NOTE ON LICHEN TEA

I was sent a photograph by Dr. T. Fenero of the University of Hamburg taken by one of his students, O. Apel, who observed the use of *Thamnolía vermicularis* in the city of Lijiang, in the province of Yunnan, China.

Apparently about ten fragments are added to about two teaspoons of green tea. This mixture is reputed to be the usual one to brew tea in this area.

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