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A LADY PICKPOCKET (ASHI NI SAWATTA ONNA), 1960, 86 minutes, color. Produced by Daiet (Tokyo). PFA/Daiet Collection print. Directed by Yasuzo Masumura. Screenplay by Natto Wada and Kon Ichikawa based on the story by Nadematsu Sawada. Photography by Hiroshi Murai. Music by Setsuo Tsukahara. Cast: Machiko Kyo, Eiji Funakoshi, Hajime Hana, Shiro Otsuji, Jiro Tamiya, Haruko Sugimura.

This sophisticated comedy is a delightful remake of Yutuka Abe's 1926 film of the same title. While traveling on a train, a detective, a novelist and a beautiful lady pickpocket are thrown together in a romantic triangle that proves bumpy at best.

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