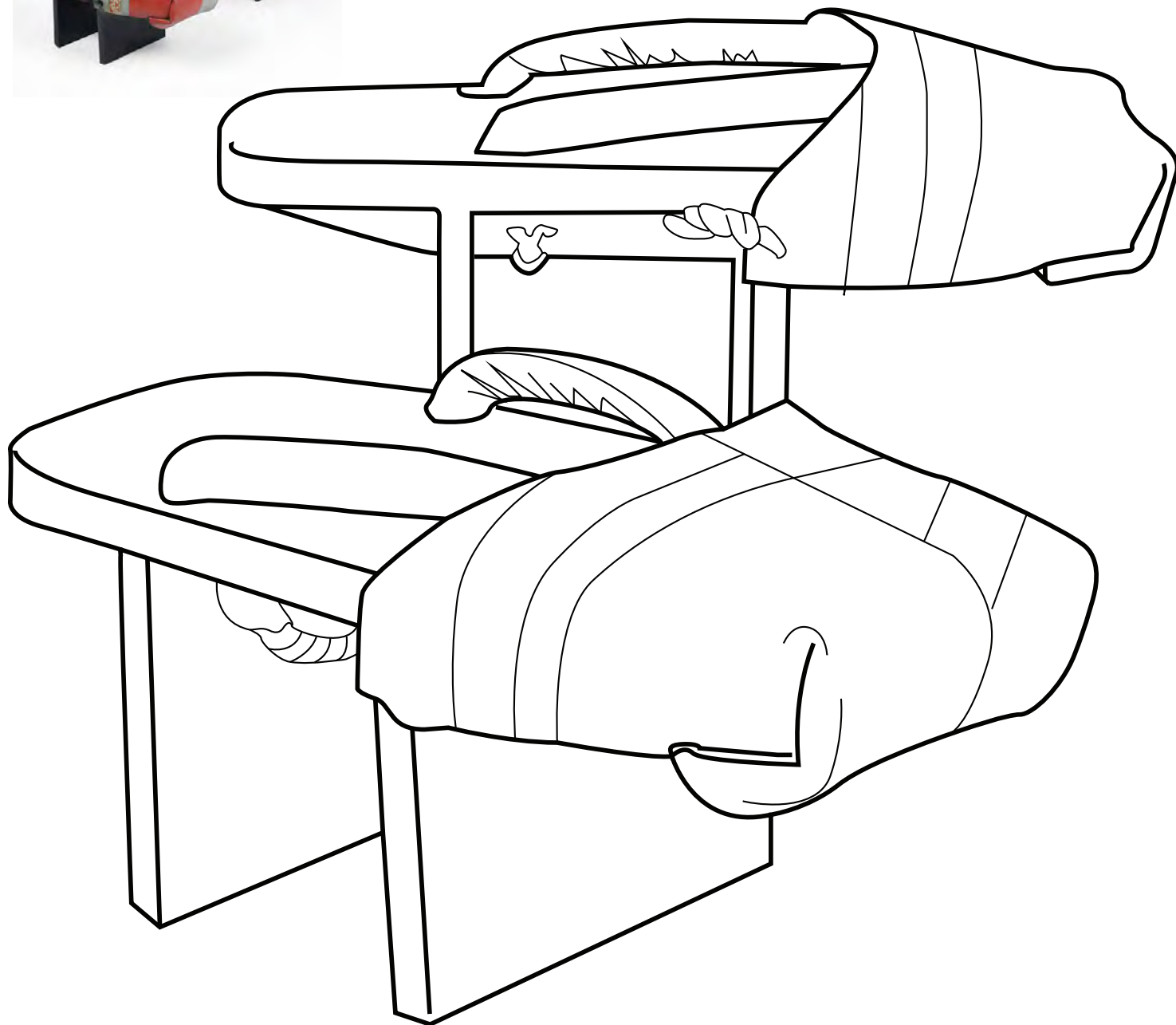


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These lacquered wooden sandals, or *geta*, come from Japan, and date anywhere from the late 19th to mid-20th century. They feature leather toecaps which would have made them practical for wear in the snow or rain.

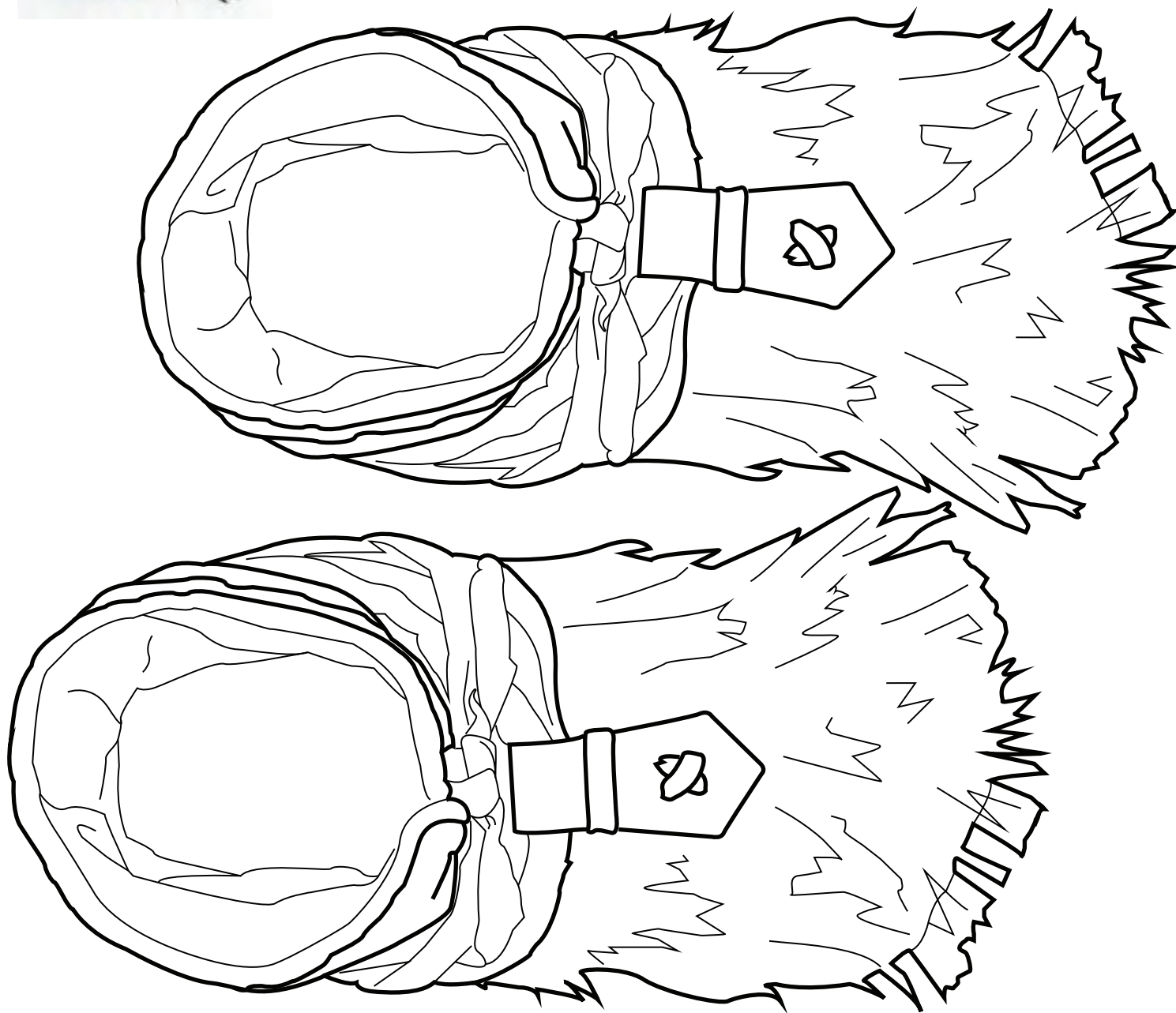
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These *Kegutsu* are made of silk and bear fur and said to have been worn by a Samurai warrior. It is also possible that they were instead made as a tourist item, as there was an enormous demand for Japanese art and material culture in Western nations that began in the mid-19th century.

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