Tonen Memorial Stone

This large stone commemorates Tonen, a calligrapher, painter, and poet who eventually became the head priest of nearby Enryuin Temple. Tonen was born in Kaike in 1796 and entered Enryuin as a priest in 1806. He compiled the Daisen Miscellany (*Daisen zakki*), an important historical resource about the region completed in 1846. He passed away in 1861.