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Festival Night





The word 'Ten' (heaven) has just been lit onto the mountain!

Take a good look everyone!!

—OKEYAMA HOTEL, SAITAMA—



The Saitama Tenkaichi Festival has finally begun!!



YOU DIDN'T FORGET ABOUT TONIGHT'S PROMISE, DID YOU?

PROMISE?



HEY, YOU'RE THE ONE WHO SAID YOU WERE GOING TO CELEBRATE THIS WITH ME, WHICH IS WHY I CAME TO ALL THIS...



SHIT, I THOUGHT YOU WENT TO THE FESTIVAL, AND THEN YOU COME RIGHT BACK FOR YOUR DAMN WALLET... HAVEN'T EVEN TAKEN A BATH YET...



SORRY, SORRY...

HEY, CAN'T YOU SEARCH A LITTLE QUIETER?



WHAT THE...?

AND THIS ROOM...



H-HEY, WHAT'S UP WITH THOSE CLOTHES...?

!?



SORRY, BUT YOU'LL HAVE TO FORGET ABOUT TONIGHT'S PROMISE...



THE ONE WHO'S CELEBRATING HIMSELF...

YOU SEE?

WHA?!







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TREATING ME LIKE A DAMN KID...



IF I DIDN'T HAVE THIS...



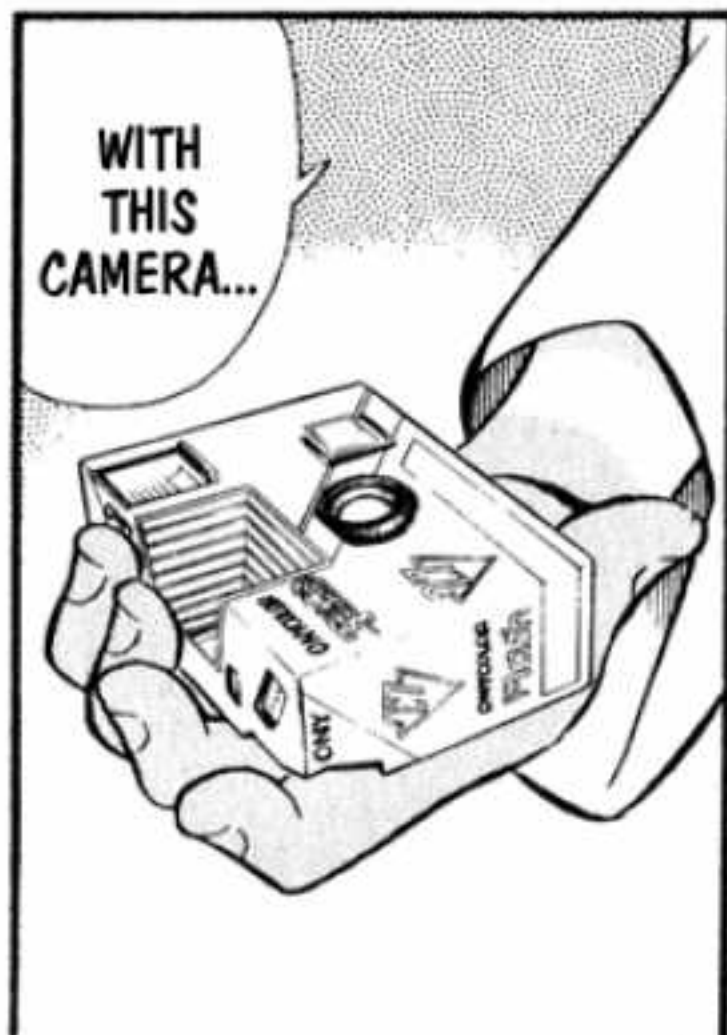
ISN'T IT, CONAN-KUN?

YOU KNOW, GOING TO A FESTIVAL AND STAYING AT AN INN... IT AIN'T TOO BAD FROM TIME TO TIME!

Y-YEAH...



WHEW... MADE IT IN TIME...



WITH THIS CAMERA...



GREAT, TAKE ONE WITH THE 'ICHI' BEHIND ME...



OH, SURE!

EXCUSE ME, WOULD YOU MIND TAKING A PHOTO?



THANK YOU SO MUCH.



OH, YOU'RE AN AUTHOR?!

THESE PHOTOS ARE GOING TO BE USED IN IT.

AT THE MOMENT, I'M MAKING A TRAVEL DIARY WITH THE LOCAL FESTIVALS AS A THEME.



OH, MAY I?

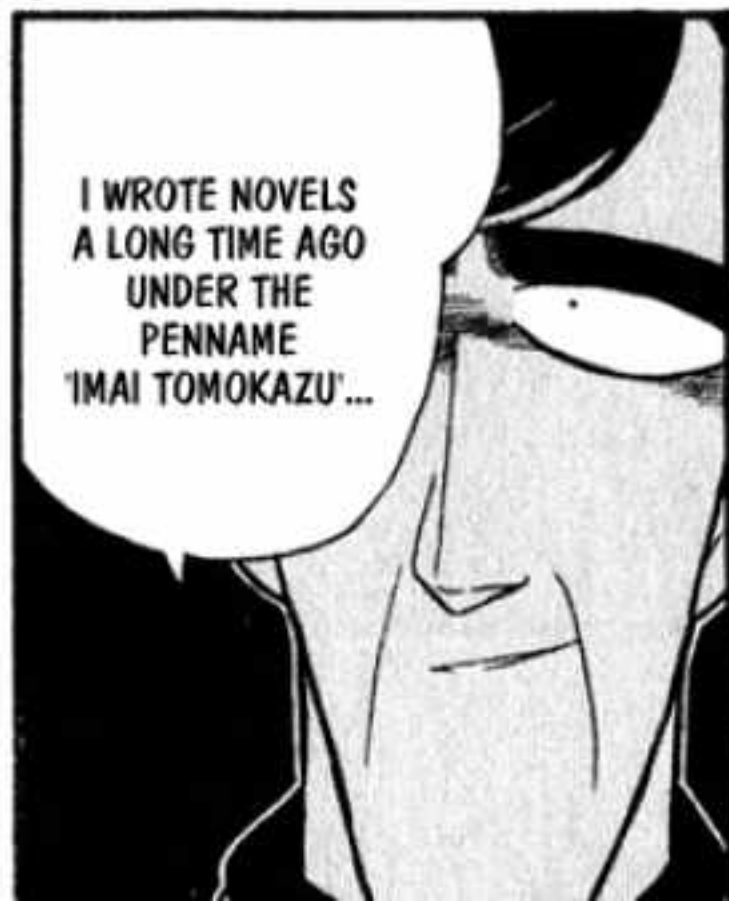
IT'S A BOOK I WROTE...

IF YOU WOULD, PLEASE READ THIS...



OH NO, THIS JUST COMES WITH THE JOB! I GO MANY PLACES FOR MY WORK, OVERSEAS, AND SUCH...

I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT BE A SPORTS PLAY, LOOKING AT THAT AMAZING TAN...



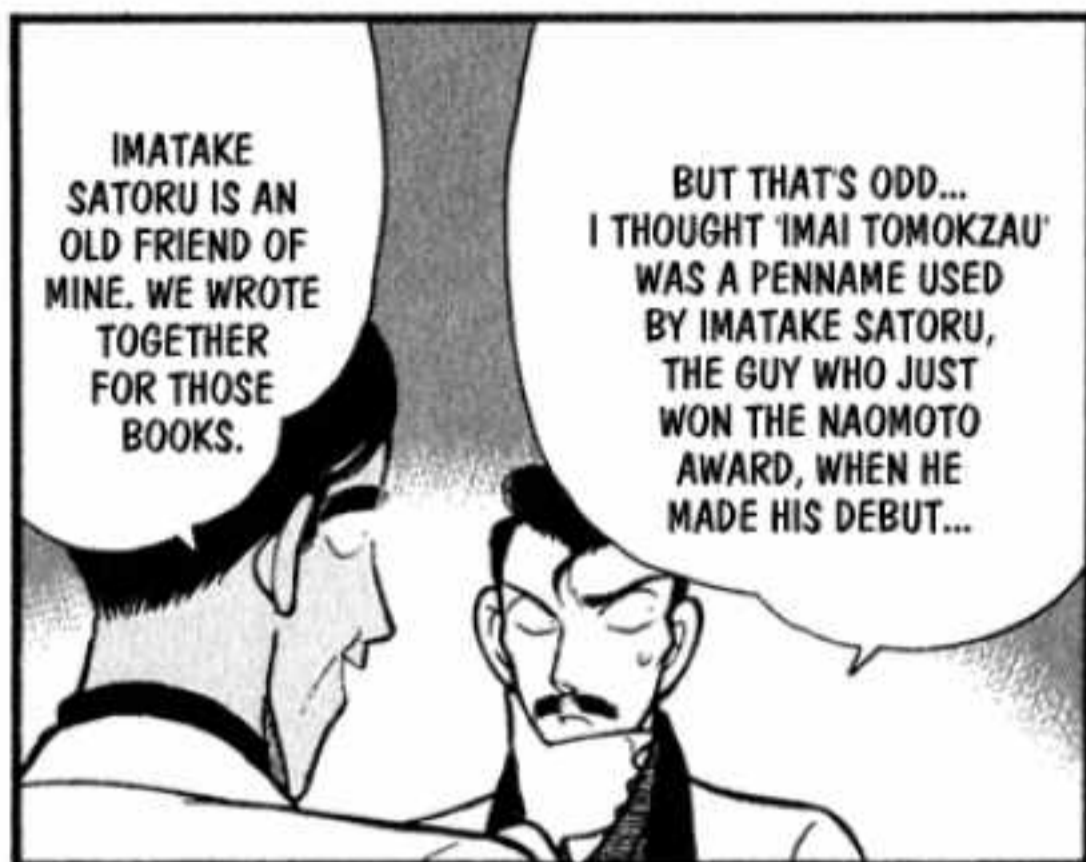
I WROTE NOVELS A LONG TIME AGO UNDER THE PENNAME 'IMAI TOMOKAZU'...



OH, YOU DON'T KNOW IT?

SASAI NORIKAZU?

オーストラリア
紀行
笹井宣一







THE VICTIM,
AUTHOR IMATAKE
SATORU...



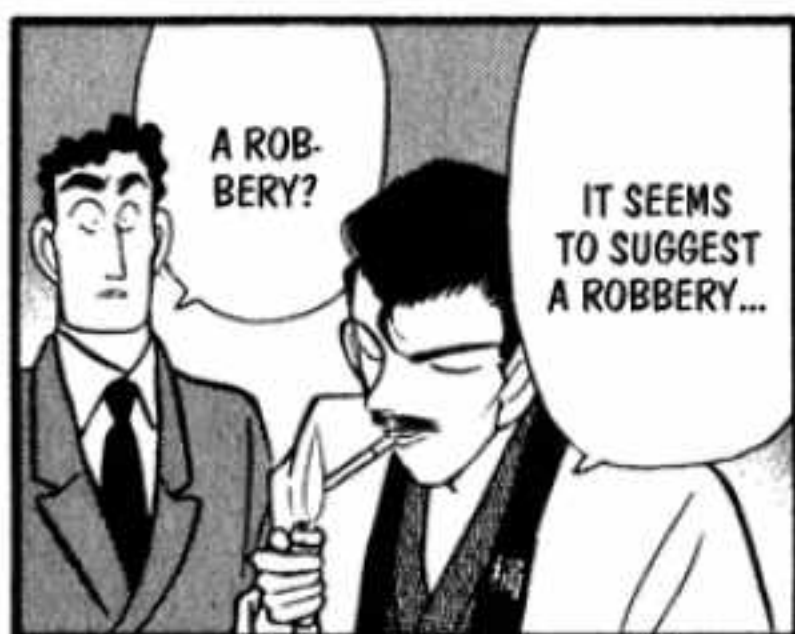
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WHAT?!

SASAI-SAN,
HIS ROOMMATE,
WHO KILLED
HIM...



WELL, I
HAVE AN
ALIBI!

BE-
CAUSE...

IT WAS
8 O'CLOCK
WHEN THEY
HEARD THIS
GUNSHOT
AND SAW
THE GUY
LEAVE THE
ROOM,
RIGHT?



HEY HEY,
STOP
JOKING
AROUND!

THEY ONLY SAW
HIS CLOTHES!
NO ONE ACTUALLY
SAW HIS
FACE!!

BUT THE
WITNESSES
SAY THEY
SAW A
YOUNG
MAN...



BUT, WE MET
YOU NEAR THE
END OF THE
FESTIVAL...

YEA...

ISN'T THAT
RIGHT?

AND
THAT'S
WHERE
I MET
MOURI-
SAN!



EEH?!

AT 8 I WAS
AT THE
TENKAICHI
FESTIVAL...



YES!

VERY WELL,
START
DEVELOPING
THESE!!



MY
ALIBI
WILL
SHOW
RIGHT
UP!!

COME ON!
I WAS THERE SINCE
THE BEGINNING!
IF YOU THINK I'M
LYING, DEVELOP
THESE PICTURES AND
SEE FOR YOURSELF!!



SHIT...

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AH, BOY, STOP THAT!!

THAT'S WEIRD... IT SHOULD DEFINITELY BE AROUND HERE SOMEWHERE...

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WHAT ARE YOU DOING, CONAN-KUN? THAT'S THE BATHROOM...

OH... NOTHING...



AH...



NEXT TO THE BODY...



HUH? ON THE CARPET NEXT TO THE DEAD BODY.

HEY, WHERE DID YOU FIND THAT TOOTHBRUSH?



THE KILLER WAS AN ACQUAINTANCE OF THE VICTIM...

THEN IT IS TRUE... THIS ISN'T A ROBBERY, JUST LIKE INSPECTOR YOKOMIZO SAID!!



YEAH... IT WAS EVEN WORSE THE MOMENT WE SHOWED UP...

HEY... WHEN YOU GUYS CAME HERE, WAS THE ROOM THIS MESSED UP?



BUT WHAT'S
WITH THAT
SMUG LITTLE
SMILE...



IT MUST
BE THAT
MAN!



IS ON
THAT ROLL
OF FILM?!

JUST
WHAT KIND
OF ALIBI,

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THEN LET'S
TAKE A LOOK...

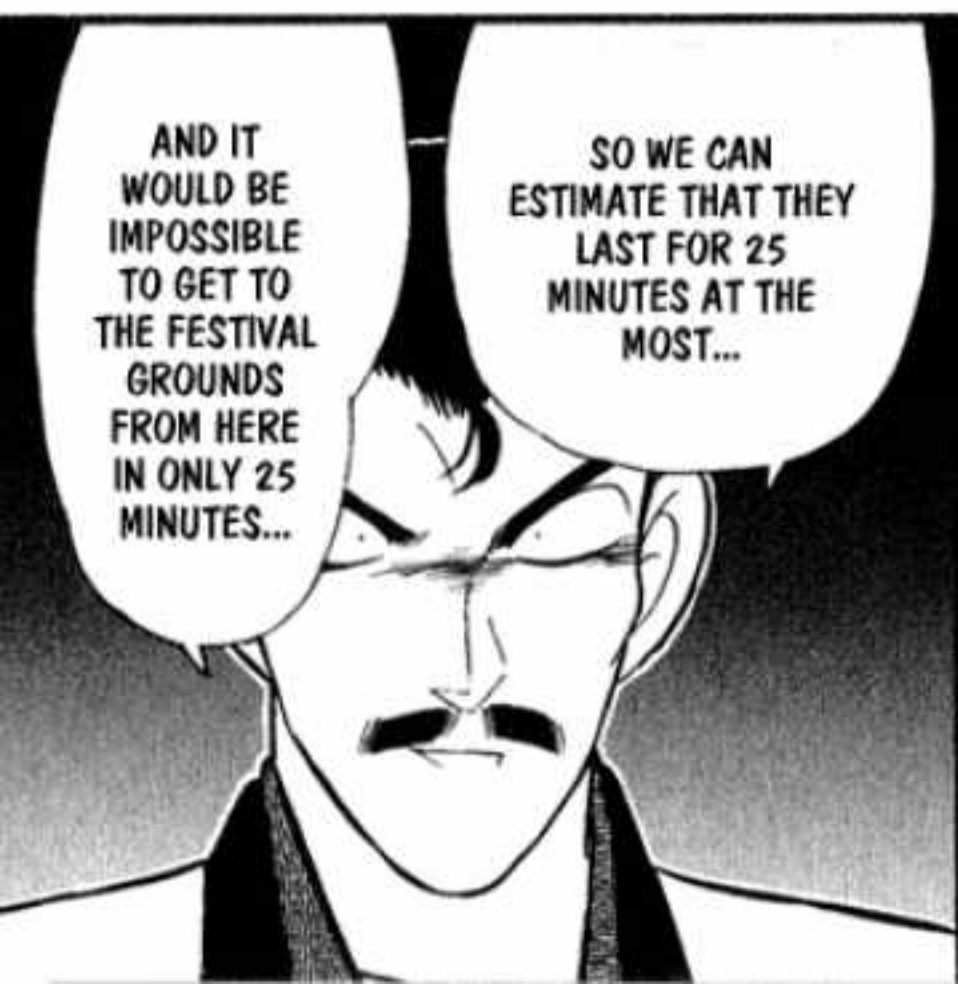


AH,
GOOD!

INSPECTOR
YOKOMIZO!
THE PICTURES
ARE DONE
DEVELO-
PING!!



I HOUR
LATER...





IN OTHER WORDS,
THIS PICTURE
PROVES THAT HE
WAS HERE AT THE
FESTIVAL BEFORE
8:25!



THIS WAS 'TEN'
WHICH WAS
ALIGHT UNTIL
25 MINUTES
AFTER 8 O'CLOCK!!

LOOK AT THE
LETTER IN THE
BACKGROUND OF
THIS PICTURE!!



WHAT
DOES THIS
MEAN?!

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OF
COURSE
IT IS...

YOUR
ALIBI IS
PERFECT!

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COULD
THIS ALIBI
BE A
TRICK?!



BUT THE
CIRCUM-
STANCES
ARE JUST
TOO...

WAS THIS
REALLY THE
CRIME OF AN
OUTSIDER...?