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Scope and Content of Collection
The collection contains maps, guidebooks, viewbooks, and other printed ephemera from Japan, mainly from the first half of the 20th century. Materials are divided into two sections: by city/region (for materials relating specifically to different Japanese cities, prefectures, and islands), and general by publisher (for materials on Japan in general).
Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Japan -- Maps.
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Related Materials in Special Collections
Manchuria Collection, ca. 1910-1937. Pamphlets, handbooks, railway guides, journals, yearbooks, and other printed Manchuria-related items, most issued in Manchuria or Japan. (Bernath Mss 98).

Japanese View Book, ca. 1935. 36 page booklet in English with printed photographs and illustrations, highlighting various aspects of Japan's geography, culture, and industry. Includes color map of the Japanese islands which also shows eastern China, Korea, and Manchuria. Also, two pages on Manchoukuo (Manzhouguo), which existed from 1931 to 1945. (SC 875).

See also the Library Catalog, the Online Archive of California, and the Department of Special Collections' website for other collections and books relating to Japan.

Cities/Regions

Hiroshima

Box 1: 1

_Hiroshima, “Documentary Pictures of Hiroshima where the world [sic] first Atom Bomb was dropped at 8.15 A. M. on Aug. 6th in 1945, & how the city has been restored as A Peaceful City,” 1953_

_extraordinary note_

In English and Japanese, with two clippings pasted in about the death of "A-Bomb Victim No. 1" in 1986.

Kagawa (Prefecture)

Box 1: 2

Guide/map to Kagawa, ca. 1946

Kobe

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Guidebook - _Hyogo Prefecture and City of Kobe_, for Panama-Pacific International Exposition, 1915

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Yearbook - _1875-1925 Kobe College & Academy_, Kobe: H. Kodama, 1925

Kyoto

Box 1: 3

B. Thomson for Miyako Hotel, _A Guide to Kyoto and its Vicinity_, sixth ed. (2 copies), 1914

Box 1: 3

Viewbook/guidebook - _Kyoto Municipal Government, Kyoto_, ca. 1928

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_Map of Kyoto_, from Kyoto Hotel / Kyoto Merchant Guild, ca. 1936

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_Kyoto Pioneer Merchants Association, Shopping Guide of Kyoto_, ca. 1952

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_Map & Guide of Kyoto and Environs_, Japan Tourist Bureau, n.d.

Miyajima

Box 1: 4

_A Short Guide to Miyajima and Neighbourhood_, for Miyajima Hotel, third ed., 1918

Nara

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Nikko

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Guide/viewbook - _Kanaya Hotel, Nikko, Japan_, ca. 1909

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Sendai

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Guide/viewbook - _North Japan College, Sendai, Japan_, ca. 1910

Shikoku (Island)

Box 1: 8


Tokyo

Box 1: 9

_Claudius Ferrand, M.A., Ideas of a Missionary on the Evangelization of Japan_, 1905

Box 1: 9

_Mitsukoshi: A Paradise for Shoppers_, ca. 1935 or later

Box 1: 9

64th Engineer Topographic Battalion, _Tokyo City Bus Routes_, Apr. 1947

Box 1: 9

_Japan Travel Bureau, Map of Tōkyō & Surrounding Districts Including Yokohama, Kamakura, Nikko, Atami, Hakone, Mt. Fuji_, ca. 1954

Yokohama

Box 1: 10

Viewbook for unnamed temple[?], Tokyo: Seibi-do, ca. 1921

General

_Commander-in-Chief - US Pacific Fleet & Pacific Ocean Areas (CINCPAC-CINCPOA)\n
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| Box 1: 11 | *Guide to Japan*, CINCPAC-CINCPOA Bulletin no. 209-45: 1 Sept. 1945  |
| Box 1: 12 | *Japan Imperial Railways, Japan: Travellers' Handy Guide* (2 copies), Tōkyō: Traffic Department, Imperial Government Railways, 1919  |
| Box 2: 1 | *Travelers' Map of Japan, Chosen (Korea), Taiwan (Formosa)*, (2 copies), Tokyo: Japanese Government Railways, 1927  |
| Box 2: 2 | Nippon Yuken Kaisha (NYK) Line  |
| Box 2: 2 | *To Japan, China, and around the World*, Nippon Yusen Kaisha (NYK) Line, n.d.  |
| Box 2: 3 | Oriental Steamship Company / Toyo Kisen Kaisha  |
| Box 2: 3 | *Toyo Kisen Kaisha*, Chicago: Poole Bros., n.d.  |
| Box 2: 4 | Osaka Shosen Kaisha (OSK) Line / Osaka Mercantile Steamship Company, Ltd.  |
| Box 2: 4 | *A Visit to the Orient by the Magnificent Ships of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha*, Osaka: Hamada Printing Co., 1927  |
| Box 2: 4 | *A Unique Round the World Service: Japan-South American Line*, Osaka: Hamada Printing Co., 1933  |
| Box 2: 4 | *The Inland Sea of Japan*, Osaka: Hamada Printing Co., 1935  |
| Box 2: 4 | *See the Inland Sea of Japan*, Osaka: Hamada Printing Co., 1935  |
| Box 2: 4 | *See the Inland Sea of Japan by O.S.K. Line*, Osaka: Hamada Printing Co., 1937, with insert, 1936  |
| Box 2: 5 | Rotary Club of Tokyo  |
| Box 2: 5 | *Guidebook - Japan*, 1930  |
| Box 2: 6 | Society of Friends of Eastern Art  |
| Box 2: 7 | Thos. Cook & Son  |
| Box 2: 7 | *Brochure - “To Japan in 1920: A Summer Tour,” Program No. 15, ca. 1920*  |
| Box 2: 8 | Miscellaneous  |
| Box 2: 8 | *The Class Trade Unions of Japan: The Revolutionary Role and Tasks*, New York City: Workers Library Publishers, ca. 1932 or later  |
| Box 2: 8 | [Theater guide?] - in Japanese, n.d.  |
Box 2: 8  Viewbook - in Japanese with some English captions, n.d.
Additional Note
Possibly related to the International Exposition?

Box 2: 9  Medicine packets - paper wrappers in Japanese