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The Actor Iwai Hanshiro IV as a Young Woman Holding a Net,  
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Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2937

Natori Shunsen  
Japanese, 1886-1960

Kataoka Nizaemon XI as Kakogawa Honzo in Act 9 of  
Chushingura, from the series Collection of Shunsen Portraits,  
1926

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2952

Shunbaisai Hokuei  
Japanese, active ca. 1827-1837

Arashi Rikan II as Miyagi Asojiro in the Play Keisei Tsukushi, 1832

Color woodcut

John H. Van Vleck Endowment Fund purchase, 2001.98

Utagawa Toyoharu  
Japanese, 1735-1814

A View of the Elegant Banquet Given by Wada, from the series Perspective  
Pictures of Japan, 1770-1780

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3103

Utagawa Kunisada  
Japanese, 1786-1864

Actor as the Ghost of the Renegade Monk Seigen; Illustration of a Verse by  
Ariwara no Narihira, from the series Analogues of the Thirty-six Poets,  
7/1852

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2635

Utagawa Kuniyoshi

Japanese, 1798-1861

Bando Hikosaburo IV as Orikoshi Dairyo and the Ghost of Asakura Togo,  
ca. 1850

Color woodcut

Gift of Roger and Keiko Keyes, 1984.101 and bequest of John H. Van Vleck,  
1980.2681

Utagawa Hiroshige

Japanese, 1797-1858

A Kabuki Performance at Saruwa-kacho, from the series Famous Places in  
the Eastern Capital, ca. 1849-1850

Color woodcut

John H. Van Vleck Endowment Fund purchase, 1997.40

Utagawa Toyoharu

Japanese, 1735-1814

Interior of a Puppet Theater, from the series Perspective Pictures, 1770-1780

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3095

Utagawa Hiroshige

Japanese, 1797-1858

Crowds Going to Kaomise Kabuki Performances in Saruwakacho, from the  
series Famous Places in Edo, ca. 1850

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.1511

Utagawa Hiroshige

Japanese, 1797-1858

The Three Kabuki Theaters in Saruwakacho, from the series Famous Places  
in Edo, 3/1858

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.1513

Utagawa Hiroshige

Japanese, 1797-1858

Kabuki Theaters at Nichomachi, from the series Famous Places in the  
Eastern Capital, ca. 1835

Color woodcut  
Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.1742

Yoshikawa Kampo  
Japanese, 1894-1979  
Actor as Young Man with a Striped Cowl, 1920-1930  
Color woodcut  
Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2439

Utagawa Kunisada  
Japanese, 1786-1864  
The Actor Ichikawa Danjuro VII in a Shibaraku Role, 1820-1830  
Color woodcut  
Bequest of John H. Van Vleck 1980.2614

Utagawa Kuniteru II (after Ikkesai Yoshiku)  
Japanese, 1939-1874  
Shadow Portraits of Three Actors, from the series A Newly Published Set of  
Shadow Pictures, 4/1867  
Color woodcut  
Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2643

Utagawa Kuniyoshi  
Japanese, 1798-1861  
The Battle of the Rooftop of Horyukaku, ca. 1845  
Color woodcut  
Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2675

Toshusai Sharaku  
Japanese, active 1794-1795  
The Actor Ichikawa Monnosuke II as Date no Yosaku in Koi nyobo  
somewake tazuna, Kawarazaki Theater, from a series of Twenty-eight  
Half-length Portraits of Actors, 5/1794  
Color woodcut  
Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2772

Yamaguchi Shigekatsu  
Japanese

The Actor Onoe Kikugoro III as Sugawara no Michizane in Sugawara risei  
notobiume, Kawarazaki Theater, 9/1825

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2774

Katsukawa Shuncho

Japanese, 1762-ca. 1830

The Actor Ichikawa Danjuro V as a Court Lady Holding a Fan and Jar, ca.  
1775

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2880

Katsukawa Shun'ei

Japanese, 1762-1819

The Actor Segawa Kikunojo III as a Woman Possessed by a Fox, ca. 1789

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2883

Katsukawa Shunjō

Japanese, d. 1787

*The Actors Nakamura Nakazō I, Yamashita Mangiku I, and  
Ichikawa Monnosuke II as Kudo Suketsune, Kewaizaka  
no Shōshō, and Soga no Goro in the Play Nanakusa  
yosooi soga, Nakamura Theater, 1/1782*

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2908a-c

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*The Actor Segawa Kikunojō III as a Woman Beneath a  
Wisteria Arbor*, from the series *Half-length Portraits of  
Actors*, 1785–1790

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2934

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*The Actors Ichikaea Danjurō V and Segawa Kikunojō III as Iwa Fuji and Onoe in the Sandal-Striking Scene from Kagamiyama*, 1785–1790

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2942a-b

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actor Nakamura Sukegoro II as a Wrestler in a Tree,  
ca. 1770

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2959

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actors Nakamura Sukegoro II and Otani Hiroji III Dueling at Night on a  
Rooftop, 1770-1775

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.2997a-b

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actor Nakamura Kumetaro I as a Brine Maiden, ca. 1775

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3005

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actor Ichikawa Danzo IV as a Feudal Lord, ca. 1775

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3006

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actor Iwai Hanshiro IV as a Dancing Chinese Child with Cymbals,  
1775-1780

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3014

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actor Nakamura Tomijuro I as a Sanbaso Dancer, 1775-1780

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3018

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actor Ichikawa Danjuro V as a Samurai in a Wrestling Arena, ca. 1780

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3026

Katsukawa Shunsho

Japanese, 1726-1793

The Actors Ichikawa Danjuro V and Segawa Kikunojo III as an Old Woman  
Threatening a Young Woman, ca. 1780

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3033a-b

Utagawa Toyoharu

Japanese, 1735-1814

Interior of the Nakamura Theater with a Performance of Gohiiki kanjincho,  
from the series Perspective Pictures, 11/1773

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3096

Utagawa Toyokuni

Japanese, 1769-1825

The Actor Segawa Roko as Moemon's Wife Ogen Holding a Lantern and  
Sword, ca. 1805

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3186

Utagawa Toyokuni

Japanese, 1769-1825

The Actor Onoe Matsusuke I as the Ghost of Kohada Koheiji and His  
Sleeping Wife, ca. 1808

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3190

Utagawa Toyokuni

Japanese, 1769-1825

Mirror with Reflection of the Actor Iwai Hanshiro V as Onaka in *Kagami*  
date no utsushie, Morita Theater, 5/1813

Color woodcut

Bequest of John H. Van Vleck, 1980.3201

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*Portraits*, 1926

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