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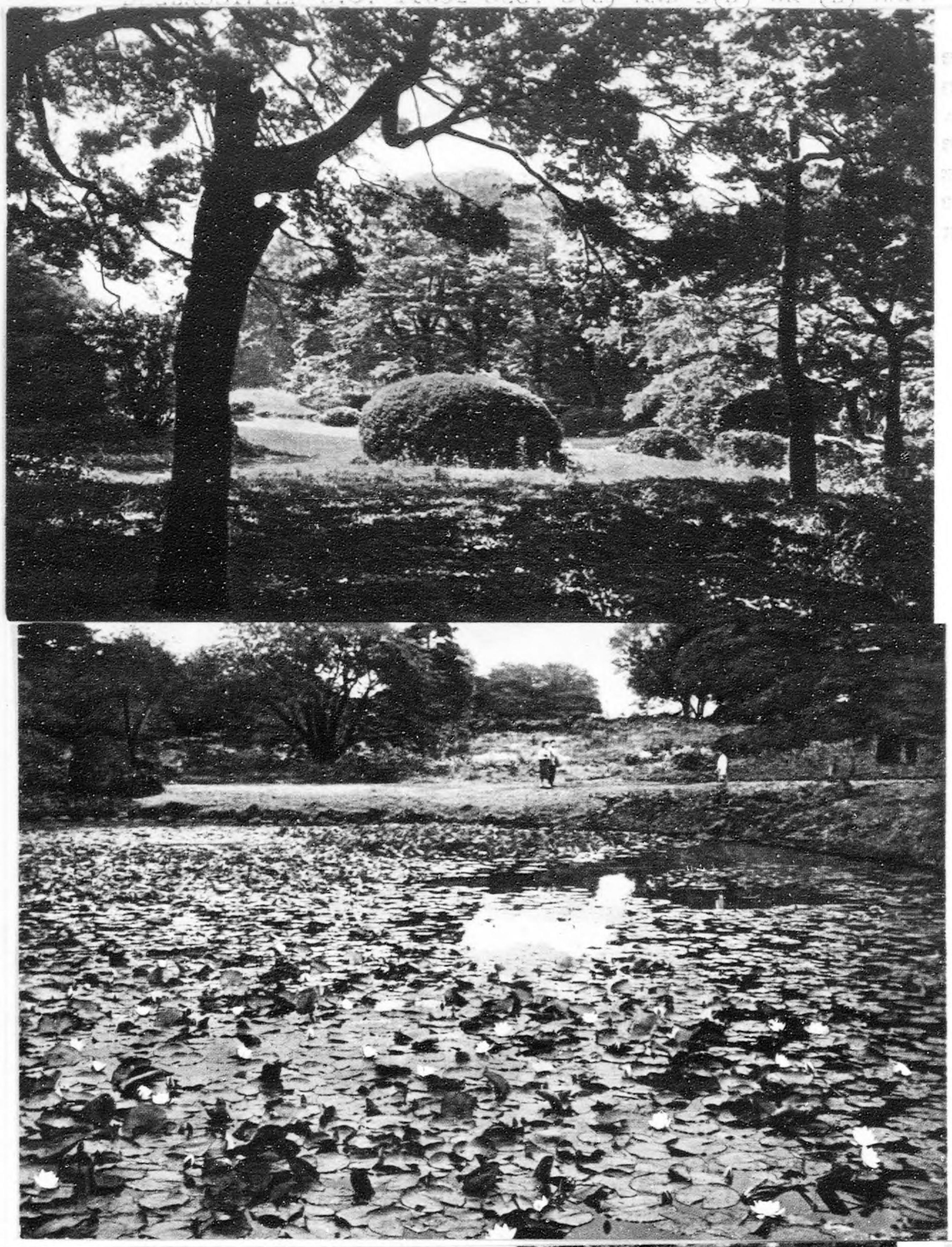

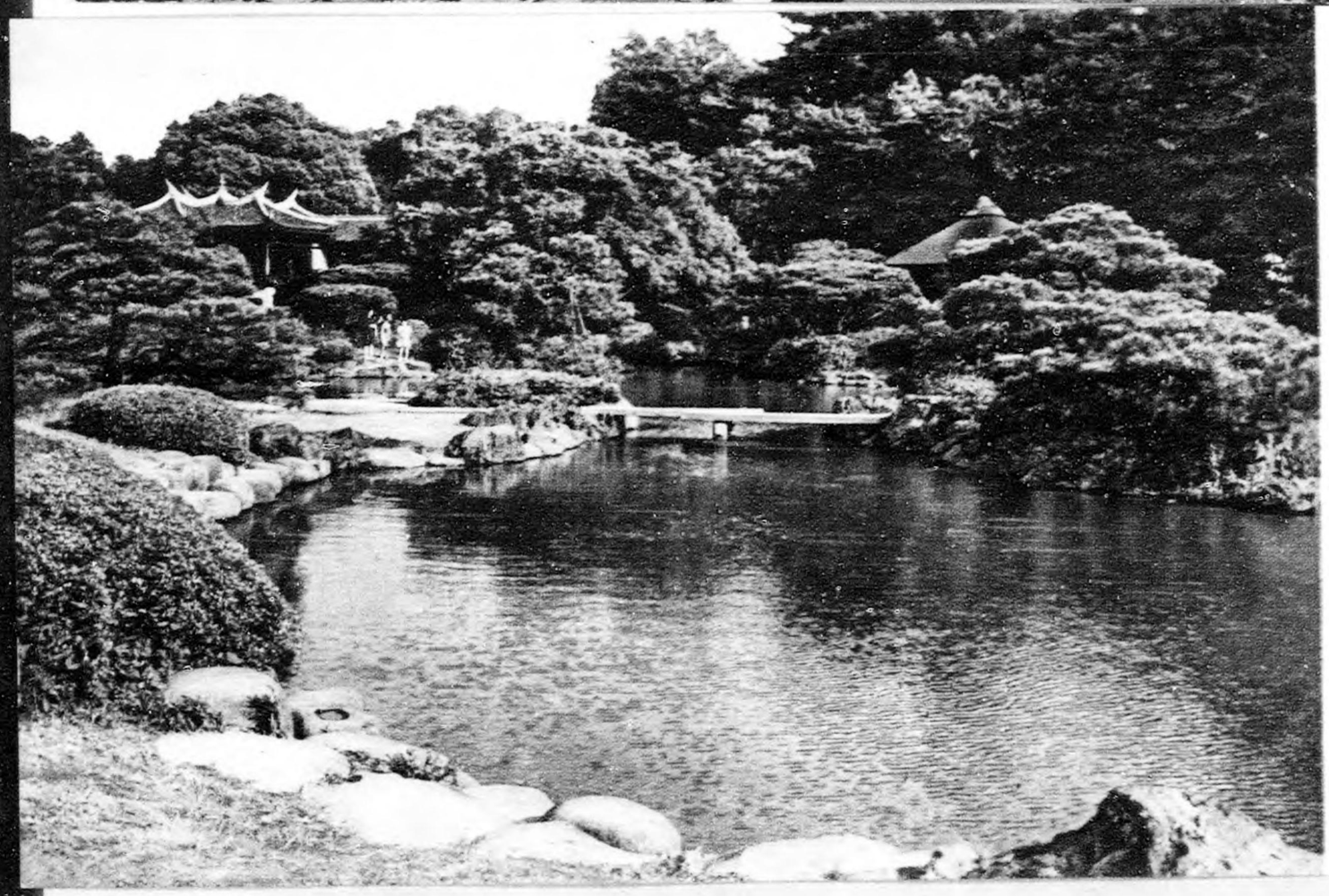

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

17 July 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: Major Napier

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens, 1 - 30 June 1950

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Parks Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare:

Attendance for the period 1 - 30 June 1950:

Paid admissions:	25,324
Admitted free:	4,187
Total:	29,511

2. Amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥433,216. Japanese adults were charged ¥20; children ¥10. Free admission is granted infants and members of Occupation forces.

3. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a national park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

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Date. July 6. 1950

TO : Chief Public Administration Division,
Goverment Section G.H.Q.

FROM : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

SUBJECT : Report on Persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby roport you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during June as follows.

Total number of the persons	29.511
The amount of the admission paid	¥ 433.216
The number of the persons paid the admission	
Ordinary visitors	
Adults	18.524
Children	2.119
Visitors in group	
Adults	1.101
Students	1.206
Children	2.374
	4.181
The free admission to	
Total	29.511

M. Iijima

M. Iijima
Chief,
National Park Division,
Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

12 June 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: Major Napier

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens, 1 - 31 May 1950

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare:

Attendance for the period 1 - 30 May 1950:

Paid Admissions:	106,482
Admitted Free:	48,432
Total:	154,914

2. Amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥1,549,812. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen. Free admission is granted to infants and members of the Occupation.

3. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a national park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

TO : Chief Public Administration Division,
Government Section G. H. Q.

FROM : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

SUBJECT : Report on Persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during May as follows.

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden

Total number of the persons	154,914
The admission paid by	106,482
The free admission to	48,432
The amount of the admission paid	¥ 1,549,812
Break down of the persons	
The number of the persons paid the admission	106,482
Ordinary visitors	59,716
Adults	53,781
Children	5,935
Visitors in group	46,766
Adults	15,387
Students	2,351
Children	29,028
The free admission to (including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies)	48,432

M. Iijima.

M. Iijima
Chief
National Park Division
Minister's Secretariat
Ministry of Welfare

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

4 May 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens, 1 - 30 April 1950

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare, on this date:

Attendance for the period 1 - 30 April 1950:

Paid Admissions:	151,341	106482
Admitted Free:	15,485	48,432
Total:	166,826	154 914

2. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥2,645,888. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen. Free admission is granted infants and members of the Occupation. 1,549,812

3. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a national park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

May. 2. 1950

TO : Chief Public Administration Division,
Government Section G. H. Q.

FROM : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

SUBJECT : Report on Persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number of prsons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during April as follows.

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden

Total number of the persons	166,826
The admission paid by	151,341
The free admission to	15,485
The amount of the admission paid	¥ 2,645,888
Break down of the persons	
The number of the persons paid the admission	151,341
Ordinary visitors	133,972
Adults	112,344
Children	21,628
Visitors in group	17,369
Adults	7,363
Students	2,978
Children	7,028
The free admission to	15,485

(including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies)

M. Iijima
Chief
National Park Division
Minister's Secretariat
Ministry of Welfare

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

13 April 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens, 1 - 31 March 1950

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare on this date:

Attendance for the period 1 - 31 March 1950:

Paid Admissions:	28,673	151,341
Admitted Free:	2,322	15,485
Total:	30,995	166826 2,645,888

2. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥485,763. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen. Free admission is granted infants and members of the Occupation.

3. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a national park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

April 6, 1950

TO : Chief Public Administration Division,
Government Section G. H. Q.

FROM : National Park Division, Minister's Secretaria,
Ministry of Welfare.

SUBJECT : Report on Persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during March as follows.

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden

Total number of the persons	30.995
The admission paid by	28.673
The free admission to	2.322
The amount of the admission paid	¥ 485.763
Break down of the persons	
The number of the persons paid the admission	28.673
Ordinary visitors	23.078
Adults	20.377
Children	2.701
Visitors in group	5.595
Adults	1.508
Students	1.330
Children	2.757
The free admission to	2.322

(including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies)

M. Iijima
Chief
National Park Division
Minister's Secretariat
Ministry of Welfare

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

7 March 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: Major Napier

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens,
1 - 28 February 1950

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare, on this date:

Attendance for the period 1 - 28 February 1950:

Paid Admissions:	9,973	28673
Admitted Free;	423	2322
Total:	10,396	30995

185,763

2. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥184,443. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen. Free admission is granted infants and members of the Occupation.

3. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a national park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

Mar, 3, 1950

TO : Chief Public Administration Division,
Government Section G. H. Q.

FROM : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

SUBJECT : Report on Persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number ofppersons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during February as follows.

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden
(Feb 1 to 28, 1950)

Total number of the persons	10,396
The admission paid by	9,973
The free admission to	423
The amount of the admission paid	¥184,443
Break down of the persons	
The number of the persons paid the admission	9,973
Ordinary visitors	8,800
Adults	8,381
Children	419
Visitors in group	1,173
Adults	343
Students	599
Children	231
The free admission to	423

(including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies)

M. Iijima
Chief
National Park Division
Minister's Secretariat
Ministry of Welfare

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

13 February 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: Major Napier

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens, 1 - 31 January 1950
1-28 Feb

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare, on this date:

Attendance for the period 1 - 31 January 1950:

Paid Admissions:	12,200
Admitted Free:	663 9973
	423
Total:	12,863 10396

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2. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥227,564. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen. Free admission is granted infants and members of the Occupation.

3. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a National Park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

Feb. 8, 1950

To : Chief, Public Administration Division, Government Section, G.H.Q., SCAP.

From : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare.

Subject: Report on Persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during January as follows, Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden

	(Jan. 1 to 31. 1950)
Total number of the persons	12,863
The admission paid by	12,200
The free admission to	663
The amount of the admission paid	¥ 227,584
Break down of the persons	
The number of the persons paid the admission	12,200
Ordinary visitors	11,482
Adults	10,689
Children	793
Visitors in group	718
Adults	194
Students	30
Childrens	494
The free admission to	663

(including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies)

M. Iijima
Chief,
National Park Division,
Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

16 January 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens, 1 - 31 December 1949

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare, on this date:

2. Attendance for the period 1 December - 31 December:

Paid Admissions:	11,630	12,240.
Admitted free:	422	623
Total	12,052	12863

227,584

3. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥190,807. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen. Free admission is granted infants and members of the Occupation.

4. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a National Park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

January 10, 1950

To : Chief, Public Administration Division,
Government Section, G.H.Q.

From : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare

Subject: Report on persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during December as follows.

Partiailars of persons entered Shinjuku National Garden.

(Dec. 1 to 31, 1949)

Total number of the persons.	12,052
The admission paid by	11,630
The free admission to	422
The amount of the admission paid:	¥ 190.807

Breakdown of the persons

The number of the persons paid the admission	11,630
Ordinary visitors	8,868
Adults	8,379
Children	489

Visitors in group	2,762
Adults	172
Children	2,063
Students	527
The free admission to (including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies).	422

M. Iijima

Chief,
National Park Division
Minister's Secretariat
Ministry of Welfare.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

6 December 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare, on this date.

2. Attendance for the period 1 November - 30 November:

Paid admissions:	96,912	11630
Admitted free:	12,951	422
Total	109,863	12052

190,807

3. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was ¥1,434,812. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen. Free admission is granted infants and members of the Occupation.

4. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public as a National Park on 21 May 1949.

A. A. J.

Dec. 5, 1949.

To : Chief, Public Administration Division,
Government Section, G.H.Q.

From : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

Subject: Report on persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during November as follows.

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.
(Nov. 1 to 30, 1949).

Total number of the persons	109,863
The admission paid by	96,912
The free admission to	12,951
The amount of the admission paid:	¥1,434,812
Breakdown of the persons	
The number of the persons paid the admission	96,912
Ordinary visitors	59,731
Adults	53,789
children	5,942
Visitors in group	37,181
Adults	7,747
Students	5,698
Children	23,736
The free admission to (including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies.)	12,951

M. Iijima
Chief,
National Park Division,
Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

8 November 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare.

2. Attendance for the period 1 October - 31 October 1949:

Number who paid admission fee:	49,527
Number who entered free:	6,811
Total	56,338

3. Japanese infants and members of the Occupation were admitted free of charge. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen.

4. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was 725,365 yen.

A. A. J.

November 5, 1949.

To: : Captain J. D. McWherter
Public Administration Division, Government Section. G,H,Q.

From : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat
Ministry of Welfare.

Subject : Report on persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

I hereby report you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden and the admission fee during October, as follows.

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku National Garden (Oct. 1 to 31, 1949)

Total number of the persons.	56,338
The admission paid by	49,527
The free admission to	6,811
The amount of the admission paid: Yen	725,365

Breakdown of the persons, entered the Shinjuku National Garden.

The number of persons paid the admission:	49,527
Ordinary visitors:	28,842
Adults	26,105
Children	2,737
Visitors in group	20,685
Adults	6,070
Students	1,140
Children	13,475
The free admission to (including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies)	6,811

M, Iijima

Chief,
National Park Division
Minister's Secretariat
Ministry of Welfare.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

7 October 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare.

1 octobre – 31 octobre

2. Attendance for the period 1 September - 30 September 1949:

Number who paid admission fee:	21,469	49,527
Number who entered free:	1,676	6,811
Total	23,145	56,338

3. Japanese infants and members of the Occupation were admitted free of charge. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen.

4. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was 363,866 yen.

725,365

A. A. J.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

7 October 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare.

2. Attendance for the period 1 September - 30 September 1949:

Number who paid admission fee:	21,469
Number who entered free:	1,676
Total	23,145

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3. Japanese infants and members of the Occupation were admitted free of charge. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen.

4. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was 363,866 yen.

A. A. J.

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October 4, 1949

TO : Captain J.D. Mcwherter
Public Administration Division, Government Section, G.H.Q.

FROM : National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

SUBJECT: Report on persons Entered the Shinjuku Garden.

I hereby report you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku Garden and the admission fee during September.

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku Garden.

(Sept 1 to 30, 1949)

Total number of the persons	23,145
The admission paid by	21,469
The free admission to	1,676

The amount of the admission paid : Yen 363,866

Breakdown of the persons, entered the Shinjuku Garden

The number of the persons paid the admission :	21,469
ordinary visitors	17,649
adults:	16,518
children	1,131
visitors in group	3,820
adults	936
students	1,984
children	900
The free admission to	1,676

(including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies)

M. Iijima
Chief,
National Park Division,
Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

15 September 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare.

2. Attendance for the period 1 August - 31 August 1949:

Number who paid admission fee	25,430
Number who entered free	1,845
Total	27,275

3. Japanese infants and members of the Occupation were admitted free of charge. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen.

4. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was 439,202 yen.

J. D. M.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

15 September 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

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4. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was 439,202 yen.

J. D. M.

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Sept. 7, 1949

TO : G. S. Cap. MCWherter

FROM : Director of National Park Division, Ministry of Welfare.

SUBJECT: Report of Number of Visiter of the Shinjuku-gyoen.

Report is hereby made on the number of visitors and the amount of admission fees for August.

Investigations on the Visitors of the Shinjuku-gyoen
(Aug. 1 - Aug. 31)

Total number of visitors:	27,275
Total number of paid visitors:	25,430
Total number of unpaid visitors:	1,845
Total amount of admission fees:	¥ 439,202
Items of Visitors	25,430
Number of paid visitors:	25,430
Number of general visitors:	22,505
Adults:	19,248
Children:	3,253
Number of party-visitors:	2,929
Adults:	602
Students:	83
Children:	2,244
Number of unpaid visitors:	1,845

(Infants, occupational personnel, and others)

M. Iijima

Director, National Park
Division, Ministry of Welfare.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

14 Sept
5 August 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare.

2. Attendance for the period 1 ~~July~~ Aug - 31 ~~July~~ Aug 1949:

Number who paid admission fee	26,961	25,430
Number who entered free	5,726	1845
Total	32,687	27,275

3. Japanese infants and members of the Occupation were admitted free of charge. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen.

4. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was 472,767 yen. 439,202

J. D. M.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

5 August 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by M. IIJIMA, Chief, National Park Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Welfare.

2. Attendance for the period 1 July - 31 July 1949:

Number who paid admission fee	26,961
Number who entered free	5,726
Total	32,687

3. Japanese infants and members of the Occupation were admitted free of charge. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen.

4. The amount of the gate receipts for the period was 472,767 yen.

J. D. M.

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Aug. 2, 1949

To :Captain J.D. Mcwherter,
Public Administration Division, Government Section
G.H.Q.

From : National Parks Division, Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

Subject: Report on Persons Entered the Shinjuku Garden.

I hereby report to you the number of persons entered the Shinjuku Garden and the admission fee during July as follows:

Particulars of persons entered the Shinjuku Garden. (July 1 to 31, 1949)

Total number of the persons	:	32,687
The admission paid by	:	26,961
The free admission to	:	5,726

The amount of the admission paid: Yen 472,767

Breakdown of the persons entered the Shinjuku Garden

The number of the persons paid the admission	:	26,961
Ordinary visitors	:	22,257
Adults	:	20,499
Children	:	1,758
Visitors in groups	:	4,704
Adults	:	2,511
Children	:	2,193
The free admission to : (including the personnel of Occupation Forces and Japanese babies).		5,726

Hisaru Iijima

M. Iijima
Chief,
National Park Division,
Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

Government Section
Public Administration Division

7 July 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Attendance at Shinjuku Imperial Gardens

1. The following report of attendance at the Shinjuku Imperial Gardens was submitted by ISHIGAMA, Koshiro, Chief of Planning Section, National Park Division, Ministry of Welfare.

2. Attendance from 21 May 1949 through 30 June 1949:

Number who paid admission fee	97,710
Number who entered free	26,731
Total attendance	124,441

3. Infants and members of the Occupation were admitted free of charge. Japanese adults were charged 20 yen; children, 10 yen.

4. The amount of gate receipts for the period was ¥1,704,644.

J. D. McWherter
Capt FA

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July 5, 1949

Minoru Iijima,
Director of National
Park Division.

To Cp. Mc. Wherter,

Report on persons who entered Shinjuku Garden

National Park Division,
Minister's Secretariat,
Ministry of Welfare.

Let me report you about persons who entered Shinjuku Garden and charge of entering Garden from May 21 (day on which it is opened) till June 30 as follows:-

Investigation of persons who entered
Shinjuku Garden

May 21 - June 30

Number of persons who entered the Garden by paying charge	97,710
Number of persons who entered the garden free	26,731
Total	124,441
Total sum of charge	¥ 1,704,644

Items of persons who entered

Number of persons who paid charge	97,710
Persons who entered singly	85,930
Adult	74,537
Children	11,393
Persons who entered as party	11,780
Adult	3,734
Children	8,046
Number of persons who entered free (Infants, Allied Forces personnel, etc.)	26,731

Reports on Number of Utilizers of Shinjuku Imperial Garden.

(Prepared by National Parks Division of Ministry of Welfare, as of 27 June 1949.

Total number of visitors ---------- 119,836

(21 May ——— 26 June, 1949)

Details:

I. Paying Visitors	(1) Individual	a. Adults	72,806
		b. Children	11,331
	(2) Group (53 groups)	a. Adults	3,581
		b. Children	6,910
II. Free Visitors			25,208

(of which approximately 10% was Occupation personnel and the rest infants.)

Reports on Number of Utilizers of Shinjuku Imperial Garden.

(Prepared by National Parks
Division of Ministry of Welfare,
as of 27 June 1949.

Total number of visitors ---------- 119,836

(21 May ——— 26 June, 1949)

Details:

I. Paying Visitors

(1) Individual ---------
- a. Adults ---------- 72,806
- b. Children -------- 11,331

(2) Group (53 groups) ---
- a. Adults ---------- 3,581
- b. Children -------- 6,910

II. Free Visitors ---------- 25,208

(of which approximately 10% was
Occupation personnel and the
rest infants.)

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Date	Paid		Unpaid
	Adults ¥20 per head	Children (over 6 years old) ¥10 per head	Children (6 years old or less) and newspaper reporters
May 21 (Sat.)	1.271 persons	70 persons	100 (estimated) persons
May 22 (Sun.)	14.292 persons	3.324 persons	4.000 (estimated) persons

Remarks: The National Park Division of the Welfare Ministry estimates:

(a) Average number of persons per day ---------1,000 (adults 500, children 500)

(b) Total income in the current fiscal year---------¥3,585,000
(The Garden will be opened for 239 days until March 31, 1950)

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27 June 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Public Attendance at Shinjuku Gardens

1. The Imperial Garden at Shinjuku, Tokyo, was opened to the public on 21 May 1949 as a National Park. Admission charges were for adults, 20 yen; for children, 10 yen.

2. According to ISHIGAMA Koshiro, Chief of Planning Section, National Park Division, Ministry of Welfare, the attendance from 21 May 1949 to 24 June 1949 was:

Adults	63,030
Children	26,201
Total	89,231

3. Beginning 1 July 1949, a report of the number of persons visiting the park will be submitted each month.

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