

All About the "Magic": Looking Through Takie Okumura's Magic Lantern Slides

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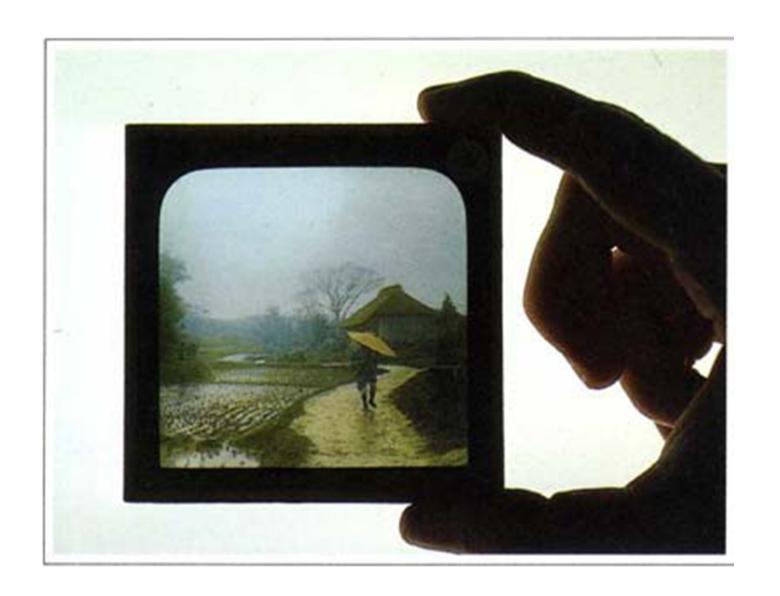
Magic Lantern Slides?

"a transparent image on glass, approximately 3.5 x 4 inches (9x13 cm), that is intended to be viewed by projection."

Some "lantern slides may have images that are hand-painted, printed or photographed."

--- Society of American Archivists (SAA)

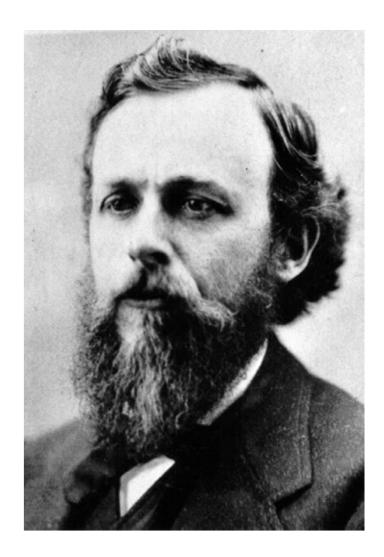




Lantern slides in Japan

18 th c	Introduced from Holland?
17 th -19 th	Japanized, called "utsushi-e 写し 絵"
1874	Re-introduced by Tejima Seiichi 手島精一 from the U.S.
Meiji 明治	The Ministry of Education's commission to Taurubuchi Hatsuzo (鶴淵初蔵) & Nakajima Matsuchi (中島待乳), Known as "gento-ban"幻燈板"





Edward Sylvester Morse (1838-1925) Courtesy of the Maine Historical Society







The library is the repository of the papers and sketches of Edward Sylvester Morse, "father of Japanese archaeology," and director of the Peabody Wuseum from 1880 to 1916.





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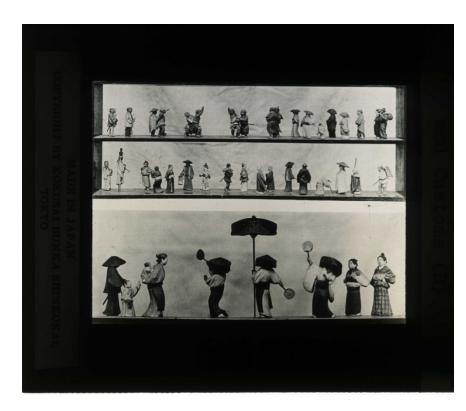
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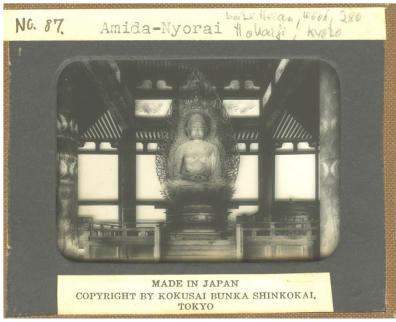
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KBS lantern slides "The Japanese arts through lantern slides" 1937-1938





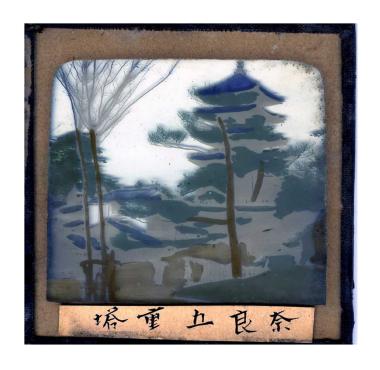


















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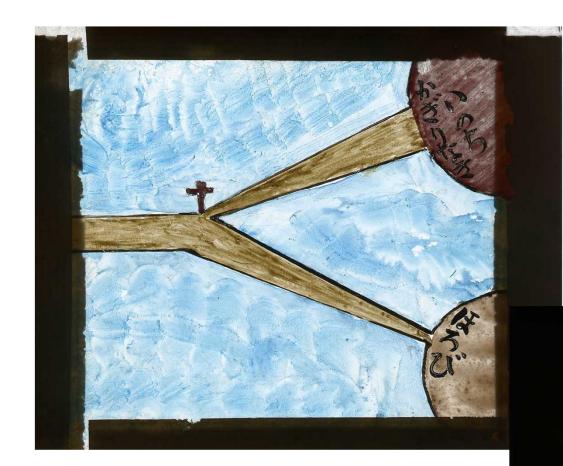




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March 2, 1965

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Y. Okumura 1239 South King Street Honolulu, Hawaii

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For the present I wish to note for the record that the gift included the following:

- A carton of books containing 83 volumes of Japanese and Chinese works, including for the most part the works of Nakae Tōju.
- Two separate folio volumes entitled <u>Shōtoku Kinen Kaiga-kan</u> Hekiza-shū.
- 3) A trunk and two trays containing 4 x 3 1/4 glass slidesas yet uncounted--which will be cleaned and examined by me and arrangements made for their use by the Center and the University.
- 4) A projector and a key for the showing of the above slides (I should note that the projector is badly rusted and may not be workable).

I wish also to acknowledge the kind efforts of Mr. Roy Shinsato through whose courtesy the gift was delivered to us.

Sincerely yours,

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Okumura Takie 奥村多喜衛 (1865-1951)

1865	Born in Kochi Prefecture in Japan	
1890	Enrolled in Doshisha University Theological Seminary	
1894	Arrived in Honolulu, started working under Rev. Jiro Okabe at the Nuuanu Congregational Church	
1896	Opened a Japanese language school, Established "Okumura Home" (a boarding school for Japanese immigrants' children)	
1899	Began Hawaii Chuo Gakuin (Honolulu Japanese Elementary School)	
1900	Participated in establishing the Japanese Benevolent Hospital (a predecessor of Kuakini Medical Center), Organized a Japanese boy's baseball team "JBS" Founded the Japanese YMCA	
1901	A two-story facility of Okumura Home was built in Kukui	
1912	Made an around the world tour	
1921-30	Engaged in the campaign to resolve the Japanese-American relations program in Hawaii	
1925	Published a report "The Solution to the Japanese-American Relation Problem in Hawaii"	
1951	Passed away at the age of 86 9/8/11	18

奥村多喜衛, p. 163,「太平洋の楽園 Paradise of the Pacific」

"Me...ma, hana hana. Yo konai." (My mama is at work. Cannot come.)



Okumura Home



ca.1920

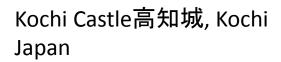


Mr. & Mrs. Okumura

All photos from courtesy of Makiki **Christian Church**



Makiki Christian Church, Honolulu, Hawaii





Okumura's hand-made slides



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堂に入って午食を終へ。開會は既七時と云ふので。手荷物や寫真器を荷物預かり所にあづけ。 が済むと集つた人々は市内見物など思ひ 要務のため原宿に行いた。 午後二時頃會館に歸つて見ると。大きな講堂には音樂主任のオーゴスチンには、時間の発見のない。 しに出てしまつた。 日は朝から代表者の登 ス ミス教授が。 _7 -

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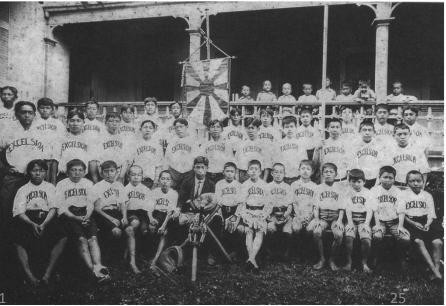




A baseball team that Okumura organized

A photo kept at the Makiki Church





Lantern slide image



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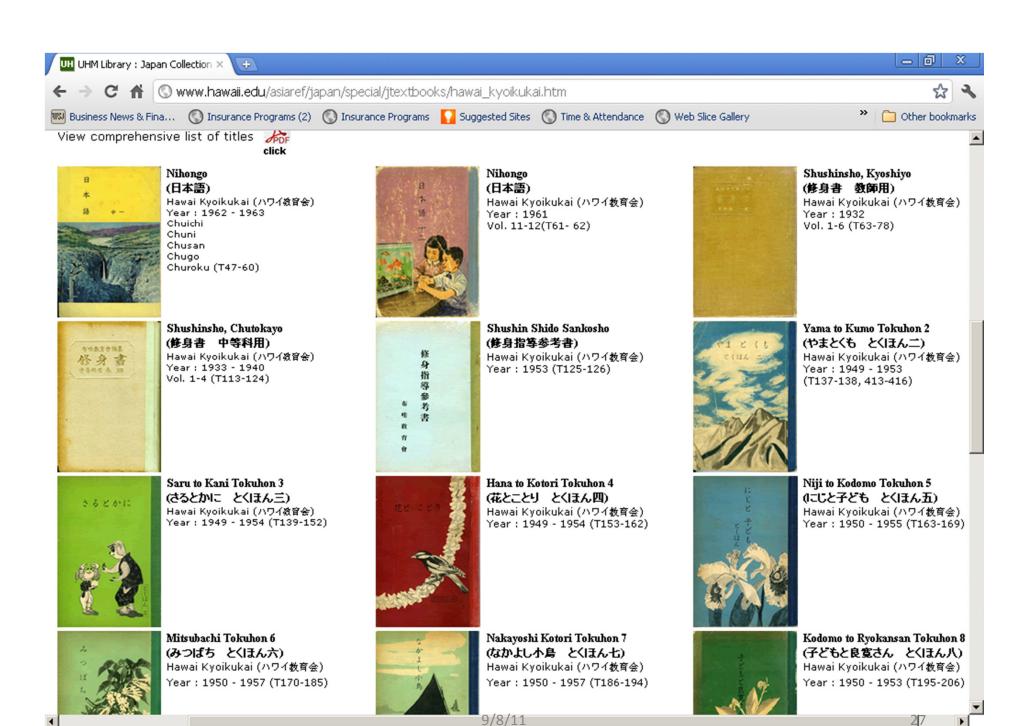
Collection Overview (ハワイ日本語学校教科書文庫観略)

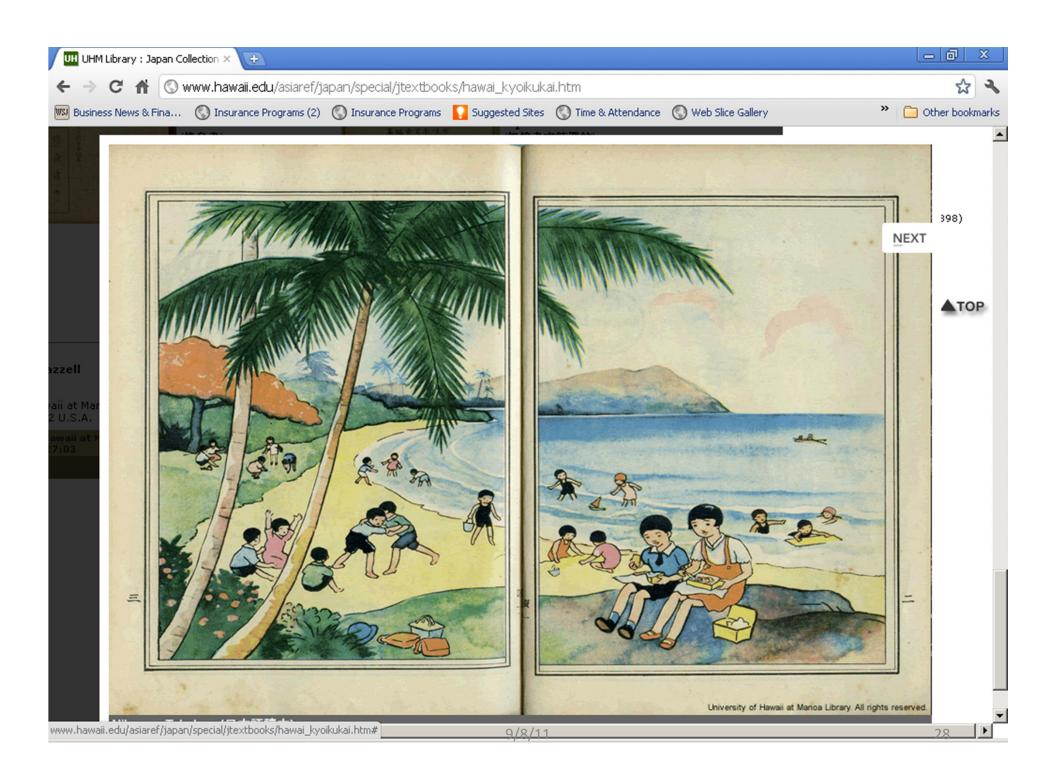
The Hawaii Japanese language school textbooks are part of the Asia Special Collections that are presently stored in Room 405 on the 4th Floor of Hamilton Library. There are approximately 600 books (including duplicates), which were published from early 1900s to 1950s.

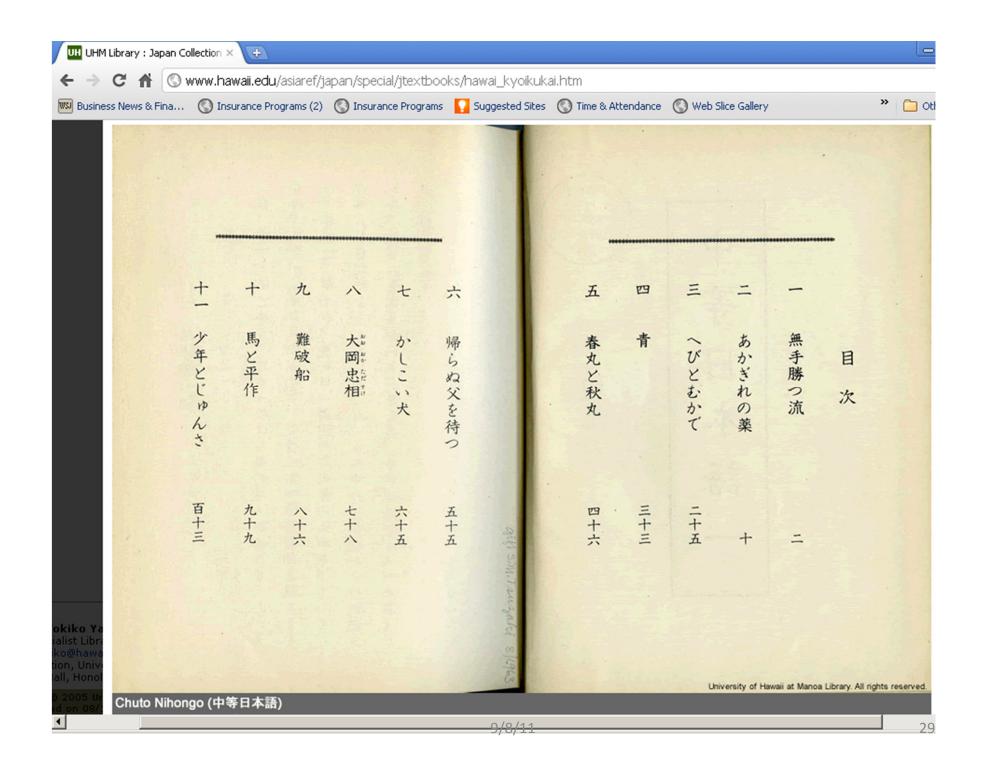
The textbooks were used to educate children of Japanese descendents, and they are now important resources to research the education of Japanese immigrants, the school system, and the social climate in Hawaii during that period. The majority of the textbooks were published by the Hawai Kyoikukai (布哇教育会/ハワイ教育会), a local Japanese language school educational board. The Collection also includes textbooks published by the Honpa Honganji/Hongwanji (本派本願寺), Hawai Chuo Gakuin (布哇中央学院), the Ministry of Education in Japan (文部省) and other organizations in Hawaii.

The majority of the collections were donated to the UHM Asia Collection in 1970s, when the Moili'ili Japanese Language School was downsized. The UHM Hawaiian Collection also holds Japanese language textbooks (some were transferred from the Asia Collection). For these items, search keywords "japanese language readers" in Voyager Online Catalog. In a record, click on "Get this item" to request access to the Hawaiian Collection on the 5th Floor.

To access materials in the Japanese Language School Textbooks Collection at site, please read the Access Dolice Japanese version)













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WELCOME TO MAGIC LANTERN SLIDES COLLECTION.

There are about 1,500 magic lantern slides in the UHM Japan Collection, and these were the gifts of two donors: the Kokusai Bunka Shinkokai 国際文化振興会 (KBS), a predecessor of the present Japan Foundation 国際交流基金, and the family of the Reverend Takie Okumura 奥村多喜街(1865-1951).

In 1930s, KBS (1936-1972) actively created lantern slides and distributed them to institutions around the world to help educate about Japan. The records indicate (Gregg Sinclair Papers, UH Archives & KBS documents, JF Library) that 682 lantern slides were sent to the University of Hawaii. In 1999, 466 of the slides on this site were found at the house of Prof. Yukuo Uyehara 上原征生, who had helped Dr. Tasuku Harada 原田助 at the beginning of the UH Japanese program in 1920 and later became a Japanese language and literature instructor in 1933.

We thank the Japan Foundation for granting us permission to digitize and share the surviving lantern slides. The KBS slides were digitized to show the frame and scripts on the slide rather than to show the images, which are well known architectures and arts in Japan. Therefore, the images can sometimes appear blurred. Our intention is to share these forgotten slides to remind of KBS's historical efforts and contributions to educate about Japan. The description of each slide has been taken from a 5-volume catalog published by the KBS, "The Japanese arts through lantern slides." The romanization was kept as appeared in the original catalogs.

For many years, the origin of over 1,000 slides was a mystery. In 2006, a letter dated March 2, 1963, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Y. Okumura (a grandson of Rev. Takie Okumura) was discovered (UH Archives), that thanked them for their donation to the Library, Among the gifts were "a trunk and two trays containing 4x3 1/4 glass slides..." Rev. Takie Okumura was an educator, spiritual leader and founder of the Makiki Christian Church (1904) in Honolulu. He also established the Okumura Boys and Girls Home (1901). The Okumura slides consist of slides produced in Meiji明治, world trip photos, orphanages and orphans in Japan, and many pictures must yet be identified. We hope posting these images will stimulate comments and new information. For more information and studies on the lantern slides in Japan: Iwamoto, Kenji, "Boto no seiki: Eiga zenya no shikaku bunkashi," Tokyo: Shinwasha, 2002. 「幻燈の世紀:映画前 夜の視覚文化史」岩本竈児著。東京:森話社, 2002.2.



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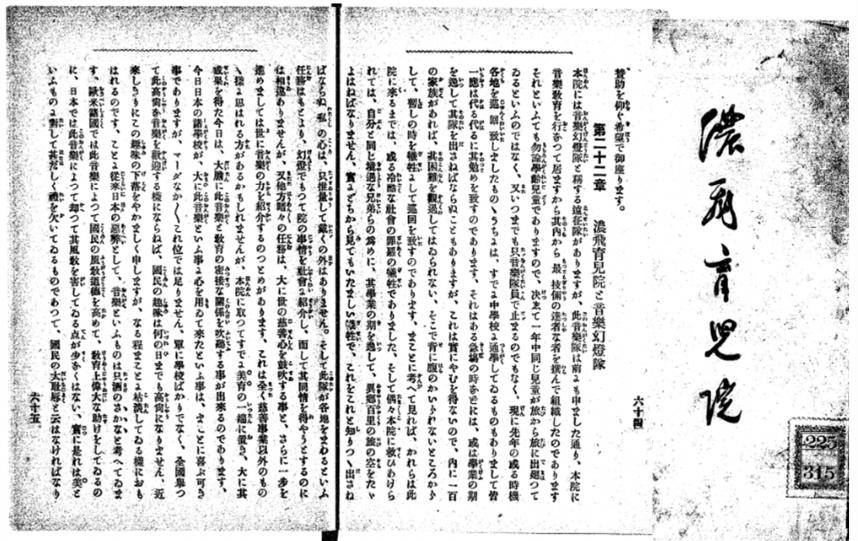


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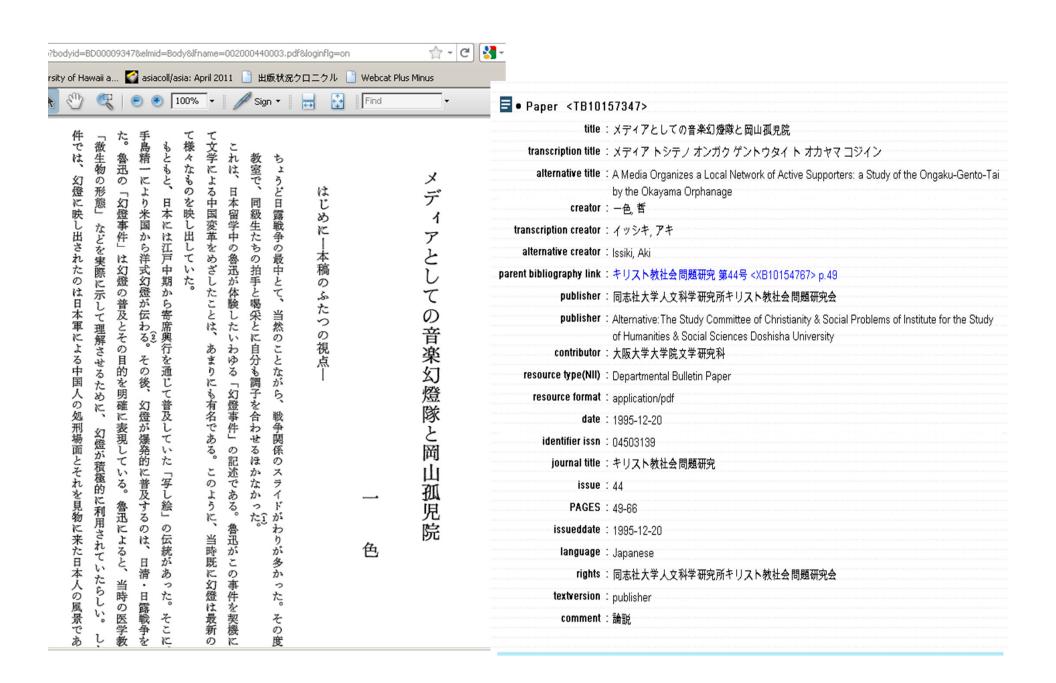




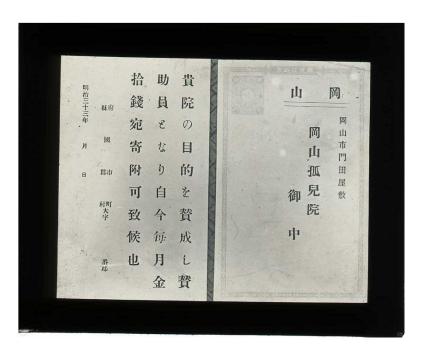




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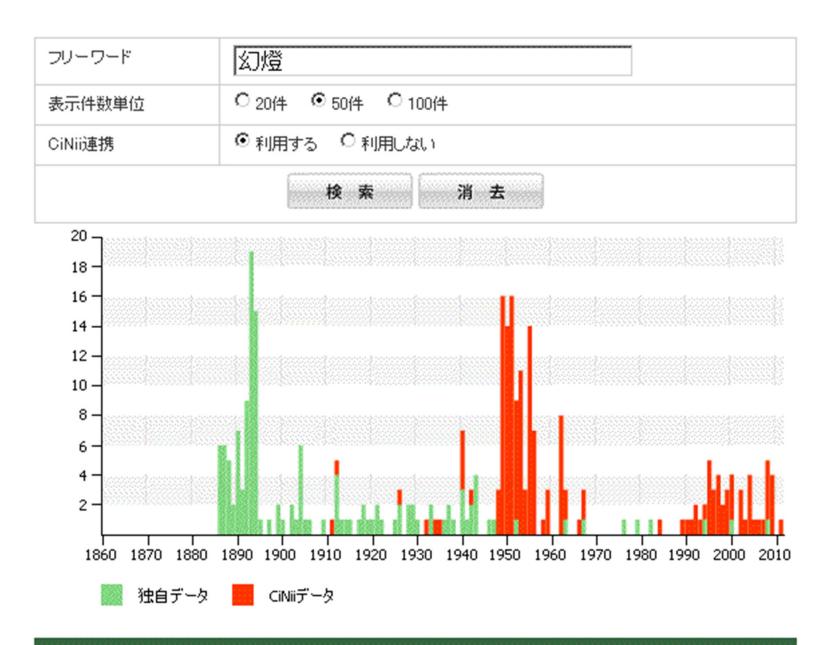
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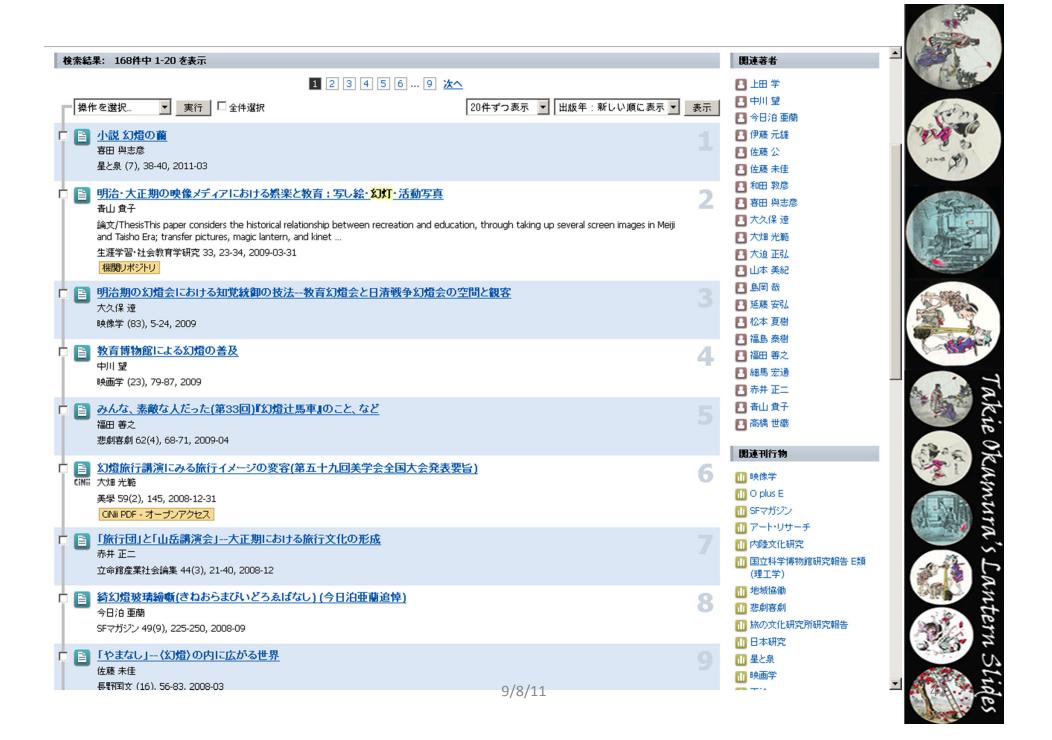
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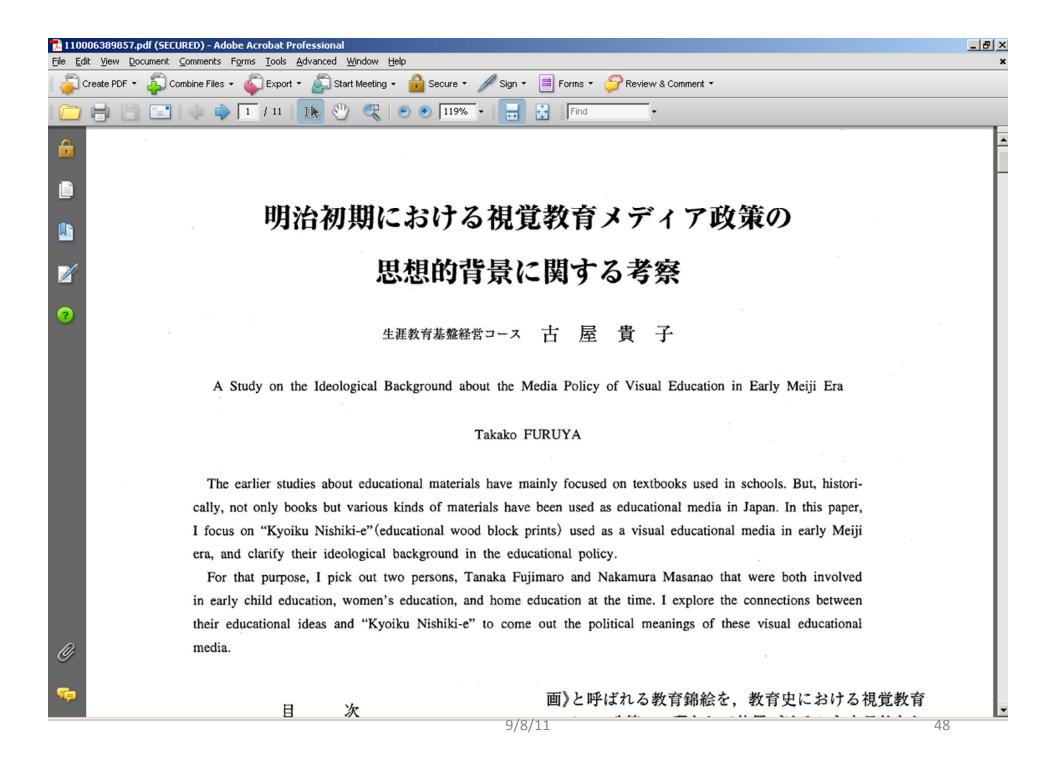


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