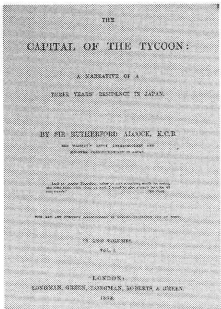


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- 1 The *gaisho* (books on Japan in non-Japanese languages) are arranged in accordance to the year of publication. All visual and illustrative material contained in these are presented in the order they appear in the book.
- 2 Each *gaisho* is entered under a separate heading. All illustrations contained in separate editions of the *gaisho* are entered, even if the same illustrations are used in other editions.
- 3 Titles are organized in the following way.

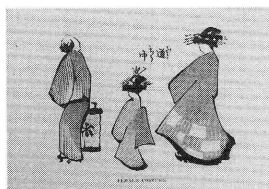
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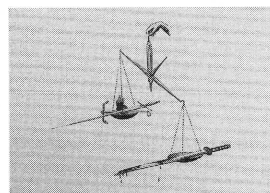
The village beauty  
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Original caption and  
Japanese translation



Female costume  
女の服装[花魁道中]

Japanese explanations where no original caption appears.



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