

	Object:	Dried fruit (woody pear)
	Museum:	Museum Ulm Marktplatz 9 89073 Ulm (0731) 161-4330 info.museum@ulm.de
	Collection:	Project for the reappraisal of the collections from colonial contexts
	Inventory number:	1930.7072a

Description

Dried fruit from a park in Sydney, presumably from the plant woody pear (*Xylomelum pyriforme*) that belongs to the family of the Proteaceae.

The object comes from the collection of pharmacist, writer and doctor Albert Daiber (1857 - 1928), who undertook a journey to the South Seas from April to September 1900, which took him to then German and British colonial territories. Stops included Australia, the Bismarck Archipelago, the eastern part of the island of New Guinea, the Caroline Islands, the Mariana Islands and China (Hong Kong). Daiber described his experiences in the published travelogue "Eine Australien- und Südseefahrt" from 1902. In 1909, Albert Daiber emigrated to Chile. Beforehand he has given the collected objects from his voyage to Otto Leube in Ulm, who initially stored the collection and after Albert Daiber's death gave it to the Museum of the City of Ulm as a deposit in 1930.

Basic data

Material/Technique:	Plant
Measurements:	H 9 cm, W 5,5, cm

Events

Collected	When	1900
	Who	Albert Daiber (1857-1928)
	Where	Sydney
Owned	When	1909-1930
	Who	Otto Leube (1870-1964)

[Relationship to location]	Where	Ulm
	When	
	Who	
	Where	Australia

Keywords

- Colonialism
- Colony
- Fruit
- Koloniale Kontexte
- Kolonialzeit
- Naturalien
- Pflanzenteil

Literature

- Daiber, Albert (1902): Eine Australien- und Südseefahrt. Leipzig