(1)-ii. Documents showing the particulars of the passage to the islands

A book compiled in later years on the passage to Utsuryo Island and Takeshima

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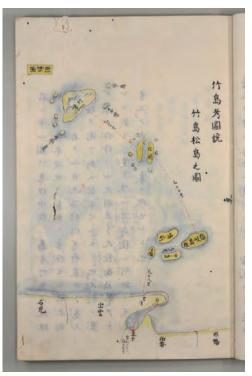






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Overview

This is a book on the businesses of the OYA and MURAKAWA families, compiled in later years by Masayoshi OKAJIMA, a samurai who held an important position in the Tottori Domain. It is a record of information on the particulars of the passage to and geography of Utsuryo Island and Takeshima, and products such as sea lion. The first volume includes an illustrated map of the route for the passage to Utsuryo Island, as well as explanations on the geography of Utsuryo Island and Takeshima.

In this book, "Takeshima" means Utsuryo Island, while "Matsushima" means present-day Takeshima.

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Excerpt [English translation]

Those who made the passage left Yonago around February or March every year, moored the ship at Oki Province, and departed in early April. First, they stopped off at a small island called Matsushima (present-day Takeshima) and commenced fishing and hunting. After that, they crossed the sea to Takeshima (present-day Ulleungdo), went fishing and hunting, and then returned in the autumn.