

130787 No. 196.

Obverse



Tsuba 196 of a Katana

Metal Iron.

School or Style Soten

Maker's Name Soten II.

Mindo Soten Soheishi - lived in Hikone
province of Goshu (Omi)

Date 17th Century

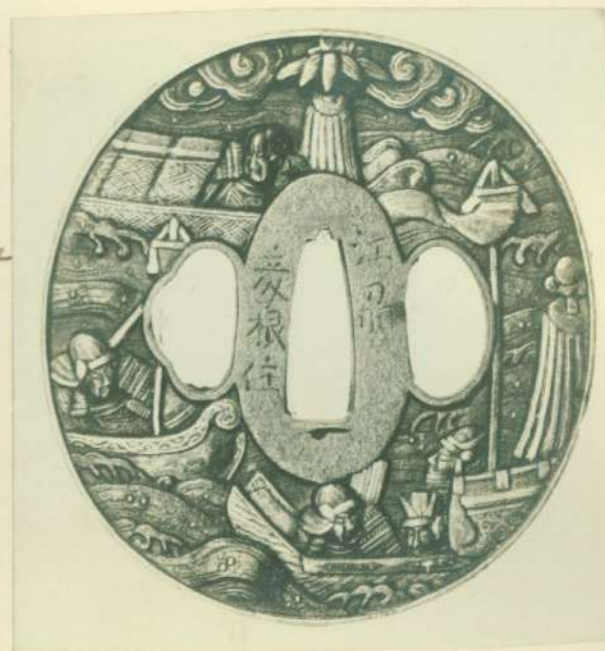
Subject of Decoration

Obverse:— Battle of Dan-no-ura. Where a decisive
fight between the Genji and Heike factions occurred.

Reverse:— The boats with the banners of the Gen army.
The two warriors in the upper craft (Horse) are:

Note:— Arai-Chika Kyo and Taira no Tomomori two
famous generals, both of whom tried to escape the
enemy by jumping overboard and swimming.
Reverse - Shows their capture.

Reverse



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