Am

Delhi Fort. Throne dais in the Diwan-i-Am Fortezza di Delhi. Baldacchino del trono nel Diwan-i-Am



Delhi-Fort. Marmorfenster im Khas Mahal

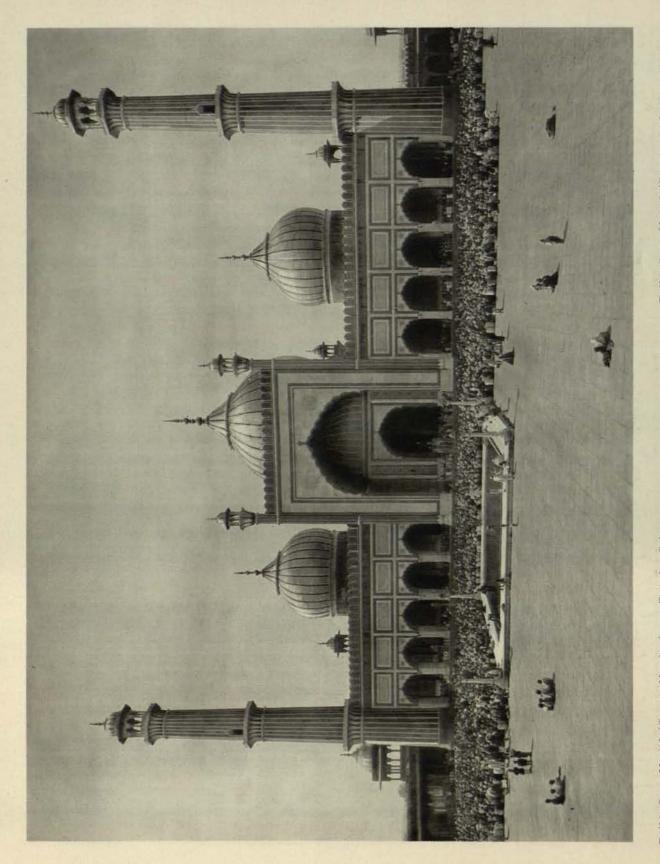
Fort de Delhi. Fenêtre de marbre dans le Khas Mahal

Delhi Fort. Marble window in the Khas Mahal

Fortezza di Delhi. Finestra di marmo nel Khas Mahal



Delhi-Fort, Diwan-i-Khas Fort de Delhi, Diwan-i-Khas



Delhi, Jama Masjid (Big mosque) at prayer time Delhi, Jama Mascid (grande moschea) all'ora della preghiera

Delhi. Jama Masjid (Grosse Moschee) zur Zeit des Gebets Delhi. Djama Masdjid (Grande mosquée) à l'heure de la prière

Old Delhi. At the walls of the Tughiakahad fortress
Delhi Vecchia, Mura della fortezza di Tughiakahad

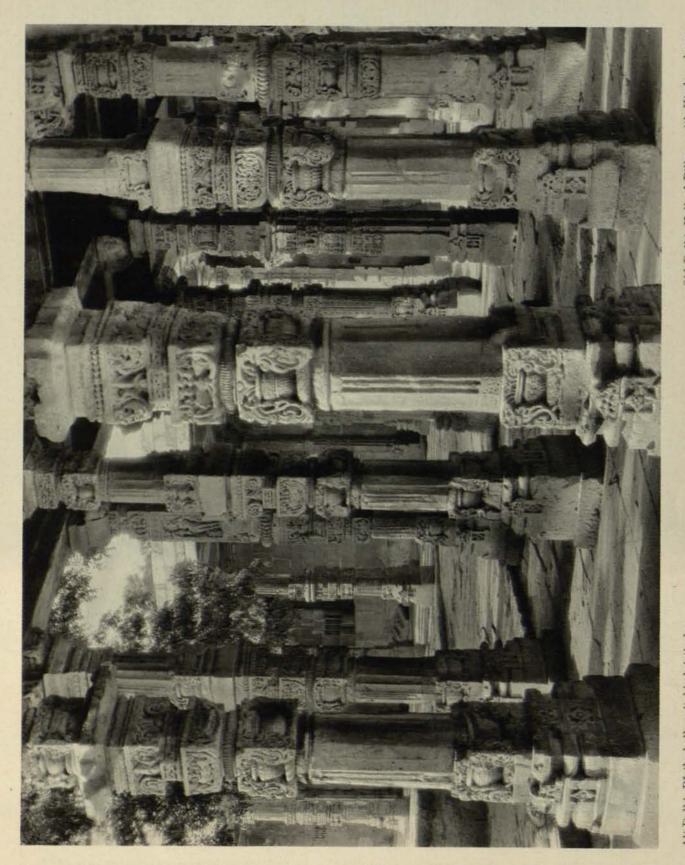
Alt-Delhi, An den Mauern der Festung Tughlakabad Vieux Delhi, Mars de in forteresse de Tonghlakabad

Old Delhi, Tomb of Isa Khan Delhi Vecchia, Mausoleo di Isa Khan

Alt-Delhi, Grabmai Isa Khan's Vieux Delhi, Tombeau d'Isa Khan

Old Delhi, Tomb of Humayun Delhi Vecehia, Tombs di Humayun

Alt-Delhi, Grabmal des Humayun Vleux Delhi, Tembeau de Houmayoun

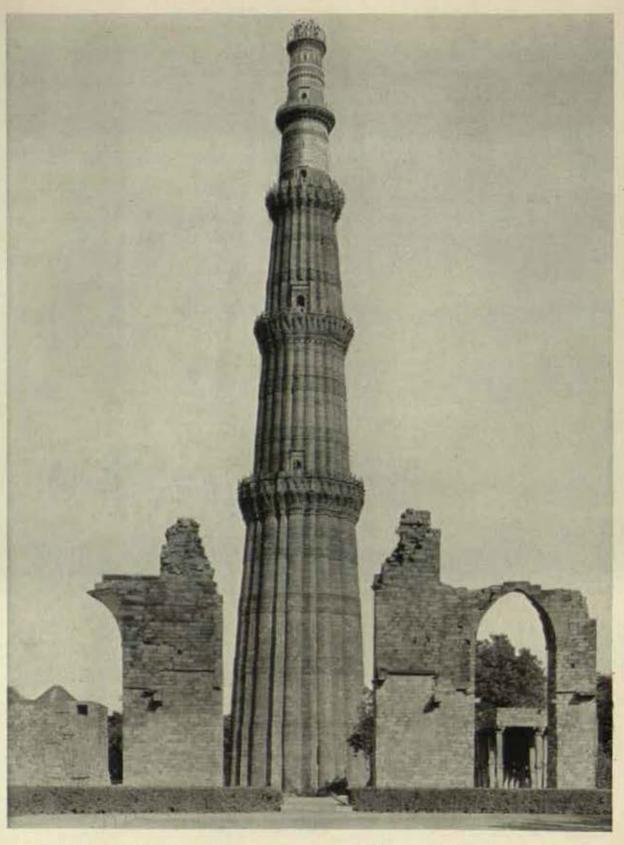


Old Delhi. Hall of Pillars with Hindu columns in the Kuwwat-ul-Islam Mosque

Delhi Vecchia, Portico con colonne indù nella moschea di Kuwwat-ul-Islam

Alt-Delhi. Pfeilerhalle mit hinduistischen Säulen in der Moschee Kuwwat-ul-Islam

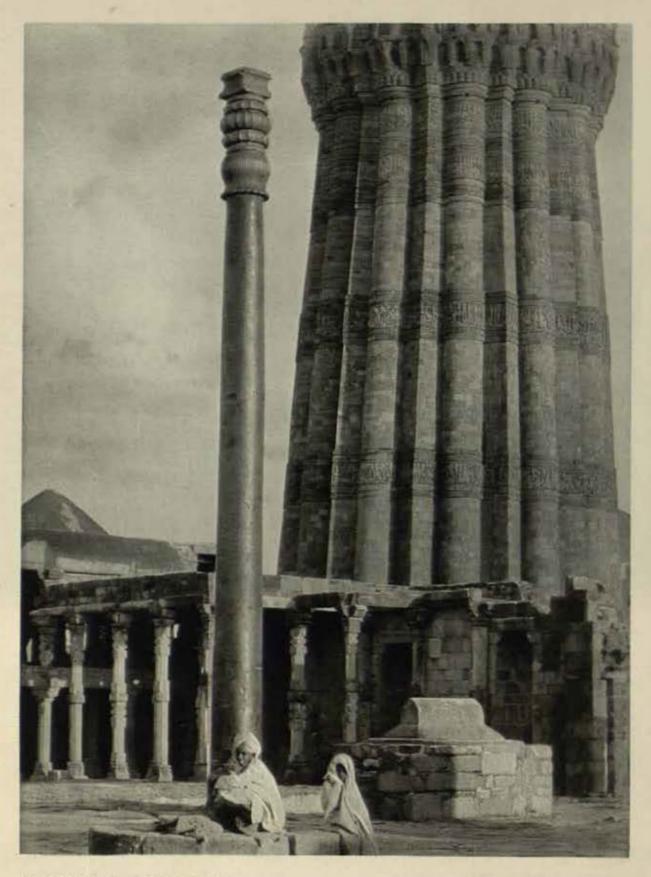
Vieux Delhi, Colonnade couverte avec colonnes hindoues dans la mosquée de Kowwat-ul-Islam



Alt-Delhi, Der Siegesturm Kuth Minar

Vieux Delhi, Colonne de la Victoire, dite Kuth Minar

Old Delhi. The Victory Tower of Kuth Minar Delhi Vecchia. La torre della Vittoria. detta Kuth Minar



Alt-Delhi. Die eiserne Säule in der Moschee Kuwwat-ul-Islam, dahinter das Kutb Minar

Vieux Delhi. La colonne de fer dans la mosquée de Kowwat-ul-Islam; à l'arrière-plan, le Kuth Minar

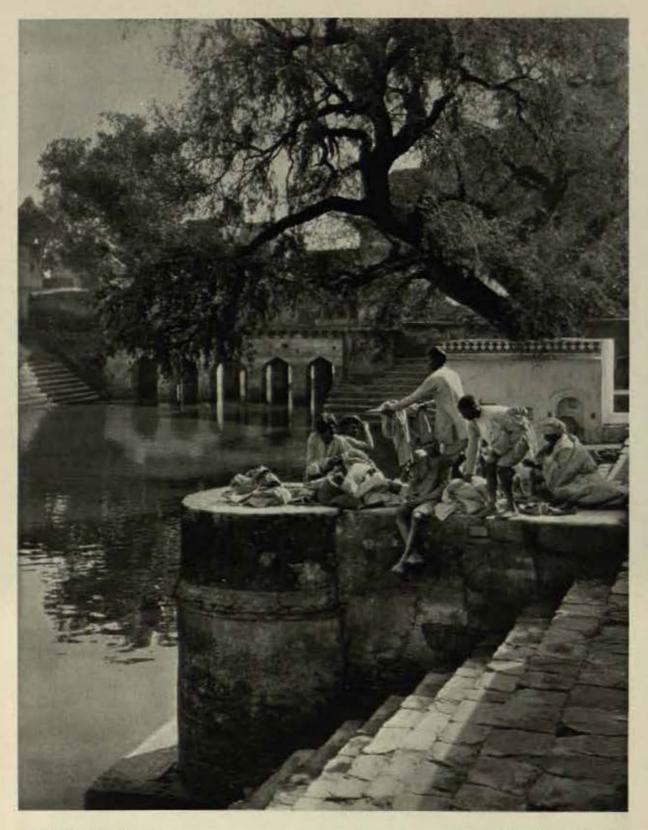
Old Delhi. The iron column in the Kuwwat-ul-Islam Mosque; behind is the Kutb Minar

Delhi Vecchia. La colonna di ferro nella moschea di Kuwwat-ul-Islam; nello sfondo il Kutb Minar



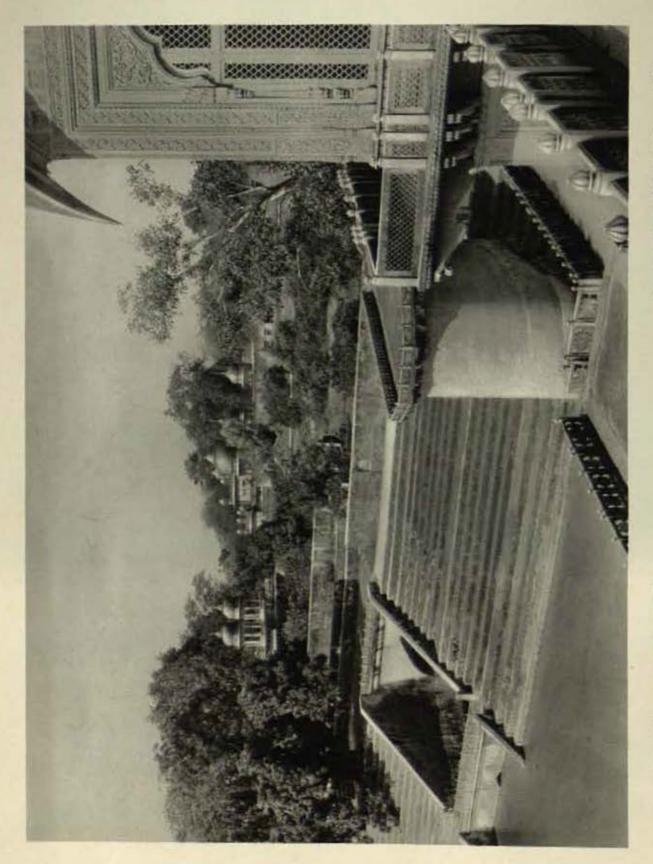
Brindaban, Gobind Deo Tempel Brindaban, Temple de Gobind Deo

Brindaban, Gobind Deo Temple Brindaban, Templo di Gobind Deo



Gobardhan, Am Teich Gobardhan, Au bord du bassin

Gobardhan. At the tank Gobardhan, Sulla riva dello stagno

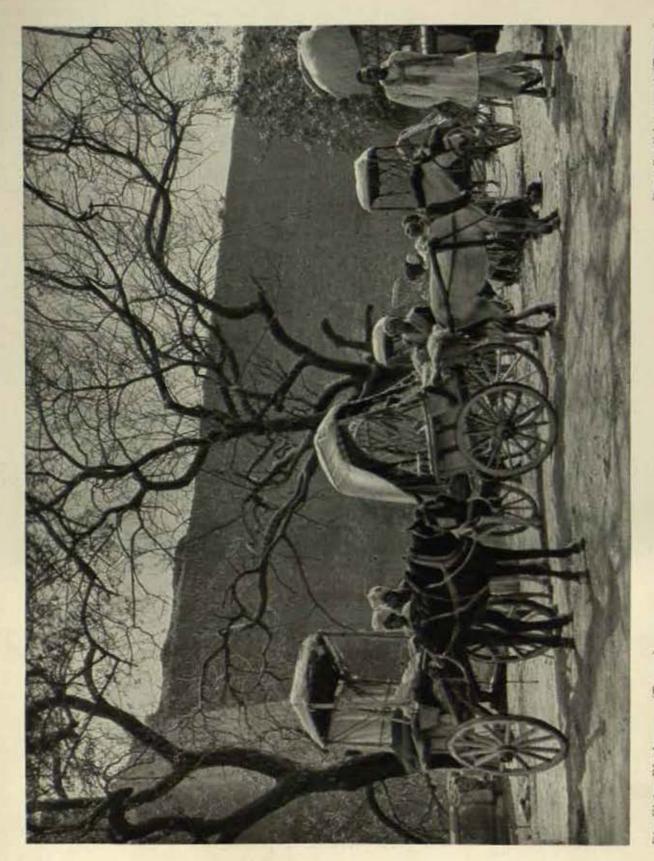


Gobardhan, The tombs of the Princes of Bharatpur Gobardhan, Le tombe dei principi di Bharatpur

Gobardhan, Die Grabmiller der Fützsten von Bharatpur Gobardhan, Les tembesax des souverains de Bharatpour

Deeg, Entrance to the Fort Dig. Ingresso della fortezza

Dig. Eingang zum Fort Dig. Entrée du fort



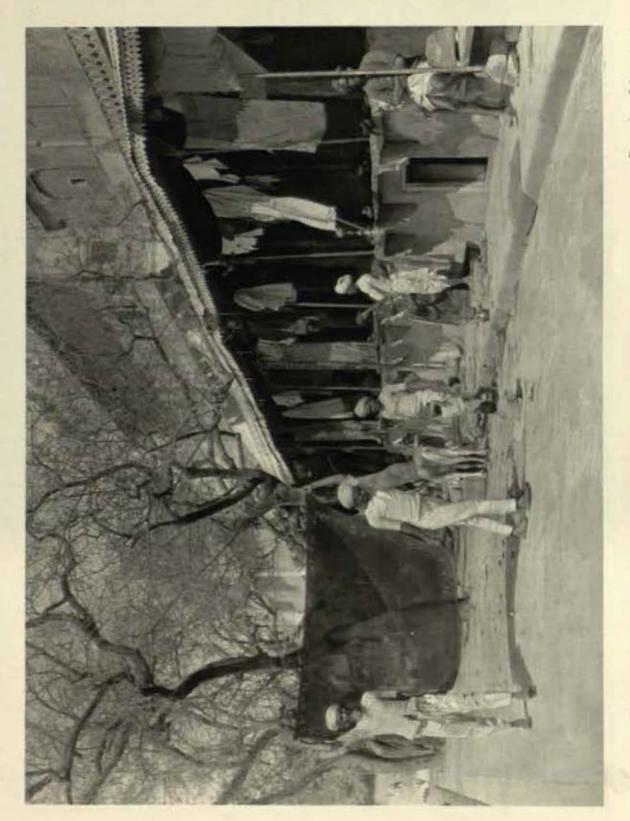
Dig. Rieine Pferdewagen (Tongas)
Dig. Petites voitures à chevaux (tongas)

The Palace of Deeg II palazzo di Dig

Der Palase von Dig Le palais de Dig

Jaipur, Street with Temple Portico

Jaipur, Strasse mit Tempeleingang Djatponr, Rue et entrée d'un temple



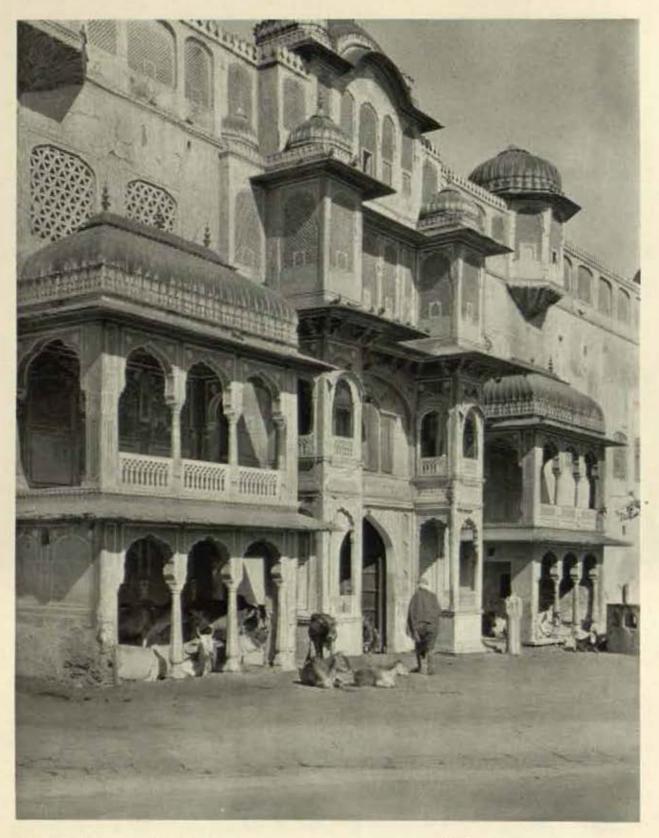
Dyers in a Jaipur street Tinfori in una via di Jaipur

Farber in einer Strasse von Jaipur Teinturiers dans une rue de Djatpour



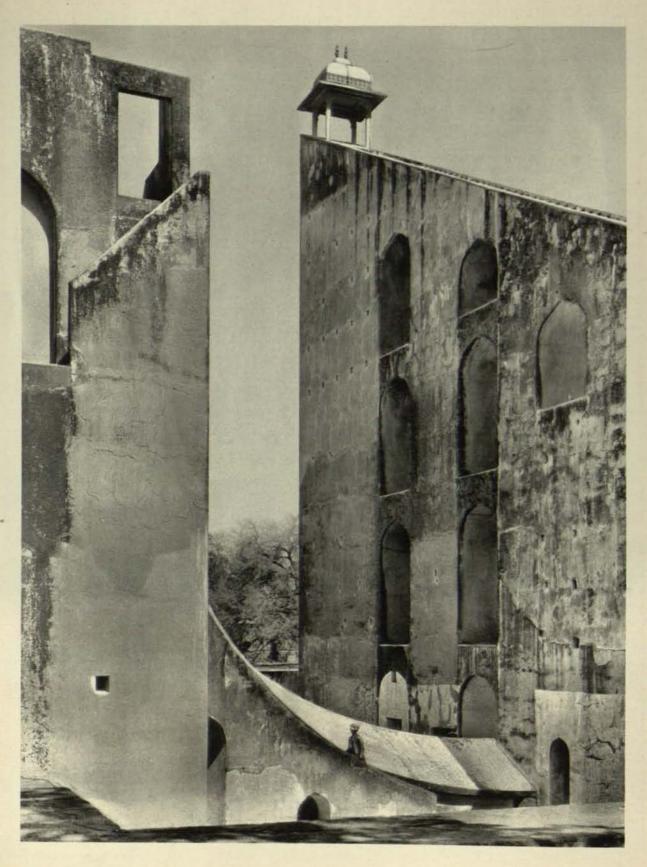
Jaipur, Palast der Winde Disipour, Palais des Vents

Jaipur, Palace of the Winds Jaipur, Palazzo dei Venti



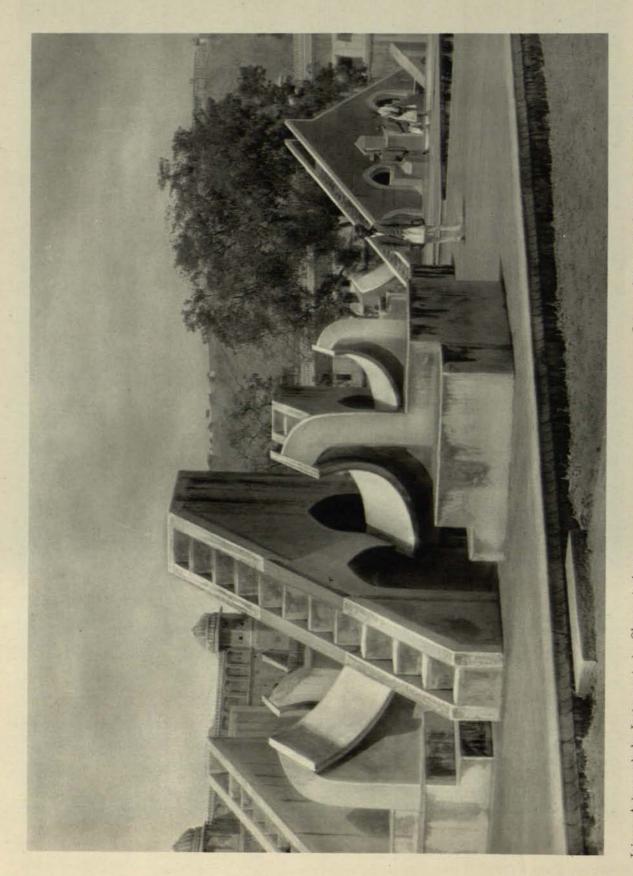
Jaipur, Gebäude im Vorhof des Palastes Djatpour, Edifice dans la première cour du palais

Jaipur, Building in the portico of the palace Jaipur, Edificio nell'atrio del palazzo



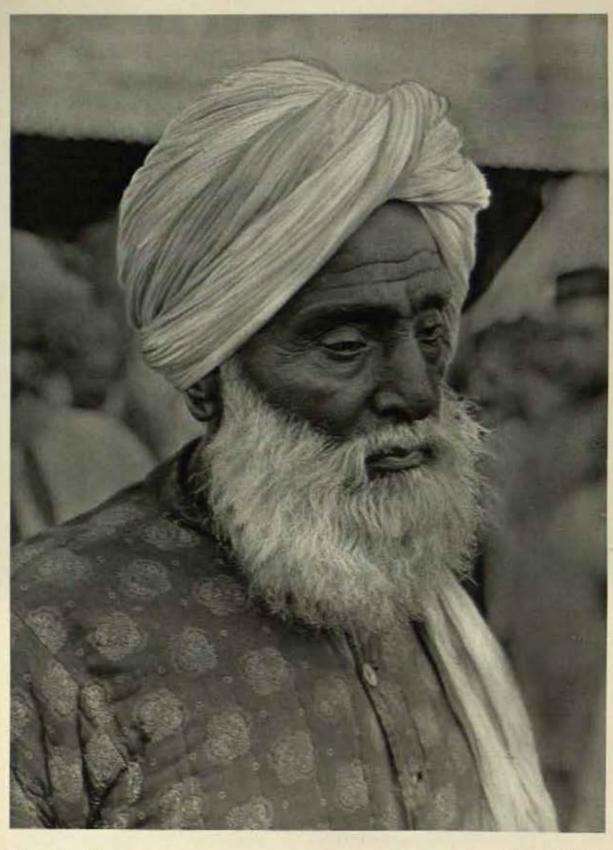
Jaipur. Gnomon im Observatorium des Jai Singh Djaïpour. Gnomon de l'observatoire de Djaï Singh

Jaipur. Gnomon in the Jai Singh Observatory Jaipur. Gnomon nell'osservatorio di Jaisingh



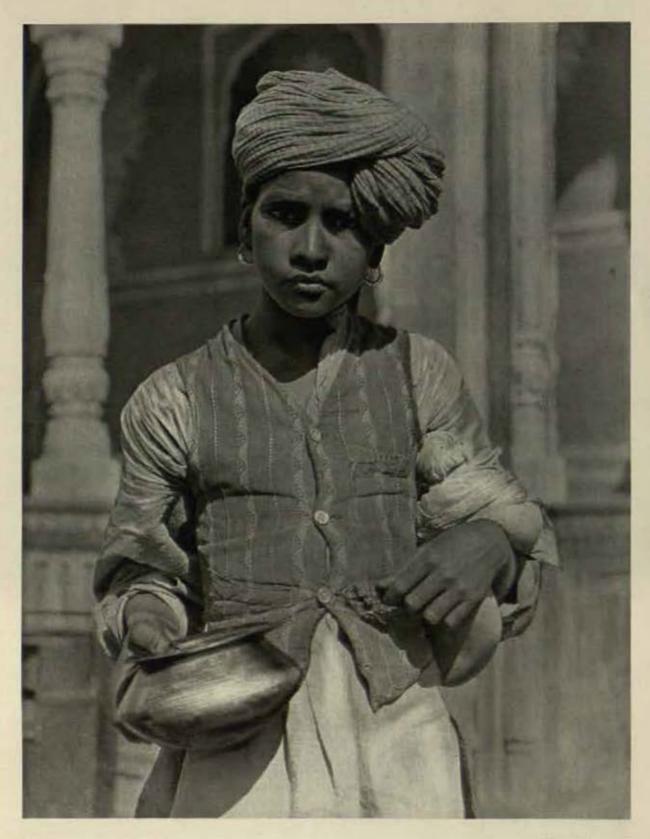
Jaipur. Strumenti astronomici nell'osservatorio Jaipur, Astronomical instruments in the Observatory

Jaipur, Astronomische Instrumente im Observatorium



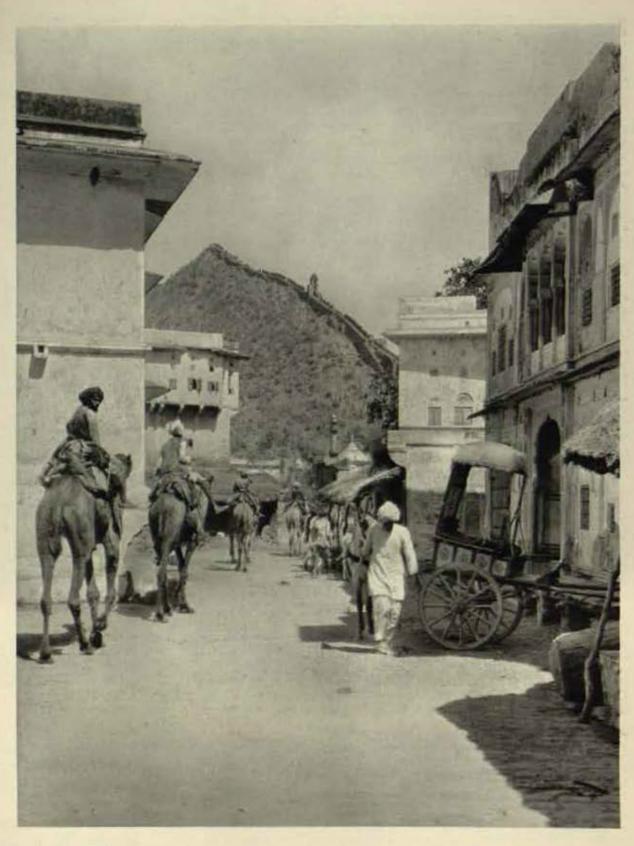
Jaipur, Alter Rajpute Djaipour, Vieux Radjpoute

Jaipur, Old Rajput Jaipur, Vecchio Ragput



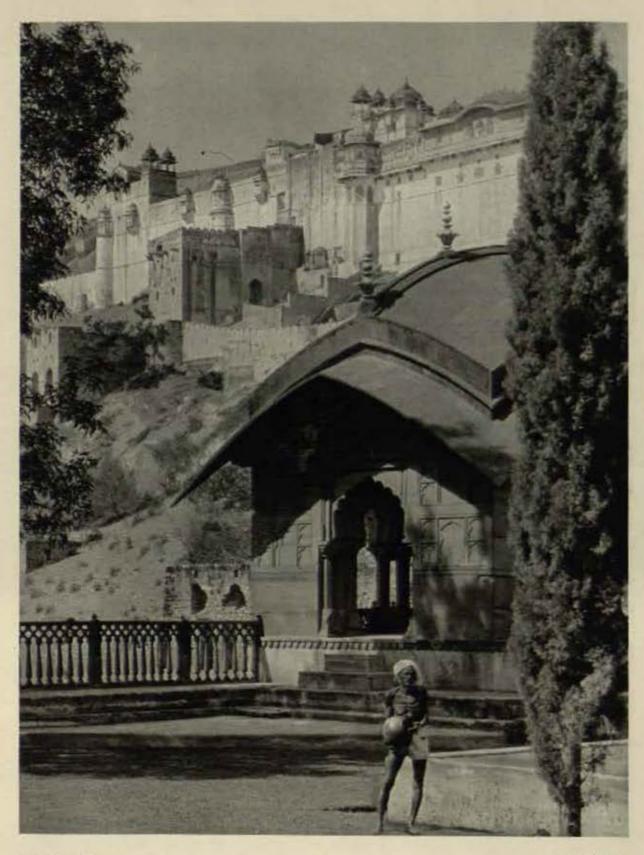
Jaipur, Knabe mit Gefäss Djaïpour, Jeune garçon tenant un récipient

Boy with vessel Jaipur. Ragazzo con recipiente



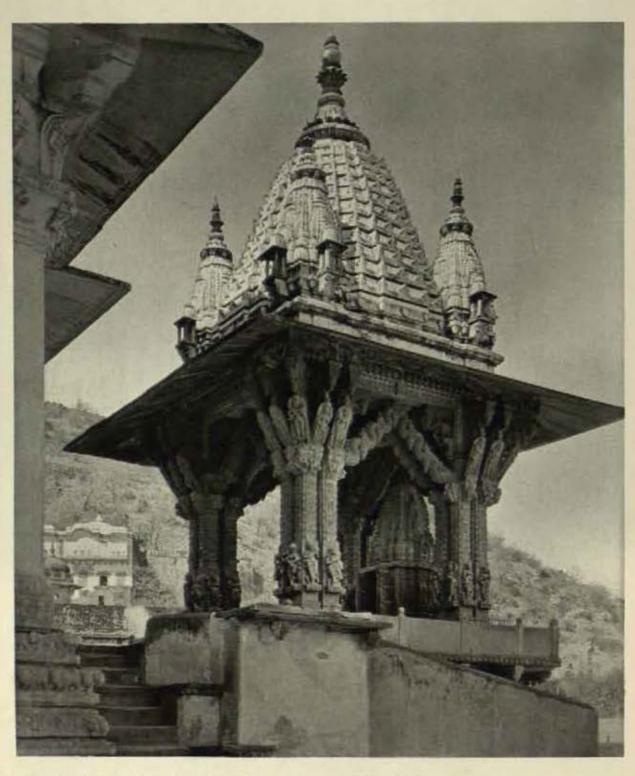
Strusse in Amber Rue à Amber

Street in Amber Una via di Amber



Schloss Amber Amber, Le château

Amber Castle Castello di Amber



Amber, Pavillon des Thakurji-(Vishnu-)Tempels

Amber, Pavillon devant le temple de Thakourdji
(Vichnou)

Amber, Pavilion on the Tharkurji (Vishnu) Temple

Amber, Padiglione del templo di Thakurji

(Vishnu)



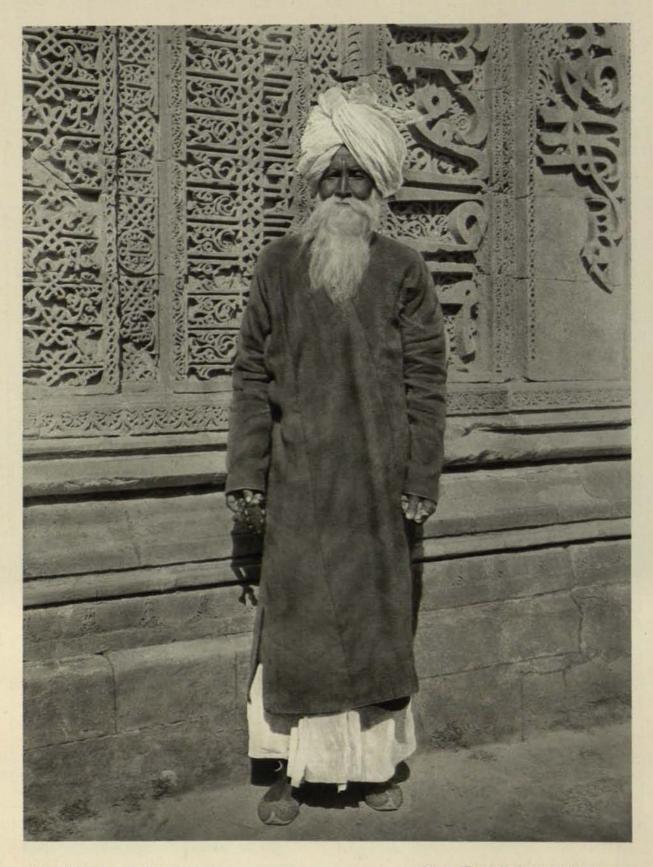
Amber. Tor zum Thakurji-Tempel Amber. Porte menant au temple de Thakourdji

Amber. Gate of the Thakurji Temple Amber. Porta verso il tempio di Thakurji



Ajmir. Moschee Arhai-din-kha-Jhonpra Adjmir. Mosquée d'Arhaï-din-Kha-Djhonpra

Ajmir. Moschea di Arhai-din-Kha-Jhonpra



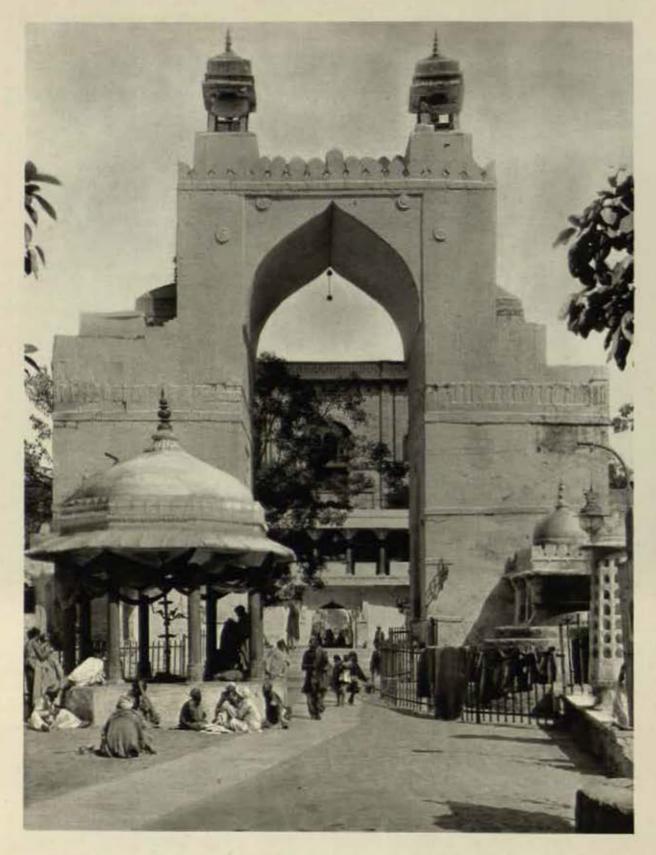
Ajmir. Fakir vor der Moschee Adjmir. Fakir devant la mosquée

Ajmer. Fakir in front of the Mosque Ajmir. Fachiro davanti alla moschea



Gasse în Ajmir Adjmir, Ruelle

Lane in Ajmer In usa viuzza di Ajmir

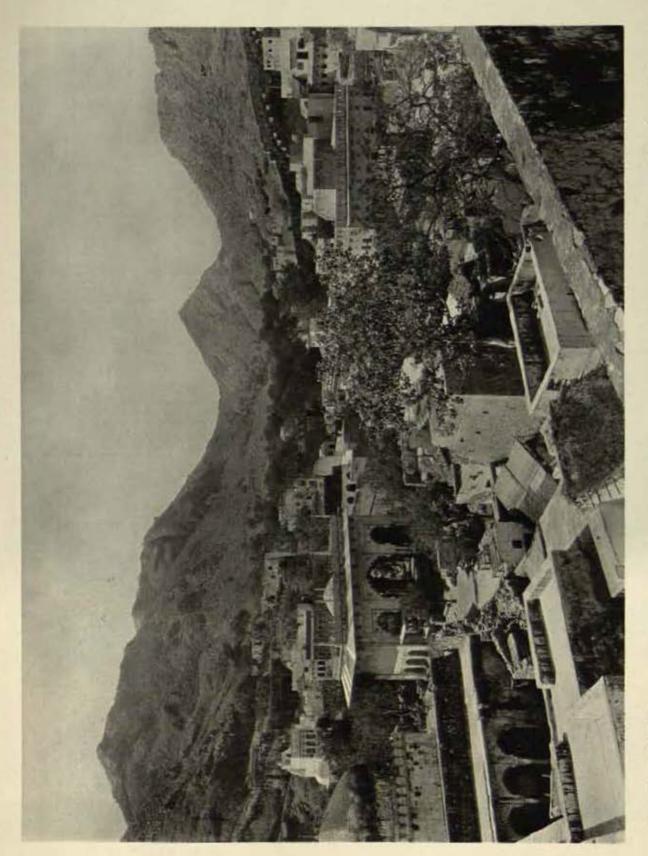


Ajmir. Tor des mohammedanischen Heiligtums Dargah Kwaja Sahib

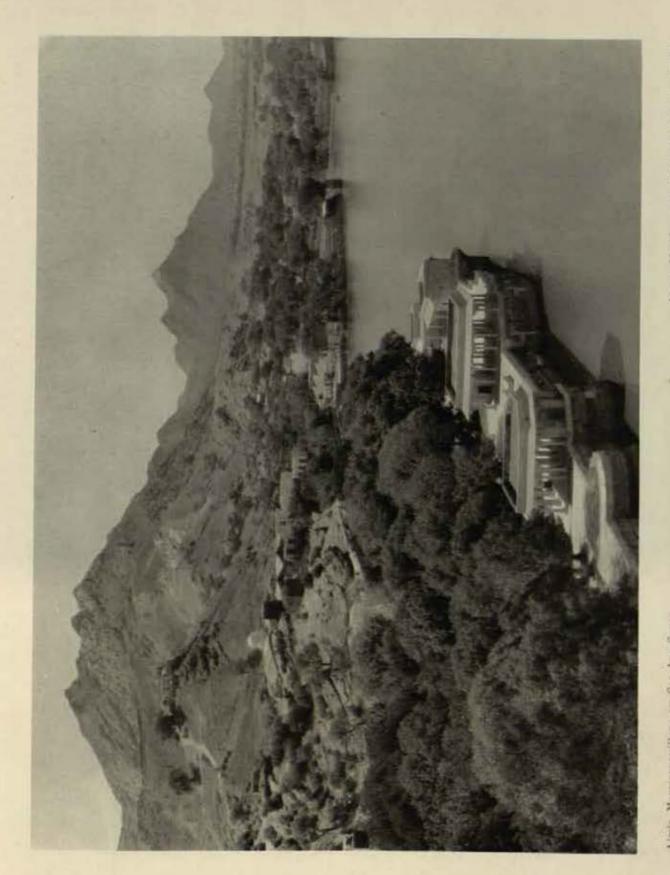
Adjmir. Porte devant le sanctuaire musulman de Dargah Kwadja Sahib

Ajmer, Gate of the Muhomadan Sanctuary Dargah Kwaja Sahib

Ajmir, Porta del santuario maomettano di Dargah Kwaja Sahib



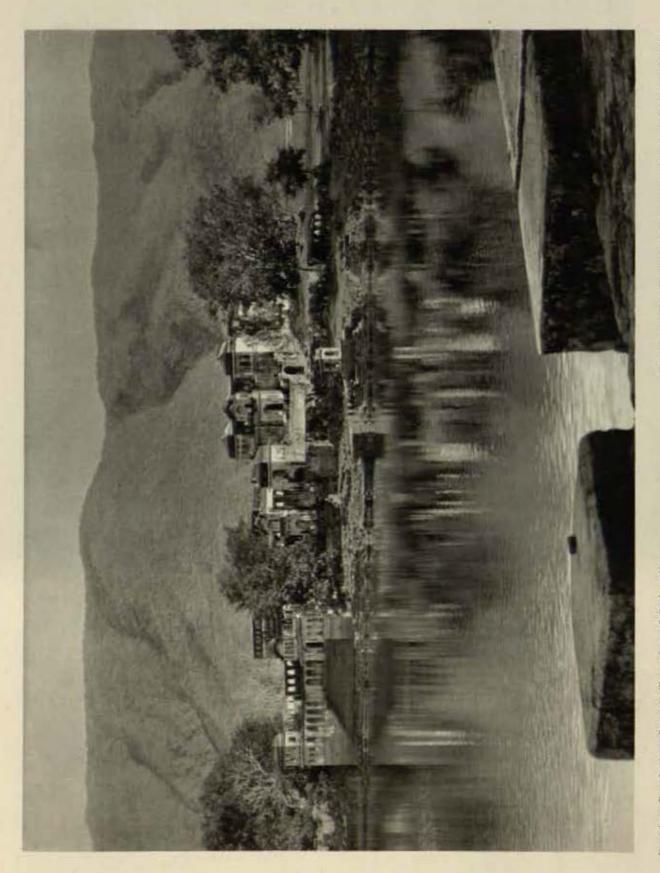
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Ajmer, Marble pavilions on the Ana Sagar Lake Ajmir, Padiglione di marme sul lago Ana Sagar

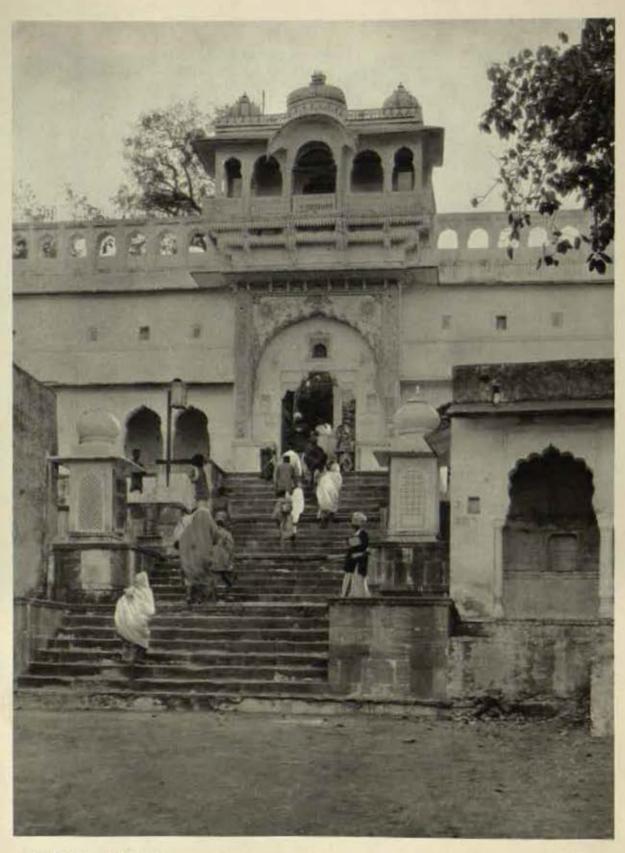
Agnir, Marmorpavillons am See Ana Sagar Adjmir Pavillons de marbre au bord du lac Ana Sagar

Pushkar, Pilgerhiuser Pushkar, Maisons de pèlerins



Pushkar, Der heilige See mit Tempeln und Badestellen Pushkar, Le lae saoré avec temples et emplacements pour les bains

Pushkar, The Holy Lake with Temples and Bathing Places Pushkar, Il lago saero con templi e posti per le ablazioni



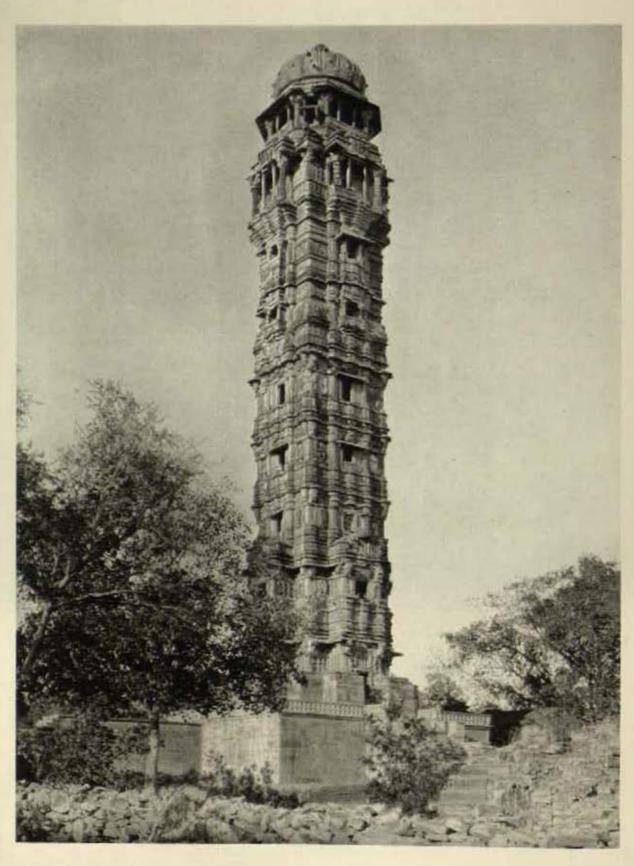
Pushkar, Tempel des Brahma Pushkar, Temple de Brahma

Pushkar, Tempie of Brahma Pushkar, Tempie di Brama



Pushkar, Ein Sadhu mit dem Dreizack des Shiva Pushkar, Un sadhou portant le trident de Siva

Pushkar, A Sadhu with the Shiva trident Pushkar, Sadhu col tridente di Siva



Chitorgarh, Der Siegesturm Tchittorgarh, Tour de la victoire

Chitorgarh, The Tower of Victory Chitorgarh, Terre della Vittoria



Chitorgarh, Ruhmesturm. Unterer Teil mit Jain-Figuren

Tehittorgarh, Tour de la gloire. En bas, figures djama

Chitorgarh. Tower of Fame Lower Part with Jain Figures

Chitorgarh, Torre della Gloria (nella parte inferiore figure di Giaino)

Chitorgarh, City walls and Palace Chitorgarh, Mura della città e palazzo

Chitorgarh, Stadtmsuern und Palast Tehittorgarh, Remparts et palais

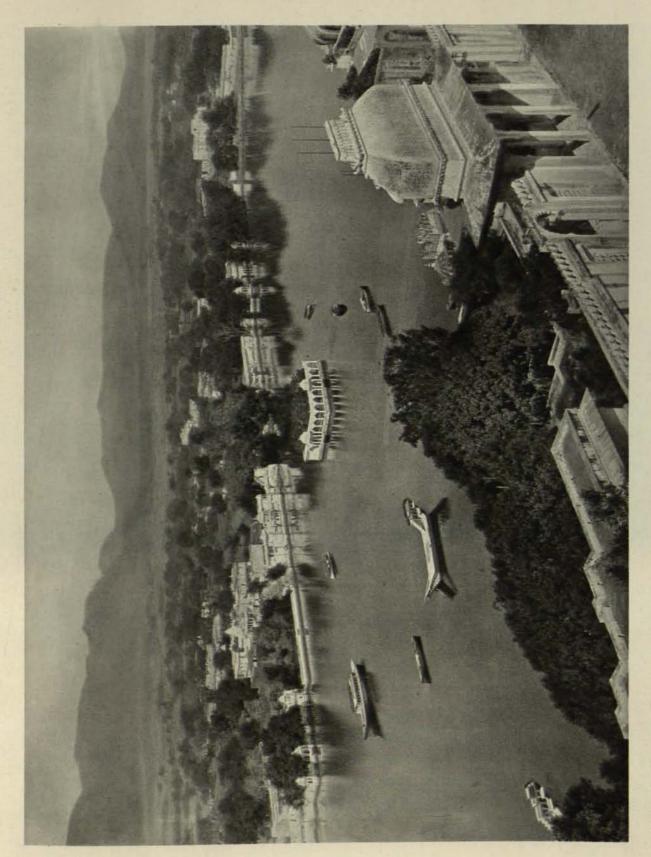


Chitorgarh. Männer beim Abschluss eines Geschäftes Tchittorgarh. Hommes concluant une affaire

Chitorgarh. Men after transacting of business Chitorgarh. Uomini che stanno conchiudendo un contratto

The Palace of the Maharana of Udaipur Il palazzo del Maharaja di Udaipur

Der Palast des Maharana von Udaipur Palais du Maharana d'Oudaîpour



Udaipur, View of the artificial lake from the palace Vista dal palazzo sul lago artificiale

Udaipur. Ausblick vom Palast auf den künstlichen See Oudaipour. Vue prise du palais sur le lac artificiel

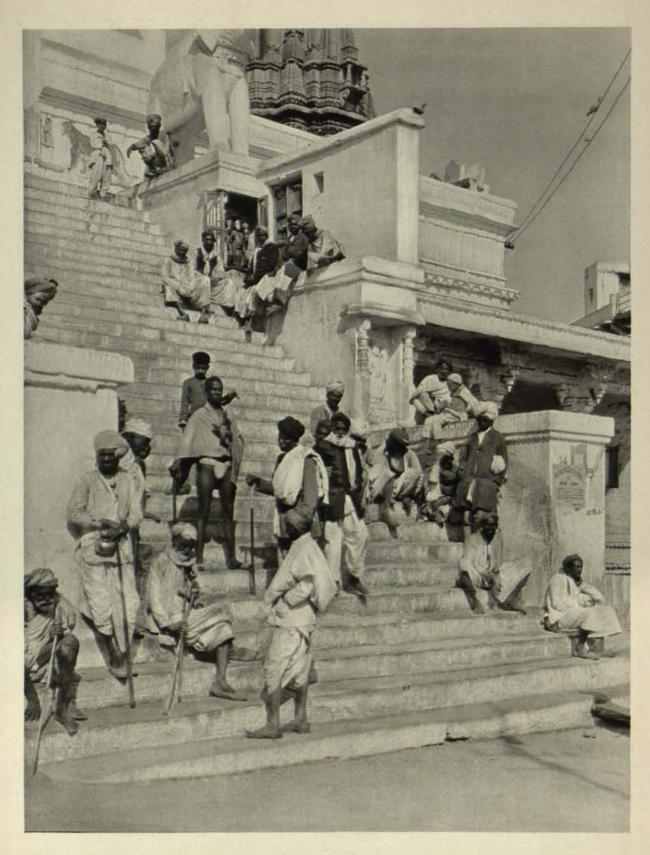
Udaipur. View from the palace of its courtyards and the town Udaipur. Vista dal palazzo sui suoi atri e sulla città

Udaipur, Ausblick vom Palast auf dessen Vorhöfe und die Stadt Oudarpour, Vue prise du palais sur les avant-cours et la ville



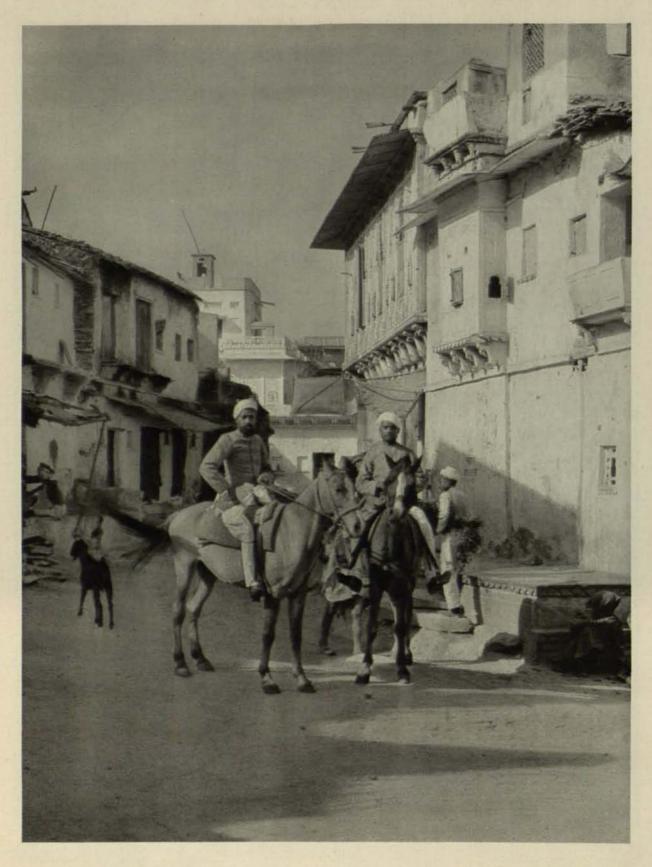
Udaipur. Rajputs with their weapons Udaipur. Ragputi con le loro armi

Udaipur, Rajputen mit ihren Waffen Oudaîpour, Radipoutes avec leurs armes



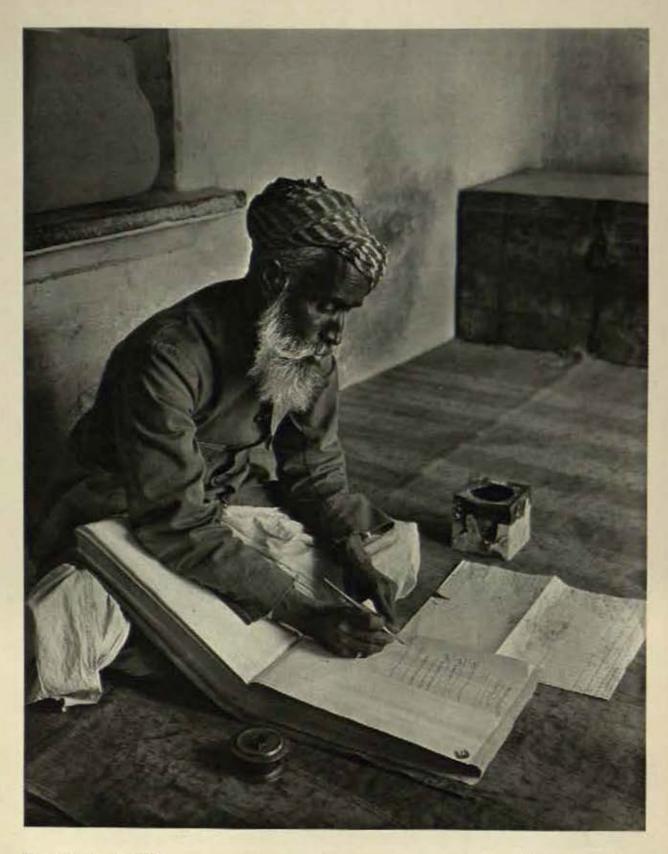
Udaipur. Treppe zum Jagannath-Tempel
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Udaipur. Steps to the Juggernaut Temple Udaipur. Scalinata al tempio di Jagannath



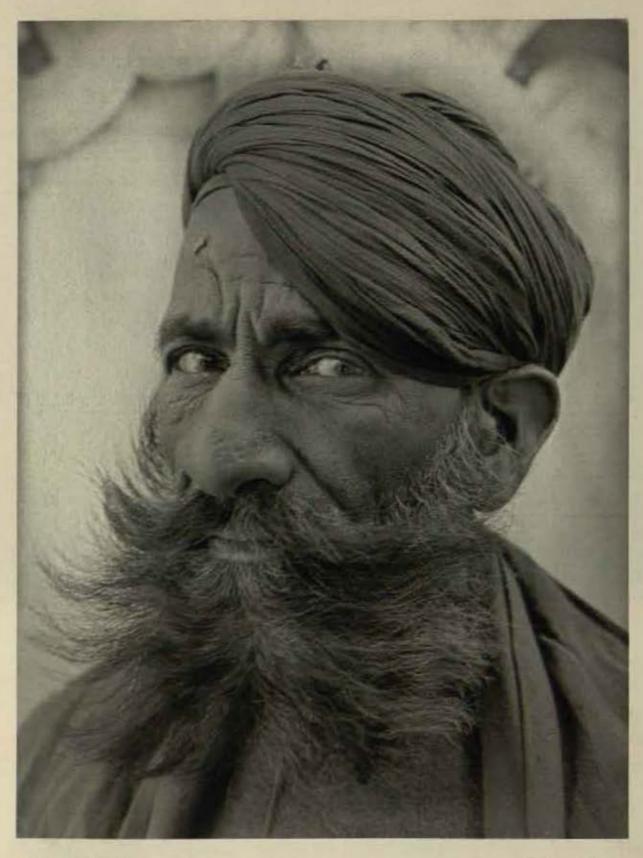
Udaipur. Strasse mit Reitern Oudaïpour. Rue avec cavaliers

Udaipur. Street with horsemen Udaipur. Cavalieri nella strada



Udaipur, Strassenbankier Oudaipour, Banquier en plein vent

Udaipur, Street banker Udaipur, Banchiere all'aperto

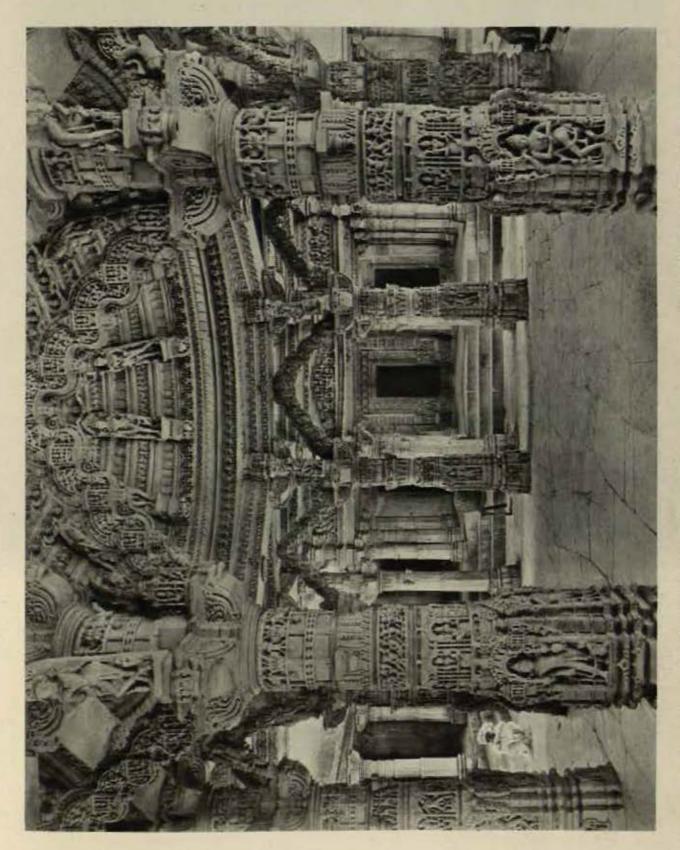


Udaipur, Ein Rojpute Oudaipour, Un radjpoute

Udaipur, A Rajput Udaipur, Un ragput

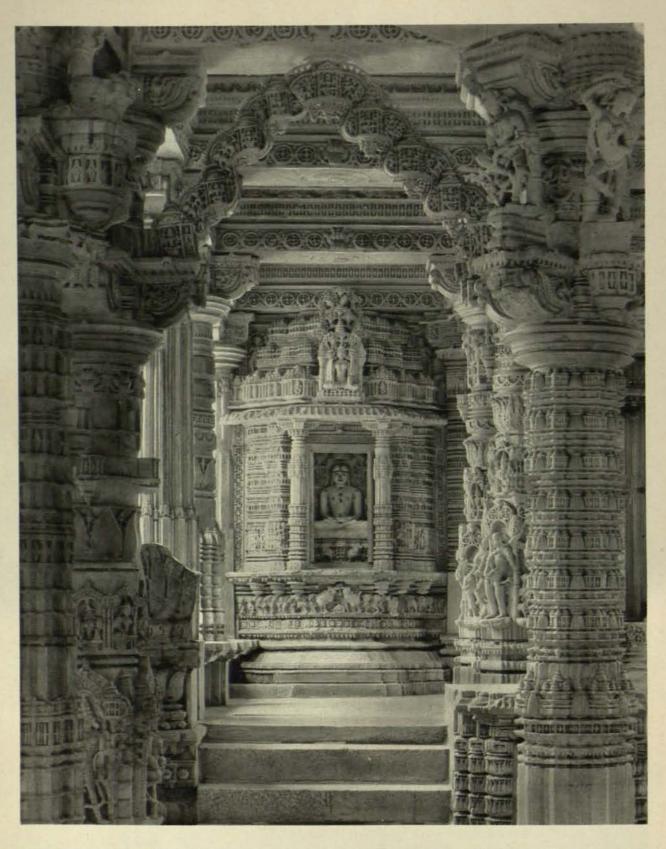
Mount Abu, Dilwara, Marble Ceiling of the Nemnath Temple Mount Abu, Dilwara, Volta marmorea del templo di Nemnath

Mount Abu, Dilwara, Marmordecke des Nemnath-Tempels Mont Abou, Dilwara, Platond de marbro du temple de Nemnath



Mount Abu, Dilwara, Hall of the Adinath Temple Mount Abu, Dilwara, Atrie del templo di Adinath

Mount Abu, Dilwarn, Halle des Adinath-Tempels Mont Abou, Dilwarn, Halle du temple d'Adinath



Mount Abu, Dilwara. Seitenkapelle im Nemnath-Tempel .

Mont Abou, Dilwara. Chapelle latérale du temple de Nemnath

Mount Abu, Dilwara. Side chapel in the Nemnath Temple

Mount Abu, Dilwara. Cappella laterale nel tempio di Nemnath

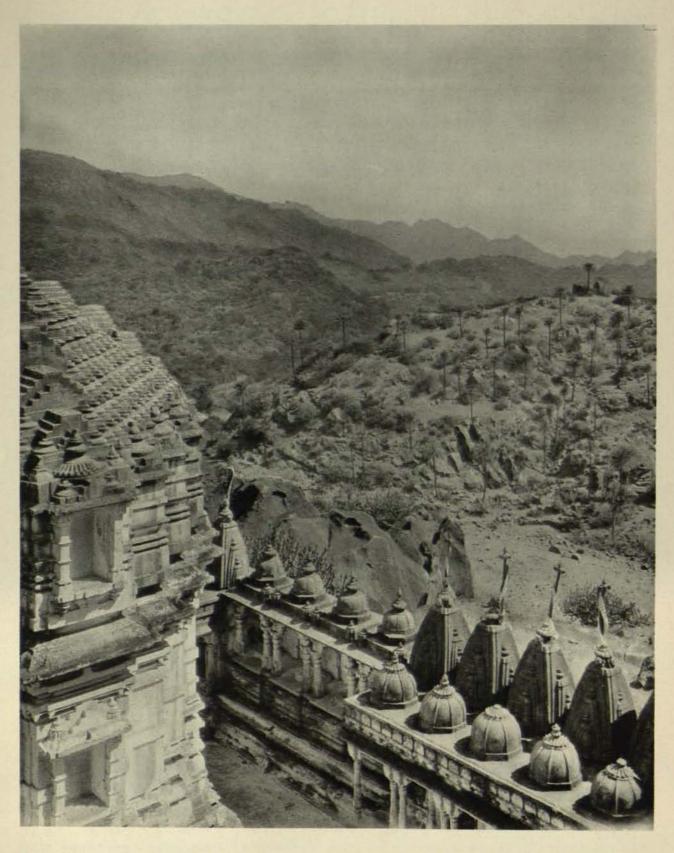


Mount Abu, Dilwara. Decke einer Seitenkapelle im Adinath-Tempel

Mont Abou, Dilwara. Plafond d'une chapelle latérale du temple d'Adinath

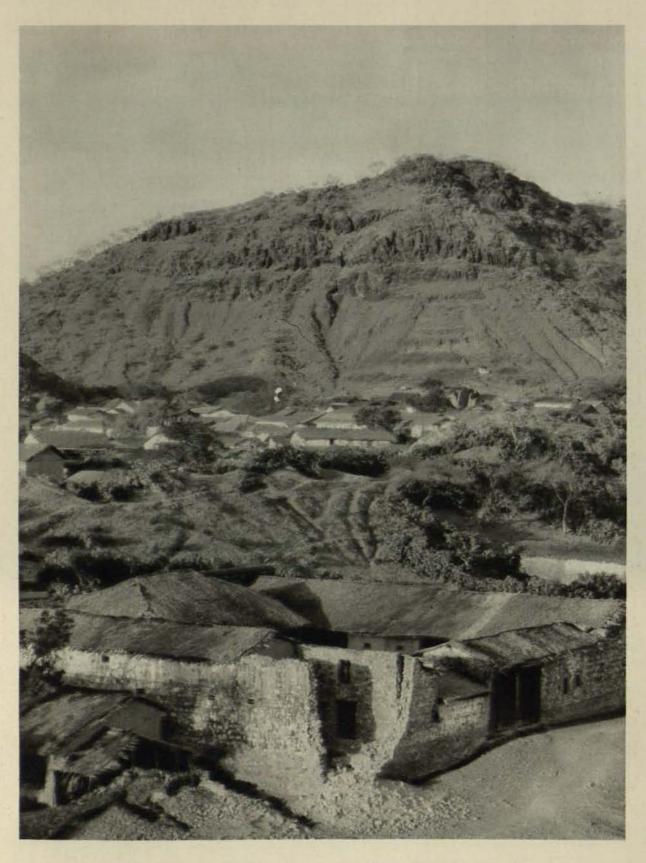
Mount Abu, Dilwara, Ceiling of a side chapel in the Adinath Temple

Mount Abu, Dilwara. Volta di una cappella laterale nel tempio di Adinath



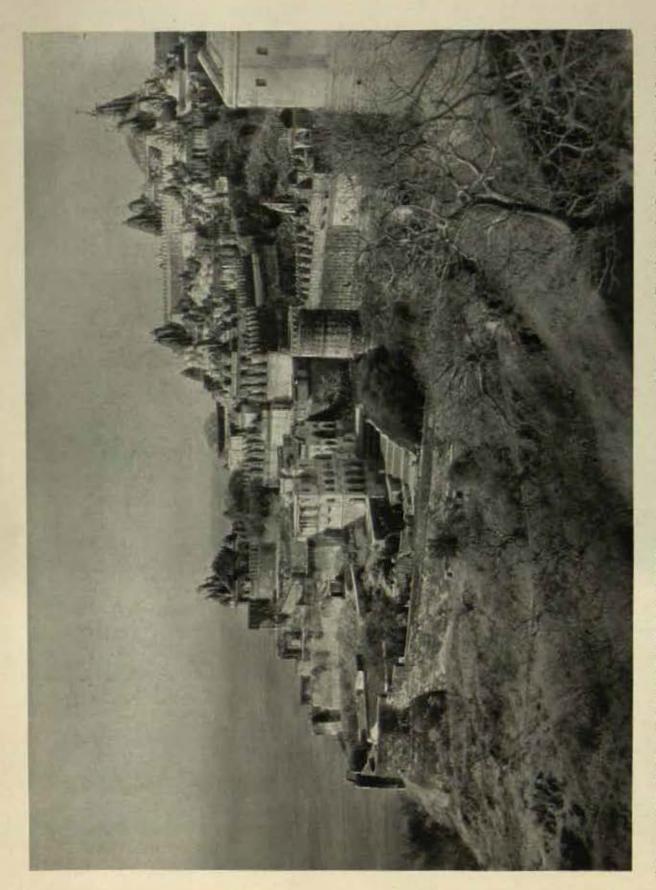
Mount Abu. Ausblick von der Höhe des Achilgarh-Tempels Mont Abou. Vue prise du temple d'Atchilgarh

Mount Abu. View from the Achilgarh Temple Mount Abu. Vista dal sommo del tempio di Achilgarh



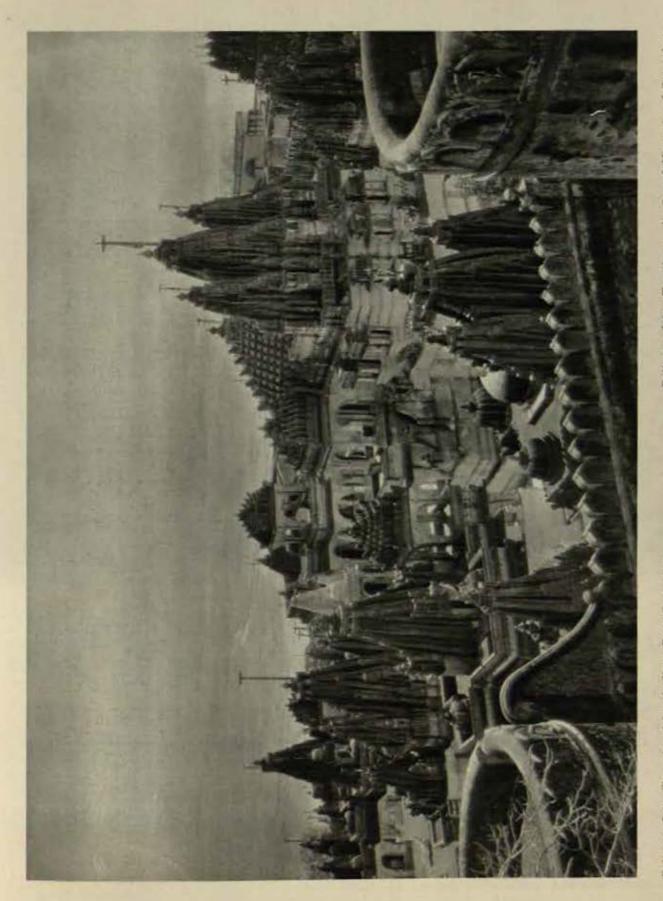
Das Städtehen Sihor in Kathiawar La petite ville de Sihor dans le Kathyawar

The town of Sihor in Kathiawar La cittadina di Sihor nel Kathiawar



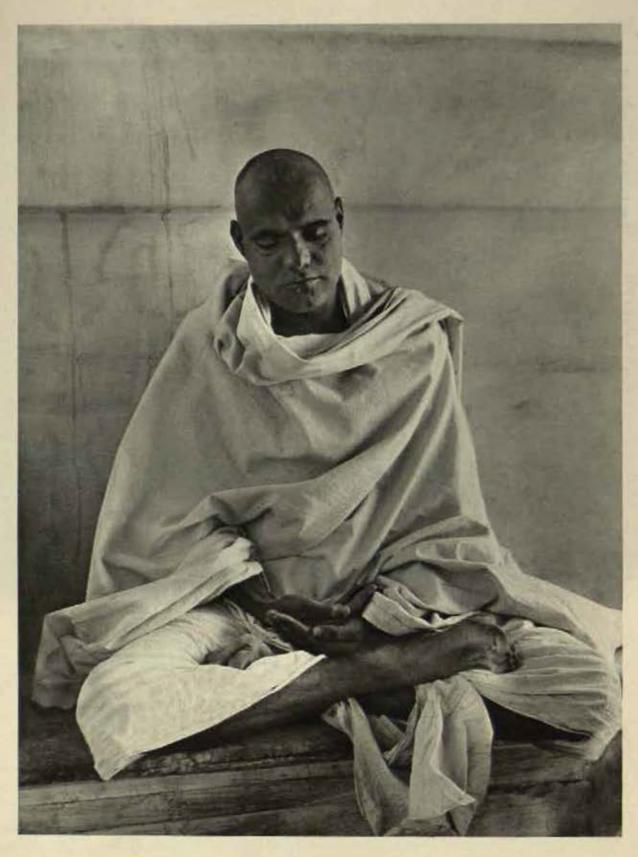
Palitana, Joina Temple on the Sacred Mountain of Satrungaya Palitana, Temple giainista and sacre monte di Satrungaya

Palitana, Jaina-Tempel auf dem heiligen Berg Satrunjaya Palitana, Temple djaina sur la montagne sacrée de Satroundjaya



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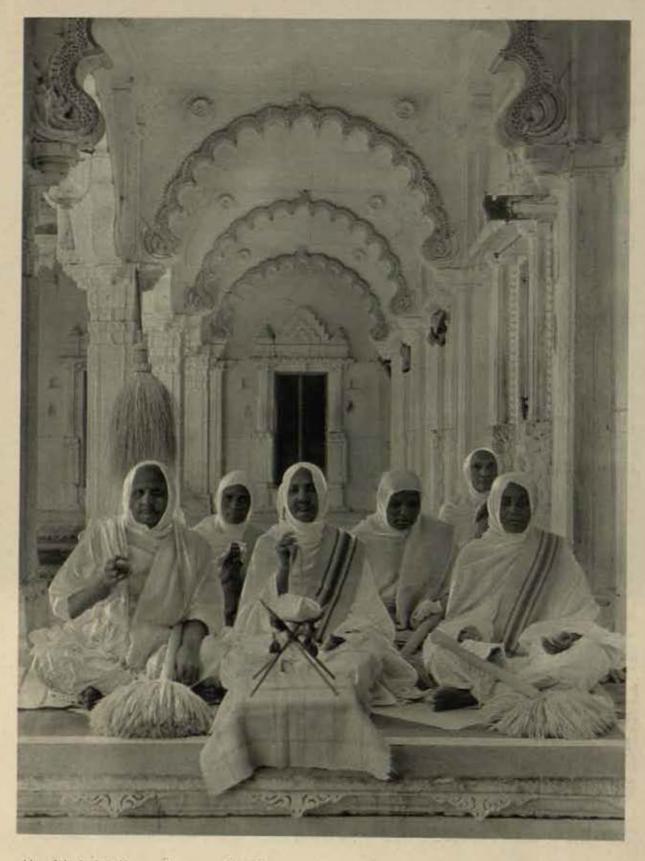
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Jain-Mönch, meditierend Moine djaïna en méditation

Jain Monk in meditation

Monaco glainista in meditazione

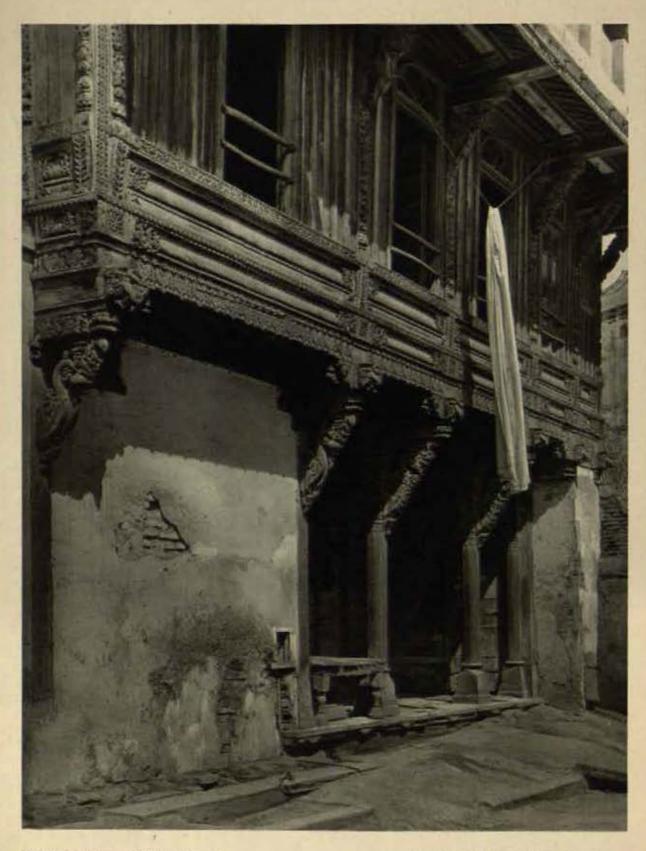


Ahmedabad Jain-Nonnen im neuen Jaina-Tempel

Ahmedabad. Nonnes djaino dans le nouveau temple

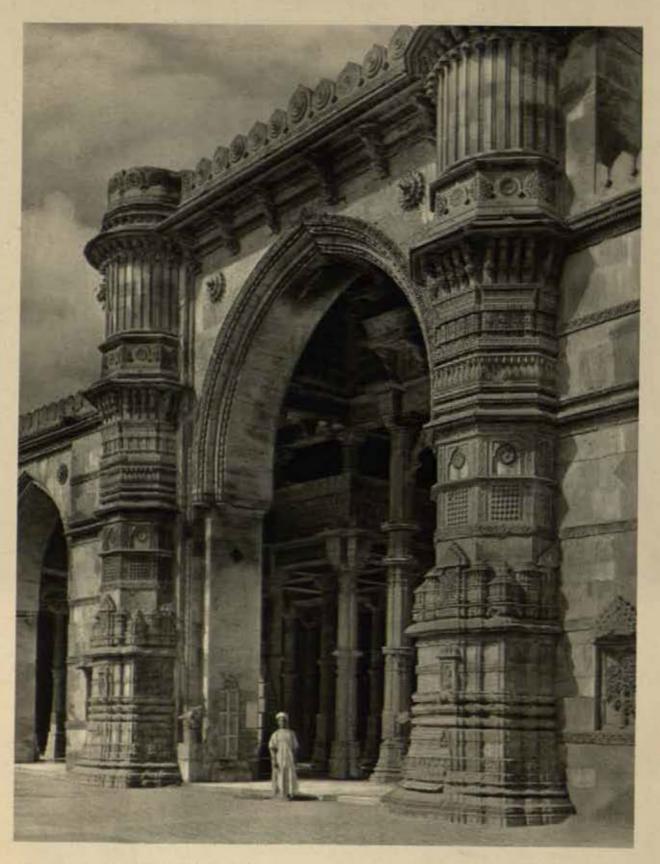
Ahmedabad, Jain Nuns in the new Jaina Temple

Ahmedabad, Monache giainiste nel nuovo tempio di Giaino



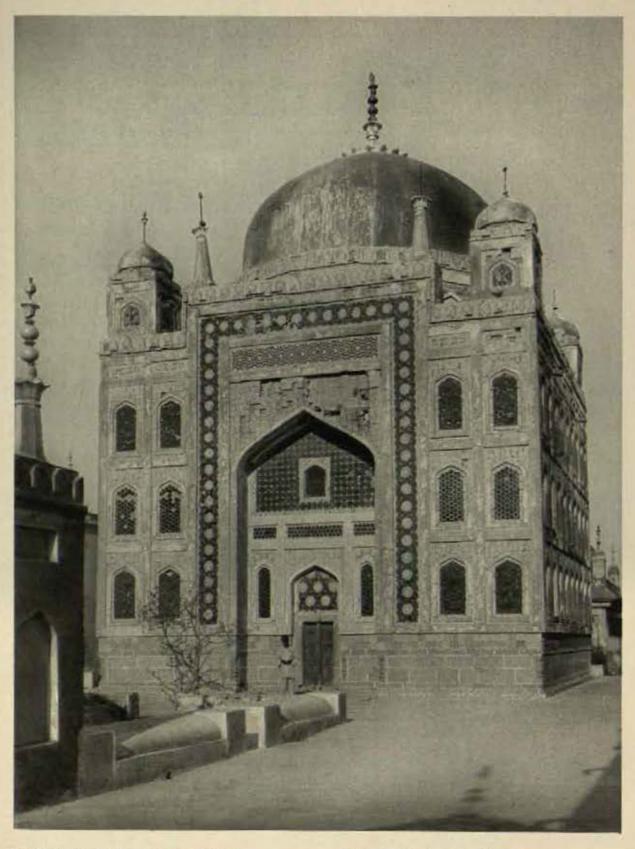
Ahmedabad. Haus mit Holzschnitzerei Ahmedabad. Maison avec sculptures sur hola

Ahmedabad. House with wood-carvings Ahmedabad. Casa con intagli in legno



Ahmedabad, Jama Masjid (Grosse Moschee) Ahmedabad, Djama masdjid (Grande mosquée)

Ahmedabad, Jama Mascid (Great Mosque) Ahmedabad, Jama Mascid (grande moschea)

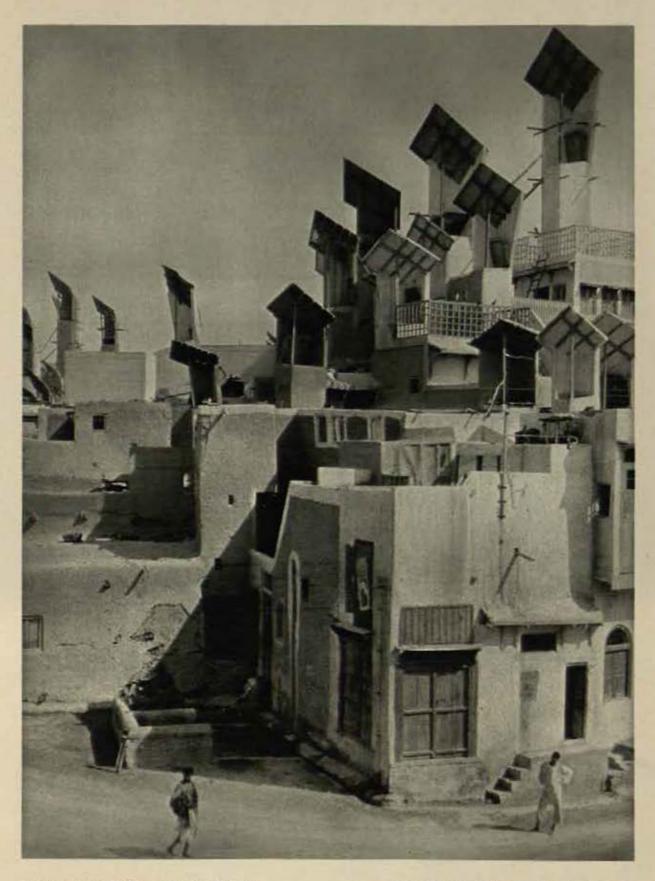


Haiderabad Sind, Fürstengrab mit bunten Fatence-Einlagen

Hatderabad-Sind. Tombeau princier avec revêtements de fatences multicolores

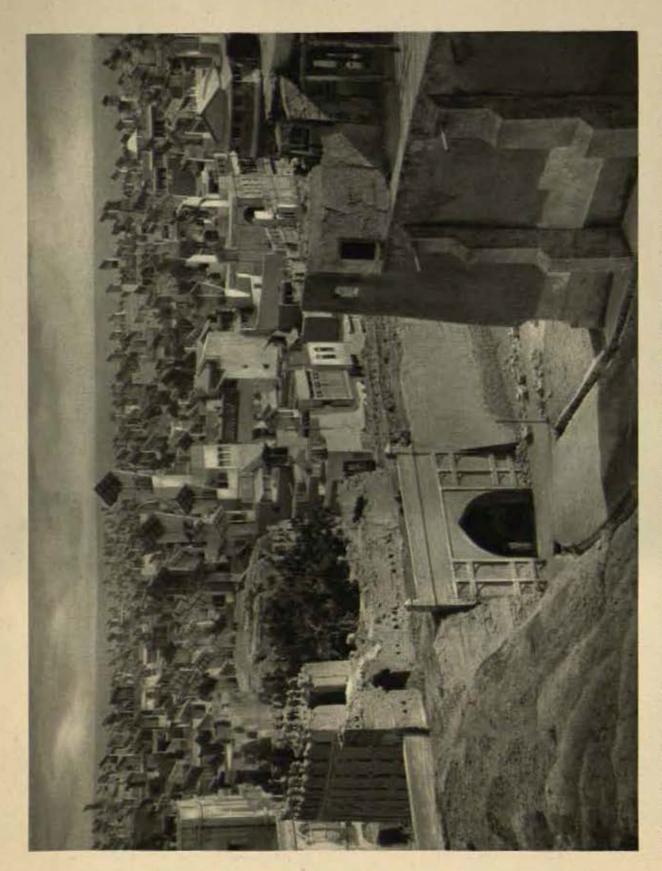
Hyderabad-Sind Princely Tomb with many-coloured porcelain inlaids

Haiderabad-Sind. Tomba di un principe con intarsi di maioliche colorate



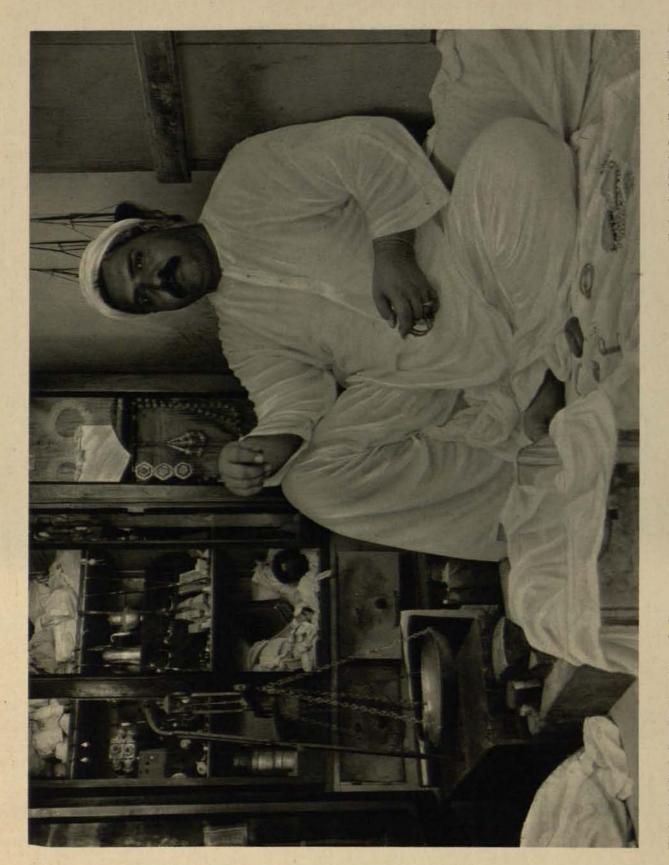
Haiderabad-Sind. Häuser mit Windfängern Haiderabad-Sind. Maisons avec prises-d'air

Hyderabad-Sind. Houses with windeatchers Haiderabad-Sind. Case con bocche d'aria



Haiderabad-Sind, Blick vom Fort auf die Stadt mit ihren Windflingern Hydorabad-Sind, View from the Fort of the town with its windenichers Hajderakad-Sind. Vista dal forte sulla città e le sue bocche d'aria

Handershad-Sind. Vue prise du fort: la ville et ses prises-d'air

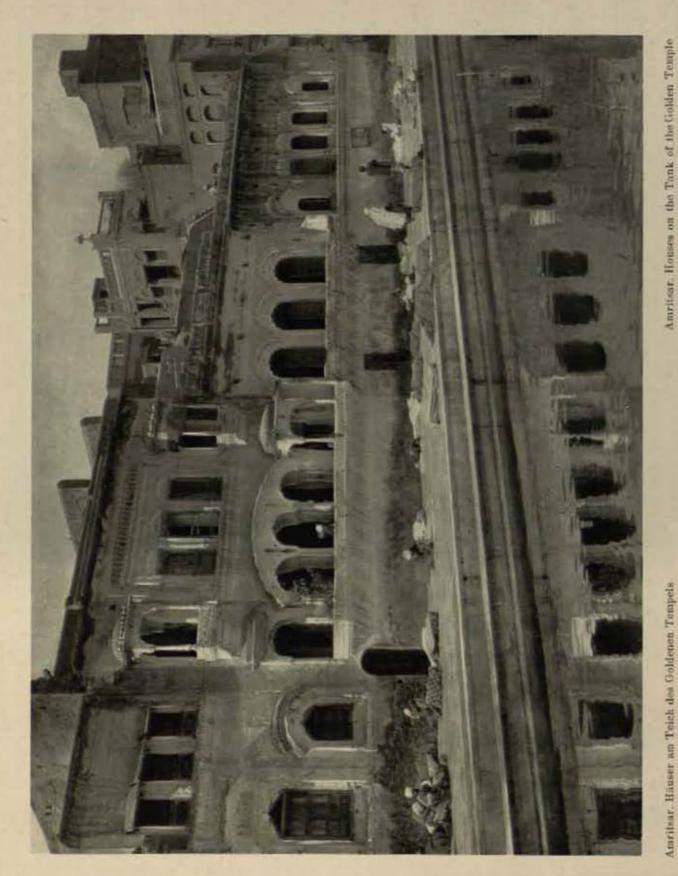


Hyderabad-Sind, Jeweller in his Shop Haiderabad-Sind, Giofellière nella sua bottega

Haiderabad-Sind, Juweller in seinem Laden Haiderabad-Sind, Joaillier dans sa boutique

Amritsar. The Golden Temple of the Sikhs Amritsar. Il tempio d'oro dei Sik

Amritsar. Der Goldene Tempel der Sikhs Amritsar. Le Temple d'Or des Sikhs



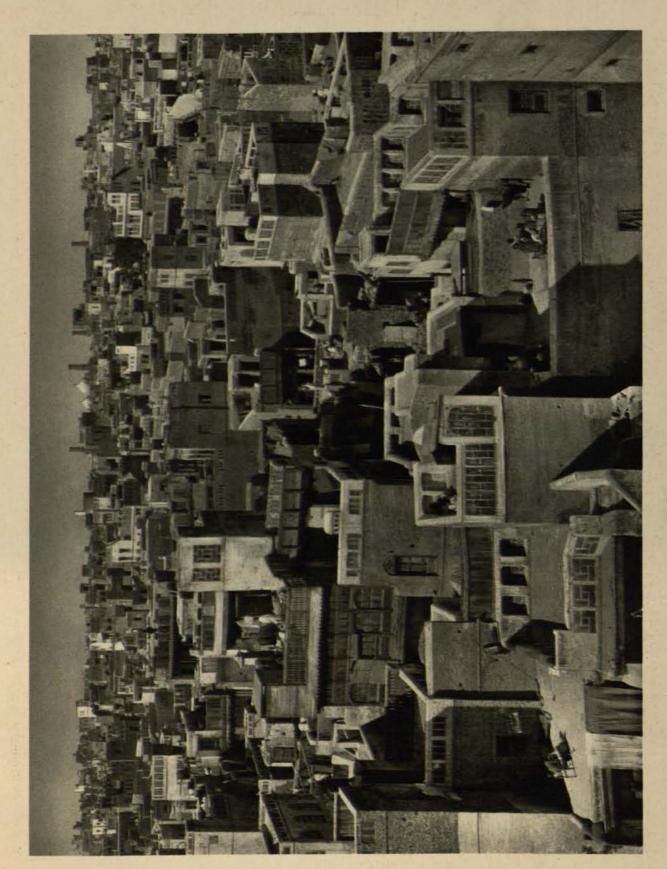
Amritsar, Maisons au bord du Luc de l'Immortalité

Amritan. Houses on the Tank of the Golden Temple Amritan. Case prospicienti lo stagno del templo d'oro



Amritsar, School near the Golden Temple Amritsar, Scuola all'aperto presso il tempio d'oro

Amritsar, Schule beim Goldenen Tempel Amritsar, Ecole en plein air, près du Temple d'Or



Ausblick auf die Dächer von Lahore Vue sur les toits de Lahore

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Jahangir's Tomb near Lahore Mausoleo di Djahanghir presso Lahore

Grabmal Jahangirs bei Lahore Mausolée de Djahanghir, près de Lahore



Stagno dei fiori di loto nel giardino di Shalamar presso Lahore

Lotus sur un étang dans le jardin de Shalamar, près de Lahore

Bad Lands near Bawalpindi Passaggio vulcanteo (Bad Lands) presso Bawalpindi

Erestonslandschaft (Bad Lands) bei Rawalpindi Effets d'ereston (Bad Lands) près de Rawalpindi

Ruins in Taxila Ruderi a Taxila

Ruinenfeld in Taxila Champ de ruines à Taxila



Taxila. Buddha-Statue

Taxila. Statue de Bouddha

Taxila. Buddha Statue Taxila. Statua di Budda



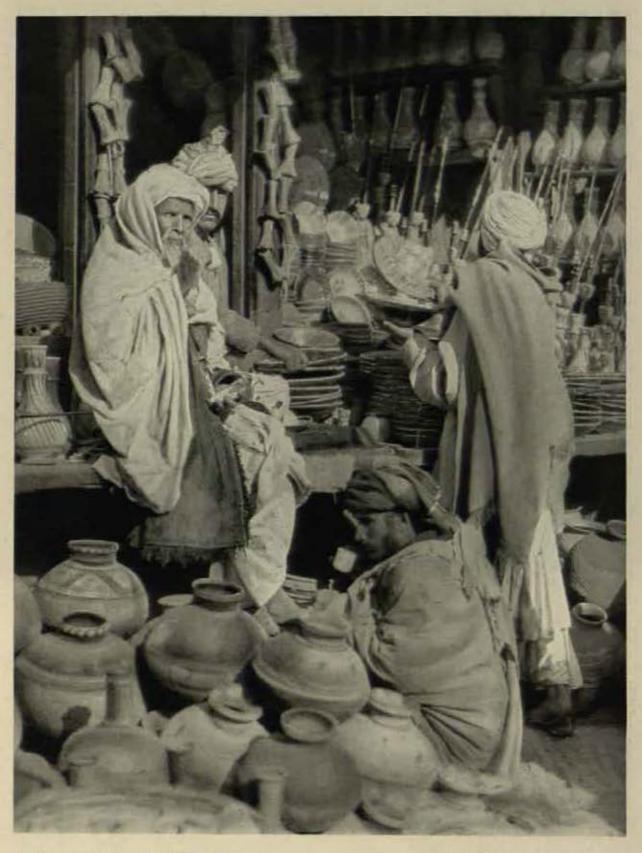
Peshawar, Mohammedanischer Bettelmönch (Fakir) Peshawar, Moine mendiant mahométan (Fakir)

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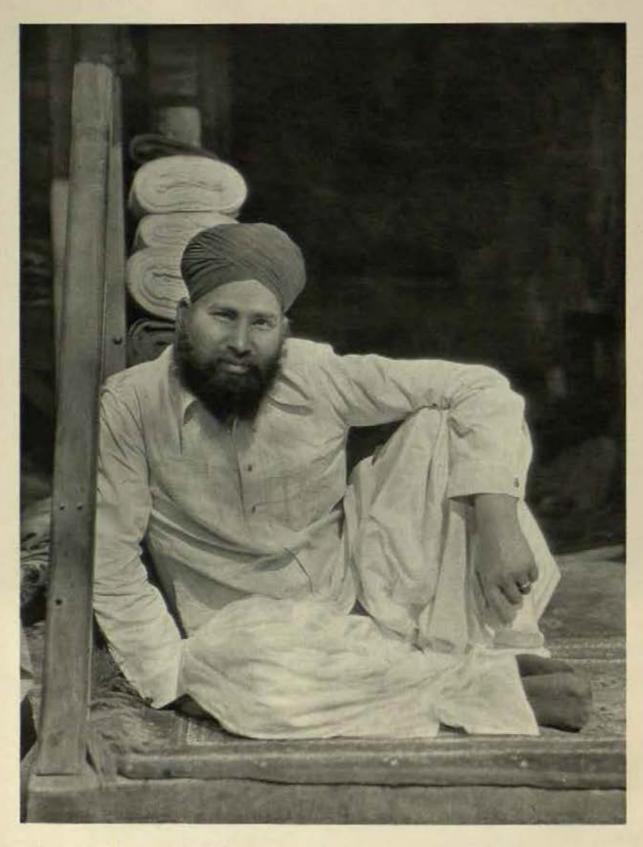
Im Basar von Peshawar, Kupfer- und Messingwaren Au bazar de Peshawar, Cuivres

In the Peshawar Bazaar, Copper and Brass Articles Nel bazar di Peshawar, Articoli di rame e di ottone



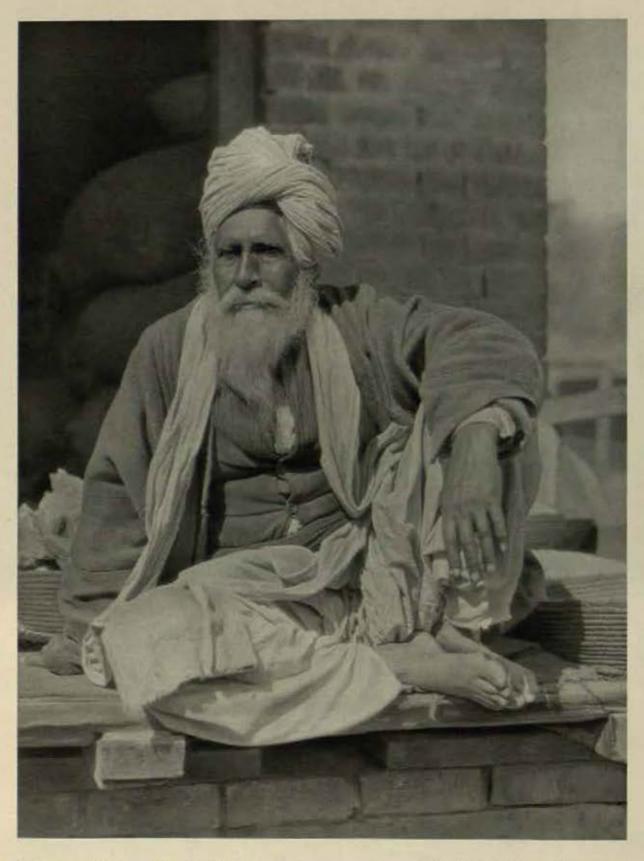
Im Basar von Peshawar. Bei den Töpfereien Au bazar de Peshawar. Poteries

In the Peshawar Bazaar. Pottery Nel bazar di Peshawar, Stoviglie



Im Basar von Peshawar, Tuehhändler Au bazar de Peshawar, Drapier

In the Peshawar Bazsar, Cloth dealer Nel bazar di Peshawar, Pannaiolo



Im Basar von Peshawar. Ein alter Händler Au bazar de Peshawar. Vieux marchand

In the Peshawar Baznar. Old merchant Nel bazar di Peshawar. Vecchio mercante



Peshawar Juggler praising a remedy for snake-bite in the market place

Peshawar, Sulla piazza del mercuto, Venditore di specifici contro i morsi dei serpenti

anawar, out dem sarkipure, vankier, ein Schangemintel

A Peshawar sur la place du marché. Prestidigitateur faisant l'article pour un remède contre les morsures de serpent



Poshawar. With the street scrivener Peshawar. Scrivano pubblico

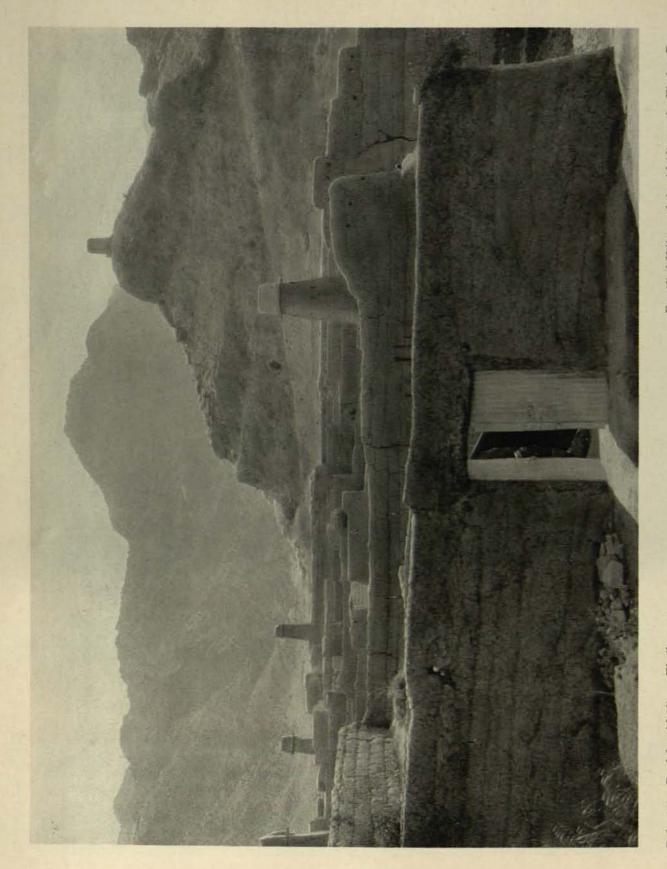
Peshawar, Beim Schreiber Peshawar, Chez l'écrivain public

Peshawar, In a caravansary Peshawar, Carovanserraglio

Peshawar, In einer Karawanserei Peshawar, Au caravansérail

Caravan on the Khyber Pass Carovana al colle del Khaiber

Karawane auf dem Khaiberpass Caravane au col du Khaiber



Fortified Village of the Afridis on the Khyber Pass Villagio fortificato degli Afridi al colle del Khaiber

Befestigtes Dorf der Afridi am Khaiberpass Village fortifié des Afridi, au col du Khaiber



Carovana di cammelli in cammino per l'Afganistan Camel Caravan on the Way to Afghanistan

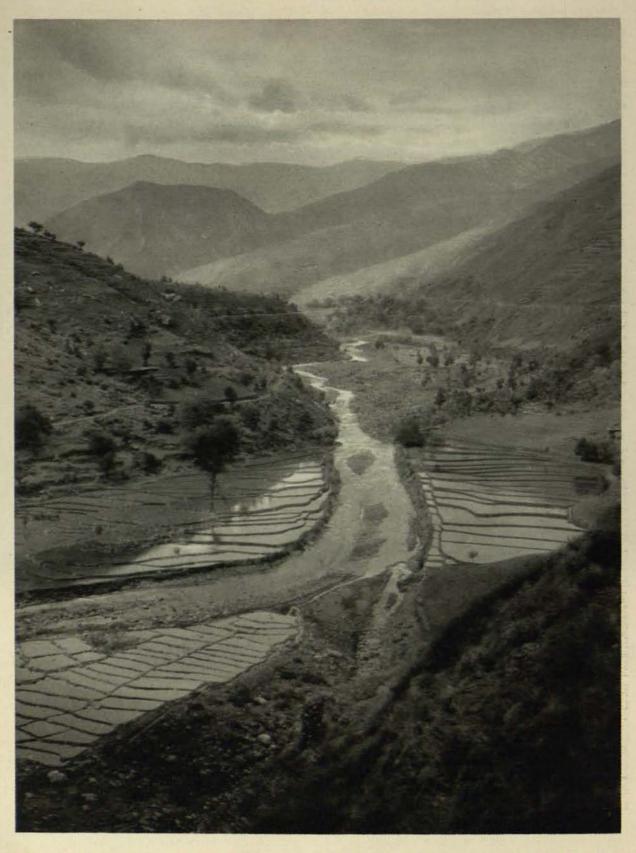
Caravane de chameaux en route pour l'Afghanistan Kamelkarawane auf dem Weg nach Afghanistan

Scenery on the Khyber Pass Paesaggio al colle del Khaiber

Landschaft am Khaiberpass Paysage dans la région du Khaiber

Jammu, Modern Hindu Temple Jammu, Tempio moderno indù

Jammu, Moderner Hindu-Tempel Djammou, Temple hindou moderne



Tal mit Reisfeldern zwischen Jammu und Kashmir Vallée et rizières entre Djammou et Cachemire

Valley with Paddy Fields between Jammu and Kashmir

Valle con risaie fra Jammu e Kascemir



Ausblick vom Banihal-Pass auf das Kashmir-Tal View from the Banihal Pass onto the Kashmir Valley Vue prise du col de Banihal sur la vallée de Cachemire Vista dal colle di Banihal sulla valle di Kascemir



Am Banihal-Pass Au col de Banihal

On the Banihal Pass
Al colle di Banihal

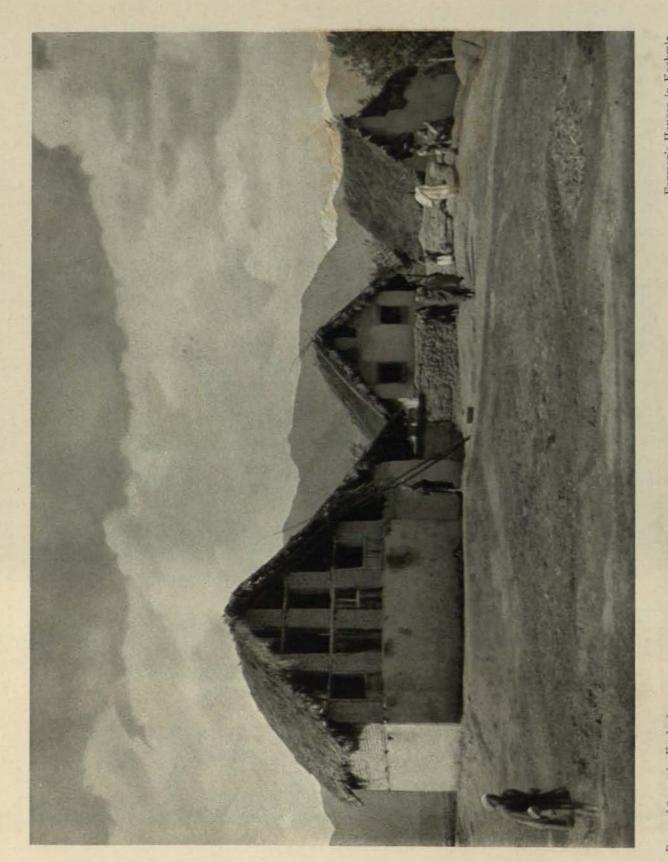


Kashmir, Blühende Lilien und Allee Cachemire, Iris en fleurs et allée

Kashmir, Blossoming Lilies and Alley Kascemir, Gigli in fiore e viale alberato

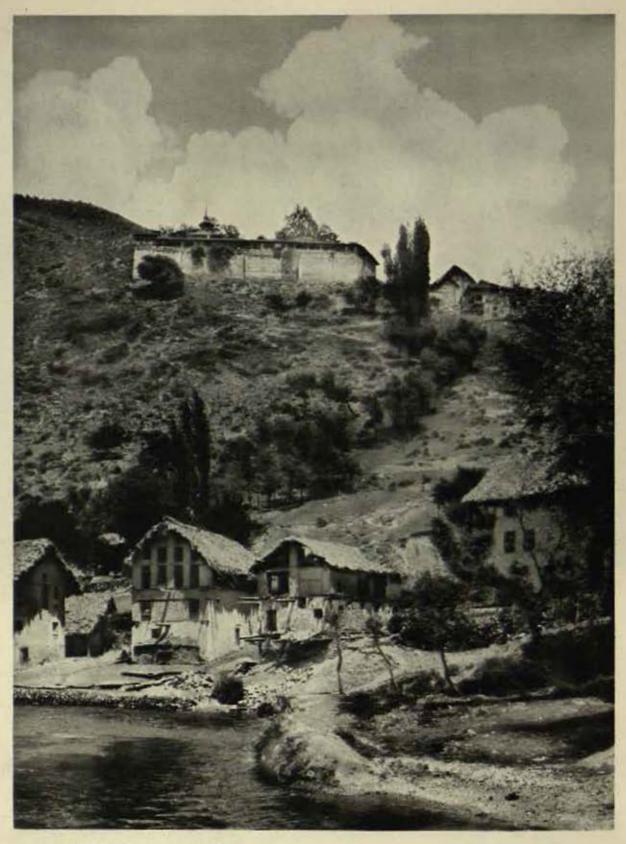
Paddy Fields in Kashmir Risaic nel Kascemir

Reisfelder in Kashmir Rizières dans le Cachemire



Farmer's Houses in Kashmir Case rustiche nel Kascemir

Bauernhäuser in Kashmir Maisons rustiques dans le Cachemire

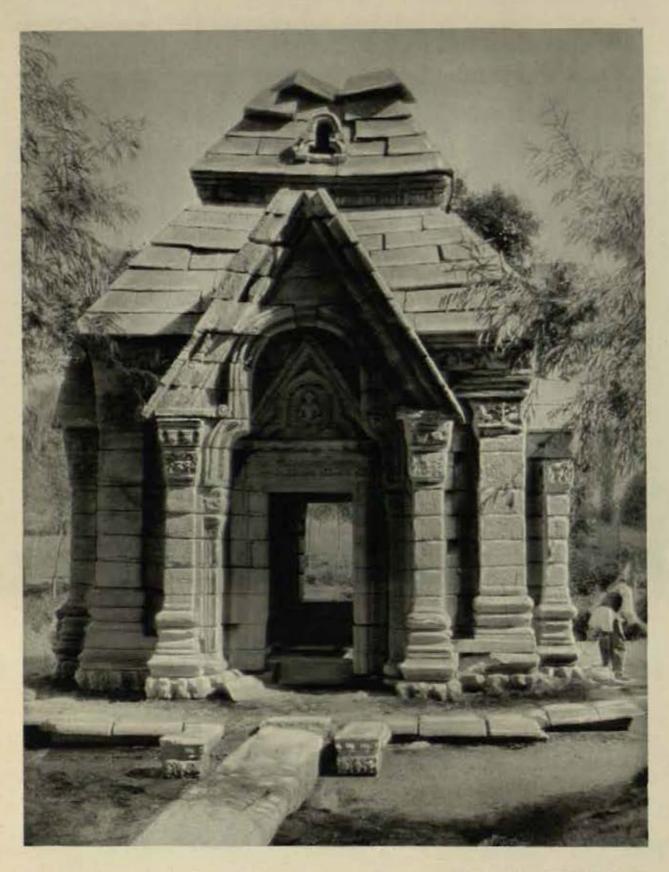


Im Liddar-Tal (Kashmir), Dorf mit Kloster in der Höhe

Dans la vallée du Liddar. Village et clottre sur la hanteur

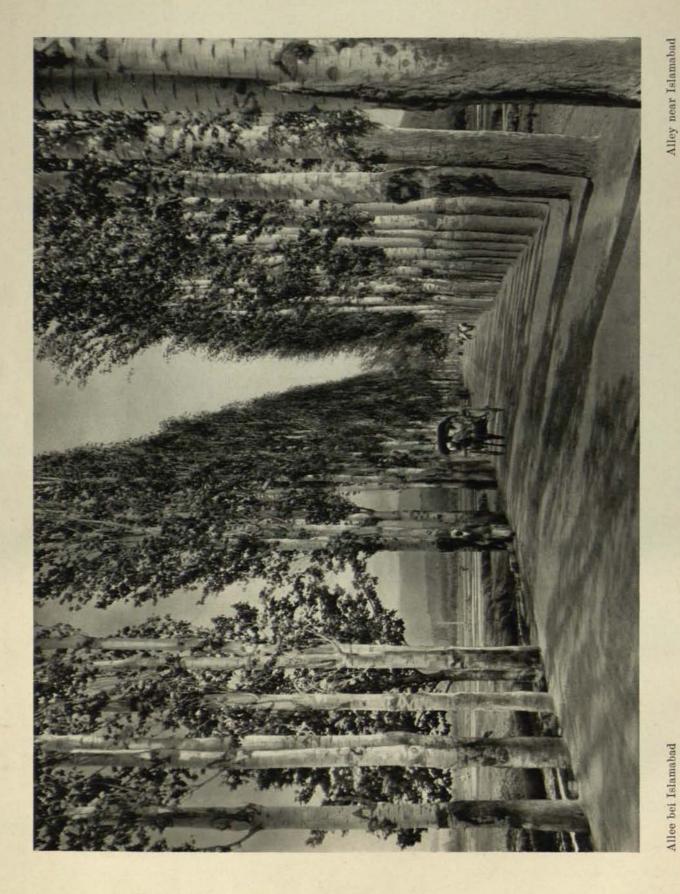
In the Liddar Valley (Kashmir), Village with Monastery on the heights

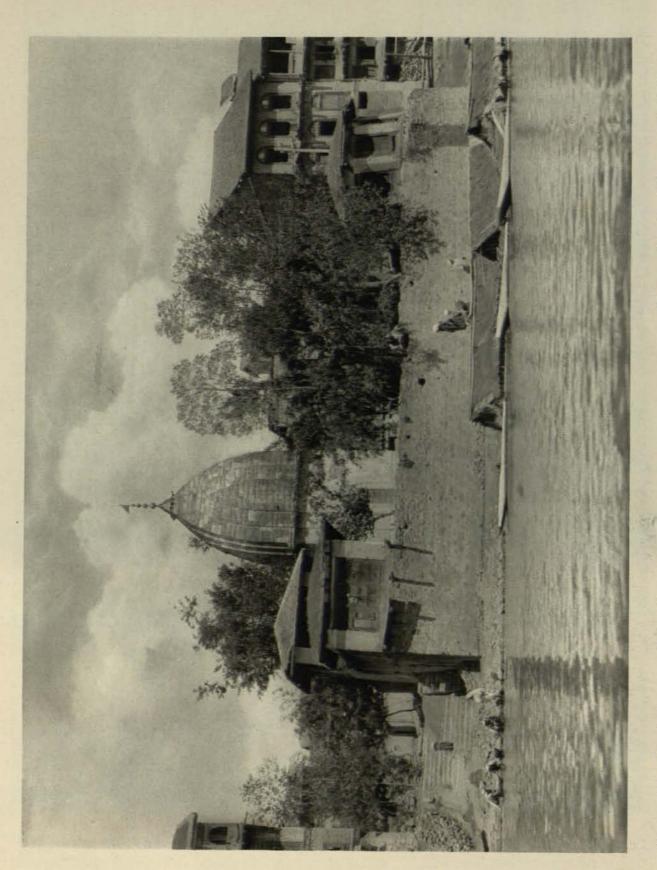
Nella valle del Liddar (Kascemir) Sull'altura villaggio con convento



Tempel von Pandrenthan bei Srinagar Temple de Pandrenthan, près de Srinagar

Temple of Pandrenthan near Srinagar Temple di Pandrenthan presso Srinagar





Srinagar, Temple and Houses on the Jhelum River Srinagar, Templo e case sulla riva del Jhelum

Srinagar, Tempel und Häuser am Jhelum-Fluss Srinagar, Temple et maisons au bord du Djhéloum

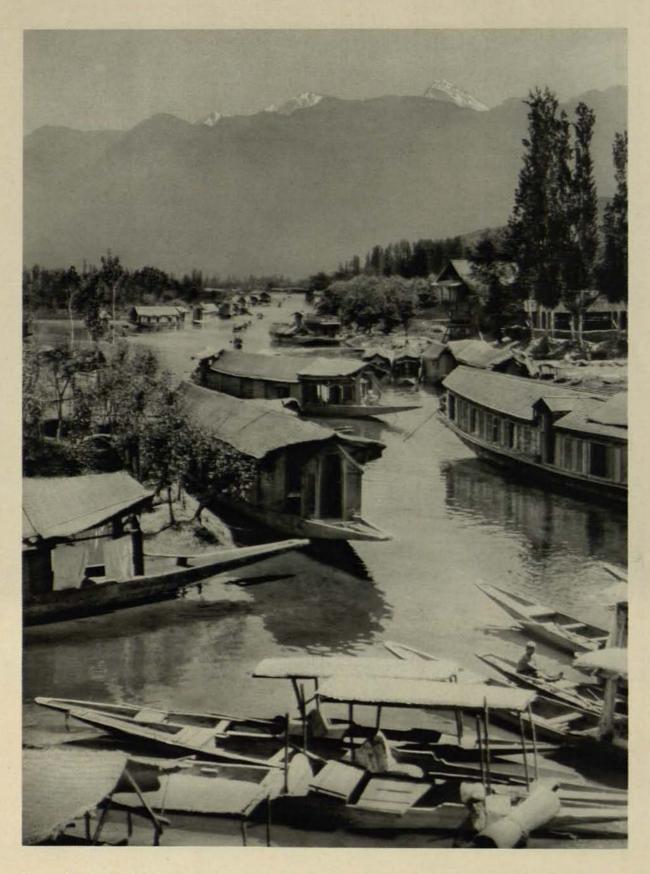


Srinagar. Boote, Häuser und Moschee am Jhelum-Fluss

Srinagar. Bateaux, maisons et mosquée au bord du Djhéloum

Srinagar. Boats, Houses and Mosque on the Jhelum River

Srinagar. Barche, case e moschea sulla riva del Jhelum



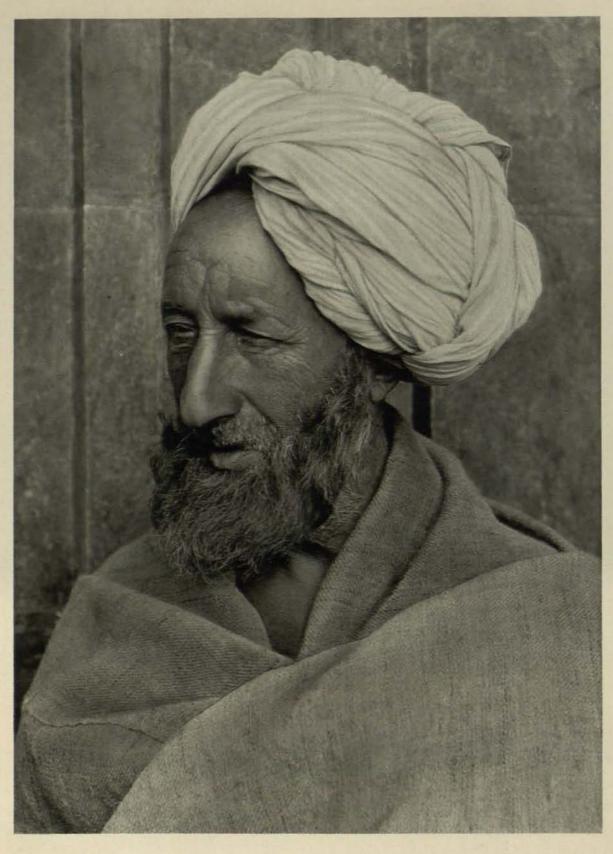
Boote auf einem Kanal bei Srinagar Bateaux sur un canal près de Srinagar

Boats on a Canal near Srinagar Barche su di un canale presso Srinagar



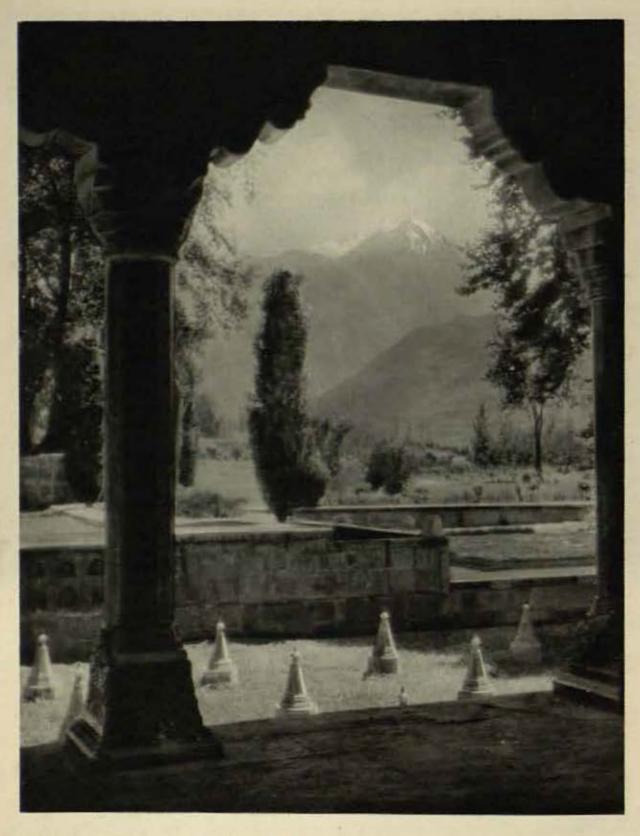
Hindu aus Kashmir Hindou du Cachemire

Hindu from Kashmir Indû del Kascemir



Mohammedaner aus Kashmir Mahométan du Cachemire

Muhomadan from Kashmir Maomettano del Kascemir



Im Moghul-Garten Nasim Bagh bei Srinagar

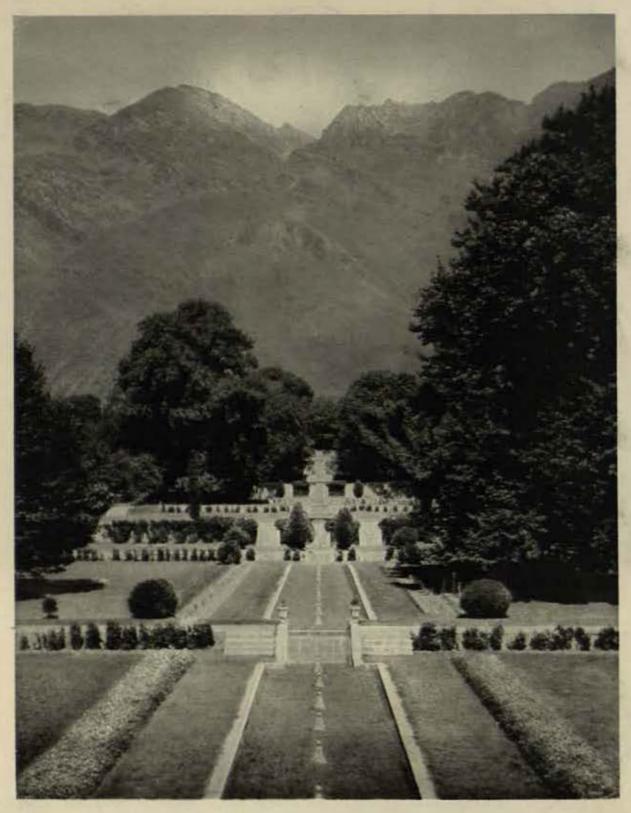
Dans le jardin mogol de Nasim Bagh

près de Srinagar

In the Moghul Garden of Nasim Bagh near Srinagar

Nel giardino del Mogol a Nasim Bagh

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Der Moghul-Gurten Shalimar Bagh bei Srinagar

Dans le jardin mogol de Shalimar Bagh

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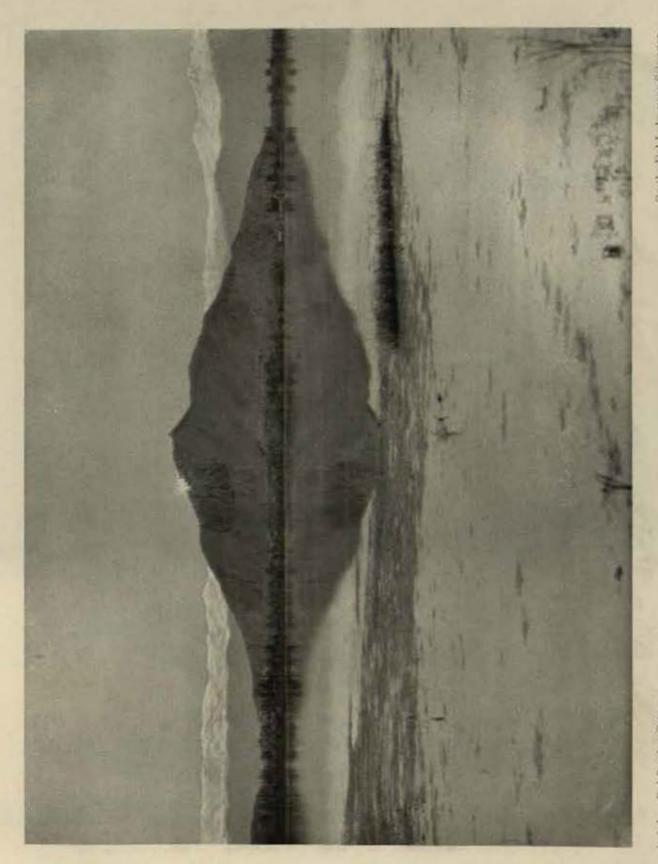
The Moghul Garden of Shalimar Bagh near Srinagar

Nel giardino del Mogol a Shalimar Bagh

presso Srinagar

On the Banihal Pass. In the distance the Himalogus Al colle di Banihal. In lontananza la catena dell'Imalain

Am Banilial-Pass, In der Ferne die Himalayaberge Au ent de Banihal, dans le lointain, l'Himalaya



On the Dal Lake near Sringar Lage di Dal presso Sringar

Auf dem Dal-See boi Srinagar Le lac de Dal, près de Srinagar



Natesa, der tanzende Shiva Natesa, ou Siva dansant

Natesa, Siva danzante

