

Pottery excavated **ALONE** in 1942

In 1942, Mr. Miyasaka had carried out the excavation research at the area later named “social district” in the Togariishi site (in the same year, the site had been designated as a Historical site of Japan). He had excavated no pit dwelling but the stones that were arranged in a line and densely-dug small pits. This large-sized pottery had been also unearthed beside those stones and small pits.

This pottery had been carried into the Tokyo Imperial Museum (Tokyo National Museum today), however, it had been never exhibited for the war time and stored in backyard after the war. In 2019, the curators of the Tokyo National Museum REDISCOVERED the pottery and then they returned to the owner. The owner have entrusted to this museum.



Excavation in 1942

[Upper] Just excavating
[Right] Finished

