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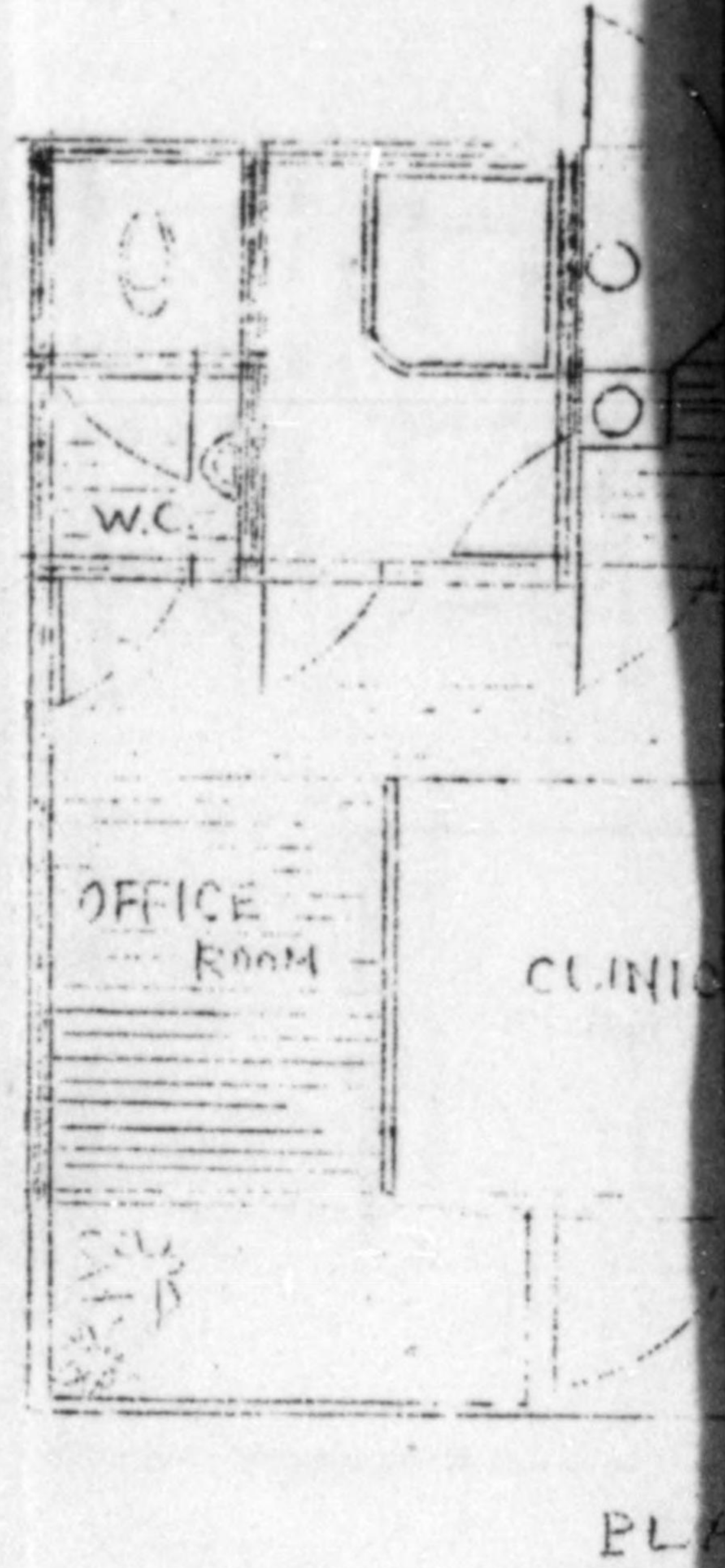
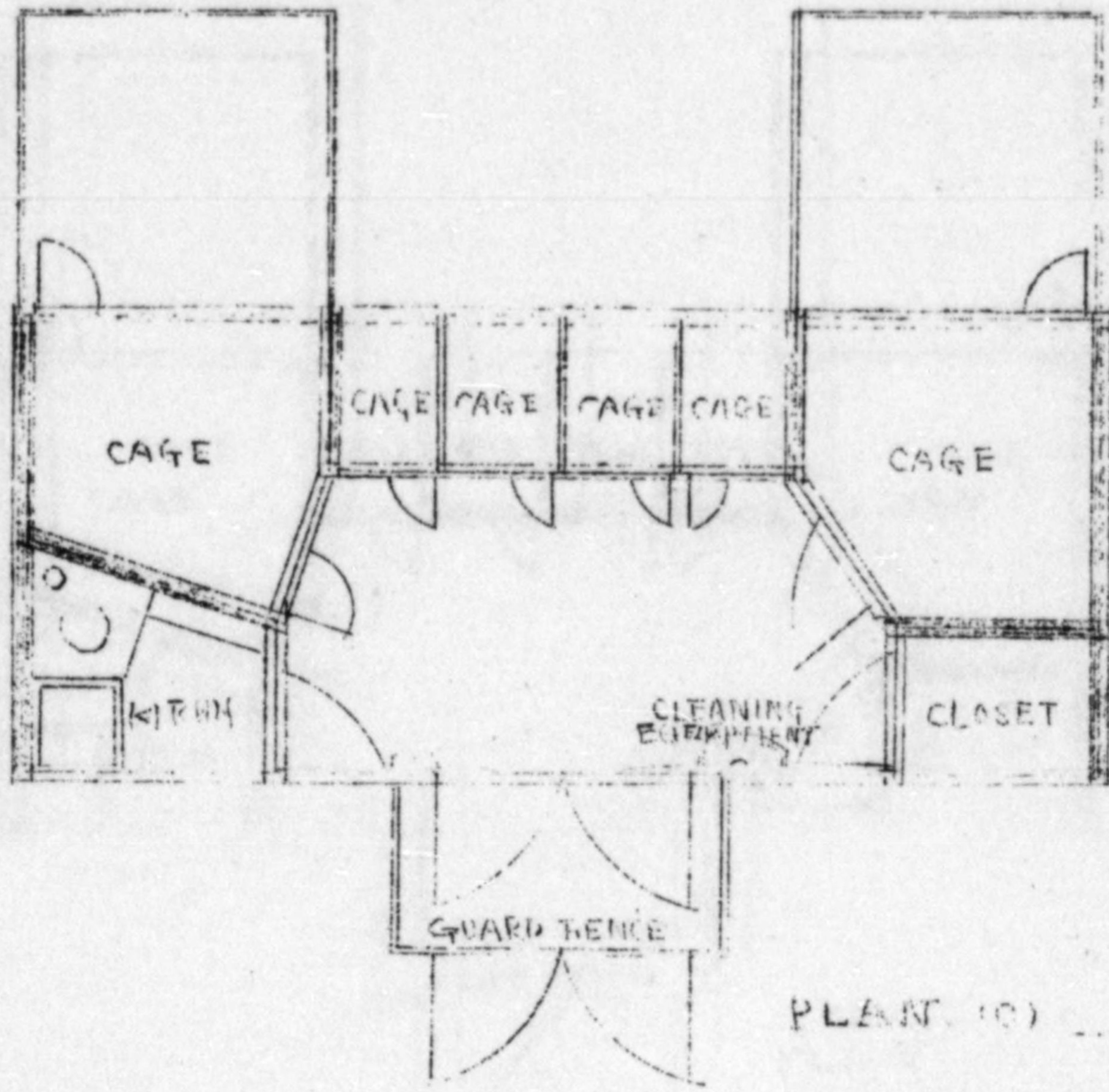
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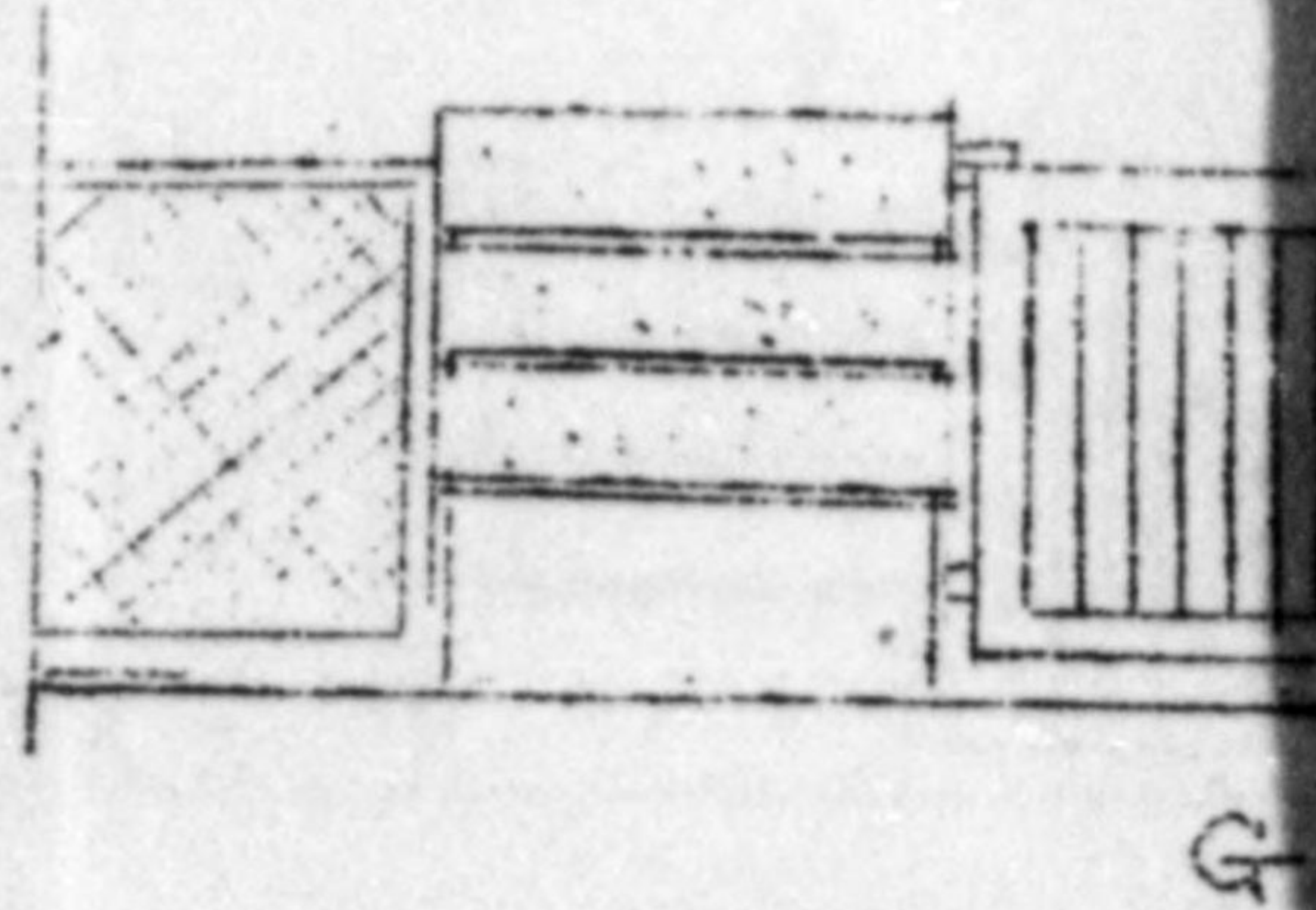
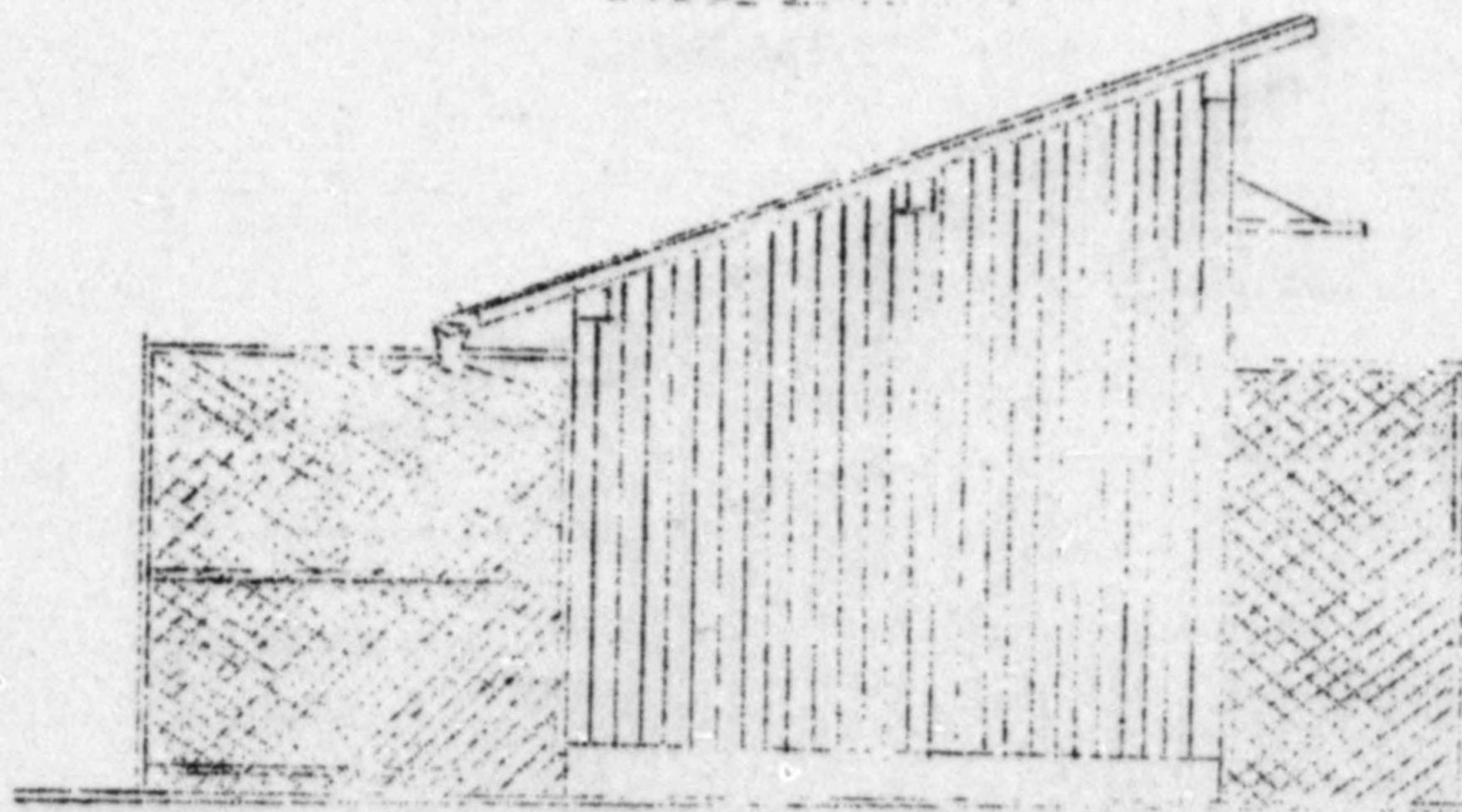
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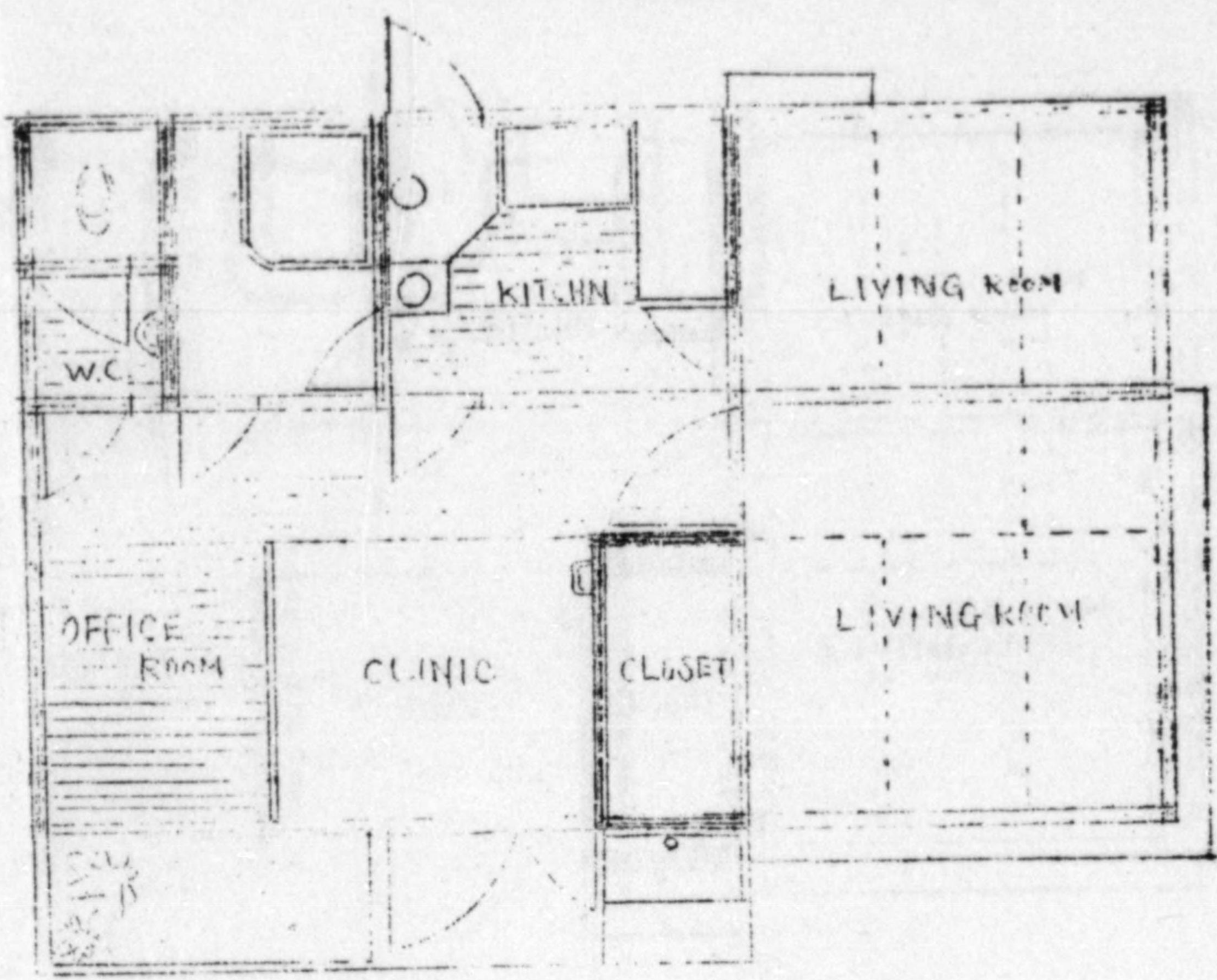
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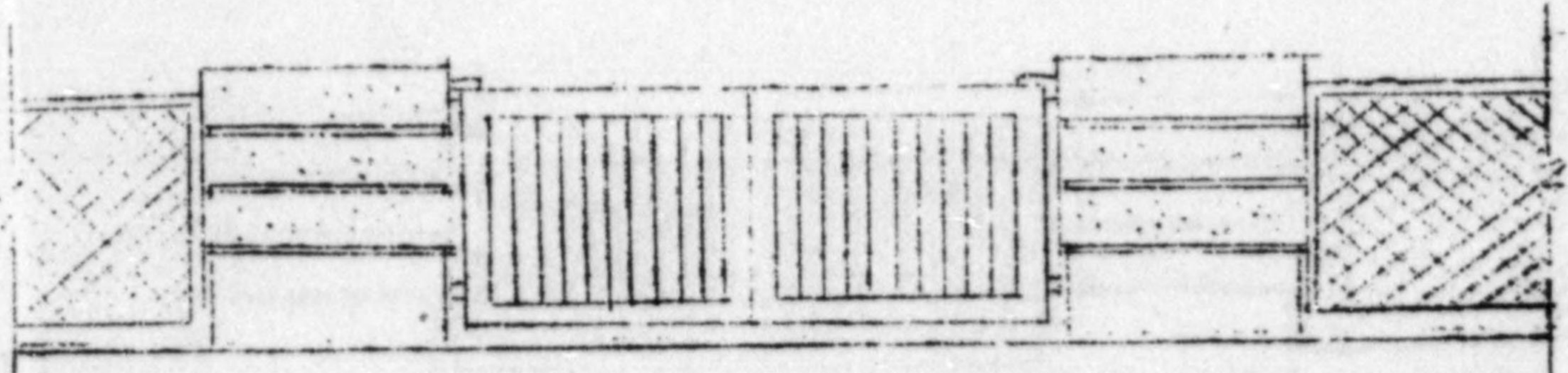
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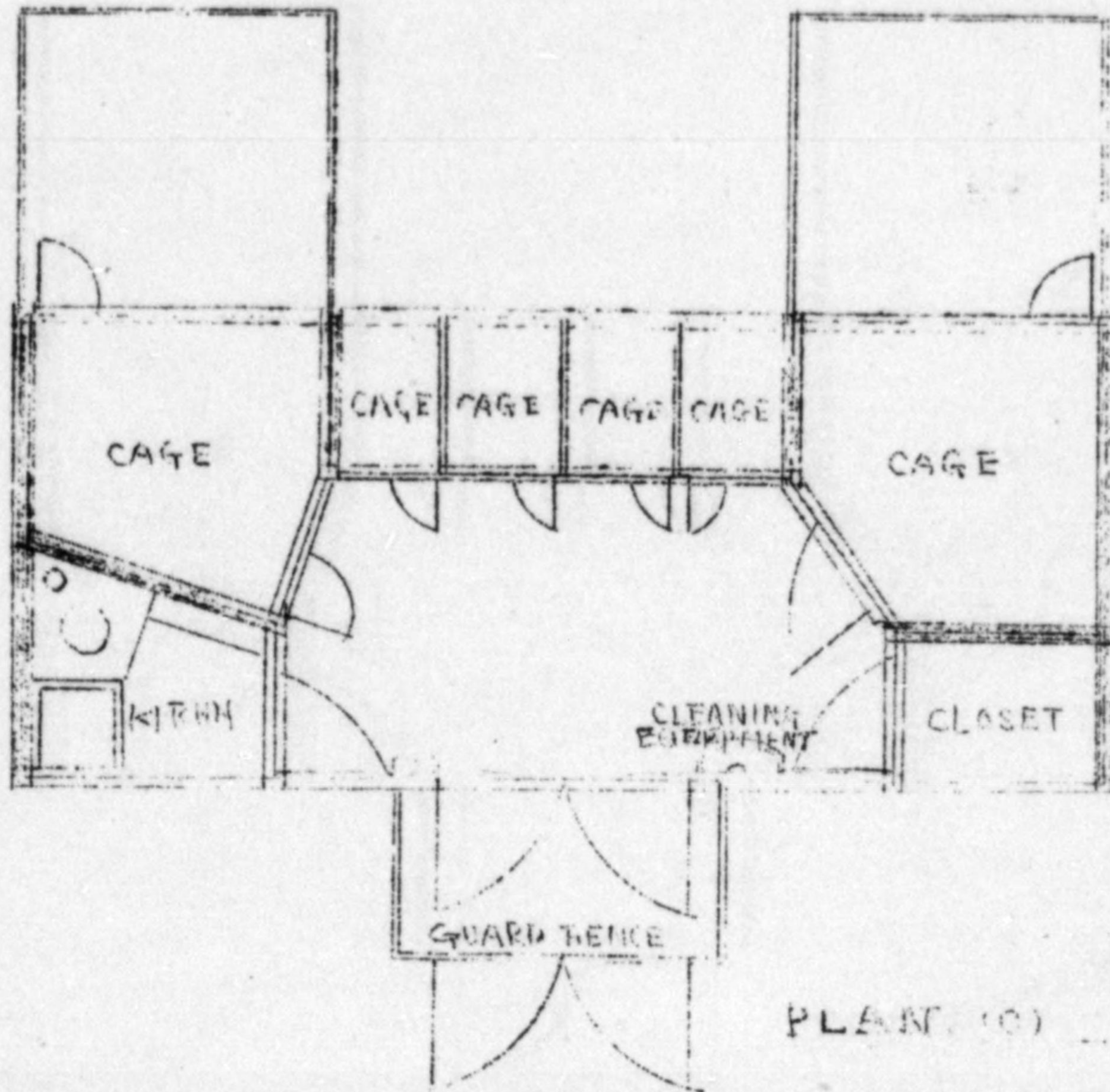
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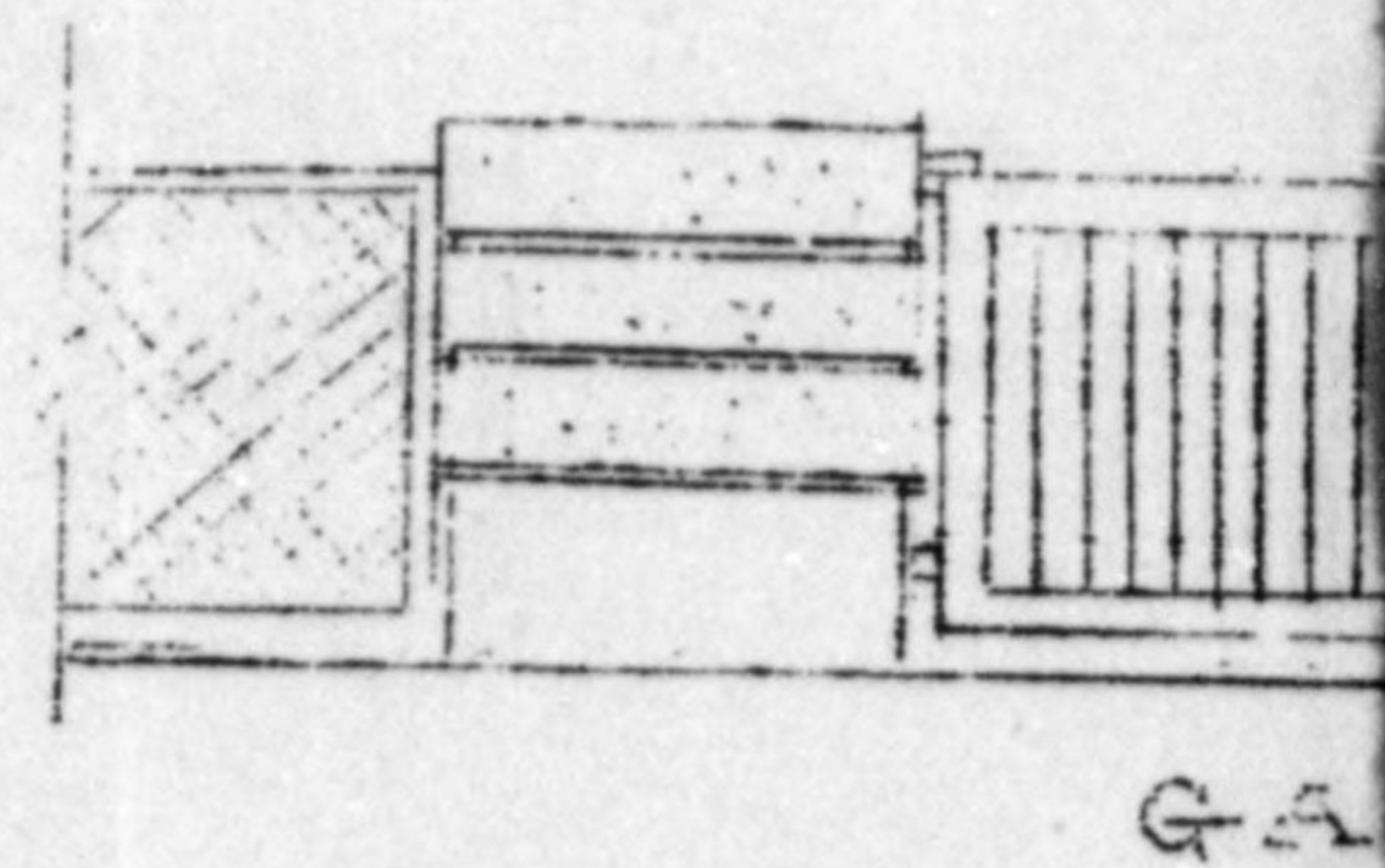
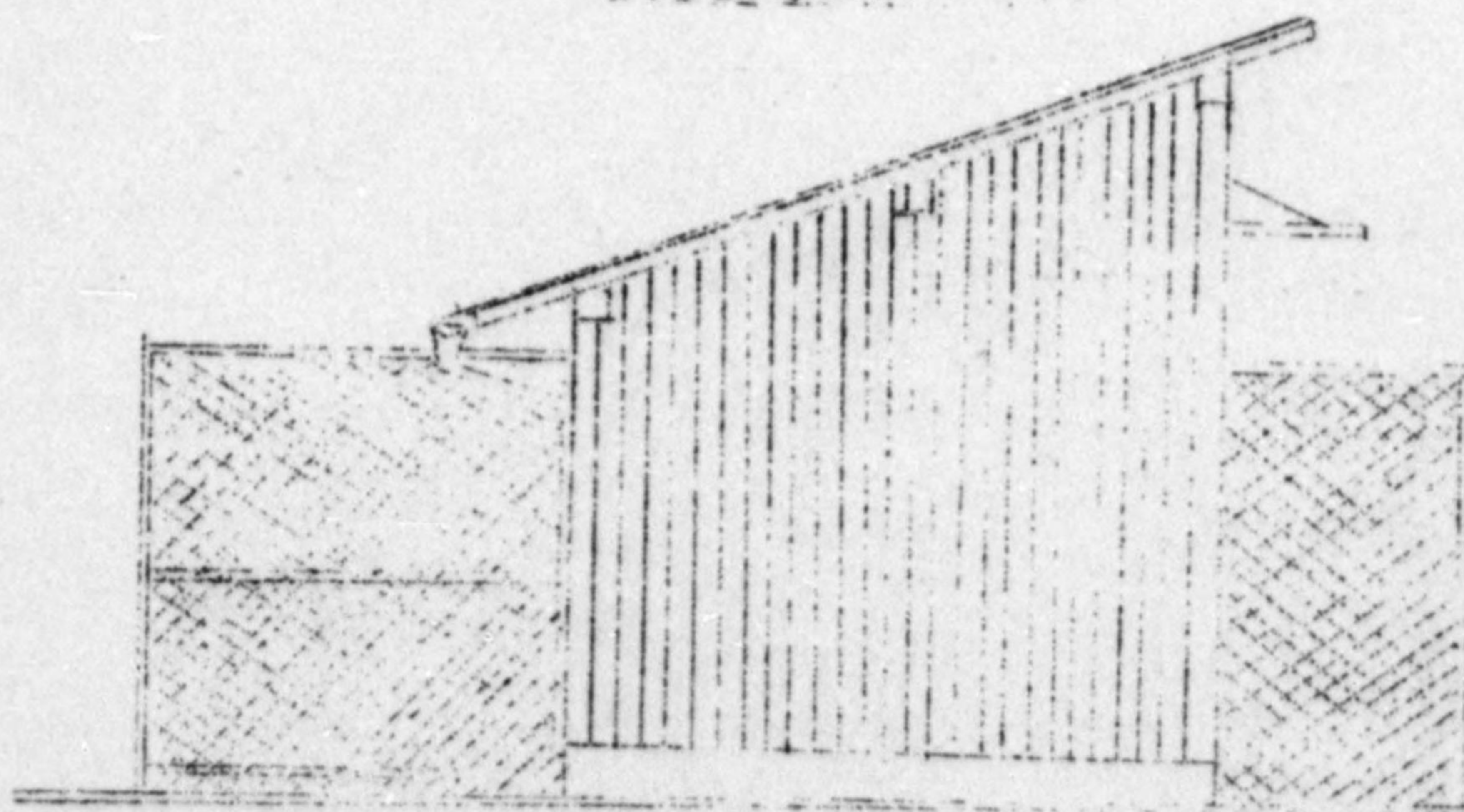
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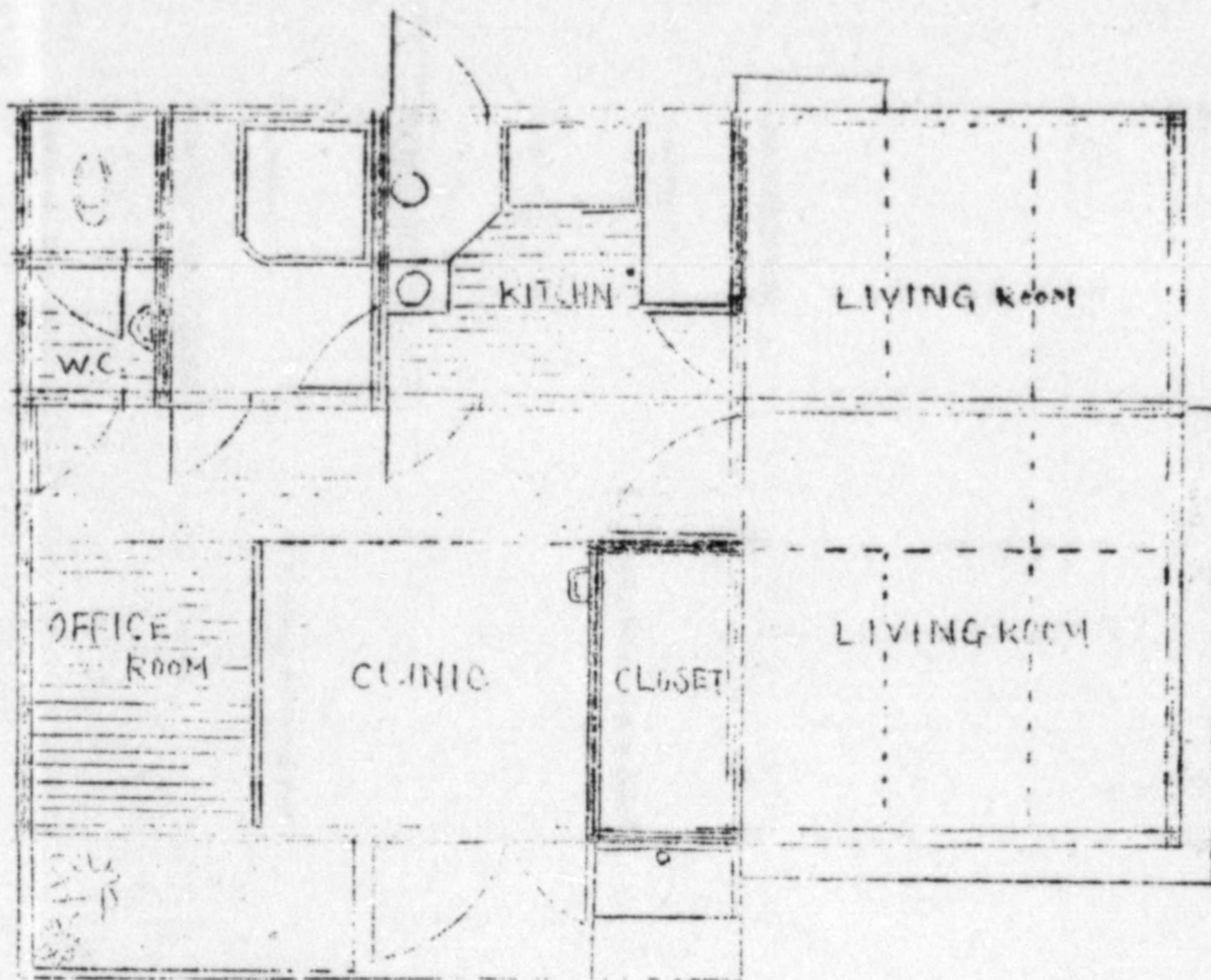


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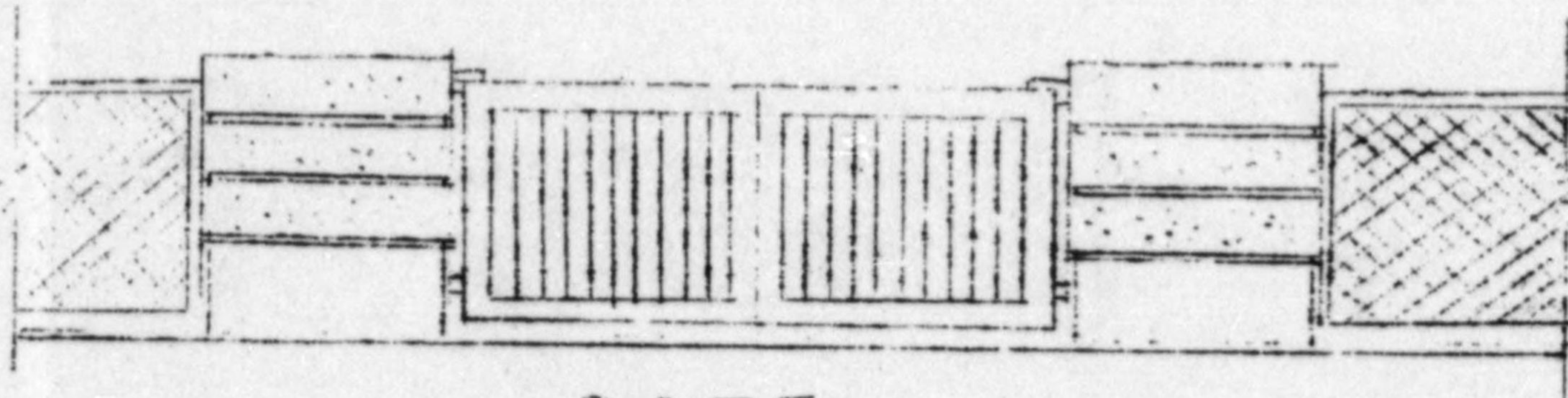


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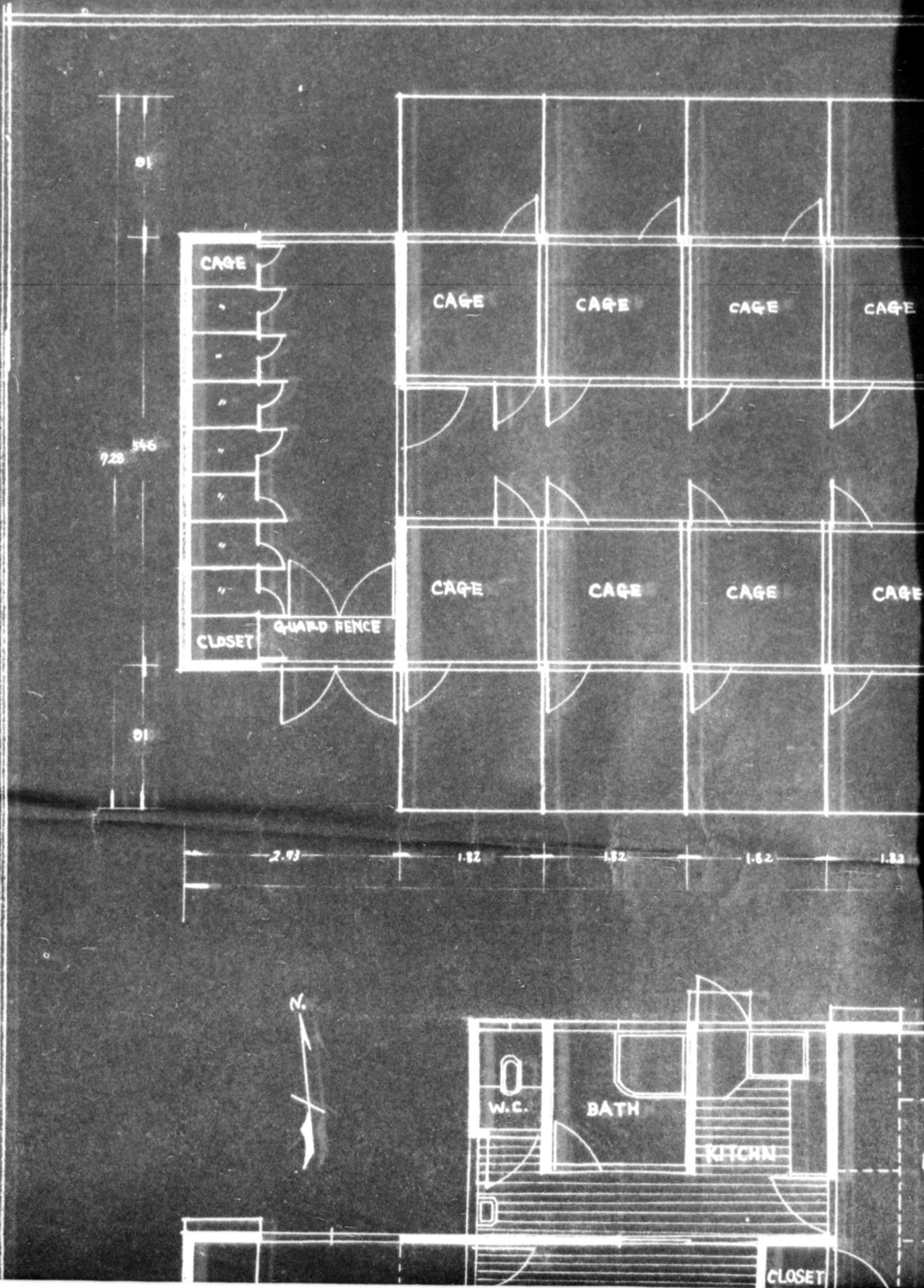
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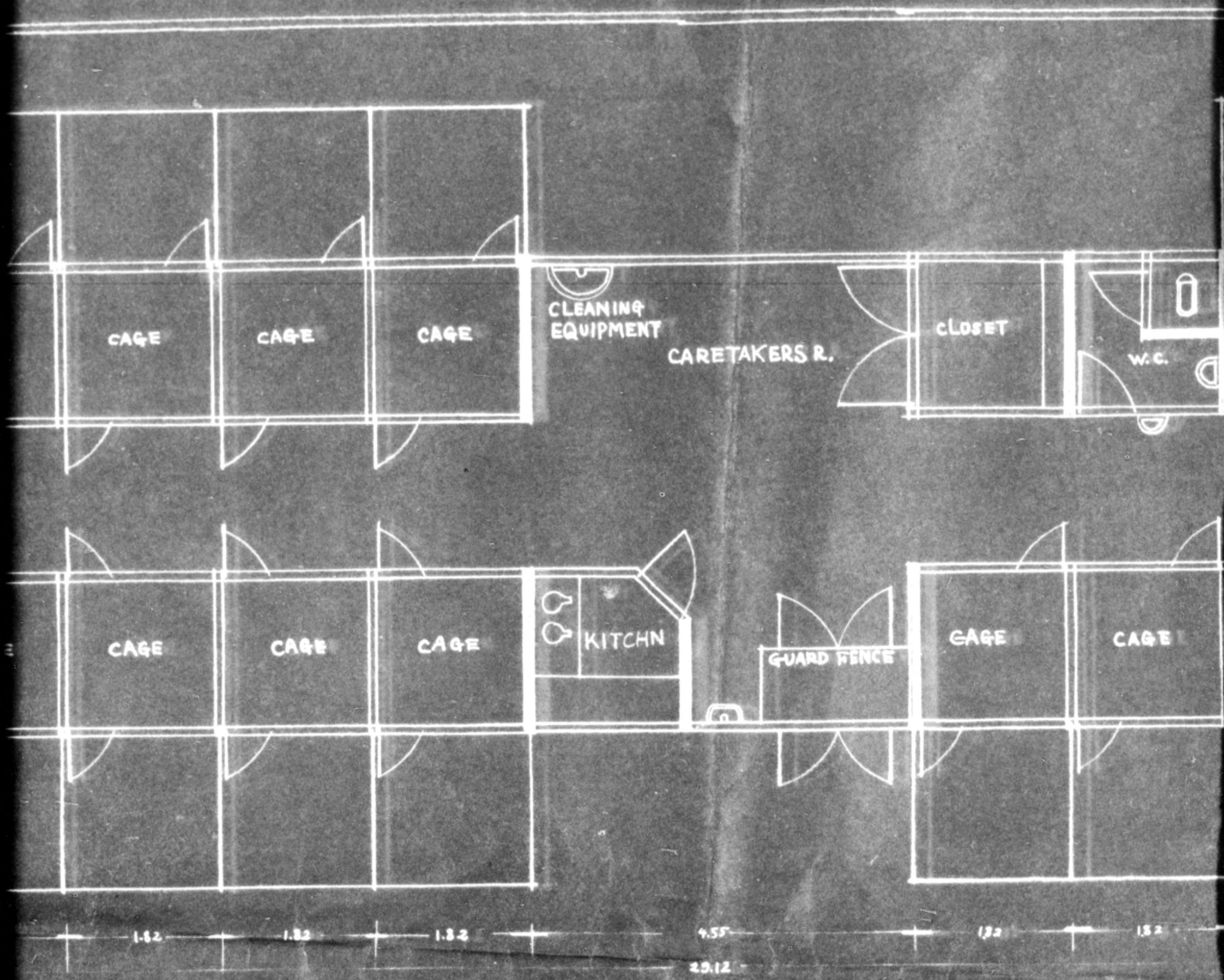
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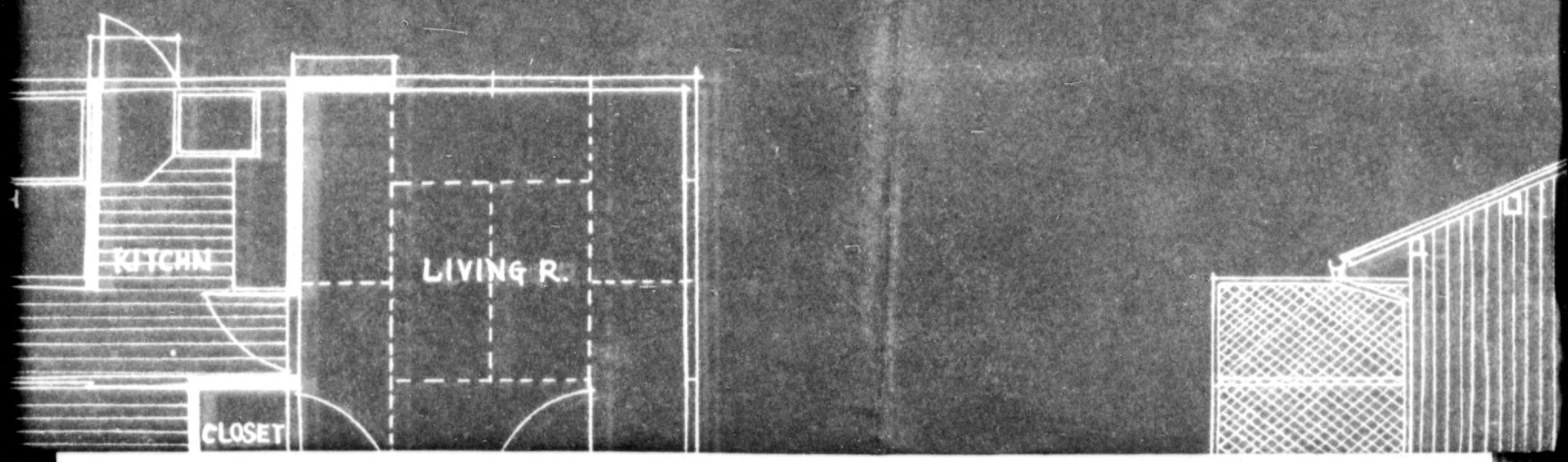




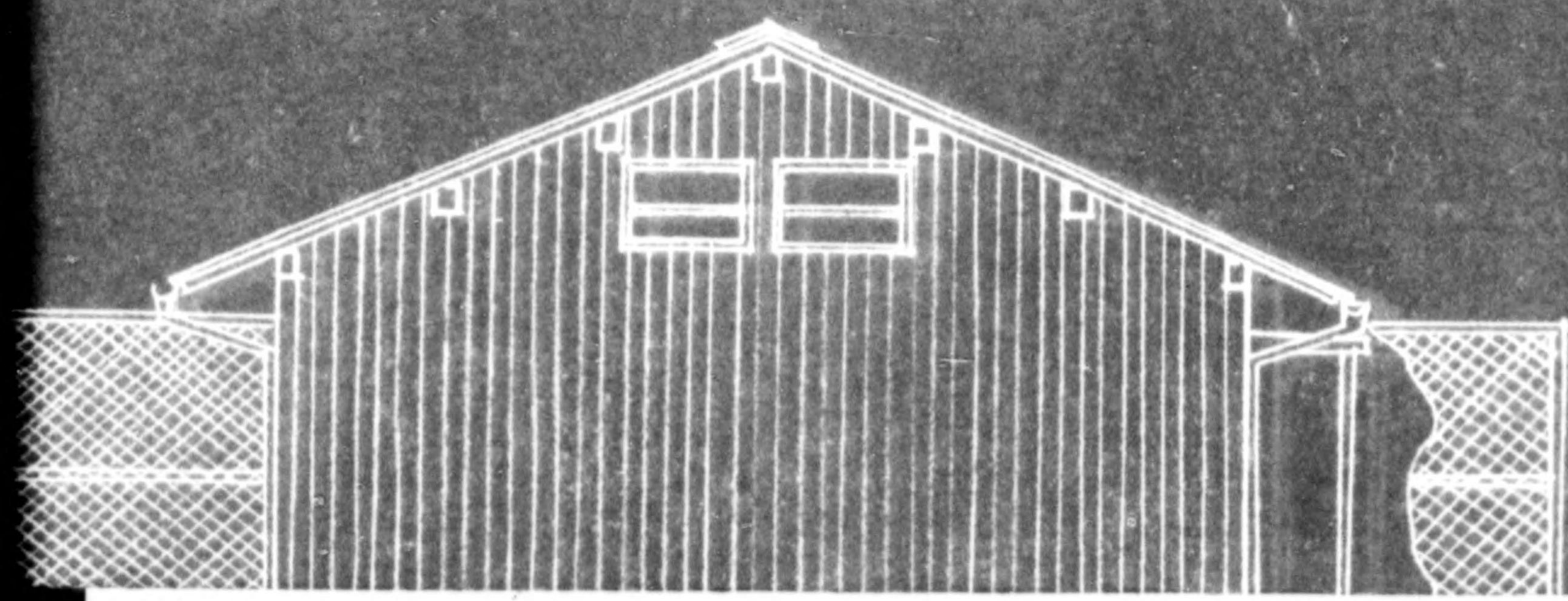
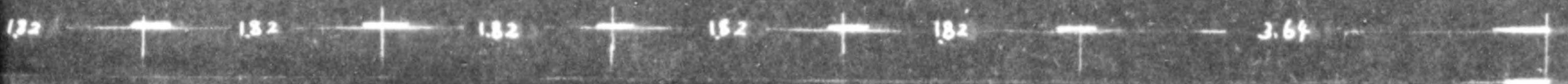
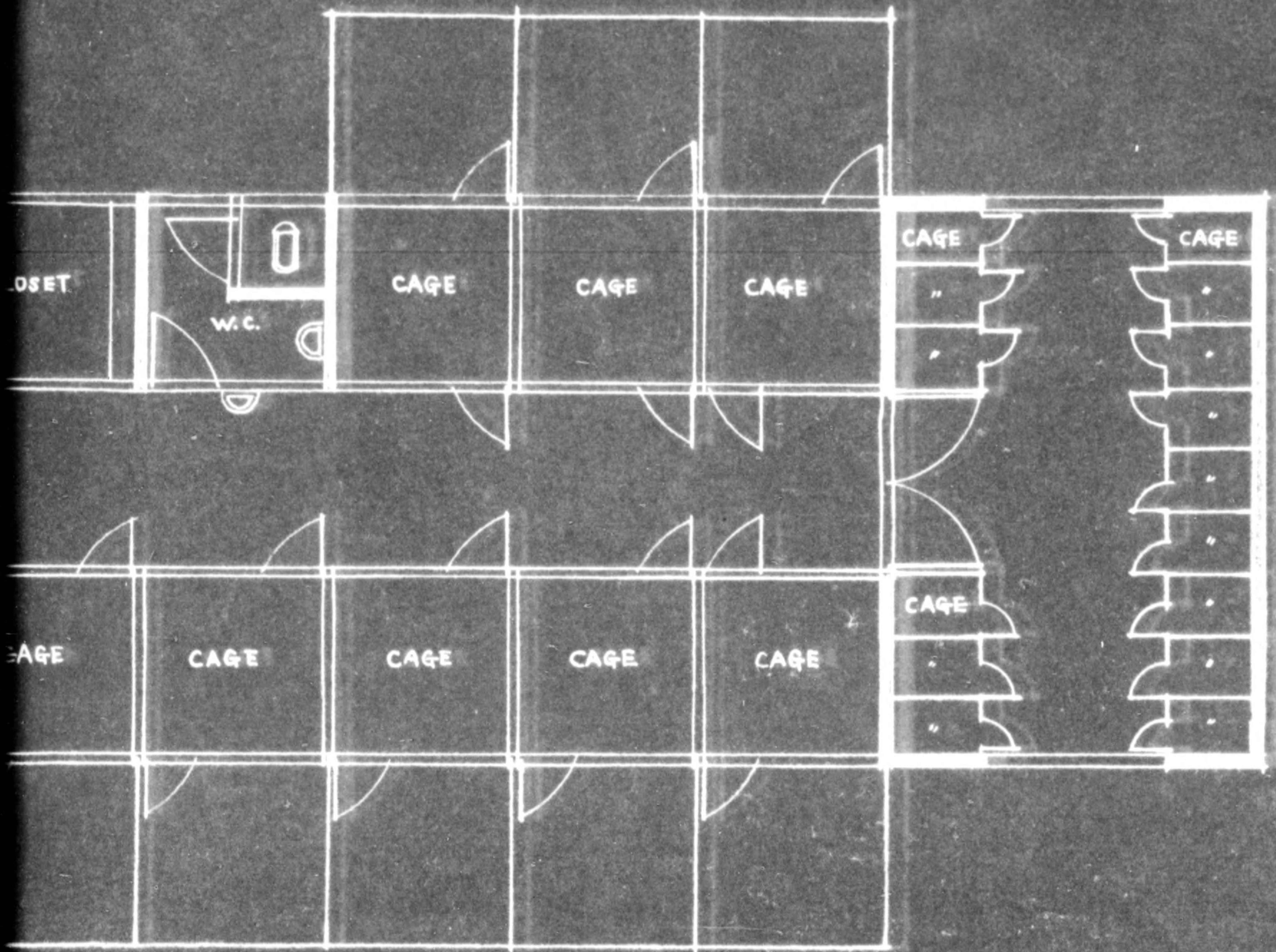




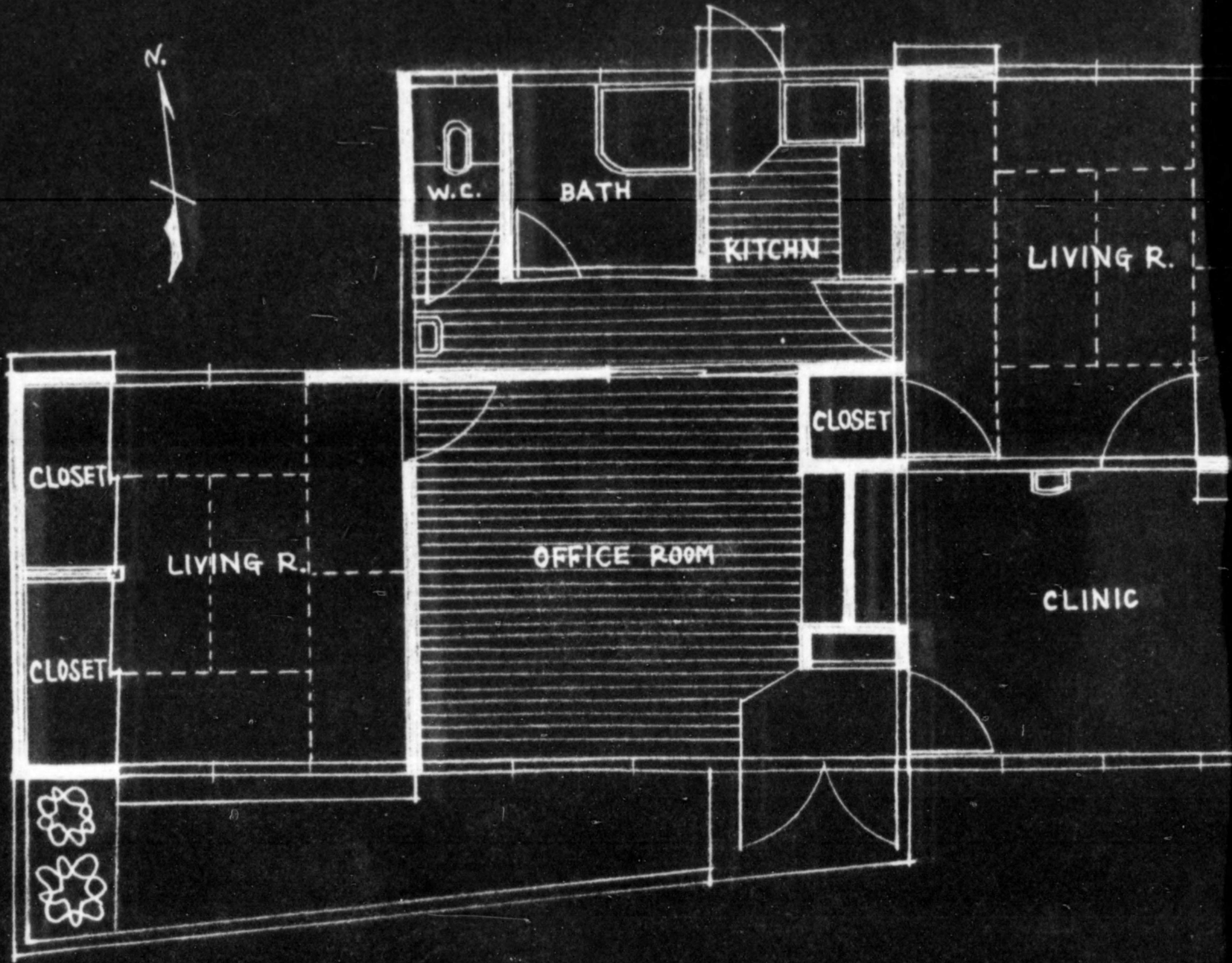
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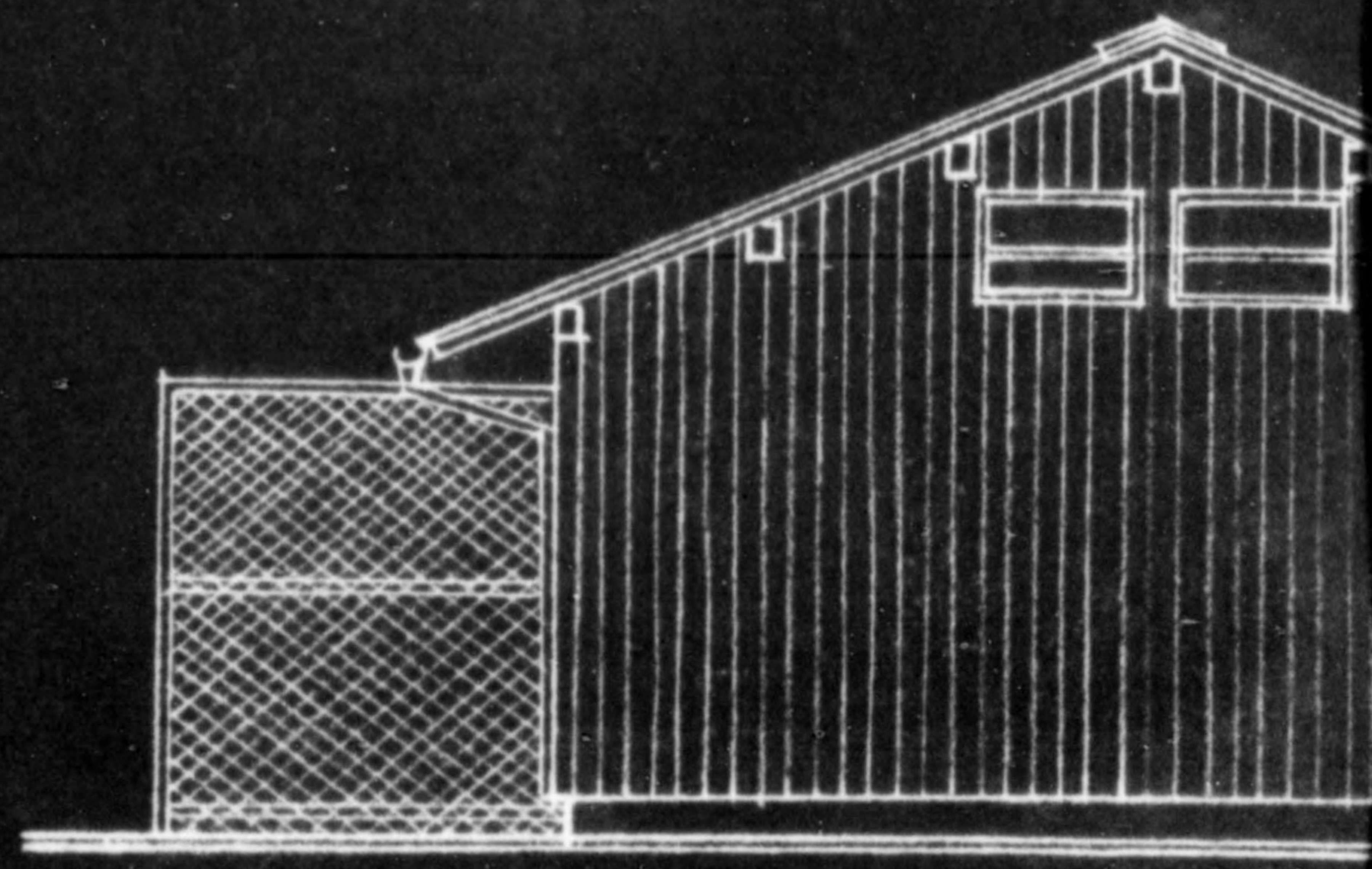
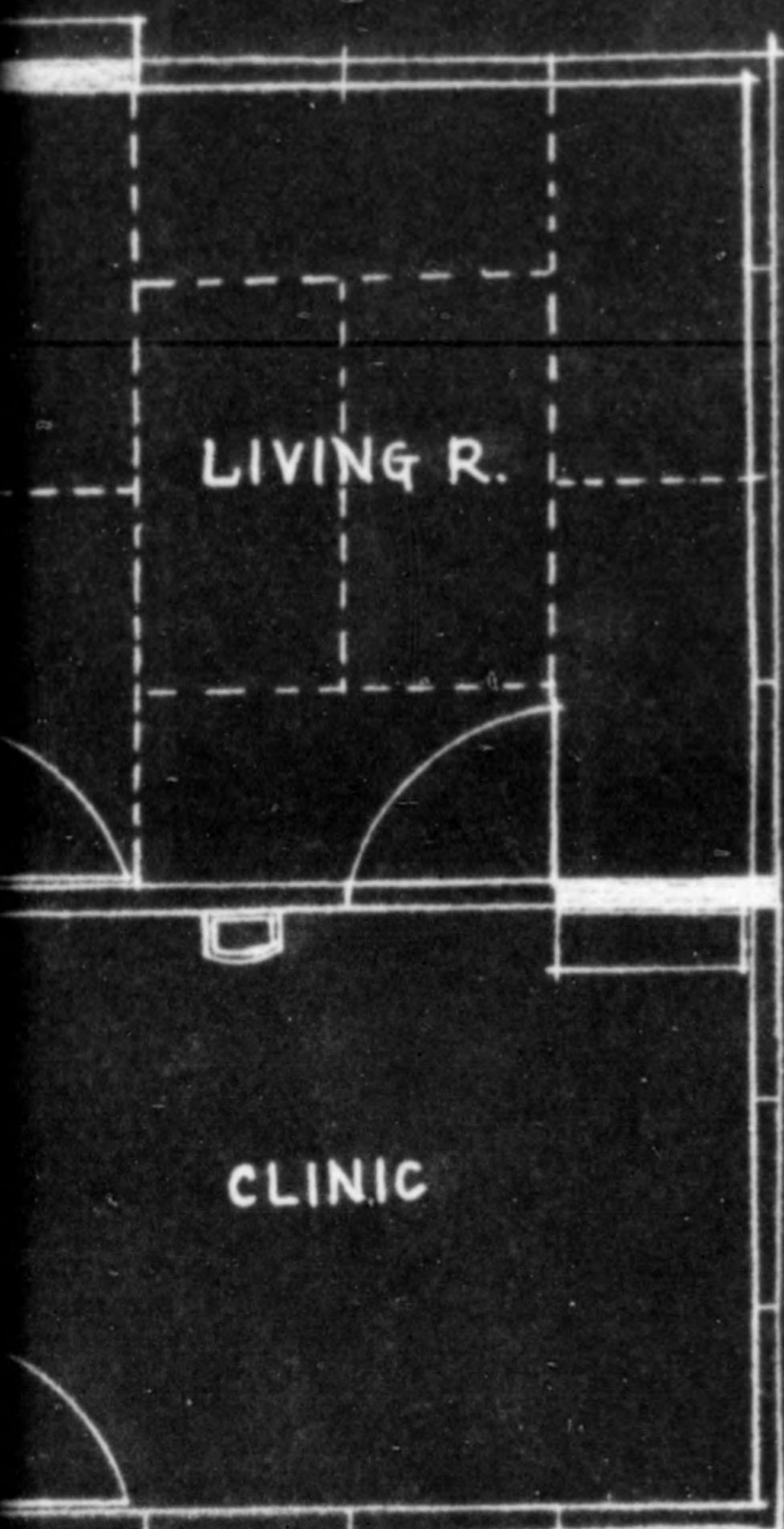


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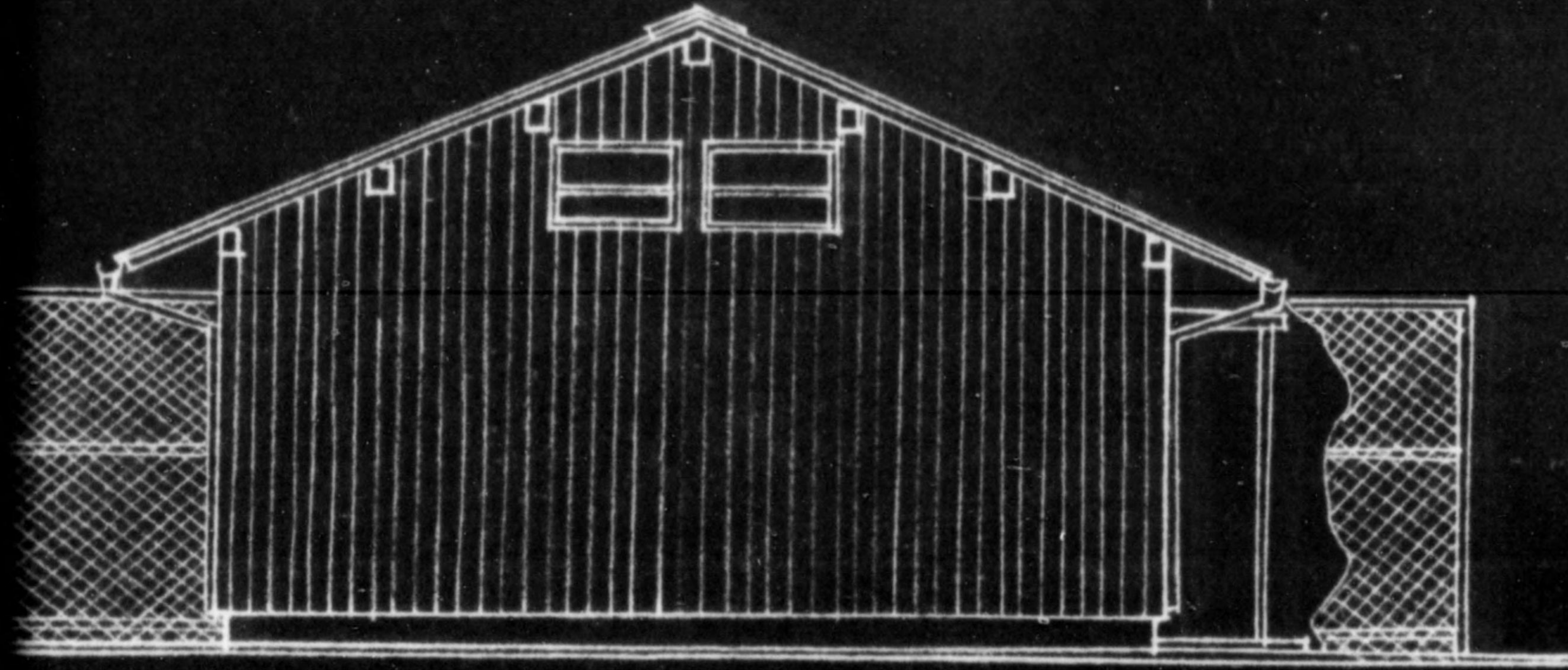
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SIDE VIEW (A)

**DESIGN OF DOG POUND**  
PUBLIC HEALTH SECTION, HEALTH BUREAU,  
TOKYO METROPOLITAN OFFICE

DESIGNER S. OKAWARA



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa Military Gov't District, Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Monthly report on rabies cases (August)

- 1. New outbreak of rabies : 6 dogs
- 2. No. of bit dog inspected : 42 dogs
- 3. No. of rabies immunized : 11 dogs
- 4. No. of rabies immunized by setting up veterinarian : 47 dogs
- 5. No. of dogs slaughtered : 1 dogs
- 6. No. of stray dog caught : 554 dogs
- 7. No. of dogs returned : 409 dogs
- 8. No. of dogs payed : 0
- 9. Total no. of dogs disposed for month : 145 dogs
- 10. Total no. of dogs registered for month : 847 dogs.
- 11. Total no. of annual : 143 dogs.



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
: M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : In the neighbourhood, Ushigome,  
Tamachi, Shinjuku-ku.  
Stray dog.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 2. Tea.

Date of outbreak : 6 Dec.

No. of victims : 2

Date of died : 7 Dec.

Date of autopsy : 9 Dec.

Date of decision : 21 Dec.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

E. Kato

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

The dog showed low spirits at 7 o'clock of morning of 6 Dec. the dog bit 2 passers-by. As it was dangerous, they chained it under strict guard in Kagurazaka Police station.

3. Autopsy

- 1) Pachymeninx congested.
- 2) Stomach was empty.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings, and confirmed because it proved positive to Negri's body exam. and animal exam. done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Lab.

5. Preventive measures taken

The corpse after disinfection was sent to dead animal station. Victims were immunized immediately and have been all right.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Kamihirai-cho, Katsushika-ku.  
Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.  
Age and color : 3 White and black.  
Date of outbreak : 4 Dec.  
No. of victims : 2  
Date of died : 7 Dec.  
Date of autopsy : 9 Dec.  
Date of decision : 21 Dec.  
Inspector's address : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki T. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

Although the dog showed low spirits and little appetite from a few days before the onset, the owner did not notice it. As on 4 Dec. it bit 2 passers-by, they chained it up. As it got frenzy, they suspected. When he reported Tokyo-to, the dog died 7th Dec.

3. Autopsy

- 1) Cerebral embolism, Pachymeninx congested.
- 2) Stomach and intestinal mucous membrane was congested.
- 3) Liver and kidney were congested.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 21 Dec. because it showed positive to Negri's body exam.

5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's house was strictly disinfected. 2 victims are getting immunization at Institute of Infectious Diseases and have shown nothing unusual.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray dog. In the neighbourhood, 1, 2, Mukojima, Sumida-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 1. brown

Date of outbreak : 13 Dec.

No. of victims : 1

Date of died : 14 Dec.

Date of autopsy : 15 Dec.

Date of decision : 22 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

Unknown because it occurred suddenly.

2. Symptoms

The dog appeared in low spirits and suddenly bit one passerby. A police man sent it to Takeda dog pound, and it died there.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Pachymeninx was congested.
- 2) Stomach *Ulcer*.
- 3) Liver and pancreas were congested.

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed 22 Dec. because it was positive to Negri's body exam.

5. Preventive measures taken

The corpse was carefully disinfected and buried. The victim is getting immunization.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.70, 6-chome, Kameari-machi,  
Katsushika-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 1. grey and black.

Date of outbreak : 12 Dec.

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 14 Dec.

Date of autopsy : 18 Dec.

Date of decision : 22 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

It seems that the dog was infected by getting contacted with rabies dog while wandering.

2. Symptoms

It lost the appetite and sprits from a few days before the onset. When it was attacked by the fit, it bit everything it touched including <sup>one</sup> three victims. As they thought it was very dangerous, they reported to police and killed it.

3. Autopsy

1) Stomach contained strange things such as straw, piece of wood etc.

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed 22 Dec. because it was positive to Negri's body exam.

5. Preventive measures taken

The corpse was carefully disinfected and buried, and the victims are getting immunization.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1508, Imokubo, Yamato-mura,  
Kitatama-gun.  
K. Hiruma

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 2. brown.

Date of outbreak : 14 Dec.

No. of victims : 2

Date of killed : 14 Dec.

Date of autopsy : 15 Dec.

Date of decision : 23 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

The dog was at low spirit with little appetite and with queer behaviour, but the owner did not recognize this change. As it became frenzy sometimes and bit passers-by, it was chained under strict guard, because it was dangerous. They reported to the police and killed it.

3. Autopsy

1) Cerebral hyperemia

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed 22 Dec. because it was positive to Negri's body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

The victims' homes were closely disinfected. The victims are now being immunized at Institute of Infectious Disease and they have been all right so far.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1508, Imokubo, Yamato-mura,  
Kitatama-gun.  
K. Hiruma

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 2. brown.

Date of outbreak : 14 Dec.

No. of victims : 2

Date of killed : 14 Dec.

Date of autopsy : 15 Dec.

Date of decision : 23 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
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TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.  
FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.  
SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.645, Azamaesawa, Kurume-mura,  
Kita-tama-gun.  
H. Enomoto

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 2. White and tea.

Date of outbreak : 21 Dec. 1948

No. of victims : 2

Date of dead : 25 Dec.

Date of autopsy : 28 Dec.

Date of decision : 11 January, 1949

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

It seems that the dog was infected while wandering through contacting with a sick dog.

## 2. Symptoms

From a few days before the date of onset on 21 Dec. the dog lost spirits and appetite. As it got violent, and bit everything it touched, the owner's family tried to chain it. When the dog bit 2 men and ran away. They caught it after hard work, the got frenzy, they suspected. When a veterinarian from Tokyo-to got there the dog had already died.

## 3. Autopsy

- a) Pachymeninx congested.
- b) Cerebral embolism.

## 4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy and was confirmed on 11 Jan. after it showed positive both to animal exam. and Negri's body exam.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's home was carefully disinfected, and victims are getting immunization at Institute of Infectious Diseases and have shown nothing unusual.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.14,3,Kayaba-cho, Chuo-ku.  
S. Yoshida

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 1. Red-brown.

Date of outbreak : 24 Dec. 1948

Date of killed : 26 Dec. 1948

No. of victims : 2

Date of autopsy : 26 Dec.

Date of decision : 11 Jan., 1949

Inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.  
K. Wada, H. Ueki, T. Kato

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

Although the wound it got when bitten by a stray dog was recovered it began to lose its appetite from about 24 Dec. 1948 and showed frenzy behaviours. As it bit the owner and he caught it sent for the neighbouring Okada practising veterinarian and he in turn notified Tokyo-to. As the doctor from Tokyo-to thought it suspicious after exam. It was killed by poison on 26 December.

3. Autopsy

- a) Pachymeninx congested.
- b) Stomach-- Mucous membrane of cardia--- catarrhal.  
Stomach was empty.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its autopsy findings, and was confirmed on 11 January 1949, done at Tokyo-to

5. Preventive measures taken

After strict disinfection it was buried into a safe place. Victims were immunized immediately and have been all right.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.1291, Aihara, Sakae-mura,  
Minami-tama-gun.  
Stray dog.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 2. White and black.

Date of outbreak : 20 Dec. 1948

No. of victims : 3

Date of died : 20 Dec.

Date of autopsy : 21 Dec.

Date of decision : 11 Jan. 1949

Inspector's name : Veterinary Laboratory  
H. Ueki P. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

Early morning of 20 20 December suddenly the dog bit 3 passers-by on Aihara, Sakae-mura. It was killed by the passers-by.

3. Autopsy

- 1) Hirn was congested.
- 2) Afterbrain was smashed.
- 3) Stomach was empty.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings, and was confirmed on 11 January, because it was positive to Negri's body exam.

5. Preventive measures taken

- a) The dog body was closely disinfected and buried in to the neighbouring farm.
- b) The victims are getting immunization and have shown nothing unusual so far.



TO : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo  
Military Government, Tokyo Detachment.

SUBJECT : Report on a rabies cases (July--December)

1. Total No. of rabies : 51 dogs
2. Total No. of bit dog inspected : 187 dogs
3. Total No. of rabies immunized  
in Tokyo-to : 3,579 dogs
4. Total No. of rabies immunized  
by setting up veterinarian : 999 dogs
5. Total No. of dogs slaughtered : 15 dogs
6. Total No. of stray dog caught : 3,226 dogs
7. Total No. of dog returned : 2,290 dogs
8. Total No. of dog payed : 448 dogs
9. Total No. of dog registered : 2,819 dogs
10. Total No. of dog disposed : 788 dogs
11. Total No. of dog annuld : 394 dogs



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, To kyo-Kanagawa  
: M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health  
Bureau, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Monthly report on rabies cases (November)

1.	New outbreak of rabies	:	12 dogs
2.	No. of bit dog inspected	:	30 dogs
3.	No. of rabies immunized in Tokyo-to	:	0
4.	No. of rabies immunized by setting up veterinarian	:	19 dogs
5.	No. of dogs slaughtered	:	2
6.	No. of stray dog caught	:	712 dogs
7.	No. of dog returned	:	544 dogs
8.	No. of dog payed	:	<sup>148</sup> <del>168</del> dogs
9.	Total No. of dog disposed	:	(Send to Veterinary Lab. Tokyo-to) <del>168</del> dogs
10.	Total No. of dog registered for month	:	<sup>20</sup> 877 dogs
11.	Total No. of dog annuld	:	113 dogs



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.  
FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.  
SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.6, 1, Asakusakojima-machi,  
Daito-ku. S. Okada  
Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.  
Age and color : 3 month. Ash  
Date of outbreak : 16 Nov.  
No. of victims : 2  
Date of dead : 18 Nov.  
Date of autopsy : 13 Nov.  
Date of decision : 25 Nov.  
Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

Uncertain but it seems the dog got infected through contact with rabies dog while loitering.

## 2. Symptoms

The dog showed some strangeness from a few days before the onset. As it became frenzy sometimes and bit 2 passers-by. So they reported to the police and killed it with a club.

## 3. Autopsy

- 1) Cerebral meninges and cerebral substance were congested.
- 2) The bottom of the stomach was congested. In the stomach there were found a few pieces of wood and animal's skin etc.
- 3) Liver, spleen and kidney were turbid, swollen, and full of blood.

## 4. Confirmation

It was thought rabies suspect from symptoms and autopsy, and it was confirmed on 25 Nov. because it proved positive both to Negri's body exam. and animal exam. done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

The area was closely disinfected. Two victims are getting immunized at Institute of Infectious Diseases and they have shown nothing unusual so far.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.1092, Otani-nachi, Itabashi-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 3 month. Tea-brown.

Date of outbreak : 9 Nov.

No. of victims : 4

Date of dead : 10 Nov.

Date of autopsy : 10 Nov.

Date of decision : 2 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki P. Kato T. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

Though the case happened so suddenly, it seems that the dog got infected while wandering on street.

2. Symptoms

It lost the appetite and spirits from a few days before it fell ill. When it was attacked by the fit, it bit everything it touched including for victims. As they thought it very dangerous, they reported to police and killed it.

3. Autopsy

- a) Cerebral haemorrhage (death-wound by blows)
- b) Heart was full of bleeding spots uncoagulable.
- c) Bleeding spots as a line on walls of the stomach, lots of unusual things such as grass, hair, clod etc. in the stomach.
- d) Larynx was greatly swollen, almost blocked up.

4. Confirmation

It was thought suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy. It was confirmed on 2 Dec. because it proved positive to both animal exam. and Negri's body exam. done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.

5. Preventive measures taken

The body, after disinfected closely, was sent to dead animal station and disposed there. The victims were immediately instructed to get immunized.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 8, 3, Fukagawashirakawa-machi,  
Koto-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male

Age and color : 7 month Brown

Date of outbreak : 8 Nov.

Date of dead : 10 Nov.

No. of victims : 1

Date of autopsy : 10 Nov.

Date of decision : 2 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Uncertain, but it seems that the dog got infected through contacting rabies dog while wandering.
2. Symptoms  
From a few days before the onset, the dog showed little appetite, uneasy and frenzy behaviour. As it was dangerous, they chained it up. Unfortunately the child of the owner was bitten at his right hand when he hapened to aproach with a stick.
3. Autopsy  
Nothing strange in trachea, Lung, or Liver, some bleeding spots on Mucous membrane of stomach and intestines, stomach was empty, both bladders had lots of urine; no change in both kidneys.
4. Confirmation  
It was considered suspect rabies from its autopsy findings, and was confirmed on 2 Dec. because it was positive both to Negri's exam. and animal exam. done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.
5. Preventive measures taken  
After careful disinfection, it was buried into a safe place. Victim was immunized immediately and has been all right.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 348, Seijyo-machi, Setagaya-ku.  
T. Ohashi

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 2 White

Date of outbreak : 15 Nov.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 17 Nov.

Date of autopsy : 17 Nov.

Date of decision : 25 Nov.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown because it occurred suddenly.

2. Symptoms

The dog lost appetite from a few days before the onset. Furthermore, it behaved queer, got frenzy and bit various things. So the owner sent for the neighbouring practising veterinarian and he, in turn notified Tokyo-to. As the doctor from Tokyo-to thought it suspicious after examination, it was killed by poison on 17 Nov.

3. Autopsy

- 1) Lymphatic gland of maxillary sinus was swollen.
- 2) Tonsil was congested.
- 3) Lymphatic gland of mesenterium was swollen
- 4) Stomach contained some pieces of straw, wood, etc.
- 5) Small and large intestines. Bleeding spots scattered over them.

4. Confirmation

It was thought suspect from its symptoms and autopsy findings and was confirmed on 25 Nov. because it proved positive both to Negri's body exam. and animal exam. given at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.

5. Preventive measures taken

The corpse was carefully disinfected and buried.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 62, 1, Machiya, Arakawa-ku.  
T. Uchida

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male

Age and color : 2. White-Tea.

Date of outbreak : 17 Nov.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 23 Nov.

Date of autopsy : 23 Nov.

Date of decision : 6 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
The dog did not get immunization. It seems that it came into contact with rabies dog and got infected.
2. Symptoms  
From 16 Nov. no appetite, strange howling some times, bit strange things. Showed melanchoric state, became unable to stand up, secreted saliva like foam mixed with some blood. The owner asked private veterinarian to kill the dog with poison.
3. Autopsy  
Malnutrition. In the stomach there was found some strange things. Mucous membrane was found swollen. Cerebral vessel was much congested.
4. Confirmation  
It was decided suspect rabies by symptoms and autopsy. It was confirmed as rabies because it was positive both to animal exam. and Negri's body exam.
5. Preventive measures taken  
The corpse, after close disinfection was disposed.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 104, Shinomaruko, Ota-ku.  
Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male  
Age and color : 3 Brown-White  
Date of outbreak : 25 Nov.  
No. of victims : 10  
Date of dead : 25 Nov.  
Date of autopsy : 25 Nov.  
Date of decision : 6 Dec.  
Name of inspector : T. Wada H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

About 10 a.m. of 25 Nov. the dog bit 10 on the street of no. 104, Shinomaruko, Ota-ku passers-by who happened to be near by chased it to catch, but missed it. It was found out later lying down exhausted on the street several hundred yards away with difficulties. They clubbed it to death, it was identified by victims as the dog that bit.

3. Autopsy

Malnutrition, mucous membrane was found much swollen, strange things such as button, pieces of wood, and of stones leaves etc. were found in the stomach, cerebral vessels were swollen.

4. Confirmation

It was decided rabies suspect by its symptoms and autopsy, and was confirmed as rabies on 6 Dec. because it proved positive both to animal exam. and Negri's body exam. (done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory)

5. Preventive measures taken

10 victims were immunized at once and they have shown nothing strange. The area was disinfected closely and the corpse was buried.



TO: Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M. G. D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM: Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health  
Bureau, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT: Monthly report on rabies cases (October)

1. New outbreak of rabies : 21 dogs
2. No. of bit dog inspected : 40 dogs
3. No. of rabies immunized in  
Tokyo-to : 0
4. No. of rabies immunized by  
setting up veterinarian : 23 dogs
5. No. of dogs slaughtered : 3 dogs
6. No. of stray dog caught : 1063 dogs
7. No. of dog returned : 763 dogs
8. No. of dog payed : 300 dogs
9. Total no. of dog disposed : 300 dogs
10. Total no. of dog registered  
for month : 570 dogs
11. Total no. of dog annuld : 119 dogs



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
: M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.1, 2, Shinjuku, Katsushika-ku.  
W. Ogura

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 3. white and black. Pochi

Date of outbreak : 13 Oct.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 15 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 15 Oct.

Date of decision : 22 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
T. Nakamura

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

It seems that this dog got infected through contacting a rabies dog which occurred before.

2. Symptoms

The dog was bitten by the rabies dog in the neighbourhood about 30 September. From about 12 Oct. it began to get uneasy, to lose appetite and spirits. From the early morning of the 14th, it became violent, and died about 3:00 a.m. of the 15th.

3. Autopsy findings

Nutritional condition was all right and the lustre of the hide was still retained.

- 1) Blood had black-purplish color esp. in heart.
- 2) Stomach had sands and a little pieces of wood.
- 3) The wall of stomach was congested and had bleeding spots.
- 4) Throat was swollen and congested. Bleeding spots in air-passage.
- 5) Bladder was empty and had bleeding spots. No other changes in internal organs.

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed after the examination.

5. Preventive measures taken

No victim. The body was closely disinfected and buried.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.1453, Tanashi-machi,  
Kitatama-gun.  
A. Yamaguchi

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 4 brown. Esu

Date of outbreak : 26 Sept.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 1 Oct.

Date of autopsy : Impossible.

Date of decision : 22 Oct.

Inspector's name : T. Nakamura  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

As this area is area of rabies, it seems the dog got infected through contacting.

2. Symptoms

About 26 September the dog seemed to have little appetite, and family watched it. In the morning of 1 Oct. it got uneasy. As it tried to bite a goat chained in a yard of neighbouring farmer's, it was clubbed to death by an employee there. The body was buried under into the farm of the owner's. But six days later the owner reported for the medical treatment.

3. Autopsy

The body smelt very bad because it was buried for six days. Because of decomposition, it was impossible to distinguish clinical signs. Stomach was empty and lots of bile was stuck to the walls of stomach.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from the report and autopsy. The head was cut out and microscopic examination and animal examination were made on brain specimen. From there results the case was confirmed on 22 Oct.

5. Preventive measures taken

No victim, the body was closely disinfected and buried into the neighbouring farm.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.47, 6, Kaneari, Katsushika-ku.  
T. Ishi

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 2. darkbrown. Maru.

Date of outbreak : 22 Oct.

Date of killed : 23 Oct.

No. of victims : 2

Date of decision : 23 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
T. Nakamura

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

The case seems to have got infected through contacting rabies dog because in the area there often happened rabies.

2. Symptoms

From about 19 Oct. the dog began to lose appetite became sensitive, became easily frightened and barked greatly. From about 20 Oct. it uttered queer voice, and became restless. On 21, the dog had fits and no appetite. In the early morning of 22, the dog suddenly bit a child of the owner and one more. As it got more and more violent, it was clubbed to death by the family members.

3. Autopsy findings

External

Nutritional condition was good, and there was cut mark at the upper lip and right thigh.

Internal

- 1) The throat was swollen and congested greatly.
- 2) Pachymeninx was congested greatly.
- 3) The stomach was enlarged and had lots strange stuffs such as wood and straw pieces.
- 4) There were many bleeding spots on the stomach wall.
- 5) Liver was swollen.

4. Confirmation

The case was confirmed from symptoms and autopsy findings.

5. Preventive measures taken

The body was disposed at Takeda Dead Animal Point. The victims are getting immunizations.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray dog. In neighbourhood,  
Hyakunin-cho, Shinjuku-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 3. black.

Date of outbreak : 15 Oct.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 16 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 16 Oct.

Date of decision : 23 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki  
J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

Uncertain, but it seems that the dog got infected through contacting some rabies dog.

2. Symptoms

The dog was found by a member of Tokyo-to Veterinary in the compound of the laboratory. The dog seemed to have hard times in walking, and to have paralysis in lower jaw. It tried to bite him who came near it. As there were recognized rabies symptoms, it was caught and watched. It died in the morning of the 16th. Tests were made on specimen.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Stomach contained strange things such as pieces of grass, wood and sand.
- 2) Pachymeninx was congested.

4. Confirmation

The case was confirmed on 23 Oct. because it was positive to Negri body test.



SUBJECT : Report on a new out break of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.24, 8, Minami-senju,  
Arakawa-ku.  
K. Takahara

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 2. brown. Tiro

Date of outbreak : 15 Oct.

No. of victims : 2

Date of dead : 20 Oct.

Date of inspected : 16--20 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 20 Oct.

Date of decision : 26 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
F. Kawabata

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

Unknown, the dog was non-registered domestic dog and was never immunized.

2. Symptoms

The dog had been a stray dog wandering about the owner's neighbourhood until about April this year it came to be fed and kept by the owner as his watch-dog. Generally speaking, the dog was nervous and often tried to bite when it was affended. At the supper-time of 15 Oct. it bit the owner and his wife who were going to feed it. It ate up the food, drank water and everything else was all right at that time. When Tokyo-to officials examined the case on the following 16th due to the report, they found no conspicuous rabies symptoms besides one suspicious point of hoarse voice. So they sent it to Takeda Dog Point to put it under watch with chains. On the 17th, it lost appetite, began to get violent from the afternoon, bit straw, iron-bar etc., and uttered husky voice. On the 18th, it had no appetite, and violence was on its top. On the 19th, back part of body was paralyzed and breath was very rapid. On the 20th, the same condition was continued. From about 1 p.m. breathing was difficult, it became unable to stand up and died at last.

3. Autops findings

- 1) Stomach contained queer stuffs as straw pieces.
- 2) Cerebral hyperemia.
- 3) Liver, lungs and kidneys were congested.



#### 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed rabies from its clinical examination. It was confirmed on 26 Oct. because it was positive to Negri body test done at Tokyo-to Vet. Laboratory.

#### 5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's house was closely disinfected. Victims are getting immunization.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.1126, 2, Mishikomatsugawa,  
Edogawa-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 2. darkbrown. Esu

Date of outbreak : 21 Oct.

No. of victims : 2

Date of killed : 21 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 21 Oct.

Date of decision : 27 Oct.

Inspector's name : T. Nakamura  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

As the dog was bitten at its cheek by a stray dog about 10 days before the onset, it seems it got infected at that time.

2. Symptoms

As from about 20 October it began to lose appetite and to get uneasy, the owner's family paid attention to it. It cut the rope and bit two passers-by. It was caught and reported. On the 21st, Tokyo-to officials examined it. As the rabies symptoms were very conspicuous such as violence and biting of its own limbs, it was killed with drug, made autopsy and its specimens were sent to Tokyo-to Vet. Lab.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Cerebral hyperemia
- 2) Stomach contained pieces of clod, sand, wood.
- 3) Lungs were congested.

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed on 27 Oct. because it was positive to Negri body test done at Tokyo-to Vet. Lab.

5. Preventive measures taken

- 1) Two victims are getting immunization and have shown nothing unusual so far.
- 2) The owner's house was closely disinfected.



SUBJECT: Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 532, Tokunaru-cho,  
Itabashi-ku.  
I. Nakao

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 1. brown. Esu

Date of outbreak : 20 Oct.

No. of victims : 2

Date of killed : 21 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 21 Oct.

Date of decision : 27 Oct.

Inspector's name : T. Kawabata  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

The case was a stray dog and it seems that the dog got infected through contacting while wandering.

2. Symptoms

The dog bit two school-children passing on 20 Oct. It was caught immediately. As it was very violent, they suspected rabies and reported. Tokyo-to veterinarians found the dog biting the iron-bar of sick dog room of private veterinarian named Ozawa, driveling, uttering hoarse voice. As they thought the case was in the mad stage, they killed it with drug, made autopsy and sent specimen to Vet. Lab.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Throat was congested.
- 2) Stomach was empty.
- 3) Cerebral hyperemia.

4. Confirmation

Confirmed on 27 Oct. because it was positive to Negri body test done at Tokyo-to Vet. Lab.

5. Preventive measures taken

- 1) Two victims are getting immunization.
- 2) The body, after the autopsy was closely disinfected and buried into a safe place in Dr. Ozawa's.



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M. G. D. Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau,  
Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.1249, Shimochiba-cho, Katsushika-  
ku. Y. Yoshida

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 4. White and tea. Ess.

Date of outbreak : 1 October

No. of victims : 4

Date of dead : 2 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 3 Oct.

Date of decision : 15 Nov.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
H. Ueki T. Kato

## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

Unknown because this happened suddenly but it seems that the dog was infected by getting contacted with rabies dog.

## 2. Symptoms

The dog was at low spirit with little appetite and with queer behaviour, but the owner did not recognize this change. AS it became frenzy sometimes and bit 4 passers, it was chained under strict guard, because it was dangerous. They reported to the police and it died on 2nd of October.

## 3. Autopsy

- 1) Non-suppurative encephalitis.
- 2) Stomach contained strange things such as stones and straw pieces.
- 3) Liver and lungs were congested and swollen.

## 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as rabies from its clinical symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed 15 November because it showed positive to Negri's body test done at Veterinary Lab.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

The victims' homes were closely disinfected. All the victims are now being immunized at Institute of Infectious Diseases and they have been all right so far.



SUBJECT: Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1202, Shimokomatsu, Katsushika-ku. E. Konno

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 6 month. Brown

Date of outbreak : 3 Nov.

No. of victims : 0

Date of died : 4 Nov.

Date of autopsy : 5 Nov.

Date of decision : 18 Nov.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
H. Ueki E. Kato

Remarks :

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

From four days before the onset, the dog lost appetite and spirits. It got uneasy and began to drival. On 3 Nov. the dog was suspected rabies, the owner notified to Ward Office and sent for a practising veterinarian at the same time. As he diagnosed it as suspect rabies, they notified to Tokyo-to and asked for the examination. The dog died in the evening of 4th of November.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Pachymeninx was congested.
- 2) Lungs congested.
- 3) Stomach was empty.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed suspect rabies from its symptom and autopsy findings. As it showed positive to Negri's body test on 18 November, it was confirmed.

5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's house was closely disinfected.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray dog. In the neighbourhood,  
Oku-machi, Arakawa-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 2. White and tea.

Date of outbreak : 30 Oct.

No. of victims : 1

Date of died : 7 Nov.

Date of autopsy : 7 Nov.

Date of decision : 15 Nov.

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki J. Oishi T. Kato

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

It seems that the dog got infected through contacting with a rabies dog.

2. Symptoms

On 30 October the dog appeared in low spirits and suddenly bit one passers-by in Asahi Electric Co. So people there caught it, chained it at Ward Office and sent it to Takeda dog pound. Its breathing became gradually hard and it died on 7th.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Stomach contained pieces of straw, wood etc.
- 2) Liver, kidneys congested.

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed on 15 Nov. because it showed positive to Negri's body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

Victims are getting immunization and has shown nothing unusual so far.



25. Oct. 1948

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.  
FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.  
SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.618, Tamagun, Kitatama-gun.  
I. Tobari  
Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.  
Age and color : 3. gray and brown.  
Date of outbreak : 11 Sept.  
No. of victims : 0  
Date of dead : 17 Sept.  
Date of autopsy : 18 Sept.  
Date of decision : 16 Oct.  
Inspector's name : T. Nakamura  
H. Ueki

## Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown
2. Symptoms  
From 7 September the dog lost appetite, spirits, and showed uneasiness, excitement and a little violence. As it came to bite things, they suspected it as rabies, and sent it to Tokyo Veterinary College for detention. As they notified Tokyo-to, veterinarians examined it.
3. Autopsy findings
  - 1) The lower part of pachymeninx was congested.
  - 2) Stomach was empty.
  - 3) Very small parasites were found in the heart and lungs.
4. Confirmation  
It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy finding. It was confirmed on 16 Oct. because it showed positive to Negri body test and rabies encephalitis was conspicuous.
5. Preventive measures taken  
The owner's house was closely disinfected.



SUBJECT: Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 37, Higashi-ozumi, Merina-ku  
S. Yamaguchi

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 3. Tea-brown, Tipi

Date of outbreak : 30 Sept.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 5 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 6 Oct.

Date of decision : 18 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
T. Kawabata  
Veterinary "ab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown
2. Symptoms  
From about 28 Sept. the dog was depressed and low-spirited. From about 30 Sept. the appetite was lost suddenly. From the morning of 1 Oct. it lost the appetite completely, kept the mouth gaped, showed the symptom of paralyzed lower jaw, and drivelled very much. This condition lasted to the 3rd Oct. no violence, biting was seen. Paralysis of the back body came suddenly and the dog died about 2:30 p.m. of the 5 Oct. Notified, Tokyo-to veterinarians made a inspection.
3. Autopsy findings
  - 1) Stomach had pieces of straw, sand etc.
  - 2) Pachyaenix and arachnoid were congested.
4. Confirmation  
It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings, and was confirmed on 18 Oct. because it was positive to Negri body test.
5. Preventive measures taken  
The owner's house and things touched the dog were closely disinfected.



SUBJECT : Report on anew outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 2045, 8-chome, Mikawashima,  
Arakawa-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 1. gray. Esu.

Date of outbreak : 30 Sept.

No. of victims : 3

Date of dead : 4 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 4 Oct.

Date of decision : 18 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
T. Nakamura  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown.

2. Symptoms

From about 26 Sept. the dog began to lose spirits and appetite. It gradually came to be violent and 30 sept. it bit the owner, his wife and maid. As it was dangerous they hospitalized it to the near Mizuno Animal Hospital. After that the dog lost the appetite completely, bit at various things, and became more and more violent. Tokyo-to got the report as suspect rabies.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) There were a few round-worms in small intestines.
- 2) Congested spots on the wall of stomach.
- 3) Empty stomach

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings, and was confirmed 18 Oct. because it was positive to Negri body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

- 1) Three victims are getting immunization.
- 2) The owner's house was completely disinfected.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1127, 6, Zoshigaya, Toshima-ku.  
E. Tanaka

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 2. white and black. Many.

Date of outbreak : 4 Oct.

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 4 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 5 Oct.

Date of decision : 18 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
H. Takaku  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

Unknown

The dog was non-registered and non-immunized.

2. Symptoms

A few days before the onset the dog got into a neighbouring Korean's home and bit a puppy there. On the 4th Oct. the dog again bit the puppy at the Koreans and was run after by the Korean. Finding this, the dog's owner took it home. When he tried to thrust it into the dog's house, it bit him at his left forefinger. After it was put into the house it bit the boards of the house continuously. They suspected it as rabies and notified Ward Office. Officials examined and as the symptoms were suspicious, they killed it with drug and sent specimen to Veterinary Laboratory.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Stomach had weed-scrap.
- 2) Liver and kidneys were congested.
- 3) Lungs congested and bleeding.
- 4) Unsuppurative encephalitis.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed suspect rabies from its symptoms. Although it was negative to Negri body test done at Vet. Lab. the clinical findings of un-suppurative encephalitis were conspicuous in pathological tests on brains. It was confirmed on 18 Oct.

5. Preventive measures taken

- 1) The victim got the first immunization at Oshida Institute in the evening of the fourth and he continued since.



There is nothing unusual seen so far.

2) The owner's house was closely disinfected.

3) It was found out that four dogs got contact with the dog. They were chained and are under watch. Those which had not been immunized were immunized.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.60, 7-chome, Azuma-cho,  
Sunida-ku.  
S. Sakamoto

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 2. brown. Merry.

Date of outbreak : 5 Oct. 1948

No. of victims : 2

Date of killed : 6 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 6 Oct.

Date of decision : 18 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
K. Waka  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown, no external wounds seen.
2. Symptoms  
From a few days before the onset the dog showed unessiness and violence. Suspecting rabies they sent for veterinarian named Keji. He diagnosed the case as violent rabies and killed it with drug.
3. Autopsy
  - 1) Stomach had pieces of wood, rubber.
  - 2) Mucous membrane of the stomach had bleeding spots.
  - 3) Pachymeninx and arachnoid were congested.
  - 4) Cerebral hemorrhage.
4. Confirmation  
It was confirmed 18 Oct. as a result of test.
5. Preventive measures taken  
Victims are getting immunization.  
The owner's house was closely disinfected.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.60, 7-chome, Azuma-cho,  
Sunida-ku.  
S. Sakamoto

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 2. brown. Merry.

Date of outbreak : 5 Oct. 1943

No. of victims : 2

Date of killed : 6 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 6 Oct.

Date of decision : 18 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
K. Waka  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown, no external wounds seen.
2. Symptoms  
From a few days before the onset the dog showed uneasiness and violence. Suspecting rabies they sent for veterinarian named Keji. He diagnosed the case as violent rabies and killed it with drug.
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  - 4) Cerebral hemorrhage.
4. Confirmation  
It was confirmed 18 Oct. as a result of test.
5. Preventive measures taken  
Victims are getting immunization.  
The owner's house was closely disinfected.



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
: M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.6,1,Kanasugi, Daito-ku.  
Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.  
Age and color : 3. Black, Tea-brown.  
Date of outbreak : 31 Oct.  
No. of victims : 1  
Date of dead : 2 Nov.  
Date of autopsy : 2 Nov.  
Date of decision : 12 Nov.  
Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

It seem that the dog was infected by getting contacted with rabies dog while wandering.

2. Symptom

The dog appeared near No.6, 1, Kanasugi, Daito-ku about 7:30 a.m. of 31th October and bit 1 passers-by. They chained it under strict guard. It showed the symptom of frenzy and faltering steps.

3. Autopsy

By inspection-- malnutrition, rough and coarse fur 4 incisors of lower jaw were broken.

By autopsy

1. Bronchial pneumonia
2. Mucous membrane of stomach was breeding.
3. Stomach contained fur, skin of other animals and pieces of wood.
4. Some inflammation of catarrh of colon and small intestines.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed rabies suspect from its symptom and autopsy. It was confirmed on 12 Oct. because it proved positive both to animal exam. and Negri's body exam.

5. Preventive measures taken

The body was buried after closely disinfected. One victim is being immunized at National Institute of Infectious Disease.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.1128,2,Nishikomatsugawa,  
Edogawa-ku.  
Y. Maeda

Kind of animal and sex : Cat. Female.

Age and color : 10. White-red.

Date of outbreak : 3 Nov.

No. of victims : 7

Date of dead : 5 Nov.

Date of autopsy : 5 Nov.

Date of decision : 12 Nov.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown

2. Symptoms

It lost the appetite and spirits from few days before it fell ill. When it was attacked by the fit, it bit everything it touched including three victims. As they thought it was very dangerous, they reported to police and killed it.

3. Autopsy

- a) No wound was found on the surface of the body.
- b) Mucous membrane inside the mouth was a little bleeding.  
An incisor was broken.
- c) Cerebral meninges and cerebral substance were congested.
- d) The bottom of the stomach was congested. In the stomach there were few pieces of wood and full of blood.

4. Confirmation

It was thought rabies suspect from its symptoms and autopsy, and it was confirmed on 12 Oct. because it proved positive to both Negri's body exam. and animal exam. done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.

5. Preventive measures taken

7 victims were sent to Institute of Infectious Diseases and have been getting immunized. They have shown nothing unusual so far.

The area was closely disinfected and the corpse was sent to Dead animal station.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.179, Sunahara-machi, Katsushika-k  
T. Taneichi

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 2. Tea-white.

Date of outbreak : 7 Nov.

No. of victims : 1

Date of autopsy : 7 Nov.

Date of decision : 2 Dec.

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

It seems that the dog got infected by contacting with a rabies dog while wandering.

2. Symptoms

The dog was missing for a few days before it fell ill. It came back suddenly on 7 Sept. Because it showed a little excited, it was under watch. But it ran away again, wandered about several places and bit 1 person. It was killed by the owner with poison when it came back again in the evening.

3. Autopsy

The following is the irregular findings.

- a) Both pharynx and larynx were covered with mucus and were swollen.
- b) Mucous membrane inside the stomach was bleeding.
- c) Stomach was empty.

4. Confirmation

It was thought rabies suspect from its symptoms and autopsy findings. Its cerebral specimens were sent to Tokyo-to Veterinary Lab. and it was confirmed after it proved positive both to Negri's body exam. and animal exam.

5. Preventive measures taken.

The body was buried after disinfected. Immunization for the victims was completed in Institute of Infectious Diseases. They have shown nothing unusual since.



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M. G. D. Tokyo Tetachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 81, Yamabuki-cho, Shinjuku-ku.  
S. Tanaka

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, and color : 3. Red.

Date of outbreak : 21 Oct.

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 22 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 22 Oct.

Date of decision : 10 November

Inspector's name : H. Ueki T. Kato

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown

2. Symptoms

The dog has never been immunized. From about a week before the onset, it lost the appetite and began to get uneasy but they did not pay much attention to it. On the 21st Oct. it bit one passer and got violent. As they suspected rabies, they sent for neighbouring private veterinarian, Dr. Kuwashima. He diagnosed the case rabies and they notified Tokyo-to. Veterinarians from Tokyo-to examined and killed it with drug.

3. Autopsy findings

- a) Liver, kidneys and lungs were congested.
- b) Non-purulent encephalitis
- c) Negative to Negri body test.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms. Although it was negative to Negri body test, it was confirmed as rabies on 10 Nov. because signs of rabies encephalitis were conspicuous to pathological tests.

5. Preventive measures taken

- a) The owner's house was closely disinfected.
- b) The victim is getting immunization.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 956, Higashi Oizumi-cho,  
Merima-ku.  
S. Yamaguchi

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 3. brown.

Date of outbreak : 25 Oct.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 30 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 30 Oct.

Date of decision : 10 Nov.

Inspector's name : T. Kawabata H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown

2. Symptoms

On 25 Oct, the dog began to get uneasy, lost appetite, bit things, driveled, and thus showed rabies symptoms clearly. The owner chained it closely and asked the neighbouring private veterinarian to examine. While under observation, it died on the 30th. They notified to Tokyo-to through Health Center and officials made an autopsy.

3. Autopsy findings

- a) Cerebral hyperemia
- b) Under the pachymeninx it was bleeding.
- c) Stomach contained queer stuffs.

4. Confirmation

The case was diagnosed suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. As it was positive to Negri body test done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory, it was confirmed on 10 November.

5. Preventive measures taken

Everything in the owner's house that touched the dog was disinfected closely.



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M.G.D. Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M. G. D., Tokyo Detachment.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 2198, 2, Keiwa-machi,  
Edogawa-ku.  
K. Watanabe

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 1. Dark brown

Date of outbreak : 19 Oct.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 22 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 22 Oct.

Date of decision : 1 Nov.

Inspector's name : T. Nakamura

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown, no external wounds seen.
2. Symptoms  
From about 19 Sept. the dog was depressed and the appetite was lost suddenly. From the morning, it lost the appetite completely, kept the mouth gaped, showed the symptom of paralyzed lower leg, and drivelled very much. This condition lasted. No violence, biting was seen. Paralysis of the back body came suddenly and the dog died on 22 Oct. Notified, Tokyo-to Veterinarians made a inspection.
3. Autopsy findings
  - 1) Hirn was congested.
  - 2) Stomach had pieces of straw, and etc.
4. Confirmation  
It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings, and was confirmed on 1 November, because it was positive to Negri's body test.
5. Preventive measures taken  
The owner's house and things touched the dog were closely disinfected.



**SUBJECT :** Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 43, 7, Minami Senju,  
Arakawa-ku.  
T. Sakuma

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 1. White and tea.

Date of outbreak : 24 Oct.

No. of victims : New investigation

Date of killed : 26 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 26 Oct.

Date of decision : 1 Nov.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki  
J. Oishi

**Remarks:**

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

From a few days before the onset, the dog showed little appetite, uneasy and frenzy behaviour. As it was dangerous, they chained it up. The dog was ran away out road and caught, it was killed by club.

3. Autopsy

- 1) Liver and kidneys were congested.
- 2) Stomach had pieces of straw, and etc.

4. Confirmation

It received Negri's body exam. as a rabies suspect at Tokyo-to Veterinary Lab., and was confirmed on 1st November from its results.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 22, 1-chome, Higashi-Kamagata,  
Sumida-ku.  
Y. Kô.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 2. Black. Kuro.

Date of outbreak : 2 October.

No. of victims : 5

Date of killed : 4 October.

Date of autopsy : 4 October.

Date of decision : 15 October.

Veterinary inspector's name: Veterinary Division  
T. Nakamura  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

The dog was non-immunized. The source of infection is uncertain, but it seems the dog got infected through contacting rabies.

2. Symptoms

From a few days before the onset, the dog's behavior was not normal, and the owner chained it. But it ran away and bit the owner and four more. When it came back to the owner's on 3 October they caught it after hard times and sent for a private veterinarian. As the doctor diagnosed it as suspect rabies, they notified Tokyo-to. Veterinarians from Tokyo-to killed it with drug because rabies symptoms were conspicuous, and sent to Vet. Lab.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Stomach contained grass, pieces of wood.
- 2) Liver and kidneys were congested.
- 3) Small intestines had bleeding spots.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings and confirmed on 15 Oct. because it proved positive to Negri body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

- 1) Everything in the owner's that touched the sick dog was closely disinfected.
- 2) The owner and four more are getting immunization and have shown nothing unusual so far.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray dog. In the neighbourhood,  
Fukagawa, Joto-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 3. Red-tea.

Date of outbreak : 3 October.

No. of victims : 2

Date of dead : 4 October

Date of autopsy : 4 October

Date of decision : 16 October

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki  
T. Kato

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

On 3 October the dog appeared in low spirits and suddenly bit two passers-by. So people there caught it, chained it at Ward Office and sent it to Takeda Dog Pound. The dog driveled, and was in low spirit in the pound. Its breathing became gradually hard and it died in the morning of 4th. Body was sent to Vet. Lab. for the test.

3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Stomach contained pieces of straw, wood etc.
- 2) Liver kidney and lungs congested.

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed on 16 Oct. because it showed positive to Negri body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

Victims are getting immunization and have shown nothing unusual so far.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 3, Benten-machi, Ushigome,  
Shinjuku-ku.  
R. Tōda

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 3. white and tea.

Date of outbreak : 1 Oct.

No. of victims : 0

Date of dead : 4 Oct.

Date of inspected : 4 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 4 Oct.

Date of decision : 13 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
H. Yanadera

Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown.

2. Symptoms

From about a few days before the onset, the dog lost appetite, got violent and bit things. As they suspected rabies, they notified to this office.

3. Autopsy

- 1) Brains congested.
- 2) Stomach contained pieces of straw, wood etc.
- 3) Liver and kidneys were congested.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed 13 October because it proved positive to bacteriological test done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.

5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's house and things touched the dog was closely disinfected. There was no victim.



5th October, 1948

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT: Monthly report on rabies cases (September)

1. New outbreak of rabies	: 3 dogs
2. No. of bit dog inspected	: 32 dogs
3. No. of rabies immunized	: 0
4. No. of rabies immunized by setting up veterinarian	: 49 dogs
5. No. of dogs slaughtered	: 5 dogs
6. No. of stray dog caught	: 504 dogs
7. No. of dog returned	: 398 dogs
8. No. of dog payed	: 0
9. Total No. of dog disposed for month	: 106 dogs
10. Total No. of dog registered for month	: 442 dogs
11. Total No. of dog annuld	: 28 dogs

## REMARKS:

About the suspect rabies, now it is under Negri's body  
exam. and animal exam.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 394, Shinagawa-mura,  
Kita-tana-gun.  
T. Arai

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 4. Black gray. Teru.

Date of outbreak : 28 Sept.

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 1 Oct.

Date of autopsy : 1 Oct.

Date of decision : 12 Oct.

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
T. Nakamura

Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
unknown

2. Symptoms

From 26 September the dog showed little appetite bit strange things and showed the symptoms of rabies. On 28 Sept., the dog bit 8 year old girl (Nobuko Shinada, no. 398, Sunakawa-mura) when she got near to it. As it got more and more violent and it seemed dangerous, a veterinarian notified killed it with drug.

3. Autopsy

- 1) Stomach contained pieces of wood, sand etc.
- 2) Bleeding spots inside of the stomach.
- 3) Brains were congested.

4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. Clinical signs of rabies were conspicuous. Negri body test is being made to make sure.

5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's house dog's house were closely disinfected. Victim is getting immunization at Institute of Infectious Diseases and has shown nothing unusual so far.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 732, 5, Zōshigaya,  
Toshima-ku.

T. Ebizawa

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 2.brown. Jone.

Date of outbreak : 18 Sept.

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 18 Sept.

Date of autopsy : 18 Sept.

Date of decision : 12 Oct.

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
Y. Araki

Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki



16th October, 1948

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1160, Narimasu, Itabashi-ku.  
F. Tanaka

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, color and name : 4. white and black. Taro.

Date of outbreak : 28 Sept.

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 29 Sept.

Date of inspected : 29 Sept.

Date of autopsy : 29 Sept.

Date of decision : 13 Oct.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
N. Nakamura

Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki



## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

unknown, this dog has not been immunized.

## 2. Symptoms

From about 26 September, the dog lost appetite and showed signs of rabies, getting violent, biting, cutting the rope and getting away etc. It bit a policeman who examined it in chain. As it was dangerous, they notified this office. Veterinarians from Tokyo-to killed it with drug.

## 3. Autopsy

- 1) Liver and kidney were congested.
- 2) Lungs congested, swollen and bleeding.
- 3) Stomach contained strange things such as straw, piece of wood.

## 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed 13 October because it showed positive to Negri's body test done at Tokyo-to Vet. Laboratory.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

Victim is getting immunization, and has been all right so far. The owner's house was closely disinfected.



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray Dog. In the neighbour-  
hood, No. 91, Nakafuji,  
Oaza, Murayama-mura, Kita-  
tama-gun.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 2. Red.

Date of outbreak : 27 Sept.

No. of victims : 4

Date of killed : 29 Sept.

Date of autopsy : 29 Sept.

Date of decision : 10 Oct.

Veterinary inspector's  
address and name : Veterinary Division  
K. Wada  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki



## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

The dog's owner is unknown. The dog seems to be a stray dog. It seems that the dog came from the direction of Yamato-mura, Kita-tama-gun. Near no. 91, Nakafuji, it suddenly bit 4 passers-by and was clubbed into death.

## 2. Symptoms

low spirits, unsteady in walking, biting of things on ground.

Symptoms of melancholia were seen.

## 3. Autopsy findings and measures taken

- 1) Stomach contained 5 torn scraps of leather collar, and straw scraps.
- 2) Spleen was swollen.
- 3) Bleeding spots on mucous membrane of stomach and intestines.

After autopsy made, the body was closely disinfected and buried into a safe place. Victims are getting immunization with vaccine made in Institute of Infectious Diseases.

## 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 5 October because it showed positive to Negri body test.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.4, 3-chome, Kotobashi,  
Sumida-ku.  
S.Oki

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 1. White and black.

Date of outbreak : 27 Sept.

No. of victims : 2

Date of dead : 27 Sept.

Date autopsy : 28 Sept.

Date of decision : 15 October.

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Division Lab.  
H. Ueki  
T. Kato.

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown
2. Symptoms  
From four days before the onset, the dog lost appetite and spirits. It got uneasy and began to drivel. On 26 September the dog bit the wife of the owner and one more and was suspected of rabies. The owner notified Ward Office and sent for practising veterinarian at the same time. As he diagnosed it as suspect rabies, they notified Tokye-to and asked for the examination. The dog died in the evening of 27th.
3. Autopsy findings
  - 1) Pachymeninx was congested.
  - 2) Lungs congested.
  - 3) Stomach was empty.
4. Confirmation  
It was diagnosed suspect rabies from the symptom and autopsy findings. As it showed positive to Negri body test on 15 October, it was confirmed.
5. Preventive measures taken
  - 1) The owner's house was closely disinfected.
  - 2) The two victims are getting immunization and have been all right so far.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.17, 5-chome, Minami Senju,  
Arakawa-ku.  
M. Otsuka

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 2. Gray.

Date of outbreak : 21 Sept.

No. of victims : 4

Date of dead : 25 Sept.

Date of autopsy : 25 Sept.

Date of decision : 15 October.

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki  
J. Oishi

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Uncertain, it seems that the dog got infected through contacting with a rabies stray dog.
2. Symptoms  
The dog's behavior was strange from a few days before the onset and it showed little appetite. But the owner did not recognize the change. As on 21 September the dog bit neighbours, the family suspected the case as rabies and sent it to Pakeda Dog Pound, and made them watch it there. When the report came from the owner to Tokyo-to, it was after the dog had died. After the autopsy done, body was sent to Veterinary Laboratory.
3. Autopsy findings
  - 1) Pachymeninx was congested.
  - 2) Catarrhal pneumonia
  - 3) Stomach contained strange things.
4. Confirmation  
The case was confirmed on 15 October because it showed positive to Negri body test.
5. Preventive measures taken  
The owner's house was closely disinfected. Four victims are getting immunization and have been all right so far.



TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
: M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Tokyo-te.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 5998, 3, Minami-machi,  
Merima-ku.  
Stray dog.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 3. White and black.

Date of outbreak : 21 Sept.

No. of victims : 4.

Date of killed : 22 Sept.

Date of autopsy : 22 Sept.

Date of decision : 15 October.

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Division  
H. Yamadera  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki



## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

It seems that the dog got infected through contacting with a rabies dog.

## 2. Symptoms

The dog got into under the floor of Mr. M. Ishizaki's at 5998, 3-chome, Minami-cho, Nerima-ku. On 21 September suddenly it rushed out from there, bit the owner of the house, and 3 passers-by and hid into the same place. Veterinarian from Tokyo-to destroyed it with drug.

## 3. Autopsy findings

- 1) Palate was swollen.
- 2) Mucous membrane of the mouth was injured.
- 3) Liver and kidneys were congested.
- 4) Stomach contained pieces of wood, stone etc.

## 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed suspect rabies from its autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 15 October because it showed positive to bacteriological test done at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.

## 5. Preventive measures taken.

All the four victims are getting immunization and they have shown nothing unusual so far.



## Remarks :

## 1. Source of infection

It seems that this dog was infected through other dog with which the dog had gurralled a month ago.

## 2. Symptoms

In the evening of September 17 the dog was weakened and showed little appetite. But the owner of the dog paid little attention on this matter and set it free in his garden. The next morning the victim, a news-boy, was bitten when he visited the house to distribute newspapers.

Afterwards the dog showed uneasy condition gradually and came to resist the family of the owner. Hereupon they wanted a veterinary surgeon, Mr. Ichikawa, to make an examination of the dog. The veterinarian reported the case as suspect rabies to this bureau, and Tokyo-to veterinarian made an examination of the dog.

## Symptoms

1. Dilatation of the pupils, drivelling and husky voice was recognized.
2. Getting violent, and trying to bit.
3. No appetite, and never to drink.
4. Uneasy look on face and slavering.

## 3. Autopsy and confirmation

- 1) Stomach contained strange things.
- 2) Liver and kidney were congested.
- 3) Vocal chord was swollen.

As the rabies symptoms were conspicuous, the case was diagnosed as clinical rabies, and bacteriological test is being made on it at Tokyo-to Veterinary Laboratory.

## 4. Preventive measures taken

Dog's house and all the instrument touched were disinfected and burned. The body was closely disinfected and sent to Tokyo-to Vet. Lab. The victim is getting immunization at Oshida Institute.



22 Sept., 1948

To: Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo Kanagawa  
M.G.D., Tokyo Detachment.

From: Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health  
Bureau, Tokyo-to.

Subject: Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name': No. 323, 4, Sendagaya, Shibuya-ku.  
S. Tajima.

Kind of animal and sex: Dog. Female

Age, color, name: 2. Tea. Terico.

Date of outbreak: 10, Sept. 1948

Date of dead: 14, Sept.

No. of victims: 6

Date of autopsy: 13, Sept.

Date of decision: 20, Sept.

Veterinary inspector's: Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to  
name T. Nakamura  
Veterinary Lab. Tokyo-to  
H. Ueki

#### Remarks

##### 1. Source of infection

Unknown

##### 2. Symptoms

From a few days before the date of onset on 10 Sept. the dog lost spirits and appetite. As it got violent, and bit everything it touched, the owner's family tried to chain it, when the dog bit him and ran away. It bit 2 more passers-by. They caught it after hard work, hained and notified to Tokyo-to office. On 13 Sept. veterinarians from Tokyo-to examined it and sent specimen to Vet. Lab. because the clinical signs were conspicuous. When they came back for re-examination the dog was found dead in the early morning of 14 Sept.

##### 3. Autopsy findings

- a) Stomach contained pieces of wood.
- b) Liver and kidney were congested.
- c) Lungs were congested and swollen.
- d) Spleen was bleeding and infarcted.
- e) Positive to Negri body test.



#### 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as rabies from its clinical symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed 20 Sept. because it showed positive to Negri body test done at Veterinary laboratory.

#### 5. Preventive measures taken

The victim's home was closely disinfected. All the victims are now being immunized at Institute of Infectious Diseases and they have been <sup>all</sup> right so far.



18 September, 1948

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa M.G.D. Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 2, 2, Edomachi, Daito-ku.  
Sen Chianlian

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 2. Black and white.

Date of outbreak : 14 August.

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 17 August.

Date of autopsy : 17 August.

Date of decision : 28 August.

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
T. Kawabata

Veterinary Lab. Tokyo-to.  
H. Ueki



## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

Unknown

## 2. Symptoms

In the morning of 14 August the dog showed little appetite. So the owner gave it rice with chopped meat and soup to stimulate its appetite. The dog ate it all. Until the morning of 17th August when the rabies symptoms appeared conspicuously, there was no other change.

In the morning of 17th, the action became suddenly strange trying to get rid of chain, getting violent, biting a person's finger when he was going to feed it as usual. From about 10 o'clock of the same morning, the symptoms became very conspicuous, with hoarse voice, drivelling, dilatation of the pupils, and fierce look. It also bit pillars, dishes, sand etc. which were near by. As the danger grew the veterinarian who examined it killed it with poison about 4 p.m. of the same day.

## 3. Autopsy findings

## a. External

- 1) Well-nourished, hide with lustre, no external changes seen.
- 2) Lots of drivelling and foam around the mouth, lots of nose-bleeding (caused by poison (strychnine nitrate) used for killing.)

## b. Internal

- 1) Spot bleeding in subcutaneous tissue.
- 2) Poor coagulation. Color of bleed was black-purple, very different from normal color.
- 3) Stomach contained lots of indigested food.
- 4) Walls of stomach pyloric region were swollen in beautiful bloody color.
- 5) Pachymeninx and are congested.
- 6) Spleen was congested and swollen into 2 times as large.
- 7) Vocal chord congested.
- 8) Bladder was full of urine.

No other changes in organs were seen.

## 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 23 August because brain specimen showed positive to test done at Veterinary lab.



#### 5. Preventive measures taken

The victim has been immunized at Institute of Infectious Diseases from right after the incident. The body was closely disinfected and delivered to Fakeda Dead Animal Point in Arakawa-ku. Dog's house and others were burnt up.



15th September, 1948.

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa M. G. D. Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray Dog. In neighbourhood, Nerima-ku, Sakuradai Police-Box.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age and color : 3. All pea-brown.

Date of outbreak : 9 August.

No. of victims : 5

Date of killed : 10 August.

Date of autopsy : 10 August.



## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

Unknown, but this is a dangerous area for rabies.

## 2. Symptoms

The dog appeared near 5945, 3-chome, Minami-machi, Nerima-ku early in the morning about 6 o'clock of 9 August and bit a 5-year-old girl named Hisae Shinjo at her left leg. Though they tried to catch it, it ran away. Next morning it reappeared near Sakuradai Station, 2 or 3 blocks far, and bit 4 passers-by. The police killed the dog.

## 3. Autopsy findings

## External

Malnutrition, thin body, rough hide without lustre.

## Internal

1. Subcutaneous tissue was bleeding.
2. Blood coagulation was poor. The color was black-purple, far from normal color.
3. Stomach was empty and its mucous membrane was swollen and scratched.
4. Pachymeninx and ~~and~~ congested.
5. Liver, kidney and spleen were congested and swollen as two times large as usual.
6. Vocal chord was swollen.
7. Bladder was full of urine.

No other change in organs.

## 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 6 September because brain specimen showed positive to the test done at Veterinary lab.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

The victims got immunization immediately at Institute of Infectious Diseases. The body was closely disinfected and buried deep.



15th September, 1948

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa M. G. D. Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray Dog. In neighbourhood No.610, 2-chome, Suginami-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female. <sup>Horinouchi</sup>

Age and color : 3. All Tea-brown.

Date of outbreak : 19 August

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 19 August

Date of autopsy : 19 August



## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

This dog was a stray dog. As the rabies cases happened at 1-chome, Maruane, Suginami-ku on 12 January, at 5-chome, Asagaya, Suginami-ku on 18 April, at 2-chome, Kanishakujii, same ku on 15 May, again at the same are on 27 May and this time place is close to all of the above places, it seems the dog got infected through some of them.

## 2. Symptoms -

Early morning of 19 August suddenly the dog attacked a school child going to school from behind and bit his left leg. The dog was killed by passers-by. The accident was so sudden that other things were not known.

## 3. Autopsy findings

## External

Malnutrition, thin body, rough hide without lustre.

## Internal

1. 2-incisor teeth of lower jaw were broken.
2. Tip of tongue was lacerated.
3. Vocal chord was swollen and had marks of scratching.
4. Coagulation of blood was not good. The color was black purple, very different from normal color.
5. Pachymeninx congested.
6. Stomach had lots of unusual stuffs (such as green grass, sand, pieces of wood and glass)
7. Mucous membrane of stomach was congested.

Besides the above, there was no change in internal organs.

## 4. Confirmation

It was diagnosed as rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 28 August because its brain specimen showed positive at Veterinary lab.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

The victim got the immunization immediately at Institute of Infectious Diseases. The body was disinfected carefully and buried deep.



2 August, 1948

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
Military Government District, Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau,  
Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No.14, Higashi-jūjū, Kita-ku.  
S. Aneha

Kind of animal and sex : Cat. Female.

Age and color : 1. White and black

Date of outbreak : 5. August.

No. of victims : 2

Date of dead : 6. August

Date of autopsy : 10 August

Date of decision : 16 August

Veterinary inspector's  
address and name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki  
T. Kato

## Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
As the cat was bit by a stray dog a few days before the onset, it seemed it got infected then.
2. Symptoms  
It got violent from the afternoon of 5 August, and bit 2 members of the family. After it was put into a box, it became numb, drivelled, suffered and uttered strange cry. At the 12 o'clock at night of 6th it died. On 7 August, the family brought the body to Tokyo-to, and it was sent to Veterinary Lab. for autopsy and bacteriological tests.
3. Autopsy findings
  - a) Empty stomach
  - b) Liver and kidney congested.
  - c) Lungs congested and hydropic.
4. Confirmation  
It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and conformed after the autopsy was done and after it showed positive to "egri body test on 16 August.
5. Preventive measures taken  
2 victims are getting immunization at Oshida Institute and they have shown nothing unusual. The body was closely disinfected and buried into a safe place.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 110, Higashi 5, Azuma-cho,  
Mukôjima, Sumida-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male.

Age, name, color : 2. Pochi. brown.

Date of outbreak : 5 August.

No. of victims : 3

Date of dead : 9 August.

Date of autopsy : 10 August.

Date of decision : 16 August.

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

It had low spirits and no appetite but it was all right on other points. On the second day it ran away, and was caught and chained after searched for. On the third day it was violent, barked greatly, bit the bar and showed unusualness in its barking. So suspecting the rabies, the owner asked Fakeda Dead Animal Point to chain there and watch. On the fourth day it got paralysed, drivelled and showed hardness in walking. In the early morning of the fifth day it died.

3. Autopsy findings.

- a) Pachymeninx was congested.
- b) Empty stomach
- c) Liver and kidney congested.
- d) Lungs congested and hydropic.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed 16 August because it showed positive to Negri body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

- a) Victims are getting immunization at Oshida Institute.
- b) Dog house of the dead animal point was disinfected.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : In the neighbourhood, 1-chome,  
Kaname-machi, Toshima-ku.  
Stray dog.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 4. White-gray.

Date of outbreak : 4 August.

No. of victims : 5

Date of killed : 5 August.

Date of autopsy : 5 August

Date of decision : 16 August

Inspector's name : Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
T. Nakamura  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

The dog appeared near 1-chome, Kaname-cho. Though it seemed a little dull, still its action was rather quick and bit 5 passers-by and ran away. With the help of policemen they caught it and notified Tokyo-to. Veterinarians from Tokyo-to inspected and killed it with poison. The dog showed conspicuously the symptoms of gloomy mad.

3. Autopsy findings

- a) Pachymeningitis
- b) Membrane of spiders congested
- c) Stomach contained strange stuff.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and was confirmed 16 August from bacteriological test findings.

5. Preventive measures taken

Five victims are getting immunization at Institute of Infectious Diseases and have been all right so far.



Tokyo-to Regulations no. 100

issued 29 July 1948  
by Seiichiro Yasui, Governor of Tokyo-to

Rules on Sweeping Stray Dogs

Article 1.

Concerning catching and buying of stray dogs, it is to follow the provisions of this regulation besides what are ordained in Domestic Animal Communicable Disease Control Law (this law is called simply Law in the following).

Article 2.

Domestic animal cd control committeemen mentioned in Law (article 17) are appointed by the governor from out of the personnel working in Health Center (these offices are called simply offices concerned in the following) with the recommendation of chiefs of concerned offices. With the order from the governor, domestic animal CD control committeemen are to lead and supervise catching laborers.

Article 3.

Round-up of stray dogs is done once a month and buying of them three times a year. However, if the governor thinks necessary, extra ones can be made temporarily besides the above.

Article 4.

According to item 3, Article 17 of the Law, and item 2, Article 11 of detailed regulations attached to the Law, a dog caught is kept at a certain place for three days from the date caught. If no owner or keeper asks the dog back within these three days, the governor may sell it at the current price to the public.

This rule is applied also to dogs bought by the government.

Article 5

When the governor is going to carry out the campaign of stray dog catching and buying, he is to inform on it the concerned offices beforehand.

The price at which the government buys a dog is 100 yen for a grown-up dog and 50 yen for a puppy. The money is paid in cash to an owner or keeper on the same day the dog is bought. A grown-up dog in this case means dog over 3 month old and a puppy a dog over 30 days old and under 3 month old.



When they are informed on the first item, the concerned offices must make publication to the public without delay.

#### Article 6

Catching labourer is granted 20 yen as subsidy per a dog he catches.

#### Article 7

When the governor thinks necessary, he designates a certain person for keeping dogs bought by the government, and he is paid per a dog per a day 10 yen for feeding and 5 yen for keeping.

#### Additional Rule

This regulation is effective from the date it is issued.

#### Tokyo-to Ordinance A No. 107

Detailed instructions attached to Rules on Sweeping Stray Dogs are established as follows:

issued 29 July 1948  
by Seiichiro Yasui, Governor of Tokyo-to

#### Article 1.

Domestic animal GD control committeemen (these are called simply committeemen hereafter) are to help actively when people offer their cooperation, guidance and so forth on stray dog wandering in order to make good data for catching campaign on a certain date.

#### Article 2.

On a fixed date of catching, committeemen must supervise laborers to avoid irregularities and also to avoid causing trouble between laborers and owners or keepers.



## Article 3.

If committeemen think extra catching campaign is necessary besides the regular ones, they inform the situation and the need to the governor, ask his approval and carry it out.

## Article 4.

If an owner or a keeper is found, or it is found the dog is registered, or the owner states he will register it, after a dog is caught as non-registered dog, they should work out to return the dog.

As to one who promises that he will register the dog and gets it back, committeemen should have his name and address, and should make him complete the necessary steps for the register.

## Article 5.

Before the round-up is started, Committeemen instruct laborers on the following:

- a) If a laborer has to enter compound of private house or factory etc. to catch stray dogs, they must first get the approval of a resident or manager of the establishment.
- b) A laborer should be careful in handling dogs not to be rough to avoid causing trouble between the owner or keeper.

## Article 6.

When a dog bought by the government is sent to a designated place, the following rule should be kept:

Red string is attached to a cast-off dog or other dog whose owner or keeper is known, and white string to a dog whose owner or keeper is not certain.

## Article 7.

Health Center (they are called concerned offices hereafter) issue a slip stating the no. dogs caught to each laborer. In that slip no. of dogs caught and sent and no. of dogs returned back to owner should be divided.

## Article 9.

Concerned offices are to submit the report to the governor every month on the results of round-up campaign and no. dogs bought during the month by the 25th of the following month.



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4 December 1948

Rabies Control Policy and Operational Plans of  
the fiscal year of 1948

Welfare Ministry; Tokyo-to.

## 1. Rabies immunization program

Period: 1 December '48 -- 31 January '49

Method: (Details are stated in the operational plan on the  
attached sheet).

- a) Immunization is given by 4 members of Tokyo-to Animal Communicable Disease Control Committee and veterinarians from each Health Center.
- b) Object -- all the registered domestic dogs  
(Concerning non-registered domestic dogs, registration and immunization of them are stressed, or else they will be caught.)

## 2. Thorough catching campaign of stray dogs

Period: 10 December 1948 to 31 January 1949

Method:

- a) All the owners are notified beforehand to chain their dogs during the campaign period. All the dogs which are not tied during the period are considered either stray dog or non-registered one, and they will be caught.
- b) Duration of pounding of a dog caught -- one day.
- c) There are eight stray-dog catching labourers making four teams. They visit all the ku-area and gun area during the period according to the schedule.
- d) Operational schedule is described on the attached sheet.
- e) The names and locations of dog-pound are as follows:

(1) Sadao Takeda,

2393, 8-chome, Mikawajima, Arakawa-ku  
Tel.: 83-2413

(2) Toogumi

2121, Hokyoku Minami-cho, Nerima-ku

(3) Toshitaro Kakamura,

Fujibashi, Kasumi-mura, Nishi-tama-gun



4 December 1948

## Report on rabies immunization program in 1948

## 1. Period of immunization

December --- January

## 2. Number of dogs estimated to be immunized: 12,000

## Note:

(1) Total no. of registered dogs at present is 15,000  
80% of it is expected to be immunized by veterinarians from  
Tokyo-to and the other 20% by practicing veterinarians.

(2) Dogs in the island are excluded.

## 3. Method of the immunization

All the areas and period of the immunization program will be notified to people through Tokyo-to notification (shown below). Clerical work of this project is handled by personnel assigned for dogs affairs to each of 41 Health Center, 6 Health Section in Tokyo. At the same time, Tokyo-to will send 5 veterinarians each organizing one team (ref. the attaches sheet) to give immunization.

## 4. To dogs immunized, paper certificate of having got immunized and metal tag which certifies "immunized" will be issued. The latter is to be fixed to the collar immediately.

## 5. In order to inform the citizens and to have good results, posters will be put up in Government offices, schools and other conspicuous places. Moreover, Tokyo Veterinarians' Ass'n, Society for prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Tokyo Dogs Dealers' Union and so forth will be requested to cooperate in this project.



Tokyo-to Notification No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In order to prevent rabies the following rabies immunization is given to domestic dogs according to item 1, article 7 of infectious diseases control law for domestic animals.

Seiichiro Yasui,  
Governor of Tokyo Prefecture.

## 1. Area and period

Area	Period
All over Tokyo	From: To :

## 2. Date and place

Owners will be informed, by each Health Center or Health Section or town or village office.

Chart of areas covered by each team

	No. veterinarians	No. dogs	Area
1st team	1	2,802	Chiyoda-ku, Shiba-ku, Taito-ku, Nakano-ku, Suginami-ku, Shibuya-ku, Setagaya-ku, Musashino City, Nishitama-gun, Minamitama-gun, Kitatama-gun.
2nd team	1	2,730	Bunkyo-ku, Koto-ku, Edogawa-ku, Adachi-ku, Katsushika-ku, Joto-ku, Itabashi-ku, Nerima-ku, Minamitama-gun, Nishitama-gun, Kitatama-gun.
3rd team	1	3,197	Shiba-ku, Shinjuku-ku, Ota-ku, Sinegawa-ku, Meguro-ku, Setagaya-ku, Katsushika-ku, Nishitama-gun, Minamitama-gun, Kitatama-gun.
4th team	1	3,271	Chiyoda-ku, Chuo-ku, Bunkyo-ku, Shinjuku-ku, Mukojima-ku, Adachi-ku, Katsushika-ku, Edogawa-ku, Kita-ku, Toshima-ku, Nishitama-gun, Minamitama-gun, Kitatama-gun.
	1		Others 1 technician is aid to other veterinarians.
Total	5	12,000	



## The Plan of Stray dog Catch in 1948 -- 1948

Name Date	Takeda	Takeda	Tos	Nakamura
10 Dec.	Mukojima	Fukugawa	Suginami	Kiyose
11 "	Joto	Washington Heights	Ground heights	Kunitachi
13 "	Shinagawa	Ebara	Ground heights	Higashi murayama
14 "	Meguro	Omori	Nakano	Shinagawa
15 "	Kamata	Setagaya	Ground heights	Kokubunji
16 "	Tamagawa	Shibuya	Mitaka	Syowa
17 "	Oji	Takinogawa	Ground heights	Yamato
18 "	Washington- heights	Arakawa	Tanashi	Kodaira
19 "			Ground height	
20 "	Adachi	Ketsushika	Nerima	Higashi Akiru
21 "	Edogawa	Kasai	Ground height	Nishi Akiru
22 "	Koiwa	Umejima	Toshima	Tachikawa
23 "	Kinuta	Shakujii	Ground height	Hino Komiya
24 "	Nihombashi	Kyobashi	Suginami	Aome
25 "	Yodobashi	Washington heights	Ground heights	Hachioji
27 "	Asakusa	Shitaya	Ground height	Fusa Syowa
28 "	Honjo	Fukagawa	Itabashi	Itsukaichi
5 Jan.	Kanda	Kojimachi	Ground height	Hachioji
7 "	Shibuya	Meguro	Musashino	Aome
8 "	Washington height	Azabu	Ground height	Fuchu
10 "	Oji	Takinogawa	Ground height	Tachikawa
11 "	Shiba	Akasaka	Itabashi	Fusa
12 "	Koishikawa	Hongo	Ground height	Hino, Komiya
13 "	Honjo	Mukojima	Toshima	Kunitachi
14 "	Omori	Chofu	Ground height	Nishiakiru
15 "	Washington height	Umejima	Suginami	Higashi Akiru
17 "	Nihombashi	Kyobashi	Nakano	Hakonezaki
18 "	Shinagawa	Ebara	Ground height	Haijima
19 "	Shitaya	Yotsuya	Tanashi	Kasagi, Neriki
20 "	Setagaya	Arakawa	Ground height	Kiyose
21 "	Ushiyome	Yotsuya	Nerima	Kosogi, Neriki
22 "	Washington height	Nijuku	Ground height	Kodaira



24	Jan.	Pinuta	Tamagawa	Grand Heights	Tama
25	"	Adachi	Umeshima	Nerima	Showa
26	"	Katsushika	Koiwa	Grand Heights	Itsukaichi
27	"	Edogawa	Kasai	Shakujii	Yaho
28	"	Kamata	Asakusa	Grand Heights	Tachikawa
29	"	Fukagawa	Joto	Yodobashi	Kasumi
30	"			Grand Heights	
31	"	Arakawa	Adachi	Itabashi	Fussa



30 July 1948

TO: Veterinary Division, Public Health and Welfare Section  
GHQ SCAP

FROM: Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau  
Tokyo-to

SUBJECT: Report on rabies cases in June and July

Month	June	July.	Remarks
No. of rabies	10	3	No. in July is the no. up till 28 July.
No. of victims	58	13	
No. of biting dogs inspected	45	25	
No. of dogs died	2	3	



5 July, 1948

TO : Veterinary Affairs, Public Health Section, Tokyo Military Government.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau, Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Monthly report on rabies cases (July)

1. New outbreak of rabies : 5 dogs
2. No. of bit dog inspected : 34 dogs
3. No. of rabies immunized : 69 dogs
4. No. of rabies immunized by setting up veterinarian : 419 dogs
5. No. of dogs slaughtered : 4 dogs
6. No. of stray dog caught : 393 dogs
7. No. of dogs returned : 176 dogs
8. No. of dogs payed : 0
9. Total No. of dogs disposed for month : 217 dogs
10. Total No. of dogs registered for month : 644 dogs
11. Total No. of annuled : 96



TO : Public Health Section, Tokyo Military Government.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau,  
Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : Stray dog. In the neighbourhood,  
Meiji Shrine, Yotsuya-ku.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age and color : 2. Black-brown

Date of outbreak : 22 July, 1948

No. of victims : 1

Date of killed : 23 July

Date of autopsy : 24 July

Date of decision : 29 July

Veterinary inspector's name : Veterinary Lab.

H. Ueki

T. Kato

Remarks:

1. Source of infection  
Unknown

2. Symptoms

About the noon of 22 July a victim of 9 years child was bit from the backside at left lower part near picture-gallery in the outer gardens of the Meiji Shrine. The dog ran away into the thicket. Policemen of Yotsuya Police Station got the report, searched for, found it out, and shot it to death because it was dangerous. Veterinarians from Tokyo-to examined it after the death.

3. Autopsy

- a) Pachymeninx was congested.
- b) Brain substance was softened because of decomposition.
- c) Stomach contained strange things.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies and confirmed on 29 July because it was positive to Negri's body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

The victim is getting immunization at Institute of Infectious Disease. The body was disinfected and sent to a dead animal point.



**SUBJECT :** Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1842, Kurumakaeshi, Tamamura,  
Kita-tama-gun.  
T. Sekiguchi

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Female.

Age, color and name : 3. tea. Colo.

Date of outbreak : 22 July, 1948

No. of victims : 3

Date of killed : 24 July

Date of autopsy : 24 July

Date of decision : 29 July

Veterinary inspector's name: Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
K. Wada  
Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki

**Remarks:**

1. Source of infection

It seems that the dog was infected while wandering through contacting with a sick dog.

2. Symptoms

A few days before the onset the dog was missing. After it came back home, it showed no appetite and its voice was hoarse. Though the woner called, it did not come. On 24 July it bit three passers-by from behind and it was shot into death.

3. Autopsy

1. Brain bleeding.
2. Stomach was empty.
3. Some bleeding spots on mucous membrane of stomach and intestines.

4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 29 July because it showed positive to Negri body test done at Tokyo-to veterinary laboratory.

5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's home was carefully disinfected. The body, after the autopsy was disinfected and buried deep in a safe place. Victims are getting immunization at a neighbouring private doctor's office and they have shown nothing unusual so far.



30 July 1948

TO: Public Health Section, Tokyo Military Government.

FROM: Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau  
Tokyo-to

SUBJECT: Report on a new outbreak of rabies

Owner's name and address:

S. Hasuda

No. 3, 3713, Higashi-komatsugawa, Edogawa-ku

Kind of animal and sex:

Dog, female

Age and colour:

3, black-brown

Date of outbreak: 16 July

No. of victims: 8

Date killed: 17 July

Date of autopsy: 17 July

Date of decision: 26 July

Names of veterinary inspectors:

K. Wada

H. Ueki

both from Veterinary Division of Tokyo-to

## Remarks

## 1. Source of infection

Uncertain This dog has not yet been immunized. So it seems that the dog got infected through contacting with a sick dog.

## 2. Symptoms

16 July the dog suddenly escaped from the chain. It bit the owner's wife who found it, ran away and bit passers-by and also those who tried to catch it. After the hard work veterinarians from Tokyo-to killed it with poison.

## 3. Autopsy

- a) Pachymeninx was congested
- b) Fluid in the brain was increased

## 4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed 26 July because it showed positive to Negri body test.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

All the 8 victims got first-aid treatment at Dr. Hasuda's office (the owner's) and are getting immunization there with vaccine bought from Oshida Laboratory, and they have shown nothing unusual so far.

As there have happened many cases of dogs biting people lately in Koiba area of Edogawa-ku, people in that ku was given the warning and at the same time we are trying to prevent cases.



23. July.

TO : Veterinary Division and Welfare Section, Tokyo-Kanagawa  
Military Government District, Tokyo Detachment.

FROM : Veterinary Division, Public Health Section, Health Bureau,  
Tokyo-to.

SUBJECT: Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1539, 3-chome, Ikebukuro,  
Toshima-ku.  
M. Kasahara

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male

Age and color : 2. black.

Date of outbreak : 3 July

No. of victims : 3 (owner and others)

Date of killed : 6 July

Date of autopsy : 6 July

Date of decision : 8 July

Veterinary inspector's  
address and name : Veterinary Lab.  
H. Ueki  
T. Kato



## Remarks:

## 1. Source of infection

unknown

## 2. Symptoms

On 3 July, the dog got violent and bit the owner and two other members of the family at the owner's. They chained it after hard work with help of neighbours and sent for a private veterinarian, Dr. Ozawa. As the symptoms of rabies were conspicuous, they killed the dog with poison and sent specimen to Tokyo-to veterinary laboratory for tests.

## 3. Autopsy

- a) Pachymeninx was congested.
- b) Positive Negri's body exam.
- c) Stomach contained unusual things.

## 4. Confirmation

It was considered suspect rabies from its symptoms and autopsy findings. It was confirmed on 3 July because it showed positive to Negri's body test.

## 5. Preventive measures taken

The owner's house was disinfected. Three victims are getting immunization at Institute of Infectious Diseases, and have shown nothing unusual so far. Those who are keeping non-immunized dogs in the neighbourhood are warned to get immunization. Tokyo-to veterinarians are giving immunization there now.



SUBJECT : Report on a new outbreak of rabies.

Owner's address and name : No. 1234, Tokumaruon-machi,  
Itabashi-ku.

U. Ishida.

Kind of animal and sex : Dog. Male

Age and color : 2. Tea color.

Date of outbreak : 9th July

No. of victims : 2

Date of killed : 12 July

Date of autopsy : 12 July

Date of decision : 16 July

Veterinary inspector's : Veterinary Division, Tokyo-to.  
address and name : P. Kawabata  
H. Ueki

Remarks:

1. Source of infection

Uncertain, but as there have been many incidents in Itabashi area, it seems the dog got infected through contacting a sick dog.

2. Symptoms

The dog lost spirits and appetite from one day before the date of onset. It got violent and bit the owner and a neighbouring child. So it was chained and sent to a private veterinarian's office, Dr. Ozawa, to be under his watch. But as its violence became worse and worse, he killed the dog with poison and reported to Tokyo-to.

3. Autopsy

- a) Amount of cerebrospinal fluid was increased.
- b) Coagulation of blood was not good.
- c) Stomach contained straw, saw-dust, sand etc.
- d) Mucous membrane of the mouth was bleeding.

4. Confirmation

It was confirmed 16 July because it was positive to Negri's body test.

5. Preventive measures taken

The body, after close disinfection, was sent to dead animal point. The place of incident was disinfected. Two victims are getting immunization at Institute of Infectious Disease, and they have been all right so far.



## Information Concerning Dogs

1. 23 June Public C. O.  
1948 Health Sec. TMGT

1. Number of dog pounds - 6

- A. Iwao Yamaguchi --- 2430 8-chome  
Mikawajima Arakawa-ku
- B. Sadao Takeda 239 8-chome Mikawa  
jima Arakawa-ku
- C. So Nagai 1/2 Tao Mihi Kogyo  
Kabushiki Kaisha 21 2-chome Hogyoku  
Minami-cho Nerima-ku
- D. Chuzo Saito 371 Kanai Tsuru-  
kawa-Mura Minamitama-gun
- E. Tsunegoro Yamanaka 1171 Hanakawa  
Neto Hachioji-mura Minamitama-gun  
2-27 4-chome Rukazawa-cho Setagaya-  
ku.

## Explanation:

The value of dogs alive is way above value of fertilizer and skin. Most dogs are sold to dog store owners or to hospitals for laboratory animals. Only diseased or poor conditioned dogs are killed.

2. Total number of registered dog as of  
5 June - approximately - 9,517

Total immunized - 8,406

Estimated unregistered and strays - 5000

3. May - number of dogs picked up - 157

Returned to owners - 98

Disposed of - 4



April - number of dogs picked up - 52

Disposed of - 4

During campaign in March - immunized -  
6,434

4. Inspected dog pounds:

Inspection of Dog Pound  
Kuroki Kiyomi  
27 - 4chome Fukasawa-cho  
Setagaya-ku

a. "When I inspected this dog pound this is what was found."

This is a new Dog Pound and is in excellent condition. The sanitation is good and the pound is located in a good spot.

At the present there are 8 dogs all of which were picked up in the vicinity of Washington Heights. The dogs are given good treatment during their stay at this pound. The feed which are fed to the dogs are meat scraps that are gathered from the U. S. Houses around the pound. Depending upon the size of the dogs they are fed about 1 1/2 qts. of feed. They are fed twice a day.

If there is no claim made for the dogs they are sent to a fertilizing plant and are disposed of as fertilizer. There is nothing that can be said wrong about this dog pound.

b. So Nagai March 8

Average caught - 40 per month

At time of visit - 8 dogs

Condition - good.

c. & d.

Iwao Yamauchi - no dogs confined at time of inspection.

Sadao Takeda - 1 dog present.

Sanitation - good - clean - had water etc