

GRAND CHERRY SHOW TAKARAZUKA GIRLS

ON THE INVITATION OF
THE GOLDEN GATE INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION



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Sayo Hukuko

Five maidens at the Dōzyōzi-Temple

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PR

A. DANCE TAKARAZUKA

"Takarazuka-Ono" (Cherry Dance)

Singing Girls • Hibiki Tisuzu
• Momozono Yumika
Dancing Girls —32

Prelude (Three Celebrants)

"Samba" • Sayo Hukuko
• Namba Syoko
• Sakuramati Kimiko
• Kaga Matuno
• Turu Makiko

At The Riverside

(Stage Reproduction Of Ukiyoe)

Geisha Girl • Hanazato Isako
Singer • Hibiki Tisuzu
"Samisen" players
• Simono Haseko
• Miyosino Kinuko

Puppet Show

When my Ship comes Home (Fishermen's Festival)

Fishermen —16

Kabuki "Soga"

(Showing The Elegance of Kabuki Play)

Zyuro Soga • Kasugano Yatiyo
Goro Soga • Saho Miyoko
Maizuru • Turu Makiko
Princess • Kusabue Yosiko

Nikko (At The Most Famous Temple Of Japan)

"Samurai" • Sayo Hukuko
Kuko (the enemy of Soga brothers)
• Yasiro Keiko
Princess • Kusabue Yosiko
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Ancient Martial Frolic (Comic Dance)

Head attendant • Miura Tokiko
Attendants —16

Miss Tokyo (Osayo: Depicting The Sentiment Of Old Edo)

Girl • Sakuramati Kimiko
Singing Girl • Momozono Yumika

Harvest Dance

Men —3
Women —3
Singer • Hibiki Tisuzu



Kusabue Yosiko

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AMME

Spring Twilight (Ballet)

Madam Butterfly • Kusabue Yosiko
Pinkerton • Kasugano Yatiyo
Girls —24

Miss Osaka (Osome: Dance with Rich Local Colour)

“Osome” • Sayo Hukuko
Singer • Miura Tokiko

Chanson Nippon (Japanese Folk-Songs)

Singer • Miura Tokiko

Dance Snow Flakes

Snow Girls —24

“Samisen”

(Wandering Musician With Popular
Japanese Instrument)

Samisen-players • Simono Haseko
• Miyosino Kinuko

Kyoto (Swordman And “Geisya”: Meiji Restoration Era)

“Maiko” (dancing girl)
• Namba Syoko
“Samurai” • Saho Miyoko
Assassins —10

Battledore & Shuttlecock (New Year's Recreation)

Singing Girls • Hibiki Tisuzu
• Kaga Matuno
Shuttlecocks —16

Finale (Cherry Festival)

Girl • Kusabue Yosiko
Young lord • Sayo Hukuko
Ladies-in-waiting—22
Shuttlecocks —16

B. DEMON AND KNIGHT

• Sayo Hukuko
• Hanazato Isako

C. THEY FOOLED THE BOSS

• Sayo Hukuko
• Kasugano Yatiyo

D. UKIYOE (“Hikone Byoku”)

E. MUSUME DŌZYŌZI

(Five maidens at the Dōzyōzi Temple)

• Hanazato Isako
• Namba Syoko
• Sakuramati Kimiko
• Kaga Matuno
• Turu Makiko





Dance of the Ancient Soldiers





"Kappore"



Women with "Naginata"
(Swords with long handles)

HIKONI



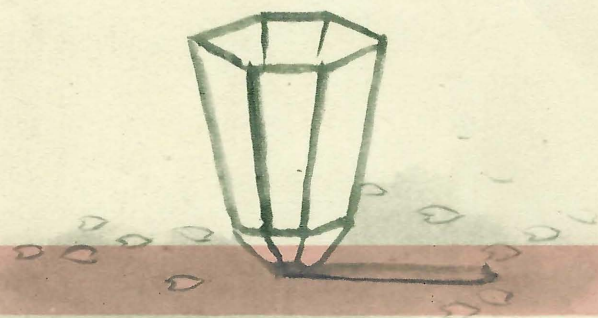
Folding screen of Hikone

BYŌBU





Dance of Snow





Marrionette "Samba"



"Kengeki"

(Fight of Samurai)



SAKURA-MUSUME





ITIZO KOBAYASI
President

Takarazuka, a town near Kobe, is justly called the entertainment Mecca of Japan, and the chief figure of it is THE TAKARAZUKA GRAND THEATRE.

THE TAKARAZUKA GRAND THEATRE, the largest opera-house in Japan, stands in the grounds of surpassing natural beauty, amidst other various amusement facilities: a library, a luna-park, a zoological garden, a tropical zoo, a botanic garden, a swimming pool, a cinema theatre, an athletic field, a movie studio and a hotel.

THE TAKARAZUKA GIRLS' OPERA, organized in 1912 in this scenic spot, is the oldest and largest organization wholly devoted to music and play. The organization owns, besides The Takarazuka Grand Theatre, a number of big theatres, each of which having a sitting capacity of over 4,000, in Tokio, Osaka, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagoya, etc., where the organization presents all the year round a special type of opera acted entirely by the young girls.

These girls are graduates of THE TAKARAZUKA MUSIC SCHOOL, which, by the way, is the only school of this kind in Japan, and the girls have received a thorough training in music, art of playing and dance, European as well as Japanese. They are really the highest water-mark of the new stage art in Japan.

Last autumn, the organization had the happy chance of sending a special group of these girls to Europe on the invitation of Germany and Italy, and the enterprise was a great success.

This time, forty performers picked out of 600 girls of the organization are going over to America to represent THE TAKARAZUKA GRAND CHERRY SHOW at THE GOLDEN GATE EXPOSITION in San Francisco.



TAKARAZUKA GRAND THEATER





Kusabue Yosiko
Singer









HIKONE BYŌBU



AYASI



Sayo Hukuko
as
A Maiden

Sakuramati Kimiko

as

DANSING



Hanazato Isako
as
A Snow Girl



MAIDENS



Sakuramati Kimiko



Miura Tokiko



Sayo Hukuko



Turu Makiko



Hanazato Isako

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Momozono Yumika



Miyosino Kinuko



Hibiki Tisuzu



Noboru Mitiko



Asagumo Teruyo



Kusabue Yosiko



Kasugano Yatiyo



Saho Miyoko

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Namba Syoko



Kaga Matuno



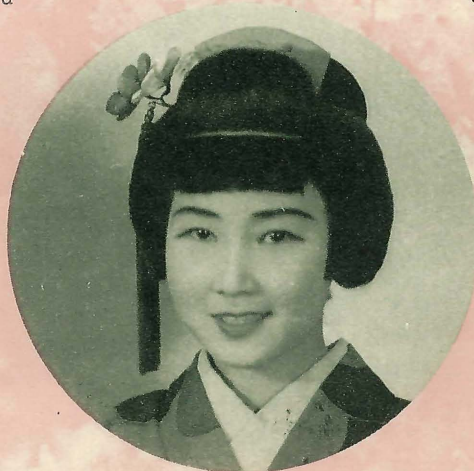
Yume Tazuru



Osaka Sekiko



Yasiro Keiko



Amasiro Tukie



Egawa Suzuyo



Aogiri Sigemi



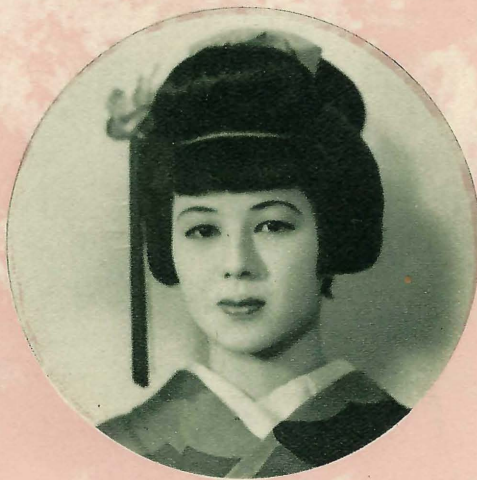
Yamaha Masae



Tanima Sayuri



Miyazima Akiko



Sikibu Wakako

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TAKARAZ



Miyagawa Isuzu



Arikawa Tuneko



Simono Haseko



Akeno Matiko



Hanaki Homare



Kirino Miyako

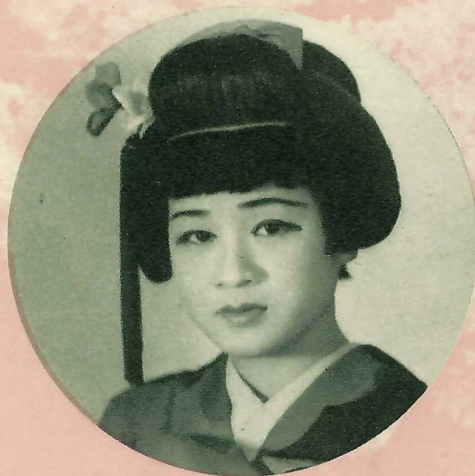


Maizuru Asahi



Kawase Huzino

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Tukimiya Mituru



Tamaha Teruko



Tamamatu Isao



Sonou Tigusa



Umeno Aiko



Karigane Mitiko



Miyai Syoko





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