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Abstract: The end of the extensive Japanese missions to Sui and Tang China in the middle of the ninth century did not call a halt to Sino-Japanese contacts. This short piece translates and annotates a chart compiled by Ueda Takeshi of verifiable (month and year) voyages between the two countries covering the 1,000-year period from the mid-ninth through the early nineteenth centuries. Readers are encouraged to offer corrections and/or additions.

Sino-Japanese Shipping Connections as Reported in Chinese and Japanese Sources

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As an appendix to his interesting book on the history of the Japanese missions to Tang China (*J. ken-Tō shi* 遣唐使), *Ken-Tō shi zenkōkai* 遣唐使全航海 (Sea crossings of the Japanese embassies to [Tang] China) (Tokyo: Sōshisha, 2006), Ueda Takeshi 上田雄 (b. 1931) included a brief listing of the signal Sino-Japanese maritime affairs from the second half of the ninth century through the early nineteenth—namely, the millennium following the last of the *ken-Tō shi* voyages. These include events for which the month and year can be confirmed, and the months have been converted to the calendar months as presently used. Sources follow in parentheses.

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Japan-to-China

- 842 (Shōwa 9), October: Leaving from Chikanoshima 值嘉島, the vessel carrying [monk] Eun 慧運 [798-859] arrives in China. (*Shoku Nihongi* 續日本紀)
- 851 (Ninju 1), September: Leaving from Chikanoshima, the vessel carrying [monk] Enchin 圓珍 [814-891] arrives in China. (*Genkō shakusho* 元亨釋書)
- 862 (Jōgan 4), October: Leaving from Chikanoshima, the vessel carrying Prince Takaoka 高岳親王 [799-865] arrives in China. (*Zuda shinnō nit-Tō ryakki* 頭陀親王入唐略紀)
- 983 (Eikan 1), September: The vessel carrying [monk] Chōnen 裔然 [938-1016] to Song China reaches land at Taizhou 台州, Zhejiang. (*Chengsuan fashi ji* 成算法師記)
- 988 (Eien 1), March: The vessel carrying monk Kain 嘉因 reaches China aboard Chinese merchant Zheng Rende's 鄭仁德 vessel. (*Nihon kiryaku* 日本紀略; *Fusō ryakuki* 扶桑略記)
- 1003 (Chōhō 3), October: The vessel carrying [monk] Jakushō 寂照 [962-1034] arrives in Mingzhou 明州. (*Rekidai kōki* 歷代皇紀; *Fusō ryakuki*)
- 1015 (Chōwa 4), September: The vessel carrying [monk] Nengu 念救 reaches Song China. (*Midō kanpaku nikki* 御堂關白日記; *Ōuki* [Shōyūki] 小右記)
- 1072 (Enkyū 4), April: The Song merchant vessel carrying [monk] Jōjin 成尋 [1011-1081] leaves from Kabeshima 可部島, Hizen 肥前 domain and reaches Mingzhou. (*Fusō ryakuki*)
- 1168 (Ninnan 3), June: [Monk] Eisai 榮西 [1141-1215] reaches Mingzhou. (*Gō-Zen gokoku ron* 興禪護國論, preface)
- 1199 (Shōji 1), May: The vessel carrying [monk] Shunjō 俊苒 [1166-1227] leaves Hakata 博多 and reaches China. (*Sennyūji Fukaki hōshi den* 泉涌寺不可棄法師傳)
- 1223 (Jōō 2), May: The vessel carrying [monks] Myōzen 明全 [1184-1225] and Dōgen 道元 [1200-1253] leaves Hakata and reaches Mingzhou. (*Jideng lu* 繼燈錄)
- 1235 (Katei 1), May: The vessel carrying [monks] Ben'en 辯圓 [1202-1280] and Eison 榮尊 [1195-1273] leaves Hirado 平戸 and reaches Mingzhou. (*Shō ikkoku shi nenpu* 聖一國師年譜)

- 1249 (Kenchō 1), May: The vessel carrying [monk] Kakushin 覺心 [1207-1298] leaves Hakata and reaches China. (*Shōhō kaisen hōtō Enmyō kokushi gyōjitsu nenpu* 鷲峰開山法燈圓明國師行實年譜)
- 1292 (Shōō 5), July: Three of four Japanese trading vessels headed to trade in Yuan China are shipwrecked, one reaching Mingzhou. (*Yuan shi* 元史)
- 1306 (Tokuji 1), June: Japanese merchant Yūkei 有慶 arrives at Qingyuan 慶元 (Mingzhou). (*Yuan shi*)
- 1326 (Karyaku 1), August: The monk Zuikō 瑞興 and some forty others set off for Yuan China. (*Yuan shi*)
- 1342 (Kōei 1), November: [Monk] Shōkai Ryōken 性海靈見 [1315-1396] leaves for China and arrives at Qingyuan aboard a vessel owned by [the Buddhist temple,] Tenryūji 天龍寺. (*Shōkai oshō gyōjitsu* 性海和尚行實)
- 1376 (Eiwa 2), May: Prince Kaneyoshi 懷良親王 [1329-1383] and monk Monkei 文珪 are dispatched to Ming China. (*Honchō kōsō den* 本朝高僧傳)
- 1404 (Ōei 11), September: Delegation from Ming China return home together with a Japanese embassy sent to the Ming. (*Ming shi* 明史)
- 1405 (Ōei 12), December: Delegation from Ming China return home together with a Japanese embassy sent to the Ming. (*Ming shi*)
- 1408 (Ōei 15), June: Japanese embassy is sent to the Ming. (*Zenrin kokuhō ki* 善鄰國寶記)
- 1453 (Kyōtoku 2), April: Japanese embassy is sent to the Ming, departing Gotō 五島 and arriving Ningbo 寧波 in May. (*Inbō nit-Tō ki* 允澎入唐記)
- 1468 (Ōnin 2), June: Japanese embassy sent to the Ming arrives at Ningbo. (*Boshi nyū-Min ki* 戊子入明記)
- 1523 (Daiei 3), June: A delegation vessel (Hosokawa 細川 ship) arrives in Ningbo; Ningbo disturbance. (*Nanbei kikō* 南聘紀考)
- 1539 (Tenmon 8), May: Japanese embassy sent to the Ming leaves from Gotō and arrives at Ningbo. (*Sakugen nit-Tō ki* 策彦入唐記)
- 1544 (Tenmon 13), May: A vessel from Tanegashima 種子島 reaches Ming China. (*Tanegashima kafu* 種子島家譜; *Ming shi*)
- 1547 (Tenmon 16), June: Japanese embassy sent to the Ming sets out from Gotō and arrives at the Zhoushan Archipelago 舟山列島. (*Da Ming pu* 大明譜)
- 1557 (Kōji 3), November: Ōtomo Yoshishige 大友義鎮 [Sōrin 宗麟, 1530-1587] sends [monk] Zenmyō 善妙 and others to Ming China and repatriates Wang Zhi 王直 [d. 1559]. (*Ming shi*)
- 1600 (Keichō 5), September: Satsuma 薩摩 sends an embassy ship to Ming China, leaving from Bōnotsu 坊津. (*Nankoku shiwa* 南國史話)
- 1726 (Kyōhō 11), March: Confucianist Zhu Peizhang 朱佩章 returns to Qing China, and in June Zhu Laizhang 朱來章 does as well. (*Nagasaki shi* 長崎志)
- 1727 (Kyōhō 12), July: Doctor Zhou Qilai 周岐來 returns to Qing China. (*Nagasaki jitsuroku taisei* 長崎實錄大成)

- 1729 (Kyōhō 14), September: Doctor Zhao Songyang 趙淞陽 returns to Qing China. (*Nagasaki jitsuroku taisei*)
- 1731 (Kyōhō 16), May: Equestrian doctor Liu Jingguang 劉經光 returns to Qing China. (*Nagasaki jitsuroku taisei*)
- 1731 (Kyōhō 16), November: Equestrian Shen Dacheng 沈大成 returns to Qing China. (*Nagasaki jitsuroku taisei*)
- 1781 (Tenmei 1), May: Merchants shipwrecked at Satsuma aboard a Chinese vessel headed home are repatriated. (*Nagasaki jitsuroku taisei*)

China-to-Japan

- 841 (Shōwa 8), January: Emissary of [merchant] Zhang Baogao 張寶高 [d. 846] arrives in Japan. (*Shoku Nihongi*)
- 844 (Shōwa 11), January: Aboard a vessel owned by Chang Kongjūng 張公靖 of Silla 新羅, [monks] Ninkō 仁好 and Junshō 順昌, among others, return to Japan. (*Shoku Nihongi*)
- 847 (Shōwa 14), July: Aboard a vessel owned by Zhang Zhixin 張支信 of Tang China, [monks] Eun, Ninkō, and Egaku 惠萼, among others return to Japan. (*Shoku Nihongi*)
- 847 (Shōwa 14), October: Aboard a vessel owned by Kim Chin 金珍 of Silla, [monks] Ennin 圓仁 [793/4-864] and others return home to Japan. (*Nit-Tō guhō junrei kōki* 入唐求法巡禮行記)
- 849 (Kajō 2), August: Chinese merchant(s) arrive(s) in Japan. (*Shoku Nihongi*)
- 852 (Ninju 2), October: Chinese merchant Qin Lianghui 欽良暉 arrives in Japan. (*Zhizheng dashi zhuan* 智證大師傳)
- 858 (Tennan 2), August: Aboard a vessel owned by Chinese merchant Li Yanxiao 李延孝 [d. 877], Enchin returns home to Japan. (*Genkō shakusho*)
- 862 (Jōgan 4), August: A vessel owned by Chinese merchant Li Yanxiao arrives in Japan. (*Nihon sandai jitsuroku* 日本三代實錄)
- 863 (Jōgan 5), May: A vessel carrying Prince Takaoka returns to Japan; monk Egaku who had been studying in China returns home to Japan. (*Zuda shinnō nit-Tō ryakki*)
- 865 (Jōgan 7), July: A vessel owned by Chinese merchant Li Yanxiao arrives in Japan; [monks] Shūei (or Shuei) 宗叡 [809-884] and others return home to Japan. (*Nihon sandai jitsuroku*)
- 866 (Jōgan 8), October: Chinese merchants Zhang Yan 張言 and others arrive in Japan. (*Nihon sandai jitsuroku*)
- 874 (Jōgan 16), July: Chinese merchant Cui Ji 崔岌 arrives in Japan. (*Nihon sandai jitsuroku*)
- 876 (Jōgan 18), August: Chinese merchant Yang Qing 楊清 arrives in Japan. (*Nihon sandai jitsuroku*)
- 877 (Genkei 1), August: Chinese merchant Cui Duo 崔鐸 arrives in Japan. (*Nihon sandai jitsuroku*)
- 893 (Kanpyō 5), April: Chinese merchants Wang Ne 王訥 arrives in Japan, bringing the writings of [monk] Chūkan 中瓘 who was in China. (*Kanke bunsō* 管家文草)

- 894 (Kanpyō 6), June: Chinese visitors come to Japan. (*Nihon kiryaku*)
- 945 (Tengyō 8), September: A merchant from Wuyue 吳越 arrives at Kashiwajima 柏島 in the domain of Matsuura 松浦 (or Matsura) at Hizen. (*Honchō seiki* 本朝世紀)
- 986 (Kanna 2), August: Merchant Zheng Rende from Song China arrives in Japan. (*Nihon kiryaku*; *Fusō ryakuki*)
- 995 (Chōtoku 1), October: Merchants Zhu Rencong 朱仁聰 and others from Song China arrive at Wakasa 若狹. (*Nihon kiryaku*)
- 1015 (Chōwa 4), June: Chinese merchant Zhou Wende 周文德 arrives in Japan; [Japanese] monk Nengu returns home after studying in Song China. (*Ōuki* [*Shōyūki*])
- 1028 (Chōgen 1), September: Chinese merchant arrives at Tsushima 對馬.
- 1028 (Chōgen 1), October: A merchant from Fuzhou 福州 arrives in Japan. (*Ōuki* [*Shōyūki*])
- 1037 (Chōryaku 1), June: Chinese merchant Mu Yancheng 慕晏誠 shipwrecked. (*Hyakuren shō* 百鍊抄)
- 1044 (Kantoku 1), August: Chinese merchant Zhang Shoulong 張守隆 shipwrecked at Tajima 但馬. (*Hyakuren shō*)
- 1060 (Kōhei 3), September: Chinese merchants Lin Yang 林養 and others shipwrecked at Echizen 越前. (*Hyakuren shō*; *Fusō ryakuki*)
- 1066 (Jiryaku 2), June: Chinese merchant Wang Man 王滿 arrives in Japan. (*Hyakuren shō*; *Fusō ryakuki*)
- 1073 (Enkyū 5), July: [Monks] Raien 賴縁 among others return home to Japan aboard a vessel owned by Chinese merchant Sun Zhong 孫忠. (*San Tendai Godai san ki* 參天臺五臺山記)
- 1080 (Shōryaku 4), August: Chinese merchant arrives in Japan. (*Fusō ryakuki*)
- 1168 (Ninnan 3), October: [Monks] Eisai and Chōgen 重源 [1121-1206] return home to Japan. (*Gō-Zen gokoku ron*)
- 1211 (Kenryaku 1), March: [Monk] Shunjō returns home to Japan. (*Sennyūji Fukaki hōshi den*)
- 1238 (Ryakunin 1), July: [Monk] Eison returns home to Japan. (*Eison oshō nenpu* 榮尊和尚年譜)
- 1241 (Ninji 2), June: [Monk] Ben'en returns home to Japan. (*Shō ikkoku shi nenpu*)
- 1254 (Kenchō 6), June: [Monk] Kakushin returns home to Japan. (*Shōhō kaisen hōtō Enmyō kokushi gyōjitsu nenpu*)
- 1279 (Kōan 2), July: [Monk] Wuxue Zuyuan 無學祖元 (J. Mugaku Sogen) [1226-1286] arrives in Japan. (*Foguang guoshi nianpu* 佛光國師年譜)
- 1326 (Karyaku 1), July: Yuan-era monk Qingzhuo Zhengcheng 清拙正澄 [1274-1339] arrives in Japan. (*Honchō kōsō den*)
- 1329 (Gentoku 1), July: Monk Mingji Chujun 明極楚俊 [1262-1336] arrives in Japan. (*Zhuxian Fanyu yulu* 竺僊梵仙語錄)
- 1345 (Jōwa 1), June: [Monks] Yūzan Shisai 友山士偲 [1301-1370] and Shisan Myōzai 此山妙在 [1296-1377] return home to Japan. (*Yūzan oshō den* 友山和尚傳)

- 1350 (Kan'ō 1), April: [Monks] Ryūzan Tokken 龍山徳見 [1284-1358] and Mubō Issei 無夢一清 [1294-1368] return home to Japan aboard a Yuan merchant vessel. (*Entairyaku* 園太曆)
- 1351 (Kan'ō 2), April: [Monk] Guchū Shūkyū 愚中周及 [1323-1409] sets off from Qingyuan (Mingzhou) and arrives in Hakata. (*Datong Chanshi yulu* 大通禪師語錄)
- 1368 (Ōan 1), December: With the founding of the new dynasty, a delegation from the Ming arrives in Japan. (*Huang Ming zizhi tongji* 皇明資質通紀)
- 1369 (Ōan 2), April: The Hongwu Emperor 洪武帝 of the Ming [1326-1398; r. 1368-1398] sends a mission to Japan. (*Ming shi*)
- 1370 (Ōan 3), April: Ming embassy under Zhao Zhi 趙秩, vice-magistrate of Laizhou 萊州, arrives in Japan (*Ming shi*)
- 1373 (Ōan 6), June: Ming emissaries Zhongxian Zuchan 仲獻祖闡 and Wuyi Kele 無逸克勤 arrive in Japan. (*Zenrin kokuhō ki*)
- 1406 (Ōan 13), June: Ming emissary arrives in Japan; Japanese mission to Ming China returns home. (*Zenrin kokuhō ki*)
- 1419 (Ōan 26), July: Ming emissary Lü Yuan 呂淵 makes a return visit to Japan. (*Zenrin kokuhō ki*)
- 1454 (Kyōtoku 3), July: Mission vessel to Ming China returns home, departing from Ningbo and arriving at Nagato 長門. (*Inbō nit-Tō ki*)
- 1469 (Bunmei 1), June: Mission vessel to Ming China returns home; [monks] Sesshū 雪舟 [1420-1506] and others return home to Japan. (*Daijōin jisha zōjiki* 大乘院寺社雜事記)
- 1486 (Bunmei 18), January: Mission to Ming China returns home, arriving back at Gotō. (大乘院寺社雜事記)
- 1513 (Eishō 10), July: Emissary to the Ming, Ryōan Keigo 了庵桂悟 [1425-1514], returns home. (Ryōan's preface to *Yuyao Wang Shouren song* 餘姚王守仁送)
- 1541 (Tenmon 10), July: Embassy vessel to Ming China returns to Gotō. (*Sakugen nit-Tō ki*)
- 1541 (Tenmon 10), August: Chinese vessel arrives at Bungo 豐後. ("Sōrin seimu narabi ni Tōsen tokai no koto" 宗麟政務并唐船渡海之事, in *Hō-Satsu gunki* 豐薩軍記)
- 1543 (Tenmon 12), September: Ming vessel arrives at Bungo. (*Hō-Satsu gunki*)
- 1545 (Tenmon 14), July: The vessel from Tanegashima returns home. (*Tanegashima kafu*)
- 1575 (Tenshō 3), May: Ming vessel comes to Bungo. (*Ōtomo ke ki* 大友家記)
- 1609 (Keichō 14), August: Ten Ming vessels arrive at Bōnotsu, Satsuma. (*Ikoku nikki* 異國日記)
- 1612 (Keichō 17), August: A Ming vessel arrives at Nagasaki; Zheng Zhilong 鄭芝龍 [1604-1661] arrives in Japan. (*Sunpu ki* 駿府記)
- 1613 (Keichō 18), July: A Ming vessel arrives at Nagasaki. (*Sunpu ki*)
- 1646 (Shōhō 3), February: Ming Coimmission-in-Chief Cui Zhi 崔芝 dispatches Lin Gao 林高 and others to Japan. (*Sunpu ki*)
- 1646 (Shōhō 3), September: Surviving official of the Ming, Zheng Zhilong sends men to Satsuma to request reinforcements. (*Ka-i hentai* 華異變態)

- 1647 (Shōhō 4), March: Surviving official of the Ming, Zhou Hezhi 周鶴芝 dispatches a mission to Satsuma to request reinforcements. (*Haiwai tongku ji* 海外慟器記)
- 1647 (Shōhō 4), April: Surviving official of the Ming, Zhou Hezhi sends his adopted son to seek military reinforcements. (*Riben qishi ji* 日本乞師記)
- 1647 (Shōhō 4), July: Surviving official of the Ming, Feng Jingdi 馮京第 [d. 1654] and others come to Nagasaki to seek reinforcements. (*Haiwai tongku ji*)
- 1649 (Keian 2), August: Fuzhou vessel shipwrecked at Yamakawazu 山川津, Satsuma. (*Kanmei nikki* 寛明日記)
- 1649 (Keian 2), November: Surviving official of the Ming, Feng Jingdi and others come to Nagasaki to seek reinforcements. (*Haidong yishi* 海東逸史)
- 1649 (Keian 2), December: The Prince of Lu 魯王 [Zhu Yihai 朱以海, 1618-1662] of the Ming sends a mission [to Japan] seeking military reinforcements. (*Riben qishi ji*)
- 1654 (Jōō 3), August: Chan master Yinyuan 隱元 [J. Ingen, 1592-1673] arrives in Japan. (*Yinyuan Chanshi nianpu* 隱元禪師年譜)
- 1660 (Manji 3), August: Ming military official Zhang Guangqi 張光啟 comes to Japan to hire troops. (*Haishang jianwen lu* 海上見聞錄)
- 1674 (Enpō 2), July: A Qing vessel repatriates Japanese fishermen shipwrecked in Taiwan 臺灣. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1681 (Tenna 1), October: A Nanjing vessel is shipwrecked at Noma 野間, Satsuma. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1685 (Jōkyō 2), August: Thirteen official vessels from Xiamen 廈門, Fuzhou, arrive in Japan. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1686 (Jōkyō 3), August: A man from Shaoxing 紹興, planning for the revival of the Ming dynasty, comes to Japan with a request for military reinforcements. (*Zhang Fei bitan* 張斐筆談)
- 1686 (Jōkyō 3), November: One Chinese vessel comes ashore at Amakusa 天草. (*Kanrosō* 甘露叢)
- 1688 (Genroku 1), July: A Guangdong vessel arrives to repatriate castaways from Satsuma. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1689 (Genroku 2), August: Chinese vessel comes ashore at Hyūga 日向. (*Kanrosō*)
- 1692 (Genroku 5), April: A Fuzhou vessel arrives to repatriate castaways from Satsuma. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1693 (Genroku 6), September: A Chinese vessel arrives to repatriate castaways from Sanuki 讃岐. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1694 (Genroku 7), September: A Chinese vessel outfitted in Siam arrives to repatriate castaways from Nagato. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1695 (Genroku 8), October: Fuzhou vessel drifts ashore at Erabujima 永良部島, Satsuma. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1698 (Genroku 11), February: A Ningbo vessel is shipwrecked at Gotō, Hizen. (*Ka-i hentai*)
- 1707 (Hōei 4), July: Guangdong vessel arrives to repatriate castaways from Mutsu 陸奥. (*Ka-i hentai*)

- 1713 (Shōtoku 3), June: Guangdong vessel arrives to repatriate castaways from Chikugo 筑後. (*Wa-Kan ibun* 和漢寄文; *Nagasaki shi*)
- 1713 (Shōtoku 3), September: Guangdong vessel arrives to repatriate castaways from Mutsu. (*Nagasaki shi*)
- 1717 (Kyōhō 2), May: Fourteen Chinese vessels drift at sea by Buzen 豊前. (*Yanagimiya hikan* 柳宮秘鑑; *Tōsen oiharai ki* 唐船追拂記)
- 1718 (Kyōhō 3), April: Chinese vessel drifting at sea by Chikuzen and Buzen. (*Yanagimiya hikan*; *Tōsen oiharai ki*)
- 1720 (Kyōhō 5), July: Chinese vessel drifting at sea by Chikuzen and Buzen. (*Kyōhō nenroku* 享保年錄)
- 1726 (Kyōhō 11), July: Nanjing vessel drifts ashore at Amakusa. (*Wa-Kan ibun*)
- 1726 (Kyōhō 11), September: Chinese vessel drifts ashore at Susaura 須佐浦, Nagato. (*Kyōhō nenroku*; *Nagasaki shi*)
- 1726 (Kyōhō 11), November: Doctor Zhao Songyang arrives in Japan. (*Nagasaki kiji* 長崎記事; *Nagasaki jitsuroku taisei*)
- 1727 (Kyōhō 12), August: Chinese equestrians Chen Cairuo 陳采若, Shen Dacheng, and others arrive in Japan. (*Nagasaki jitsuroku taisei*)
- 1732 (Kyōhō 17), December: Chinese vessel drifts ashore at an island in the sea near Hizen. (*Hyōryū kibun* 漂流記聞)
- 1742 (Kanpō 2), June: Chinese vessel drifts ashore at the Zhoushan Archipelago, repatriating castaways from Satsuma. (*Hyōryū kibun*)
- 1752 (Hōreki 2), February: Chinese vessel repatriates Mutsu castaways who came ashore at Fujian 福建. (*Nagasaki shi*)
- 1754 (Hōreki 4), January: Nanjing vessel hit by inclement winds drifts ashore at Hachijōjima 八丈島. (*Junkai roku* 巡海錄)
- 1754 (Hōreki 4), February: Qing vessel repatriates Mutsu castaways who came ashore at the Zhoushan Archipelago. (*Meifuku ki* 迷復記)
- 1754 (Hōreki 4), September: Guangdong vessel repatriates castaways from Sōma 相馬, Mutsu. (*Nagasaki shi*)
- 1759 (Hōreki 9), April: Chinese vessel repatriates men from Shima 志摩 who had drifted ashore in Taiwan 臺灣. (*Taiwan hyōryū ki* 臺灣漂流記)
- 1762 (Hōreki 12), September: Shanghai vessel repatriates castaways from Mutsu. (*Hakuseki sōsho* 白石叢書; *Ōmin Tōdo hyōryū ki* 奧民唐土漂流記)
- 1767 (Meiwa 4), January: Beijing vessel drifts ashore at the Koshikijima 甌島 islands, Satsuma. (*Nagasaki shi*)
- 1775 (An'ei 4), June: Chinese vessel repatriates men from Mutsu who drifted ashore at Quanzhou 泉州. (*Meifuku ki*)
- 1776 (An'ei 5), July: Chinese vessel repatriates castaways from Mutsu. (*Nagasaki shi zokuhen* 長崎志續編)
- 1781 (Tenmei 1), December: Chinese vessel drifts ashore on the Satsuma peninsula. (*Nagasaki shi zokuhen*)
- 1790 (Kansei 2), July: Chinese vessel repatriates castaways from Mutsu, Ugo 出羽, and Echigo 越後. (*Kinbun gūhitsu* 近聞寓筆)

- 1799 (Kansei 11), January: Guangdong vessel repatriates castaways from Mutsu and Ugo.
(*Nagasaki shi zokuhen*)
- 1816 (Bunka 13), October: Guangdong vessel repatriates Satsuma castaways. (*Ritsuen mansha* 栗園漫沙)