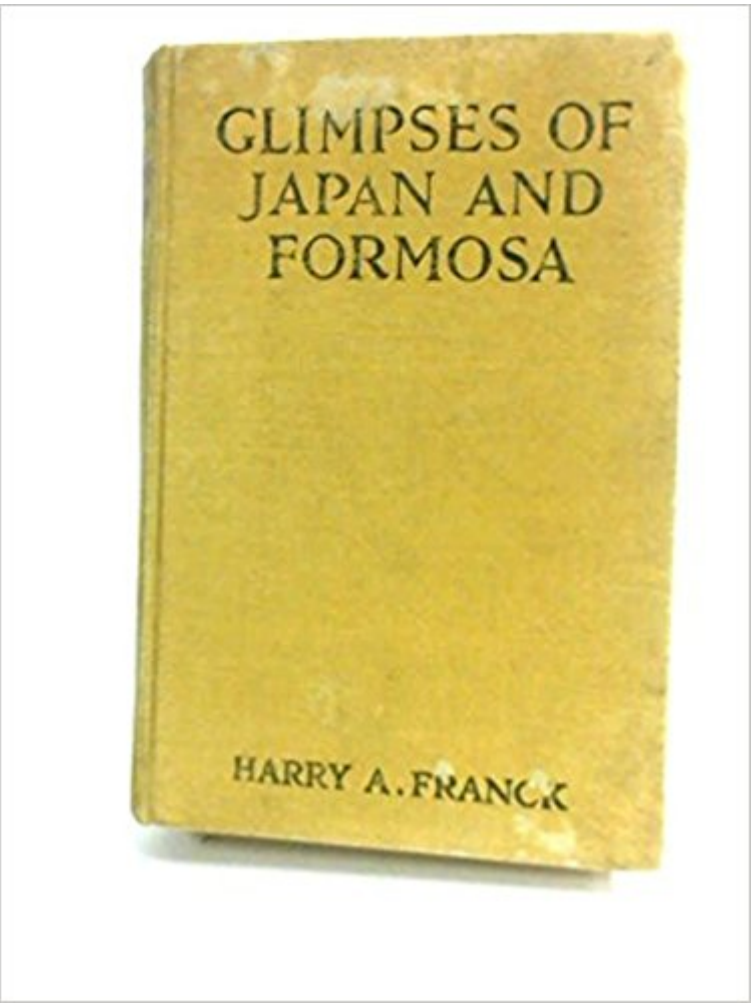
Ebook Directory
the best source of ebook

The book was found

Glimpses Of Japan And Formosa



PDF
Adobe
DOWNLOAD EBOOK

Synopsis

Japan

Book Information

Hardcover: 235 pages

Publisher: The Century Company; First Edition edition (1924)

Language: English

ASIN: B00085K52U

Package Dimensions: 9.1 x 6.6 x 1.1 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.6 pounds

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 1 customer review

Best Sellers Rank: #3,264,818 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #83 inÃ Â Books > Travel > Asia > Taiwan #1320 inÃ Â Books > Travel > Asia > Japan > General

Customer Reviews

Japan

A great introduction to Formosa (Taiwan).I always like to read the old books written about a country before I travel to the country. I have not visited Japan, but I did visit Formosa last month.I have very much enjoyed all of the Harry A. Franck books that I own (maybe 10 different countries).The copy of this book that I have was first written in 1924, with a date of 1939 on the front page.The book tells of the colonization of the Japanese of Formosa in 1895 and the changes that the Japanese have made to the people of Formosa. When Frank and his family was there (1924 or 1926 from what I can gather) they were very much afraid to go into certain areas because of the head-hunters!! The Japanese had literally fenced the head-hunting tribes off behind a barbed-wire fence (electrified in some areas!!) to keep the head-hunting tribes confined. When there were raids of retribution by the head-hunters into the areas outside the fence, Franck says it was mostly due to 'keeping your hands off the women'.Franck is a wonderful wonderful writer. He has an outstanding vocabulary and uses all types of figures of speech. He describes the infrastructure improvements that the Japanese have made in the cities and the country. The railroad that was built all along the eastern side of the island is an astounding feat to have built.The Japanese ran Formosa very much like a military occupation. It was interesting to read that the taxes imposed on the Formosan population by the Japanese were used mainly, "to gather quickly the large sums demanded by their (the Japanese) gluttonous army and navy, under the perhaps mistaken impression that only their armed strength

will save them from domination or complete absorption by Western nations."Franck talks about the clothes that were worn, the temples and monuments, the food, the transportation, the vegetation, the geography, the vast difference between the tourist (very few) and the general population. He is my favorite travel writer.

Download to continue reading...

The Collected Works of Chogyam Trungpa, Volume 2: The Path Is the Goal - Training the Mind - Glimpses of Abhidharma - Glimpses of Shunyata - Glimpses of Mahayana - Selected Writings The Collected Works of Chogyam Trungpa: Volume Two: The Path Is the Goal; Training the Mind; Glimpses of Abhidharma; Glimpses of Shu nyata; Glimpses of Mahayana; Selected Writings: 2 Glimpses of Japan and Formosa Japan: The Ultimate Japan Travel Guide By A Traveler For A Traveler: The Best Travel Tips; Where To Go, What To See And Much More (Japan Travel Guide, ... Guide, Japan Tour, History, Kyoto Guide,) Japan Travel Guide: The Ultimate Japan Travel Guide for Curious, Fun and Adventurous Travelers - Experience the Best of Japan's Culture, History, Tours, ... Japan Travel, Tokyo Guide, Kyoto Guide) Japan: The Ultimate Japan Travel Guide By A Traveler For A Traveler: The Best Travel Tips; Where To Go, What To See And Much More (Lost Travelers, ... Guide, Japan Tour, Best Of JAPAN Travel) Japan Travel Guide: The Ultimate Japan Travel Guide for Curious, Fun and Adventurous Travelers - Experience the Best of Japan's Culture, History, ... Japan Travel, Tokyo Guide, Kyoto Guide) Japan: The Ultimate Japan Travel Guide By A Traveler For A Traveler: The Best Travel Tips; Where To Go, What To See And Much More (Lost Travelers ... Kyoto Guide, Japan Tour, Budget Japan Travel) Japan: Japan Travel Guide: 101 Coolest Things to Do in Japan (Tokyo Travel, Kyoto Travel, Osaka Travel, Hiroshima, Budget Travel Japan) Japan: 101 Awesome Things You Must Do In Japan: Japan Travel Guide To The Land Of The Rising Sun. The True Travel Guide from a True Traveler. All You Need To Know About Japan. Japan: Japan Travel Guide: The 30 Best Tips For Your Trip To Japan - The Places You Have To See (Tokyo, Kyoto, Osaka, Japan Travel Book 1) Japan: Japan Travel Guide: The 30 Best Tips For Your Trip To Japan - The Places You Have To See (Tokyo, Kyoto, Osaka, Japan Travel) (Volume 1) Letters of Gilbert Little Stark: Travels in Japan, China, Mongolia, Formosa, Canton, Java, Malaysia, Burma, and India Tokyo Travel Guide - Best of Tokyo - Your #1 Itinerary Planner for What to See, Do, and Eat in Tokyo, Japan (Tokyo Travel Guide, Tokyo Travel, Tokyo Japan) (Wanderlust Pocket Guides - Japan) Rambles of a Naturalist on the Shores and Waters of the China Sea: Being Observations in Natural History During a Voyage to China, Formosa, Borneo, ... Vessels in 1866 and 1867 (Classic Reprint) The Royal W.E.: Unique Glimpses of The Duke and Duchess of Windsor GLIMPSES OF COMMUNION The Culture of Greenland in Glimpses The Faith to Doubt: Glimpses

of Buddhist Uncertainty Glimpses Into Grief

Contact Us

DMCA

Privacy

FAQ & Help