

Registered Tangible Cultural Property of Japan

Former Horibe Residence

This compound was built by a samurai family that served the lords of Inuyama Castle for generations.

The builder's inscription says the main house was built in 1883. Its first resident owner was Katsushiro Horibe (1832–1907).

There is also an attached annex, a connecting corridor, a storehouse, a workhouse (with a silkworm nursery), and a high wall, each of which is a Registered Tangible Cultural Property of Japan as of 2006.

This priceless piece of history features examples of a warrior's personal taste throughout the compound and provides a timeline of how the family assisted Japan's modernization through its contribution to the silk industry.

Inuyama City Board of Education

登録有形文化財 旧堀部家住宅

犬山城主に代々仕えた士族堀部家が建築した。

主屋は棟札により明治16年(1883)築で、施主は当主勝四郎(1832～1907)。

他に離れ座敷、渡り廊、土蔵、作業場(蚕室併置)、高塀からなり、いずれも平成18年(2006)に国登録有形文化財となった。

造りの随所に武士好みを偲ばせ、我が国の近代化に貢献した養蚕に携わった経過もわかる貴重な建物である。

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