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A Chinese pewter mounted and carved coconut shell part tea set, late Qing dynasty, comprising teapot, milk jug, sugar box and cover, slop bowl and five cups and saucers, each coconut shell carved in low relief with precious objects and vessels divided by gilt shou medallions, height of jug 11.5cm (teapot missing handle and other faults), together with three pewter mounted Yixing stoneware teapots, decorated with dragons.

Estimate: £100 - £200

Condition Report

1210. Coconut teapot - pewter mounts are misshapen and dented and missing handle. Coconut body in generally good order with typical natural shrinkage cracks.

Coconut box and cover - generally good condition, few typical natural shrinkage cracks to coconut but carving in nice order. Cover fits tightly to body.

Bowl - overall generally good condition, some discolouration and dents to metal, typical wear and shrinkage cracks to coconut. Foot is chipped.

All five cups - chips and cracks to coconut with some minor losses. Also wear, dents and misshaping to pewter.

Five saucers - all with some typical wear, some shrinkage cracks and repairs. Pewter also with marks, dents and some misshaping.

Jug - some misshaping to rim and repair to handle. Minor losses to edge of coconut, otherwise in generally fair condition.

Pewter mount stoneware teapot - some minor dents to pewter, some surface wear to mounts and some discolouration spotting to mounts. Otherwise ok condition, if a bit dirty.

Pewter mounted stoneware teapot - some minor dents and wear to mounts. Missing finial. Otherwise ok condition, if a bit dirty.

Small pewter mounted teapot - dirty and mounts a little worn. Otherwise ok condition.