

## ■ *Enlightenment: Qing Newspapers in NCL's Collection*



*Cover image of exhibition catalogue*

In celebration of the 100th year of the Republic of China, NCL has organized an exhibition on “Enlightenment: Qing Newspapers in NCL’s Collection” as a way to help viewers experience historical changes over time and to better understand how the ROC was founded. During the time when revolutions and national movements were happening all about, these newspapers utilized principles from the period of enlightenment in political, cultural, educational, and industrial areas. As such, the exhibition displayed representative examples of early newspapers in NCL’s collection. Content was separated into five categories: 1) the rise of daily newspapers and public newspapers, 2) Western studies and the dissemination in the new educational system, 3) debates on the Constitutional Reform and modernization, 4) an exploration of women’s and societal issues, and 5) the budding of novels and literature periodicals for

readers and ancient classic enthusiasts. In addition, Professor Yi Zhengyi from the Oriental Institute of Technology was invited to compose a guide to “Enlightenment and Transition: Developmental Changes and Characteristics of Qing Newspapers.” Pictures from the exhibition were added to this, allowing viewers gain a greater understanding of the historical background of this period. Of special interest is the fact that many of these newspapers are being exhibited for the first time in Taiwan, such as *The People’s Daily* started by Sun Yixian in his early years in Japan. E-books are also available for public download.



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