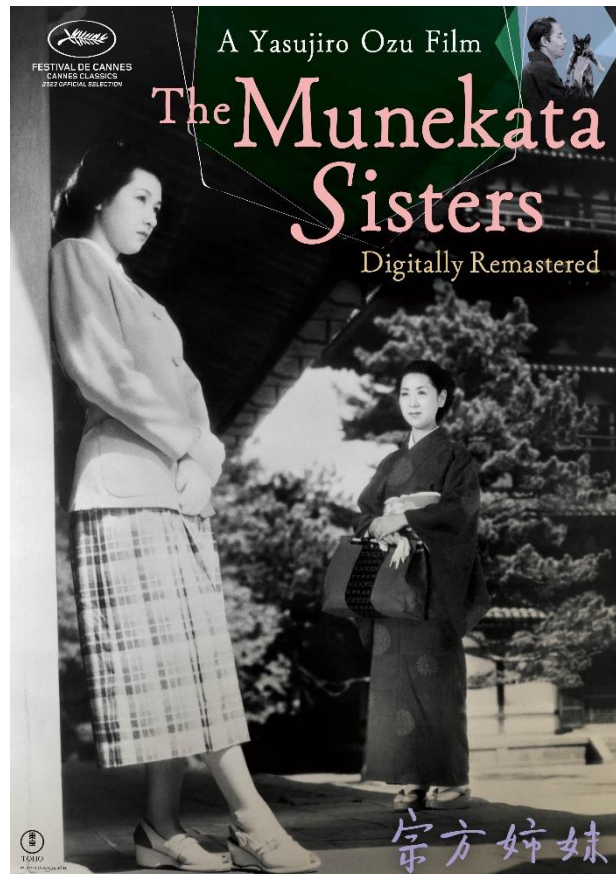


THE MUNEKATA SISTERS (1950)

Original Japanese title: MUNEKATA KYODAI

Director: Yasujiro Ozu

Starring: Kinuyo Tanaka, Hideko Takamine, Chishu Ryu, Ken Uehara



Synopsis

Setsuko (Kinuyo Tanaka) who is married to Mimura (So Yamamura) with no job and drunk most of the time, follows tradition and is faithful to him. Her free-spirited and modernized sister Mariko (Hideko Takamine), tries to connect Setsuko with Hiroshi (Ken Uehara) who just came back from France and Setsuko's former lover.

This film was produced at Shintoho studio which was Yasujiro Ozu's first film ever directed outside Shochiku studios.

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