

ADVANCE ECHELON  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4

To  
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(DATE)

I don't think it should be necessary to involve E & S and more a gaining concern for this purpose. And further they will no sooner get this than they will want the rest.

H. E. EASTWOOD  
Brigadier General, GSC  
Deputy Asst C of S, G-4

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
G-4 STAFF SECTION  
ROUTING SLIP

File No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 1946

Subject: Acquisition of the Naka-Jung-Kan Bldg

TO	Routing Order	Date and Initials	Subsequent Routing	Date and Initials
Maj Gen Whitlock	_____	_____	_____	_____
Brig Gen Graham	_____	_____	_____	_____
Brig Gen Eastwood ✓	_____	_____	_____	E
Executive Officer	①	MP	_____	_____
Plans & Policy Division	_____	_____	_____	_____
Operations Division	_____	_____	_____	_____
Const & Fac Division	_____	4 Mar SUE	_____	_____
Transportation Division	_____	_____	_____	_____
Supply Division	_____	_____	_____	_____
Petroleum Division	_____	_____	_____	_____
Fiscal Division	_____	_____	_____	_____
Surplus Property Division	_____	_____	_____	_____
Administration Division	_____	_____	_____	_____

Originator \_\_\_\_\_

- FOR: Approval \_\_\_\_\_
- AG \_\_\_\_\_
- Concurrence \_\_\_\_\_
- Information \_\_\_\_\_
- Attach reference \_\_\_\_\_

*Expedite*

- Note and Forward \_\_\_\_\_
- See note attached \_\_\_\_\_
- Signature \_\_\_\_\_
- File \_\_\_\_\_
- Dispatch \_\_\_\_\_

Form: 4-202

Journal No. 10195

REMARKS: Col Pichel inspected the bldg. this morning. Japs have vacated 3rd and 4th floors, and part of 2nd floor. They appear to be complying with agreement reached at ESS conference. I+E has not moved in. One reason the Japs may be moving is to save their furniture. From best info I can get, ESS (Maj Wheeler) at least implied that the Japs would have to move. I+E representatives at the meeting indicate this and apparently all concerned have assumed this. Recommend letter be dispatched. SUE



C&F - GWC/jrh

2 March 1946

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Mr. Ikeda requested that all or a portion of his residence be exempt from requisition in that his family and office occupy this residence. He is a contractor doing work for Fifth Air Force.
2. The residence was requisitioned for General Bell and he has made an agreement whereby the Ikeda family can occupy the Japanese portion of the house. This agreement was made verbally and Mr. Ikeda is already aware of this fact.
3. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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JFP        763

GWC [Signature] 823

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFICAPO 500  
23 February 1946

## MEMORANDUM:

TO : Construction and Facilities

1. With reference to the attached request from one Ikeda, there is a small complication. Prior to the receipt of the Ikeda letter, General Wolfe called me about his house. General Wolfe told me that Ikeda used it as an office as well as a residence and that he had more than his own family living with him. It seems that Ikeda is the general contractor on all the work being done for the Air Force out at Tachikawa, and General Wolfe is quite concerned about a disturbance of his ~~living~~ conditions. I am not overly concerned about this, <sup>but</sup> unless he has a particularly desirable house, and one which cannot be matched for Colonel Bell in his place on the list, I think he should not be moved.

2. I would like to have your advices, and, in any event, the letter should be replied to. If we consider it essential to take the house, Ikeda should be given as early notification as possible with an indication of the date when the house will be required so that he can make plans as far in advance as conditions will permit. Does the house have a Japanese section which Ikeda might retain?

  
H. E. E.

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7th Feb, 1946

General Eastwood

Sir :

I have learned that my house, located at No. 911 Yoyoginishihara, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo, has been considered to be taken over to U.S. Army for housing purpose. I beg to appeal for your exemption with the view that we are serving general building construction works for the 5-th Air Force, and using the same house as a part of our office work as well as my family of nine. beside I would like to impress the fact it is almost next to impossible to get vacant house at present.

Trusting for your favorable reconsideration upon the matter.

Your sincerely

*Asajiro Ikeda*

Asajiro Ikeda  
President, The IKEDA-GUMI  
The general contractor



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Government of Tokyo Metropolis

7 Feb 1946

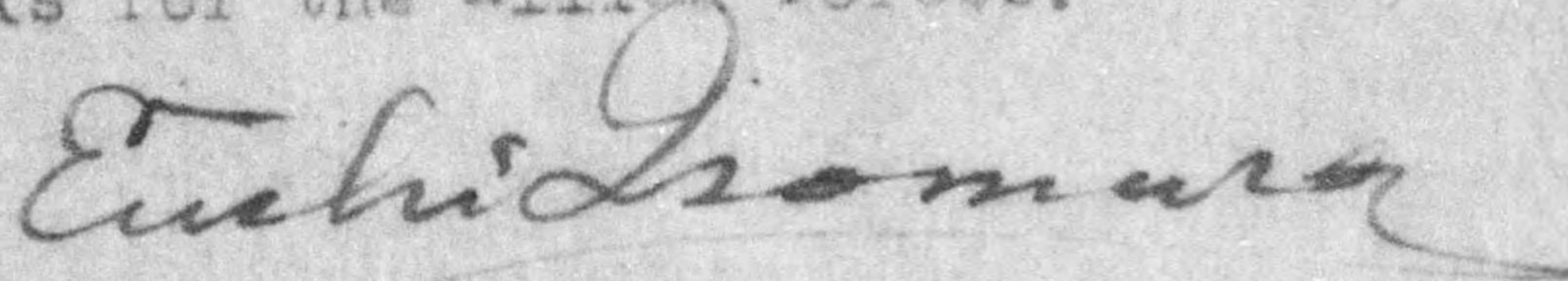
Asajiro Ikeda

President, the IKEDADA-GUMI

The general contractor

911 Yoyogi Nishihara-machi  
Shibuya-ku, Tokyo-To

We certify that the above contractor is now serving  
the Tachikawa Airdrome Hospital and the Tachikawa Army  
Air Base construction works for the Allied Forces.



Eiichi Isomura

Chief of Liaison Office

for  
the Governor of Tokyo-To.

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池田 組

池田 朝次三郎



東京都長官 藤 沼 床 平 殿

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PROCUREMENT DEMAND ON IMPERIAL JAP. GOV'T.(a) DEMAND No. CE-8-ASC-PD-643-46DATE, 12 Jan., 1946

(b) FILE No. \_\_\_\_\_

(c) P.D. REC'D BY \_\_\_\_\_

(Representative and Department of  
Imperial Japanese Gov't,)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

(d) SERVICE REQUIRED

1. Demand that the Japanese Government furnish supervision, Labor, materials (as explained below), and equipment to reconstruct the Tachikawa Airdome Hospital (Occupied by the 376th Station Hospital) as shown on the attached layout plan (USASCOM-C File No. C-171)

2. Plans for rehabilitation of existing buildings will be prepared by the contractor assigned this reconstruction and will be submitted to and approved by the Engineer Section, USASCOM-C before work is undertaken.

3. Plans for new prefabricated buildings are attached as follows:-

Buildings 2, 5 & 6	USASCOM-C File No. C-131
" 7 & 8	" " C-133
" 14 & 17	" " C-179
" 15 & 16	" " C-113
" 19, 20 & 21	" " C-123

4. Reconstruction will include rehabilitation of sewage and heating system (plans to be prepared jointly by this headquarters and the contractor assigned this work) and interior and exterior painting of hospital, in addition to rehabilitation of existing buildings.

5. Necessary materials for construction of prefabricated buildings and installation of interior wiring and plumbing in these buildings and American type flush commodes for entire hospital will be furnished and delivered to the job site the YOKOTA Area Engr. All other materials necessary to fulfill this procurement demand will be furnished by the Japanese Government.

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6. Suggest contract for this work be awarded to IKEDA Co., 2-Nobiki-cho 8-chome Kyobashi-ku Tokyo, with whom the above work has been discussed.

7. In the event the Japanese Government Desires to assign this work to a Contractor other than the one suggested above, it is requested that the utilities Section of Military Government USASCOM-C, be notified (who will in turn notify Lt. Sander, Engr, Section USASCOM-C (Ext. 269) by telephone of reason for desiring the change, and that action on demand be withheld pending approval by the Engr. Section USASCOM-C

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BASIC; CE-8-ASC-PD-643-46, Hq.USASCOM-C, OCE, APO, 404,  
dated 12 January 1946

work will be started not later than: 21 January 1946  
required completion date: 1 April 1946  
The contractor will be directed to report to the following  
Receiving and Administering Agent immediately upon notice of  
his assignment to the project by the Japanese Liaison officer

Area Engineer  
Agent

Yokota Engineer Area  
Organization

Tokorozawa  
Location

(Space for File and Reference for Use of P&C Office Only)

Org. Req: \_\_\_\_\_

File: \_\_\_\_\_

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

CHARLES W. BIRD 1st. Lt. PA  
P&C Officer Rank

GPD Form 1

Engineer Section, USASCOM-C

6 Inclosures;

Incl 1	Layout 376th Sta Hosp.	USASCOM-C File No.	C-171
Incl 2	Infirm, Rec., & Evac., 5-sta-Hosp	"	" C-131
Incl 3	General Ward Unit	"	" C-133
Incl 4	Detachment Hq, & supply-Officer QTRs.	"	" C-179
	376 Station Hospital	"	" C-179
Incl 5	Nurses Quarters, 334th Gen. Hosp.	"	" C-113
Incl 6	E.M. Quarters 334th Gen. Hosp.	"	" C-123

DISTRIBUTION "A"

4 Area Engineer Yokota Area	w/inc
1 Engineer, Eighth Army	w/inc
1 Chief Buildings Section	w/inc
1 OE File	
1 OE Reading File	w/o inc
1 Contract Section	w/inc
1 Control Br.	w/o inc
5 Control Br(GO5)	



PROCUREMENT DEMAND ON IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOV'T.

Services will be continuous until (a) DEMAND No. b. CE-8-ABC-8D-611-460  
Administering Agent.

(b) FILE No. 400.12

DATE: 2 January 1946.

(c) P.D. REC'D BY:

(Representative and Department of Date  
Imperial Japanese Government)

(d) SERVICES REQUIRED

1. Demand the Japanese Government furnish supervision and labor necessary to accomplish the following work at the Tachikawa Army Air Base, all as directed by the Receiving and Administering Agent specified below:

a. Maintenance and repair of existing structures, buildings, and installations.

b. Rehabilitate and effect such alterations to existing structures, installations and buildings, as required to adapt them to official Air Force usage.

c. Maintenance and repair of existing utilities, including water, electric, and sewage systems.

d. Install fire escapes on barracks and office buildings, and effect alterations, including exits, etc., to existing buildings to provide adequate fire protection.

e. Maintenance and repair of streets, roads, grounds, and other ground installations within the limits of the A.

2. Demand the Japanese Government make available tractors for this work all necessary supplies and equipment are not prohibited for U.S. Army use by GHQ directives.

3. Suggested contractor - Ikeda Gumi, 2 Kobiki-Cho, 8-chome, Kyobashi-ku, Tokyo.

(e) INSTRUCTIONS

Work will be started not later than 9 January 1946.

Services will be continuous until terminated by the Receiving and Administering Agent.

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BASIC: Procurement Demand No. CE-8-ASC-PD-611-46, dtd 2 Jan. 1946.

The contractor will be directed to report to the following receiving and Administering Agent immediately upon notice of his assignment to the project by the Japanese Liaison Office:

	<u>Post Engineer</u> Agent
<u>Tachikawa Army Air Base</u>	<u>Tachikawa</u>
ORGANIZATION	LOCATION

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(Space for File and Reference for Use of P&C Office only).

Org. Req: \_\_\_\_\_ File: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Charles W. Bird 1st Lt. FA  
P&C Officer Rank

Engineer Section  
USASCOM-C

GPA Form 1

DISTRIBUTION:

- 1 - Post Engineer, Tachikawa Army Air Base
- 2 - Hq. 5th Air Force, APO 710
- 1 - Engineer, Eighth Army
- 1 - CE File
- 1 - Chief of Operations
- 1 - Contracts Section
- 1 - Control Branch
- 1 - Control Branch (for G-5)



MEMO FOR RECORD:

C&F - GWC/jrh  
1 March 1946

1. Gen Wang has inspected two residences with Lt Col Pichel of the C&F Division. Gen Wang has been hesitant about selecting the house he wants. However, he has shown a preference for the one being requisitioned above. The above residence is being requisitioned for use by members of Gen Wang's party without Gen Wang's definite consent. It is believed that the above action is necessary to get a billet ready for members of Gen Wang's party so they can be moved from the Imperial Hotel and to permit the Chinese to have a billet for other members of their party who are required to come to Tokyo in the future. It is planned that Gen Wang is to remain in the Imperial Hotel.

2. Hq Comdt is being advised that the residence is assigned to his section for use by Gen Wang's party.

3. This completes G-4 action on this case.

JWR *[Signature]* 823GWC *[Signature]* 823

Rep. of Gen Wang concurred in this election 2/28/46  
*[Signature]*

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C&F - GWC/jrh

AG 601 ( 1 Mar 46 )GD

4. Detailed instructions pertaining to these requirements will be furnished your representative by a representative of the Headquarters Commandant, General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

5. Priority number 1.97 is assigned to subject facility to accomplish the instructions contained in paragraphs 3 and 4 above.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, AG   
Adjutant General.

- cc: CG Eighth Army
- FMG, Tokyo Area
- CE, GHQ
- Hq, Comdt, GHQ (separate cover) /
- Int Mil Trib (separate cover) /

MAILED 0940 Mar 2 '46 AG-GHQ

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G-4 FILE

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Memo for Record:

O&amp;F - GWC/jrh

1. Secty Int Military Tribunal (Col Walbridge) forwarded to G-4 a c/n (no 1) from Int Prosec Sect requesting the locating of the entire offices of the IPS in War Ministry Bldg. It was determined by Col Walbridge and Lt Col Gomsby (IPS) that sufficient office space was available in the Main Bldg for this purpose, by using entire third floor.

2. C/N from Secty IPS approving the above requested also the establishment in Main War Ministry Bldg of billets for approx 200 officers and EM whose duties will require them to be located there most of the time. This includes an MP Co and various custodians of valuable records etc. At present he has not had G-1 approval for any specific number of personnel.

3. The 2 C/n's also request the establishment of messing facilities capable of serving noon meals to approx 560 persons in addition to the 3 meals daily required by the 200 personnel billeted at War Min Bldg. This will require the use of Bldg No 2 (mess hall) which the Japs have been told they could use until 31 March 46. The CE states this will require vacating of mess bldg by Japs by 10 March 46. Exact dates for vacating mess bldg determined after conference with Japs (Gen Arisue) and Gen Eastwood, include vacating mess hall by 10 March and kitchen by 31 March.

4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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C&amp;F-GWC/chr

MEMO FOR RECORD:

27 February 1946

1. COM NAV JAP requested allocation of 1,000 square feet of storage space in the Mitsubishi Warehouse for storing supplies and an open area including river frontage on the west bank of Sunido Gawa extending downstream 275 feet from Eitaibashi for the mooring of the USS APL #46. The balance of the open area is to be used for recreational and athletic activities for Naval personnel quartered on the vessel.

2. The vessel is now situated alongside a pier in the vicinity of Shibana Quay, which is within the 71st QM Base Depot area and is a distance of 4 miles from their offices in Yokohama Specie Bank Building. The relocation of the USS APL #46 would place it in a more accessible and less congested area.

3. The allocation of this open area will in no way hamper the activities of the Japanese occupying the building within the area.

4. Eighth Army approved the request.

5. This completes G-4 action on this case.

RBD *RMD* 763GWC *YU* 823

6. G-4 Trans (Major Larb) contacted Tokyo Harbor Master (Lt. Danford) who approved the move.

RBD *RMD* 763GWC *YU* 823632 A  
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Memo for Record:

C&F - GWC/jrh  
23 February 1946

1. The subject residence was requisitioned for a residence for General Bell. Gen Bell has agreed to permit the Ikeda family to occupy a portion of the house. The house will not be occupied until 1 April 1946.
2. Gen Bell suggested that in as much as Mr. Ikeda is the operator of the Ikeda-Sumi contractors, the job for the repairs necessary to put this facility in condition for use, be given to his company.
3. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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JFP JFP 763

GWC GWC 823



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8 February 1946

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Facilities ✓

1. I think I advised you yesterday that General Russell had made a selection of the house known to me as the "Marble Palace".
2. I do not know how soon General Russell may wish to move into the house, but before it can be occupied there must be a range and an icebox installed in the kitchen. In addition General Russell would like to have a shower installed over that famous Japanese bathtub.
3. I don't know exactly how this can be accomplished, but the house should be earmarked for General Russell, and, if possible, the Headquarters Commandant should make the arrangements for the installation of the range and icebox and shower head, even though it is decided that the house is not taken at this time beyond the earmarking stage. On the other hand, it may be necessary to issue a letter to the CLO at this time taking the house in order to accomplish these installations, even though General Russell may not wish to occupy it before May. Action as it finally is developed on this house will be more or less of a pattern to be followed in subsequent cases.

  
H. E. E.

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C&F-GWC/chr

MEMO FOR RECORD:

24 February 1946

1. In order to obtain billets for the Russians, and possibly the Chinese and British personnel of the Allied Council, it is necessary to requisition an additional building. If it does not develop that this building is required for this purpose, it can be used by the Headquarters Commandant to billet female personnel.
2. The Headquarters Commandant and OCE have been advised informally it should be prepared either as a Soviet Billet or a female billet.
3. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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THIS LOT

PD; NO. JPNR 2786

No. 2, 5 chome Nishi Ginza,  
Chuo-ku



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
FAR EAST COMMAND

CHECK SHEET

SUBJECT: Petition for Release of Real Estate - Yuraku Hotel

Note

No.

From: G-4

To: G-2(Japanese Liaison)

Major Russell. 26-6030

Date: 3 Nov 49

- (1) 1. Reference. a. Attached petition from Nippon Oil Company for the release of the Yuraku-kan Building (Yuraku Hotel).
- b. C/N(1). G-4 to G-2 (Japanese Liaison), subject: Policy Relative to Petition, 19 June 1948.
- c. SCAPIN 624-A, 25 February 1946.
2. In order that authorized agencies of the Japanese Government may meet fully their duties and responsibilities, and to enable such agencies to exercise appropriate supervision and coordination in respect to Japanese commercial enterprises and other activities, the reference of 1b above will be broadened to require that petitions submitted by Japanese nationals for release of any type real estate, be processed in the same manner as in now required for petitions relating to release of residence property.
3. Petitions will continue to be screened by the responsible agencies of the Japanese Government, and only those of considered merit will be forwarded to the SCAP.

*Incl 3.*



FAC - GWC/jrh

Memo for Record:

1. A survey of residences in the Tokyo Area has located 251 units which are suitable for housing of dependents or which can be made suitable with moderate rehabilitation and renovation.
2. It is desirable, at the present time, to advise the Japanese Government of our impending requirement for these units in order to insure their availability when required, complete with the furniture, furnishings and fixtures presently in the houses.
3. Recommend dispatch of the attached letter to CLO.
4. G-4 action not complete.

LMN [Signature] 884

GWC [Signature] 823

624-A  
G-4 Tokyo



ADVANCE ECHELON  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4

13 Feb  
(DATE)

C&F

Wouldn't it be  
advisable to indicate  
that where Jap type  
portions of houses are  
adequate, and providing  
occupants are  
agreeable, arrangements  
may be made for  
their occupancy by the  
Jap families?

H. E. EASTWOOD  
Brigadier General, GSC  
Deputy Asst C of S, G-4



GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
G-4 STAFF SECTION  
ROUTING SLIP

File No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 23 Feb 1946Subject: Occupancy of Certain Houses in Tokyo Area

TO	Routing Order	Date and Initials	Subsequent Routing	Date and Initials
Maj Gen Whitlock				
Brig Gen Graham				
Brig Gen Eastwood	①			E
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Surplus Property Division				
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Form: 4-202

Journal No. \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS: *I believe it preferable to make those arrangements as we acquire and assign specific houses. If we announce it in this letter it practically becomes a policy - some officers may not wish to do this and the burden of refusal puts them in embarrassing position. Also, the houses may in some cases require considerable repairs so that must be considered too.*

*(6 24-A) I recommend we allow Hq. Comdt to use discretion as to vacating houses during repair period and that officer who is*



assigned house make whatever arrangements he wishes with occupants. As I see it it will work this way:

Period 1 to 2 - Warning to get ready to move

Period 2 to 3 - Require to vacate - Hq Comdt lets them stay so long as he can complete rehab. on time during this period - officer will be assigned specific set

Period 3 - Officer occupies under his own arrangements

*me*



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HEADQUARTERS,  
V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS,  
FLEET POST OFFICE, SAN FRANCISCO.

Serial No. 28

2 January, 1946

4th Endorsement on  
AFPAC ltr AG 601  
dtd 11 November,  
1945.

From: The Commanding General.  
To : The Commanding General, I Corps ✓

Subject: Miyazaki Agricultural and Forestry College  
in Kyushu.

HQ. AFPAC  
601/111-9  
HEADQUARTERS

1. The subject matter pertaining to your command  
is forwarded for information.

*Dudley S. Brown*  
DUDLEY S. BROWN,  
By direction.

MG

AG 601 - E

5th Ind

LWW/plb

Hq, I Corps, APO 301, 19 Feb 46

THRU: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

TO : CG, SCAP, APO 500

This college is not being requisitioned at this time nor are there any  
plans at present to requisition this property.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

*W. A. Sweeten*

1 Incl:  
n/c

W. A. SWEETEN  
Lieut. Colonel, A.G.D.  
Adjutant General

*1158*

*Ind # 3944*

*1332-259 (621A)*

SCF 801

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC

AG 601 (11 Nov 45)GD

Advance Echelon  
APO 500  
11 November 1945

GHQ. AF PAC  
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23 FEB 1946  
AGO RECORDS

Subject: Miyazaki Agricultural and Forestry College in Kyushu.

To: Commanding General, Sixth Army, APO 442.

1. Inclosed herewith is Memorandum, from the Japanese Government file CLO No. 482 (4), dated 6 November 1945 subject: "Request for Exemption from Requisition of Miyazaki Agricultural and Forestry College."

2. Your comments and recommendations are requested as to any requirement your command may have for the facilities of the subject college. It is requested that information be furnished to substantiate any military requirement that might exist for occupancy of subject college by the Allied Forces.

By command of General MacARTHUR:

*Harold Fair*  
HAROLD FAIR,  
Lt. Col., A.G.D.,  
Asst. Adjutant General.

1 Incl: Memo fr Jap Gov't, CLO No. 482 (4)  
dtd 6 Nov 45, subj: "Request for  
Exempt fr Req of Miyazaki Agricultural  
and Forestry College."

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(11 Nov 45)  
HEADQUARTERS SIXTH ARMY, APO 442, 15 November 1945.

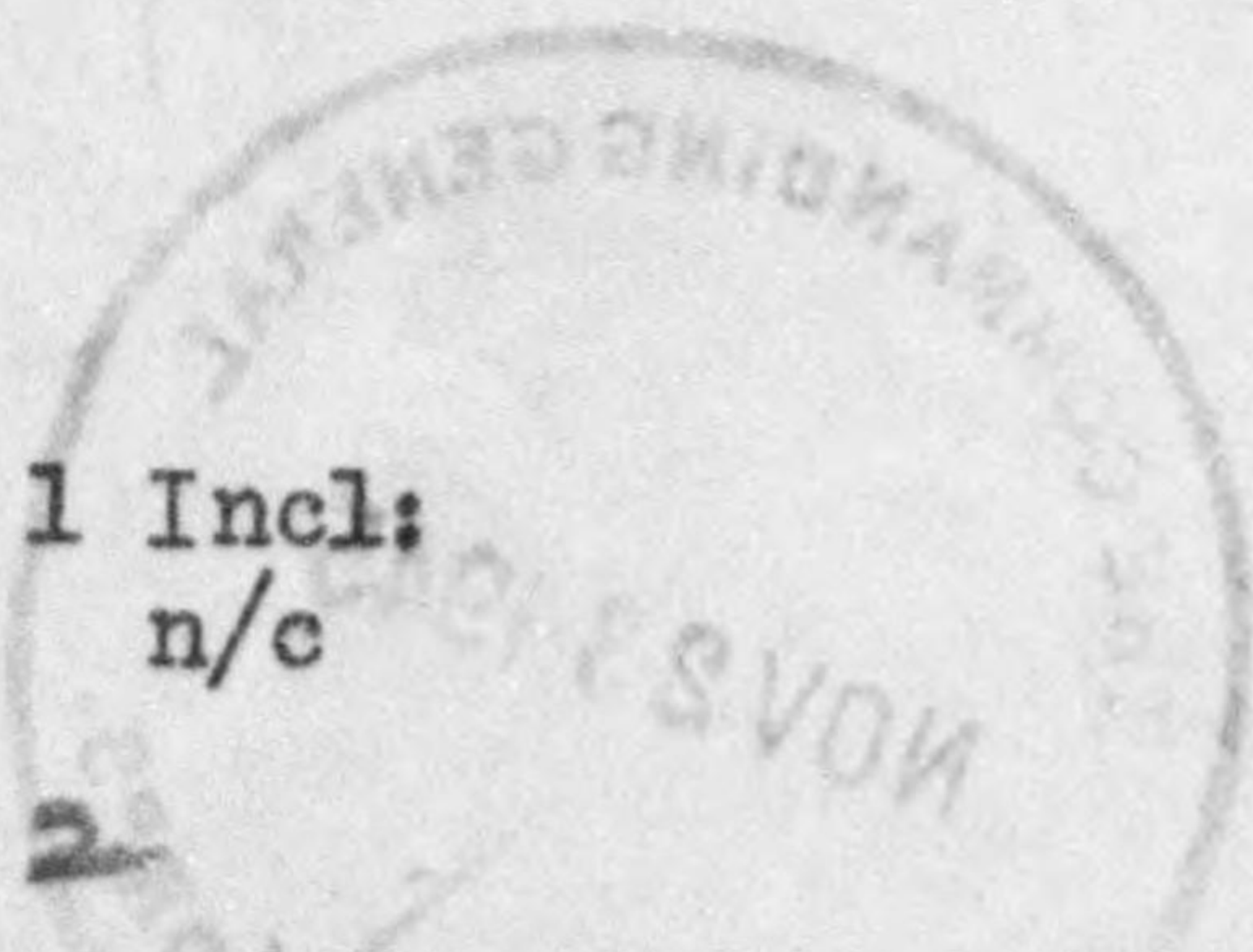
TO: Commanding General, V Amphibious Corps, c/o FPO.

The above is a matter pertaining to your command and is forwarded for necessary action.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL KRUEGER:

*David P. Tobin*  
David P. Tobin,  
Major, A. G. D.,  
Asst. Adj. Gen.

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HEADQUARTERS,  
V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS,  
FLEET POST OFFICE, SAN FRANCISCO.

Serial:7452

25 November, 1945.

2nd Endorsement on  
AFPAC ltr AG 601  
dtd 11 Nov 1945.

From: The Commanding General.  
To : The Commanding General, 2nd Marine Division.  
Subject: Miyazaki Agricultural and Forestry College.  
Enclosure: (A) C.L.O. No. 482 (4), Imperial Japanese Government  
6 November, 1945.

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1. Forwarded for investigation and report to this Headquarters, including recommendations, as indicated in basic communication.

*W. W. Rogers*  
W. W. ROGERS,  
By direction.

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3d Endorsement  
SECOND MARINE DIVISION, FMF,  
IN THE FIELD.

19 December, 1945.

From: The Commanding General.  
To : The Commanding General, Fifth Amphibious Corps.

1. Returned.
2. This division has not requisitioned and has no intention of requisitioning subject property.

*J. G. Goldberg*  
J. G. GOLDBERG,  
By direction.



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IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

TO : OFFICE OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.  
 FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.  
 SUBJECT : Request for Exemption from Requisition of Miyazaki Agricultural and Forestry College.

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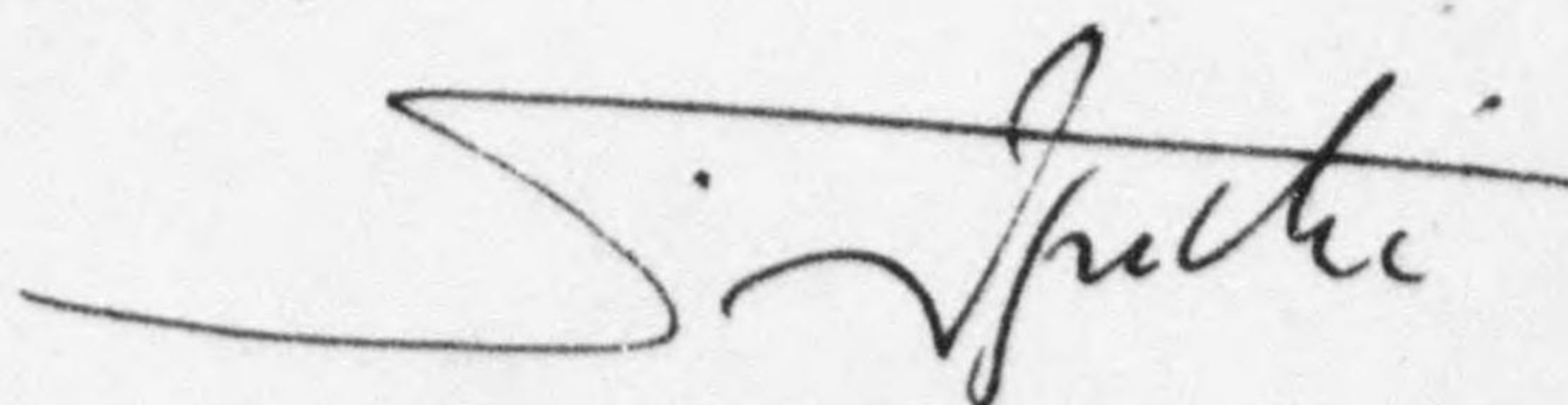
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6 November 1945

There are in the Kyushu area three agricultural and forestry colleges, government and public, with a total enrollment of 1320, of which the government-established Miyazaki Agricultural and Forestry College is the largest, the 420 students of which are engaged in various sorts of research work besides receiving training for expert leadership in the increase and maintenance of food production.

In case requisitioning should be made of the college building by the Occupation Forces, it would cause the total suspension of class-work and researches owing to the absence in its neighborhood of any facilities available as a substitute. It is therefore earnestly desired that your office would, in view of the food situation existing in the district and the importance of agricultural guidance, be considerate enough to exempt the institution from future requisitioning.

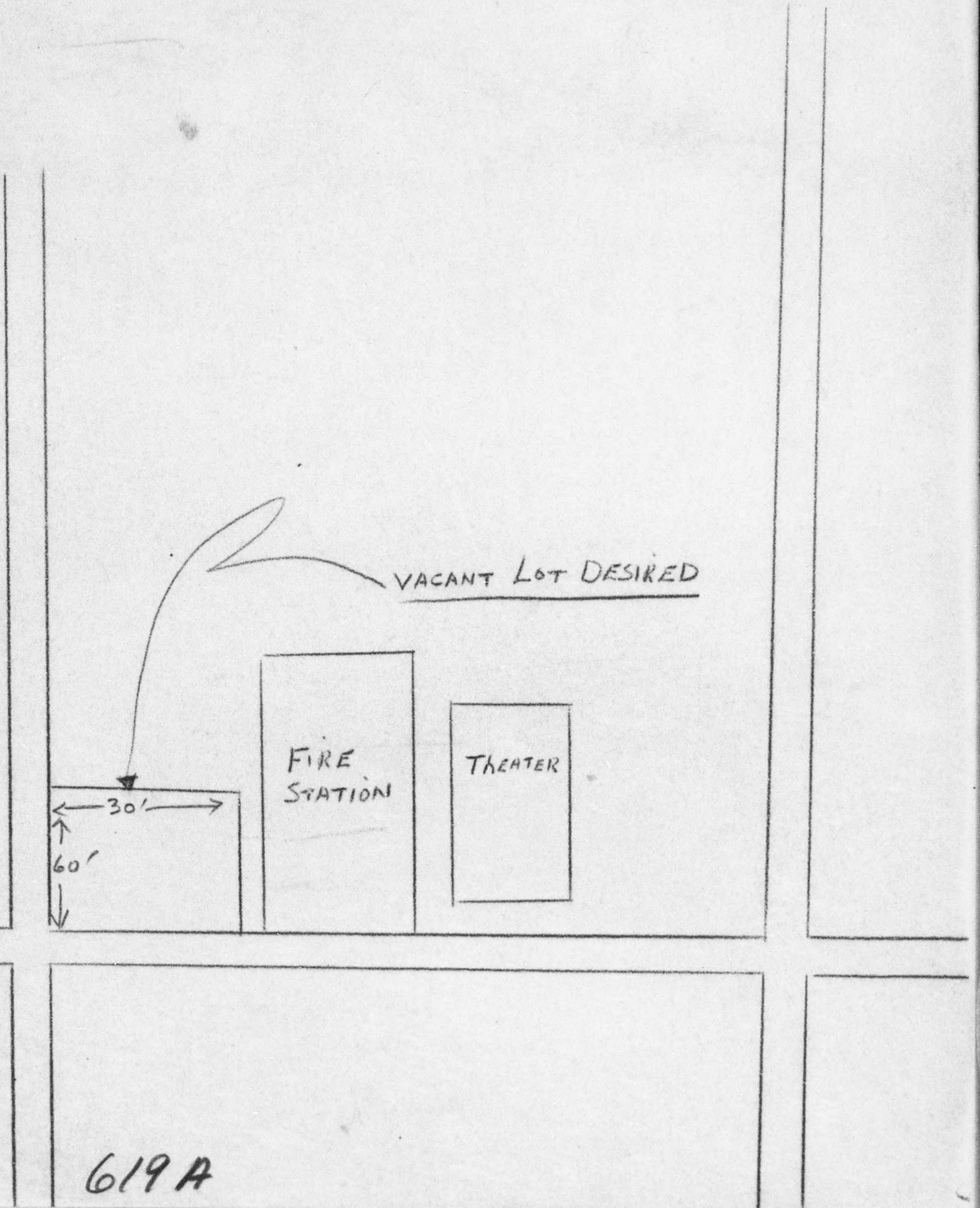
FOR THE PRESIDENT,



(S. Iguchi),  
 Director of General Affairs,  
 Central Liaison Office.

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VACANT LOT DESIRED

FIRE  
STATION

THEATER

← 30' →  
↑ 60' ↓

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REQUEST FOR ALLOCATION OF FACILITY FOR OCCUPATIONAL FORCES

Date: 29 Jan 46

To: Commanding General, USASCOM-C, Attn: Real Estate and Facilities Branch, Procurement Division, G-5 Section.

1. The following Real Estate facility is desired:

a. Name (s) of Building, or Facility, with description:

**Vacant Lot, Corner of Ningyocho & Amazaka-Takacho Street. No. 2, 2 Chome, Ningyocho.**

b. Address: Ken \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Number \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

c. Name of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

d. Overlay map and/or sketch, in detail, is attached, (six copies required).

e. Number of floors in building: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Purpose for which Facility is desired:

a.  Billeting, \_\_\_\_\_ Office Space, \_\_\_\_\_ Storage, \_\_\_\_\_ Housing.

If for any other purpose, give complete details.

**Billets for Prophylactic detachment and Prophylactic station.**

b. Billeting: State whether billets are desired for General Officers, Colonels, Junior Officers, or enlisted men, and numbers.

**Six (6) Enlisted men**

c. Storage: Give number of square feet and types of stores for storage.

d. Office Space: Number of officers and enlisted men to occupy building.

3. Unit making request: Tech. Staff, Surgeon, USASCOMC.

a. Strength, \_\_\_\_\_ officers; 6 enlisted men.

4. Condition of Building as to:

- a. Roof.
- b. Exterior and interior walls.
- c. Water system.
- d. Lighting.
- e. Ventilation.
- f. Lavatories.
- g. Plumbing and heating.

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5. Is building now occupied? Vacant Lot

a. Name of individuals, or Company:

b. Purpose for which occupants are using building (s):

c. Are present occupants able to obtain another location?

6. Date to be occupied; give specific date: As soon as possible

7. General.

a. Will present occupants be able to share a portion of building? If so, give complete details.

b. Type of work needed to be performed prior to occupancy; such as debris to be removed, amounts and types of public or private property to be removed, alterations needed, and utilities to be installed.

**Lot to be cleared, erect building and attach utilities**

c. Remarks: Give any additional information for special situations which cannot be shown above.

**20' X 48' steel prefabricated building to be erected on site.**

Name

Vernon A. Turner

Rank

Vernon A Turner

Organization

Major MC

VD Cont Off USASCOM-C

APPROVED 29 Jan 46

Date

O E Ursin

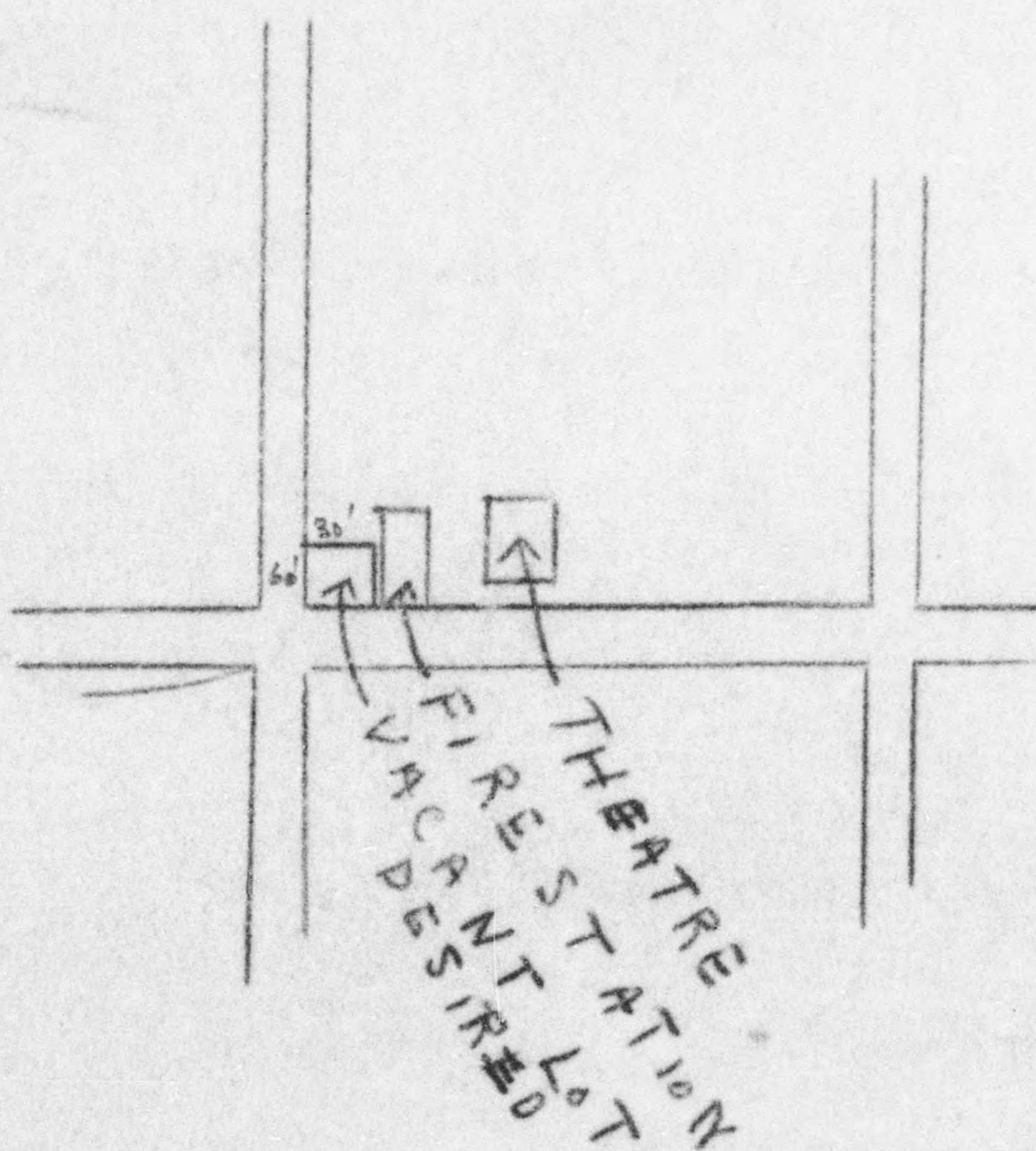
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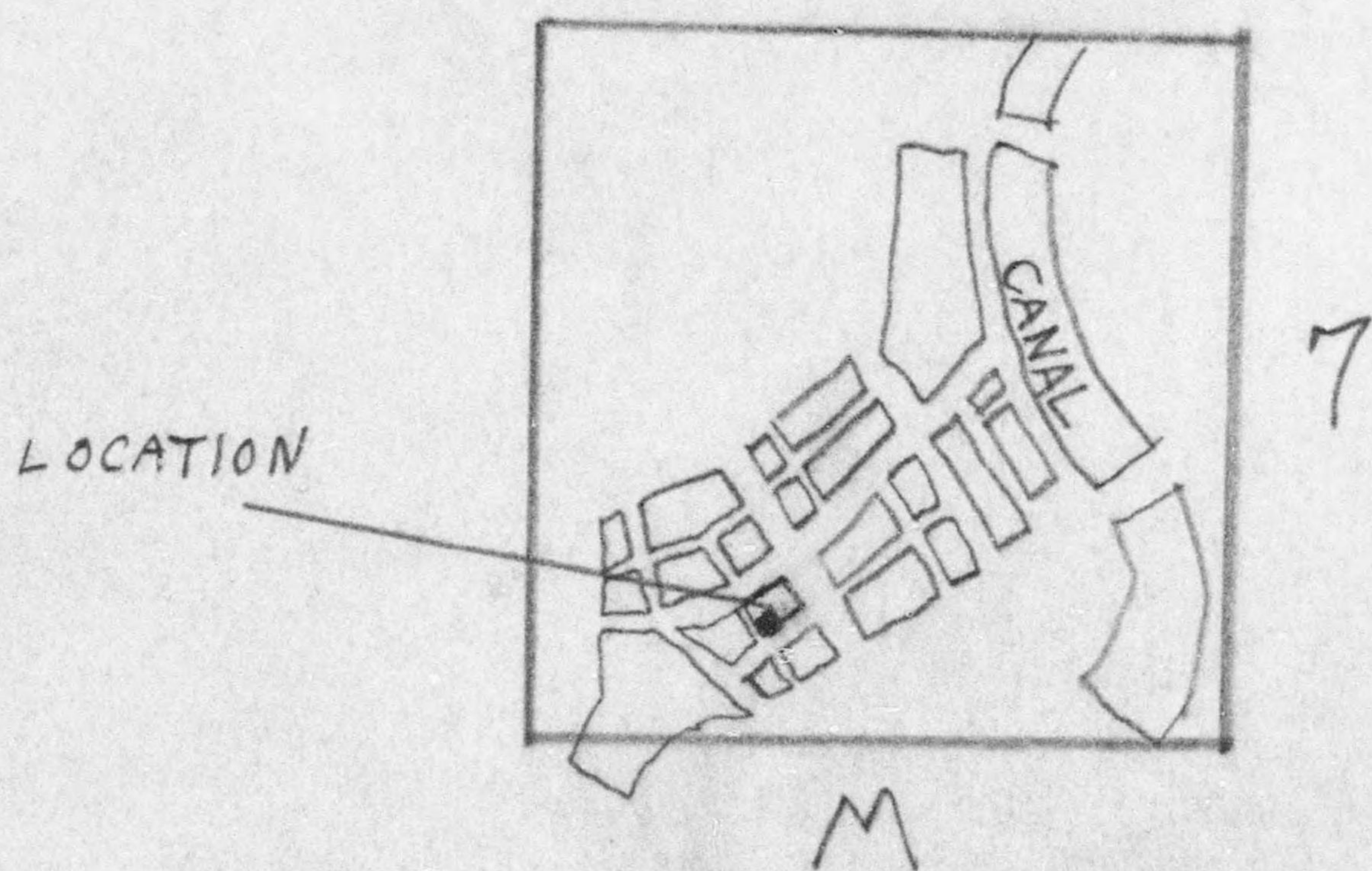
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Overlay: "City PLAN OF TOKYO"

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HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY SERVICE COMMAND C

APO 404

JSE-R 601

FEB 11 1946

SUBJECT: Allocation of vacant lot to the Tech. Staff, Surgeon, USASCOM-C.  
THROUGH: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343.  
TO : Commander-in-Chief, United States Army Forces, Advanced Echelon,  
APO 500. (Attention: Facilities Section, G-4.)

1. Request approval to allocate vacant lot, Marunouchi and Amasaka-  
Takecho, No.2, 2 Chome, Hingyo-Cho to the Tech. Staff, Surgeon, USASCOM-C.  
It is located in Area 1.

2. Due to the increase of venereal diseases among the Allied Troops,  
the Medical Division is compelled to establish more prophylactic stations.  
This area will be utilized for such a station.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

- 3 Incls: (in trip.)  
1. Req alloc Y-150  
2. Sketch  
3. Overlay

JOHN R. ADEN  
Captain, AG  
Actg Asst Adj Gen.

AG 601 (MG)

1st Ind

Capt Higinbotham  
RHH/dep

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

16 FEB 1946

TO: Commander-in-Chief, APPAC, APO 500  
(Attention: Facilities Section - G-4)

Recommend approval of allocation requested in basic communication.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

2 Incls:  
n/c

M. H. WILKE,  
Capt., A.G.D.  
Asst. Adjutant General

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**IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT**  
**CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE**

GHQ. AFPAC

20 FEB 1946

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AGO RECORDS

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER  
FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo

SUBJECT: Request for Exemption from Requisition of  
Mitsubishi Trust Company's Office Building.

C.L.O. No. 751 (4.2)

20 February 1946

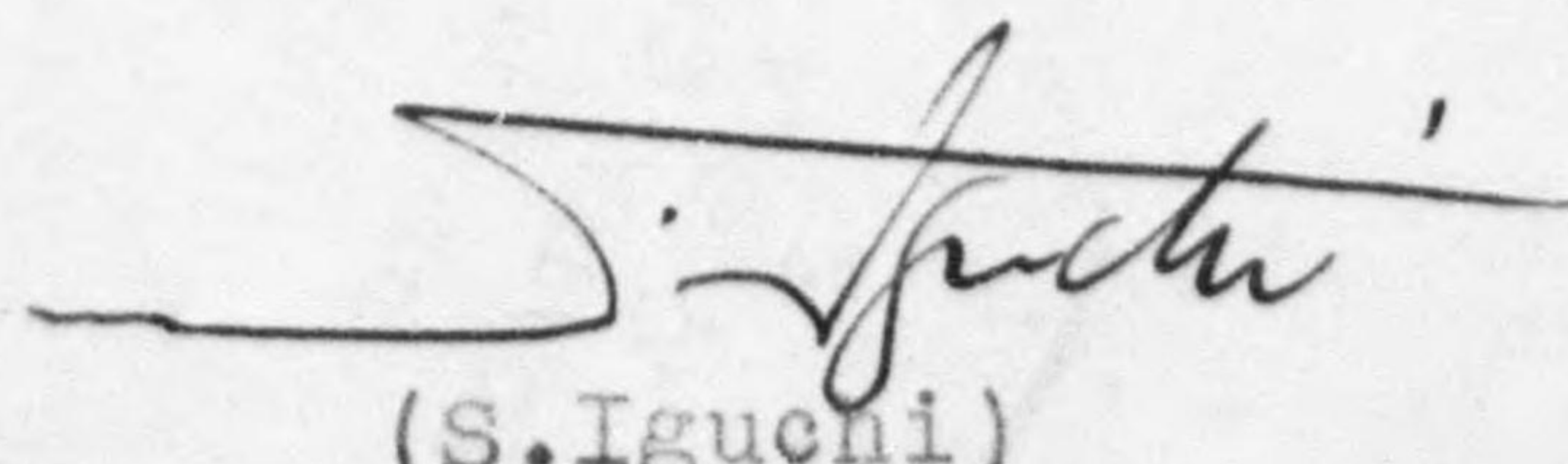
1. The Head Office of the Mitsubishi Trust Company is now using the first and third floors and the basement covering some 600 tsubos of the Yaesu Building as its business offices. However, a number of inspections of the building recently made by the Occupation Forces have given rise to the speculation to the effect that the building would be requisitioned by the Occupation Forces.

2. Should this turn out to be true, the continuance of business operations by the Company would be greatly affected. As the office buildings of the three Mitsubishi affiliates, viz. Tokyo Maritime Insurance, Mitsubishi Honkan (Mitsubishi Main Building) and Mitsubishi Shoji (Mitsubishi Commercial Firm, Ltd.), have already been requisitioned, it is virtually impossible to find a suitable place for the office of the said Trust Company, much less a place for the safe custody of abundant valuables now stored by the Company. This will cause serious disadvantages to bailors, beneficiaries, depositors for safe keeping, mortgagee and other business customers, numbering in all some 50,000.

3. The Company, accordingly, asks for exemption of the requisition of its office building, in view of the public nature of the trust business in general.

4. The Central Liaison Office requests that the Headquarters will be good enough to see their way, by giving special consideration to the matter, to exempting at least the vault and the business offices on the first floor, in case the requisition of the said building should prove unavoidable.

For the President:



(S. Iguchi)

Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office.

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(SCAPIN - 616-A)

AFD 500  
23 February 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT.

THROUGH : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Appointment of Representatives at Kokugi-Kan Auditorium.

1. Reference is made to your Memorandum, file C.L.O. Number 715 (h.2) dated 16 February 1946, subject as above.

2. Your notification of the appointment of a representative to deal with the Eighth United States Army in matters pertaining to the joint use of Kokugi-Kan Auditorium has been forwarded to the Eighth United States Army.

3. It is desired that future correspondence in this matter be forwarded direct to the Commanding General, Eighth United States Army and not to this headquarters.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

B. M. FITCH, *B*  
Brigadier General, AGD,  
Adjutant General.

cc: CG Eighth Army

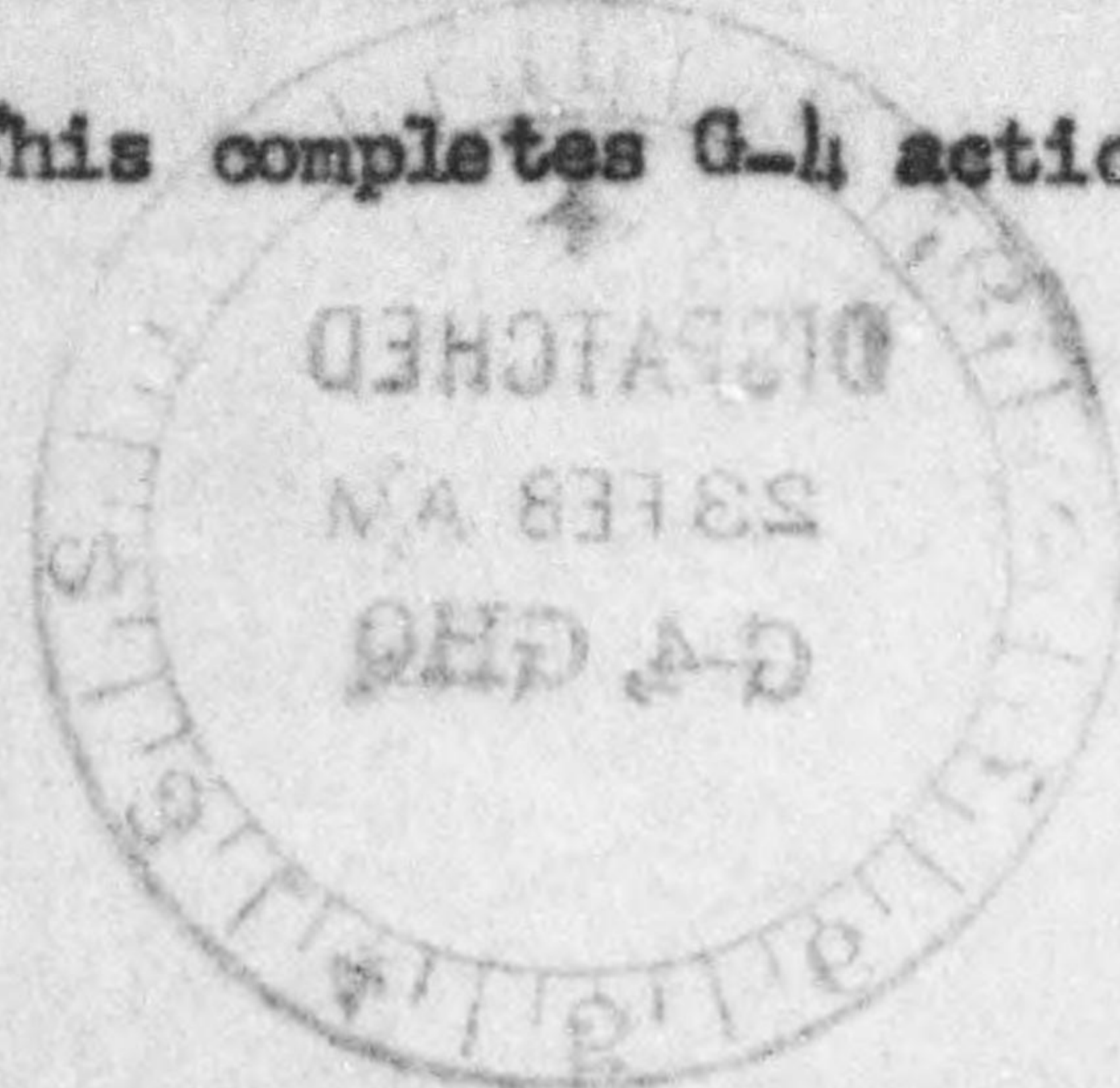
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MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. IJG was directed to contact the 8th Army direct in matter of this type pertaining to the Kokugi-Kan Auditorium but continue to forward them to this Headquarters.

2. The above Memo is believed necessary to keep the IJG in proper channels in this matter.

3. This completes G-4 action on this case.



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G-4 FILE



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## MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD:

1. Japanese Government in C.L.O. No. 687(3.1) requested this Headquarters for authority to let the Japanese Government Railway carry out Aerial surveys to facilitate railway rehabilitation and construction, and proposed two procedures:

a. Aerial survey to be carried out by the Allied Forces and all necessary arrangements on land to be made by the Transportation Ministry.

b. Aerial survey to be conducted by the technicians of the Transportation Ministry, but a suitable airplane for the survey and pilots to be offered by the Allied Forces.

Japanese Government requested that in case of disapproval of this request, the Ministry would greatly appreciate if the General Headquarters would allow the loan of photographs of aerial survey already in the possession of the Allied Forces.

2.a. Very little if any new railways will be constructed due to shortage of materials.

b. Aerial surveys of 1701 Kilometers (1056 miles) of right of way is a major undertaking which would have to be done by an already overburdened air force.

c. Repair of present system can be accomplished by ground survey methods without major difficulty.

3. ESS (Lt Col O'Hearn, Chief of Industrial Div) concurs and submitted the following remark:

a. "The Jap Government has been talking about building new railroad lines, with the full knowledge that they must get our approval before construction. We do not intend to let them start any new construction at the present time until old lines are rehabilitated. They have made a few "subversive" attempts to get round-about approvals, such as a petition for approval of bond issues for Gov't. Monopolies, which had hidden in it a bond issue for R.R. construction. It is my firm intention not to permit any new construction for the present."

4. CE (Gen Casey) concurs and requested that the statement, "new construction cannot be considered until the old lines are rehabilitated" be added to paragraph 1.

5. Proposed Memo to Japanese Government disapproves their request for aerial survey and refuses their request for use of our aerial photographs.

This completes G-4 action on this case.

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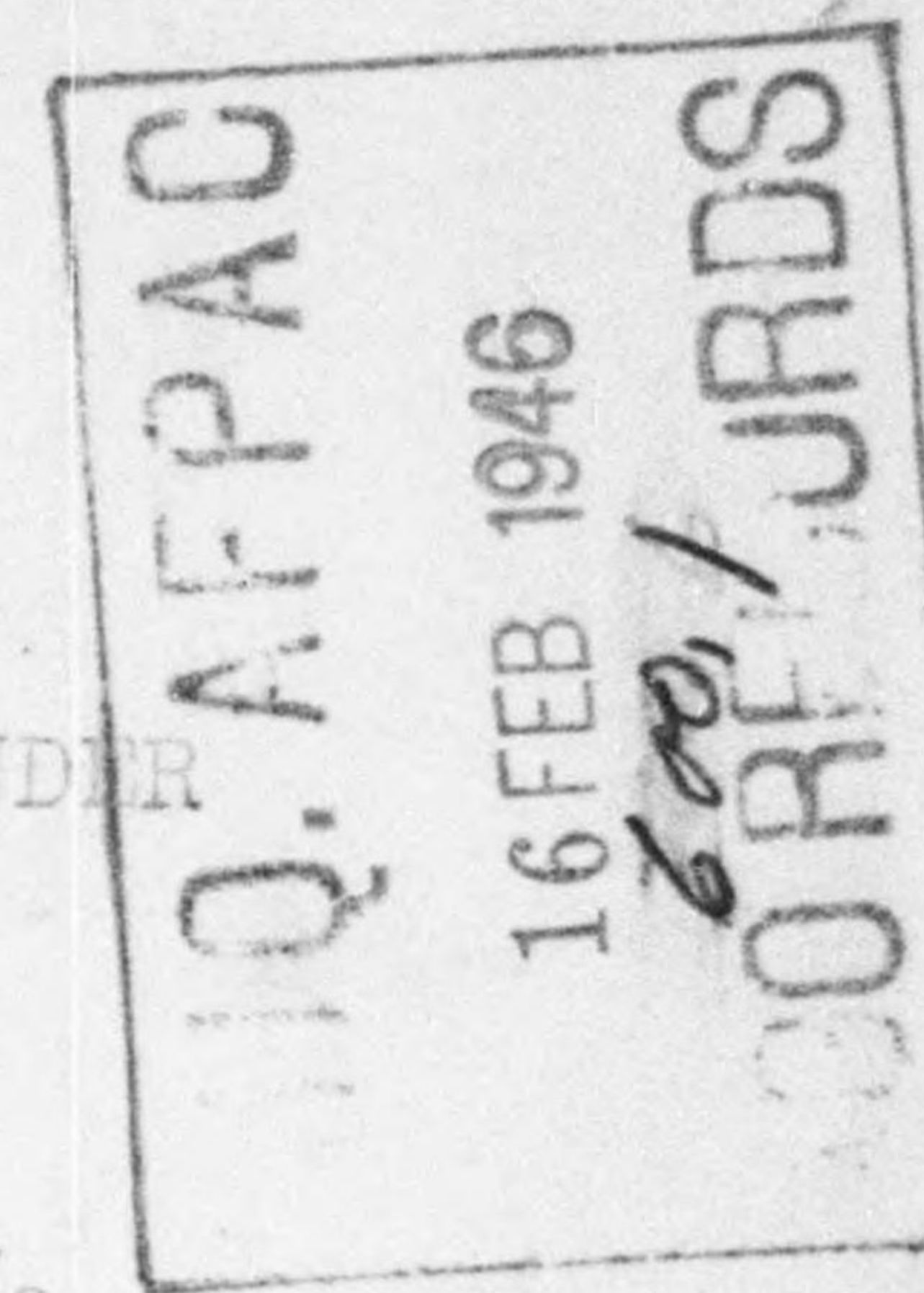


**IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT**  
**CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE**

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER  
FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Application for Aerial Survey to Facilitate  
Railway Rehabilitation and Construction.



C.L.O. No. 687 (3.1)

15 February 1946

The Central Liaison Office submits hereby for the approval of the General Headquarters the following application from the Ministry of Transportation on the above subject.

1. It is now of vital importance that the rehabilitation of war-damaged railways and the construction of new lines should be completed as speedily as possible with a view to the preservation of public welfare and development of natural resources of Japan. For the above purposes the Ministry of Transportation is now making efforts to investigate the existing state of damaged railways and to make selection of sites for the planned lines, but it feels the necessity of aerial survey in order to complete the speedy survey.

2. The Transportation Ministry used its own airplane for survey before the termination of war, but after the prohibition of aviation by the directive of the General Headquarters, it is compelled to depend upon land surveying only.

3. It would, therefore, be highly appreciated if the General Headquarters would be good enough to let the Japanese Government Railways carry out aerial survey for the purpose of realizing not only speedy railway rehabilitation and construction, but also saving labor and hardships of many tech-



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4. The Ministry would be satisfied to follow either of the under-mentioned lines, if the General Headquarters should approve the above request.

a. Aerial survey to be carried out by the Allied Forces and all necessary arrangements on land to be made by the Transportation Ministry.

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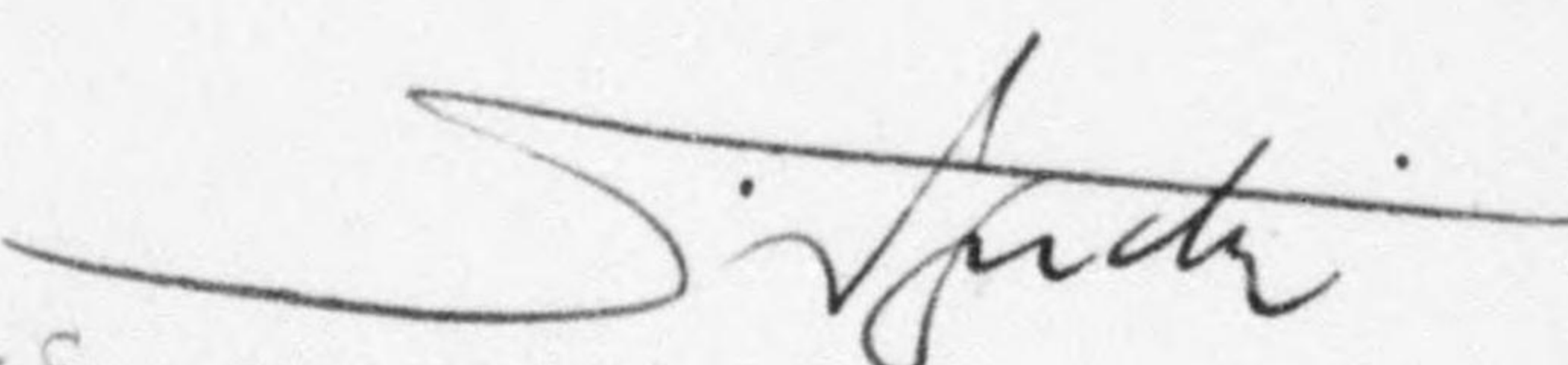


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7. It may be added that the details for the execution of this matter come under the responsibility of the Director of Construction and Maintenance Bureau, General Railways Bureau, Ministry of Transportation.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:

  
(S. Iguchi)  
Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office.

Enclosure: 2 copies of explanatory  
table and sketch map.



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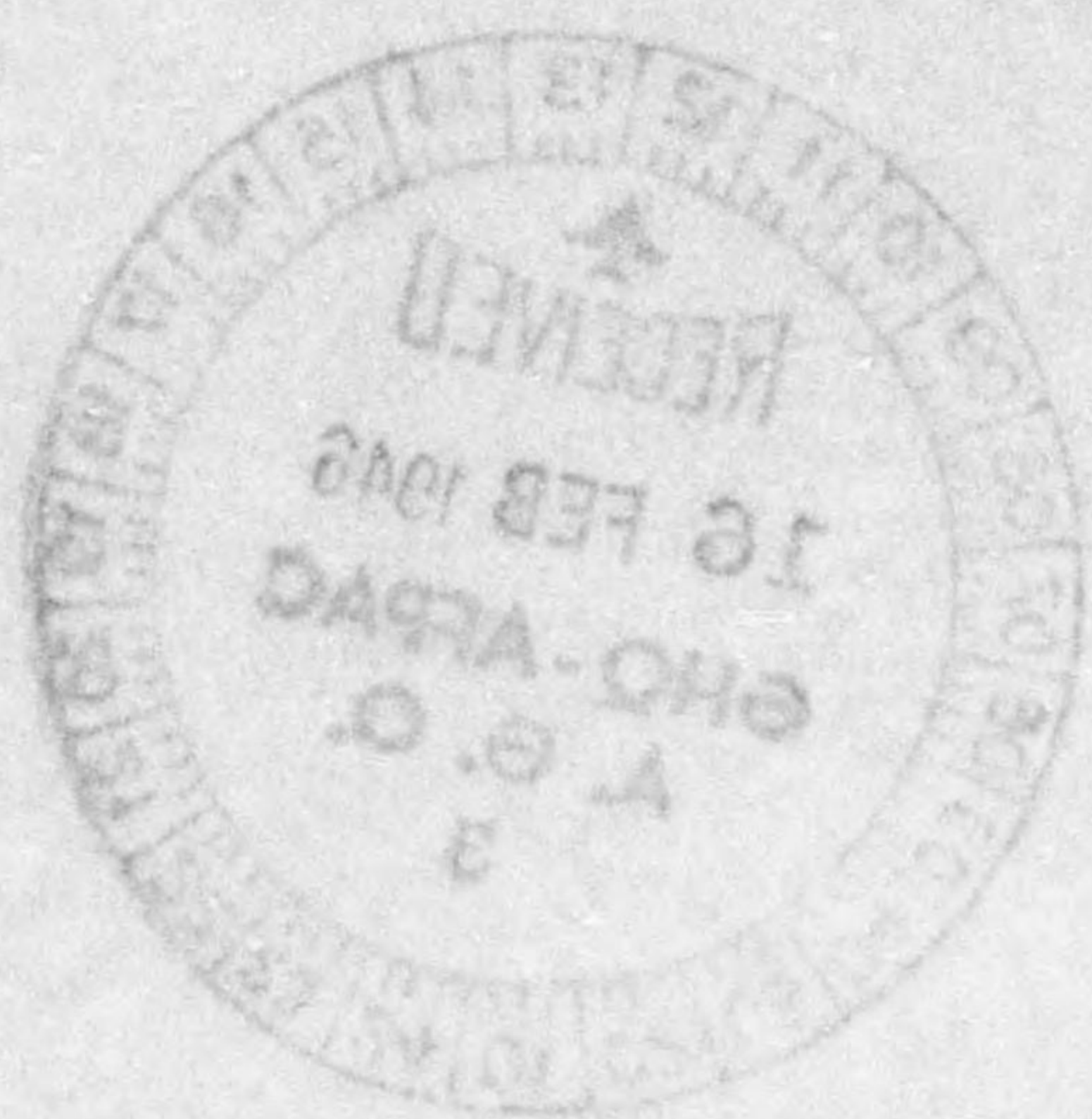
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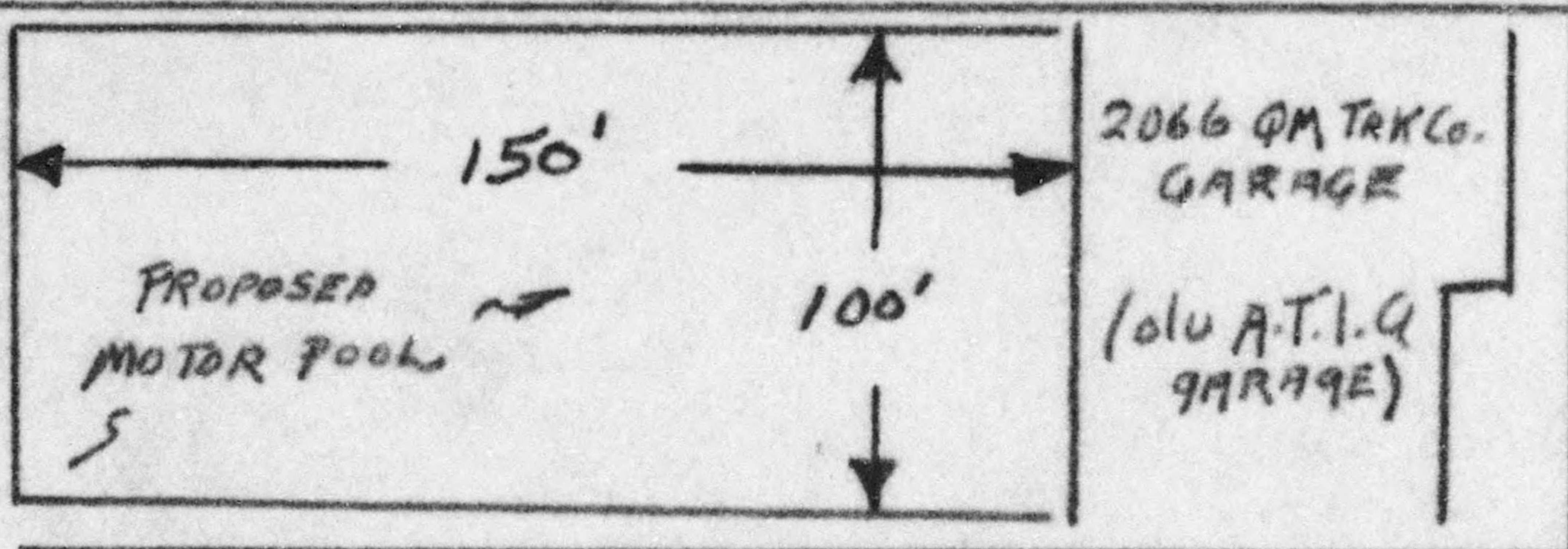


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Memo for Record:

1. Hq Comdt requested the subject facility and about 5000 sq ft surrounding it for use of the 511th Ord Co which is attached to Hq and Sv Gp. It is intended to install at grease rack and wash rack in the building. This is needed by the 511th Ord Co for maintainance of vehicles in their own unit, also greasing and washing of vehicles which they repair for the Hq & Sv Gp.

2. An inspection by Lt Col Nerdahl (G-4) revealed that the subject facility is empty and the surrounding grounds are not being used. No work, with the exception of the construction of grease and wash racks, is needed to make this facility suitable for use.

3. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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GWC *[Signature]* 823



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Harm

MP Station

Lumber  
Yard

Tokyo  
Industrial  
Institute

511th Ord. Co. Area

Shibaura Filling Station  
(Petroleum Distribution Control Co.)  
19 Kaigandori-I, Shibaura, Shiba,  
Tokyo.

Main Office of Petr. Distr. Cont. Co.  
Okura Bdg., Irifuncho, Nihonbashi,  
Tokyo.

日本橋区入船町大倉ビル  
石油配給統制會社  
芝浦海岸通一丁目  
芝浦元博所

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C&F - GWC/jrh

Memo for Record:

1. 64th Engr Topo Bn requested the subject facility for use by the 64th Engr Topo Bn as a recreational hall for the 500 EM quartered in the Isetan Bldg.
2. G-1 and C SSO concurs and recommend approval for the facility's intended use.
3. Hq Comdt requested this bldg be assigned to their section for use by the 64th Engr Topo Bn as the Isetan Bldg is handled in a similar manner.
4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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19 February 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Hq Comdt requested the allocation of the open area and two small buildings in the block between the Finance Building and the GHQ Jeep Motor Park for use as a motor park to handle the vehicles of the Manila echelon.
2. The securing of this area for a motor park will locate the park within easy walking distance for the drivers. The measures necessary to safeguard this installation will be greatly facilitated by its location adjacent to the two facilities mentioned in para 1. Upon occupancy of this area, the parking area in the Tokyo Central Wholesale Market will be relinquished.
3. The two buildings requested are currently being used as living quarters by Japanese and would be used for an administrative office and off-duty day rooms for the motor park personnel.
4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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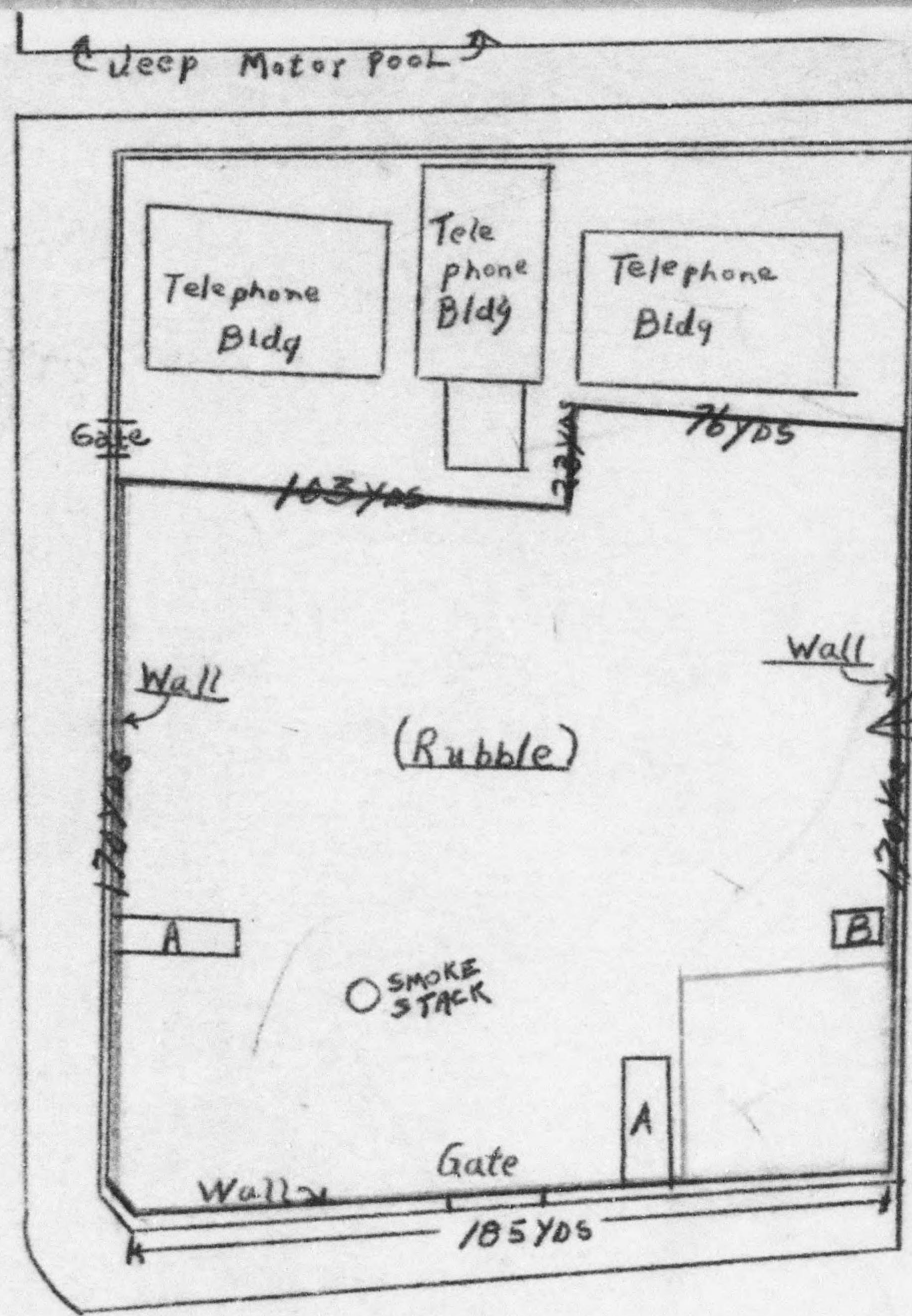
Area inspected 10 Feb 46 by Lt Col Pichel and Col Stewart. Preparing area for use as a truck park involves removal of remains of walls and foundations, removal of a large concrete smoke stack and removal of rubble and debris. This will be a decided advantage as far as future use of this area is concerned since this work is a necessary first step in any case.

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G-4 Tokyo

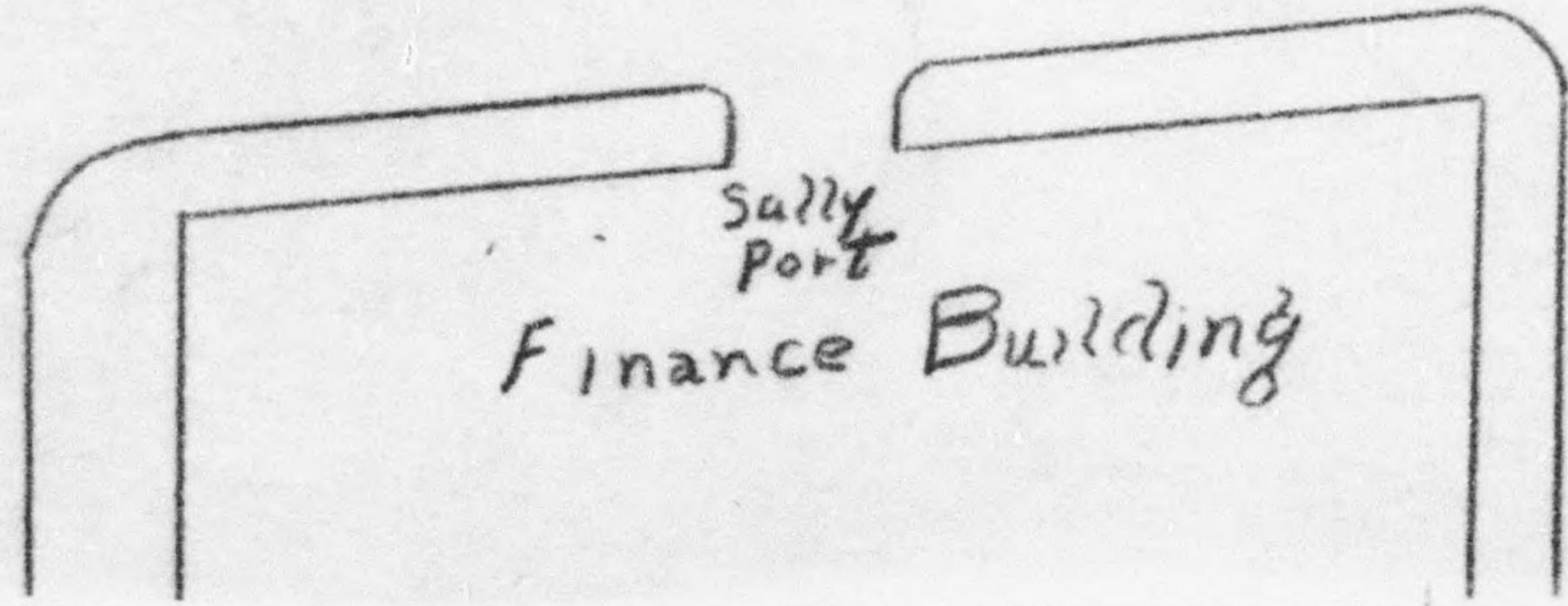
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Projected Motor Pool



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REQUEST FOR ALLOCATION OF FACILITY FOR OCCUPATIONAL FORCES

Date: 29 Jan 46

To: Commanding General, USASCOM-C, Attn: Real Estate and Facilities Branch, Procurement Division, G-5 Section.

1. The following Real Estate facility is desired:

a. Name (s) of Building, or Facility, with description:

**Vacant Lot On the Ginza in Tokyo  
3 Banchi, 7 Chome Ginza**

b. Address: Ken \_\_\_\_\_ City Tokyo Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
Number \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

c. Name of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

d. Overlay map and/or sketch, in detail, is attached, (six copies required).

e. Number of floors in building: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Purpose for which Facility is desired:

a. A Billeting, \_\_\_\_\_ Office Space, \_\_\_\_\_ Storage, \_\_\_\_\_ Housing.

If for any other purpose, give complete details.

**Billets for Prophylactic detachment and housing  
of Prophylactic station.**

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**Six (6) Enlisted men**

c. Storage: Give number of square feet and types of stores for storage. **none**

d. Office Space: Number of officers and enlisted men to occupy building. **none**

3. Unit making request: Tech. Staff Surgeon, USASCOM-C

a. Strength, \_\_\_\_\_ officers; \_\_\_\_\_ enlisted men.

4. Condition of Building as to:

- a. Roof.
- b. Exterior and interior walls.
- c. Water system.
- d. Lightings.
- e. Ventilation.
- f. Lavatories.
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5. Is building now occupied?       Vacant lot      

a. Name of individuals, or Company:

b. Purpose for which occupants are using building (s):

c. Are present occupants able to obtain another location?

6. Date to be occupied; give specific date:       As soon as possible      

7. General.

a. Will present occupants be able to share a portion of building? If so, give complete details.

      No      

b. Type of work needed to be performed prior to occupancy; such as debris to be removed, amounts and types of public or private property to be removed, alterations needed; and utilities to be installed.

      Area to be cleared, building erected and Utilities attached      

c.       Remarks:       Give any additional information for special situations which cannot be shown above.

      20' x 48' steel prefabricated building to be erected on site.      

Name       Vernon A. Turner      

Rank       Major, MC      

Organization       VD Cont Off USASCOM-C      

APPROVED       29 Jan 46        
Date

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Colonel MC

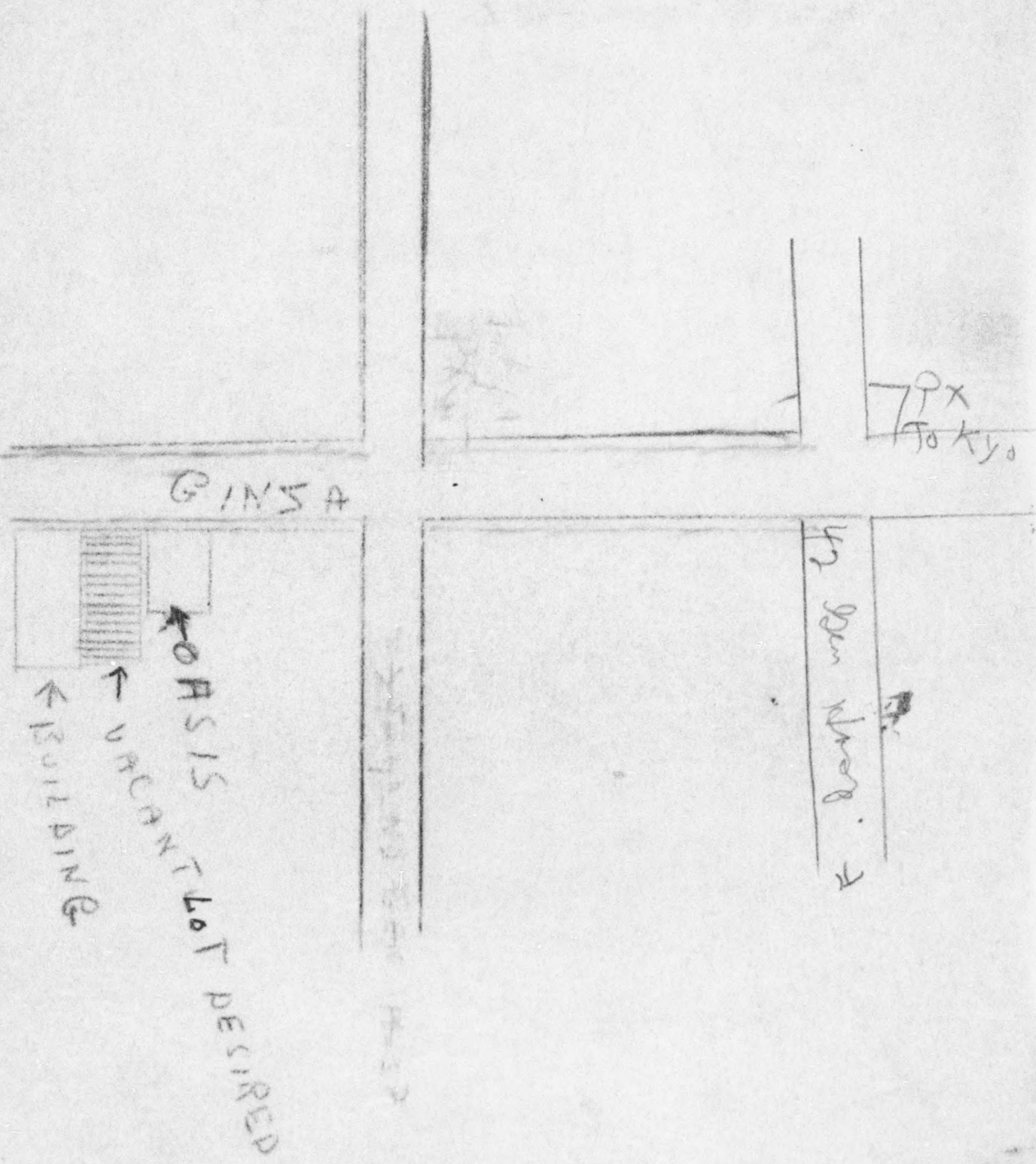
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Memo for Record:

FAC - GWC/jrh  
18 February 1946

1. IJG by reference memo claims the area which is in use by Hq Comdt GHQ for a parking area is needed by Central Market as a traffic center for trucks, carts and bicycles engaged in marketing activities. IJG requests exemption or permission for a passageway for vehicles through the area.

2. Hq Comdt has investigated the situation and states:

a. It is believed that the existing entrances to the Tokyo City Market, excluding the one termed the "main entrance", is sufficient to meet the present needs.

b. It is not known to what volume the traffic will grow, but the means of egress and ingress can many times over accommodate the current daily traffic.

c. If the volume of traffic increases to such a point that another entrance is necessary, one can be built along a line shown in red on the attached sketch. With the aid of one bull dozer it is estimated a suitable road can be constructed over the side of a demolished building in one week's time.

3. The Hq Comdt is using the area as a parking lot and motor pool for 180 trucks and 25 buses and says it is inadvisable to permit Japanese passage through the parking area. An inspection of the area was made by this office (Lt Col Pichel). The inspection revealed the activities of the market were not on a large scale and that entrances other than the main entrance were sufficient to accommodate the traffic. There are plenty of hardstandings throughout the market which can be used for traffic or parking.

4. This completes G-4 action on this case. JWR J 823

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GWC GW 823

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G-4 Tokyo



FAC - GWC/jrh

Memo for Record

15 February 1946

1. 8th Army Special Sv Officer requests a building known as Hon-cho Apts for use as staging billets for USO performers in Tokyo-Yokohama Area. GHQ special Sv Off (Col Morris) states the whole show program is at present handicapped for lack of suitable billets for the entertainers when in Tokyo Area, and this building will be ideal for the purpose.

2. The Hon-cho Apts inspected 6 Feb 46 by Lt Col Pichel, are about one block north of Mitsubishi Dept Store in Hon-cho, Nihoubashi-ku. Fire-proof concrete & steel building six stories high, about 40' x 60'. Contains 60 hotel type rooms with western style toilet, bath and wash-bowls between almost every two rooms. Plumbing is in fair shape and dining room and kitchen are now being used by Japanese. After thorough cleaning and renovating and repairing, estimated to take a month, and equipping of rooms with electric heaters and some better furniture, a transient hotel for approx 80 persons can be established in this bldg. One elevator was operating but needed repair.

3. OCE representative (Col Stewart) made an inspection from point of view of renovating bldg for use by dependants and stated it was not considered practical to remodel this building to meet the American standards desired.

4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

RBD      763JFP      763GWC      823

Additional M/R

G-1 (Col Hickman) concurs in this. The 8th Army was directed by this hqs to provide a suitable location for accomodating approx 200 USO entertainers in Tokyo-Yokohama area. G-1 and SSO concurred in this directive. For approximately one month, various officers of SSO and 8th Army have been trying to locate a building for this purpose, which was available for allocation. They were turned down on every other building and as same were already under consideration for other uses. This building has not been considered before by any other agency except G-4 (as possible billets for dependants). Against such use CE's recommendation was not favorable in that connection. Special Services stated they could meet the directive (200 personnel staging billet) by means of this hotel, as the personnel would be retated to other areas from here.

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G-4 Tokyo



Memo for Record:

FAC - GWC/jrh  
18 February 1946

1. 64th Engr Topp Bn reports one usable elevator in the Isetan Bldg. This elevator has been in constant use since the building was occupied and should be made inoperative for repairs. The Engr mapping units occupy the top five floors and require elevator facilities.
2. CE recommends IJG make available one additional passenger and one freight elevator, and that Japanese repair and furnish services for same.
3. This office concurs in CE recommendation.
4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

JWR *[initials]* 823

GWC *[initials]* 823



597-A  
a-4 Tokyo



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**GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
CHECK SHEET**

(Do not remove from attached sheets)

File No.:

Subject: Inspection of Fuchu Prison.

~~XXXXX~~  
NOTE NO.

FROM:

G-4

To:

OCCIO

Date: 11 Feb 46

1. Attention is invited to the inclosed memorandum from the Japanese Government relative to an inspection of Fuchu Prison and the comments of Commanding General, Eighth Army in the inclosed 1st Indorsement.

2. It is requested that your office furnish any information available pertaining to this matter.

1 Incl: Ltr, this Hq file AG  
601 dtd 30 Jan 46 w/1 Incl.

*HEP*  
H. E. E.

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FROM: Public Safety Sec

TO: G-4

DATE: 16 Feb 46

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1. This office is unaware of any request or contemplated action by occupation forces, with a view of using Fuchu Prison.

2. Due to the critical shortage of prisons throughout Japan, this office urgently recommends that prison requirements by occupation forces be held to the absolute minimum.

1 Incl: n/c

*HEP*  
H. E. P.



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC

AG 601 (30 Jan 46)GD

APO 500  
30 January 1946

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601/ep  
9 FEB 1946  
GHO:AFFAC  
AGD

SUBJECT: Inspection of Fuchu Prison.

TO : Commanding General Eighth Army APO 343

1. Attention is invited to the inclosed memorandum from the Japanese Government relative to the inspection of Fuchu Prison by an officer of the Allied Forces.

2. Information is requested as to whether or not a requirement exists for Fuchu Prison and also information on which to base a reply to the inclosed memorandum.

By command of General MacARTHUR:

1 Incl: Memo from IJG file CLO  
415 (4.2), dtd 27 Jan 46.

*Harold Fair*  
HAROLD FAIR,  
Lt. Col., A G D,  
Asst. Adjutant General.  
8 FEB 1946

80th Army File No. AG 66616

AG 000.6 (K) 1st Ind.

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343.

TO: Commander-in-Chief  
General Headquarters  
AFFAC, APO 500  
Advance Echelon

1. The use of Fuchu Prison is not contemplated at this time.

2. The 6th Regional 80th CIC knows nothing of the incident mentioned in enclosed memorandum.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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1 Incl:  
n/c

*M. H. Wilke*  
M. H. WILKE,  
Capt. A.G.D.  
Asst. Adjutant General

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**IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT**  
**CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE**

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME  
COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: Request for Exemption of Fuchu Prison  
from Requisition

C.L.O. No. 415 (4.2)

27 January 1946

1. By the note C.L.O. No. 690 (1.3) dated 23 November 1945, the Japanese Government submitted a representation to the General Headquarters regarding the use by the Occupation Forces of Japanese prison premises.
2. Recently, an officer named Conhelt, CIC, 80th Unit, accompanied by other officers and men visited the Fuchu Prison on the 6th, 10th, and 19th of this month and thoroughly inspected the various equipments there. It is reported that the said premises may shortly be requisitioned by the occupation forces.
3. As the Sugamo Prison has already been occupied by the Occupation Forces, there are at present only the Fuchu and Kosuge Prisons left in Tokyo Metropolitan area. If the Fuchu Prison should be taken over, it would render extremely difficult the execution of penal affairs in Tokyo, where the number of convicts is largest in Japan.
4. With the above circumstances in view, it is requested that the General Headquarters would be good enough to give special consideration so that the Fuchu Prison may be exempted from requisition.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:

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GHQ. AFPAC  
60 / Japan  
28 JAN 1946  
AGO RECORDS

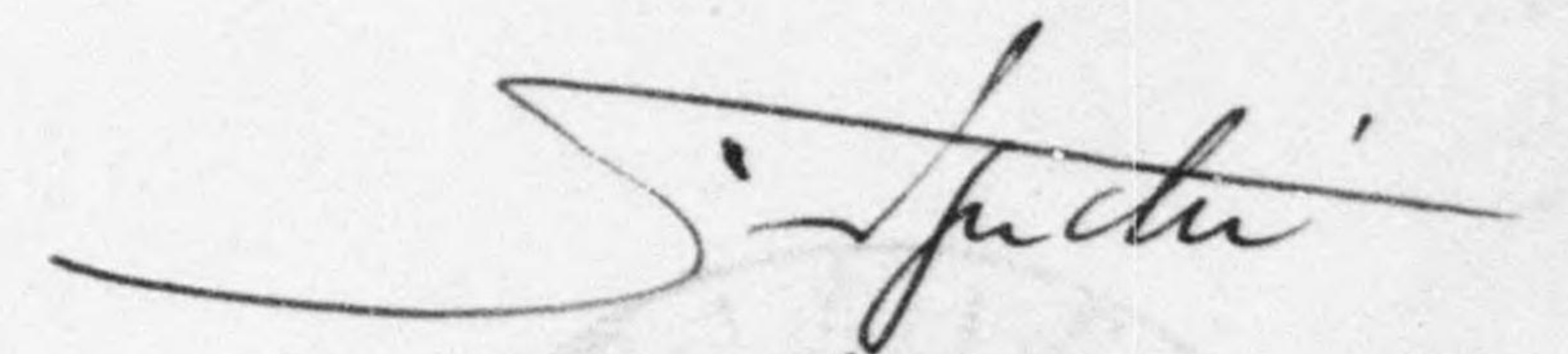


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FOR THE PRESIDENT:



(S. Iguchi)  
Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office.

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Memo for Record

FAC - GWC/jrh  
17 Feb 46

1. This building is classed as suitable for billets by Headquarters Commandant and Office Chief Engineers. The inspection by Lt Col Piebel (G-4) revealed that the top two floors are sealed (paper seals on doors) and under US guard is the various Manchurian Companies records are stored there under ESS control.
2. Time will have to be provided to allow ESS remove these records to another location, before work can be started on the floors occupied by these records.
3. The building has 75,000 sq ft of billeting space, according to Hq Comdt (Col Edwards).
4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

RBD \_\_\_\_\_ 763

JFP \_\_\_\_\_ 763

GWC *[Signature]* 823

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G-4 Tokyo



FAC - GWC/jrh

## Memo for Record:

1. The two residences on this request are to supplement the large central Hattori Mansion and one smaller residence adjacent which are already in use. The mess and recreational facilities at the Hattori Mansion serve as a center for the members of Mr. Keenan's Int Pros Sect, who are to be billeted in all these residences. The Hattori residence requested here is behind the large mansion and was occupied by the son (Hattori). This is a large two story frame house, mostly western style, with four western style toilets and one bath and one shower. Electricity but no heating system. The Ito residence is a three story frame western style residence with attached Jap sections. Has steam heat, hot water, electricity, but Jap style toilets and bath.

2. Billeting capacity of the group of residences is estimated as follows:

Hattori Mansion	18
Hattori Son's house	15
Ito Residence	10
Korenga Residence	11
Total	54

3. The Hattori son's residence requested in this letter is already vacant. The Ito residence can be vacated in a week.

4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

RBD MP 763JFP JP 763GWC JW 823584 A  
G-4 Tokyo

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER  
FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Rehabilitation of the South Manchurian  
Railway Building.

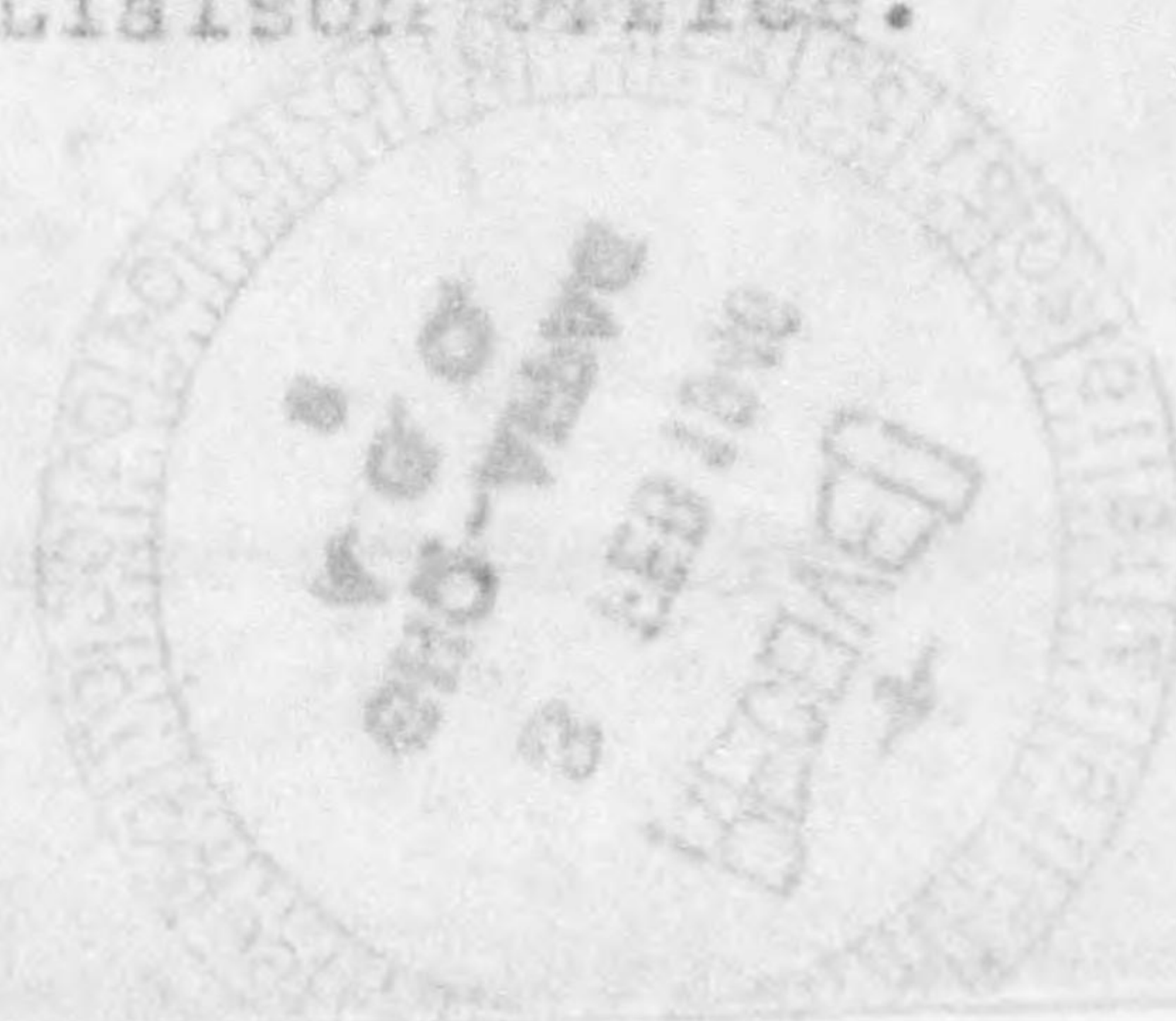
C.L.O. No. 520 (4.2)

2 February 1946

1. With regard to the rehabilitation of the South Manchurian Railway Building as directed by the General Headquarters in the Memorandum AG 601 (20 Jan 46) GD, repair work will be started as soon as possible, but in view of the heavy damages to the building, considerable time may be required for its completion.
2. With respect to the above building the Central Liaison Office has now received a request from the Board of Coal for use of a part of the fourth floor of the above building temporarily, as it is encountering difficulty in carrying on its business owing to the lack of space in the present office building.
3. The use of the above space by the Board of Trade will not in any way interfere with or delay the rehabilitation of the building.
4. The Central Liaison Office earnestly hopes that the General Headquarters would be good enough to give consideration to the above request in view of the urgency of the present coal situation.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:

( S. Iguchi )  
Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office.





FAC-GWC/chr

8 February 1946

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Hq Comdt requested that the basements in the five subject buildings be requisitioned from the IJG. Space in these buildings is needed for storage and supply rooms. The provision of building security is greatly facilitated if the entire building is controlled by the U. S. Army, particularly with respect to preventing entrance of unauthorized persons.

2. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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GWC [Signature] 823



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**G-4 FILE**



Memo for Record:

1. Hq Comdt requested the building in the Tokyo Central Wholesale Market Grounds adjacent to the GHQ Laundry and Dry Cleaning Plant. The building will be used as a storage building for supplies, inflammable fluids, extra parts for laundry machinery and other equipment used by the GHQ Laundry.
2. The building is entirely vacant except for a few Japanese living in one end of the building.
3. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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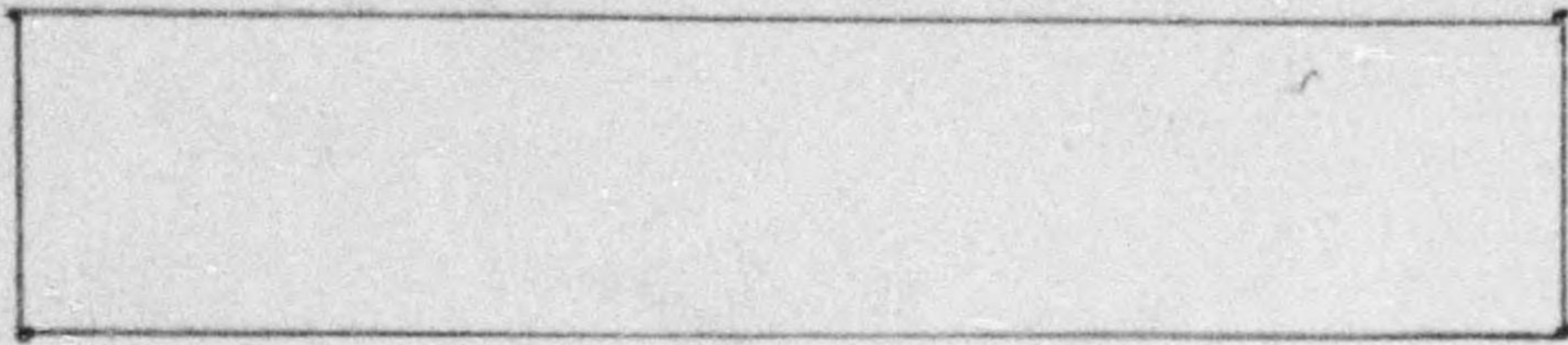
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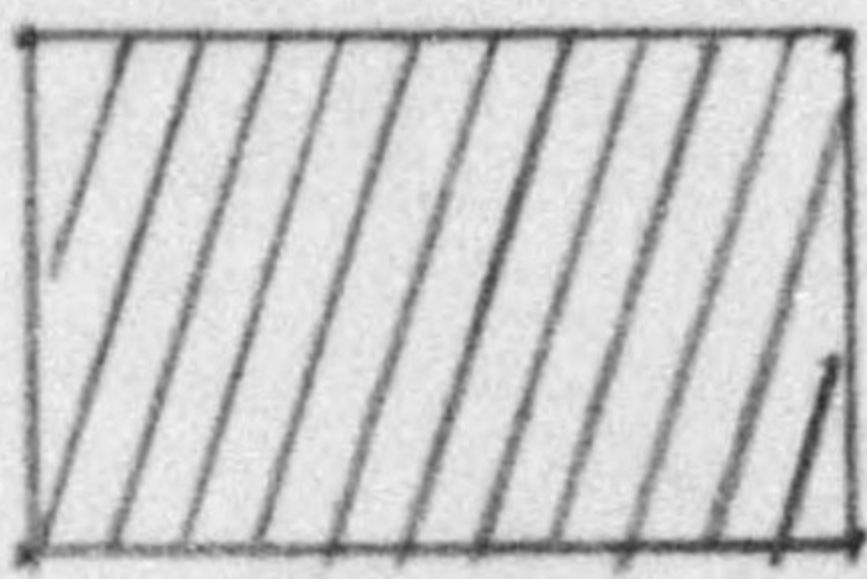
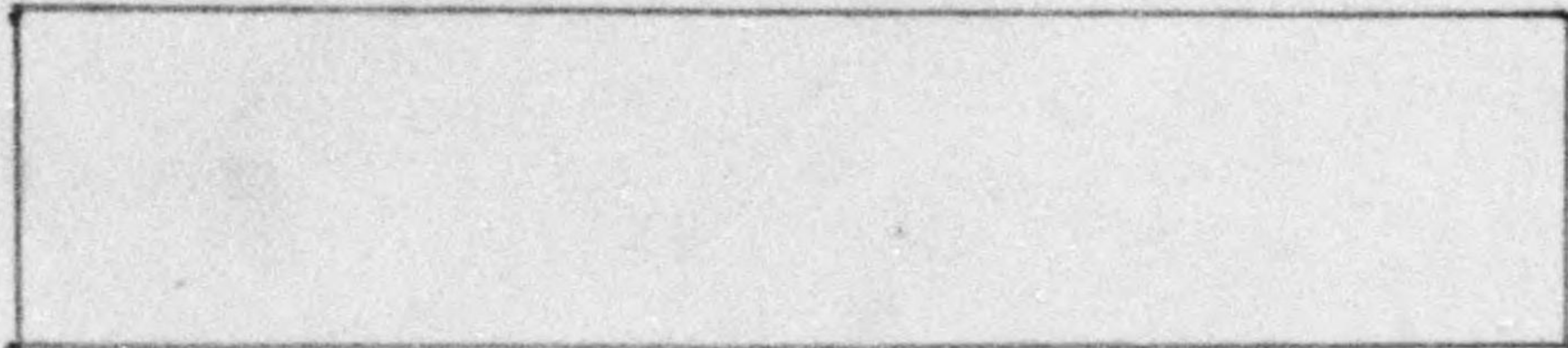
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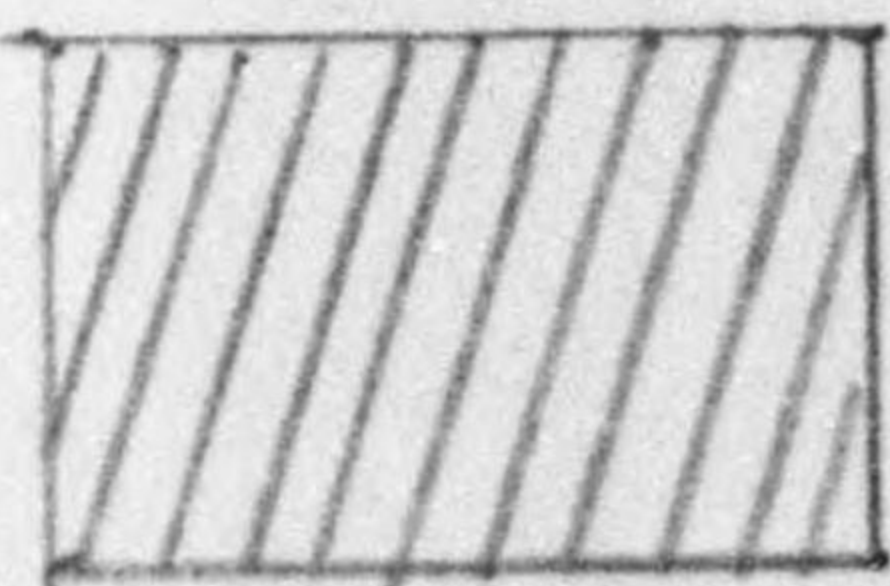
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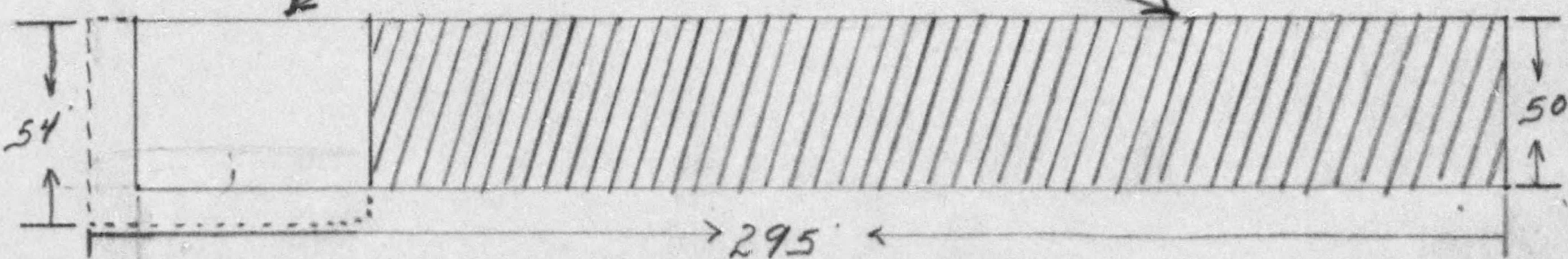
TOKYO CENTRAL MARKET



GHQ LAUNDRY AND  
DRY CLEANING PLANT.



REQUESTED BUILDING



ENTRANCE  
GATE

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FAC-GWC/chr

10 February 1946

MEMO FOR RECORD:

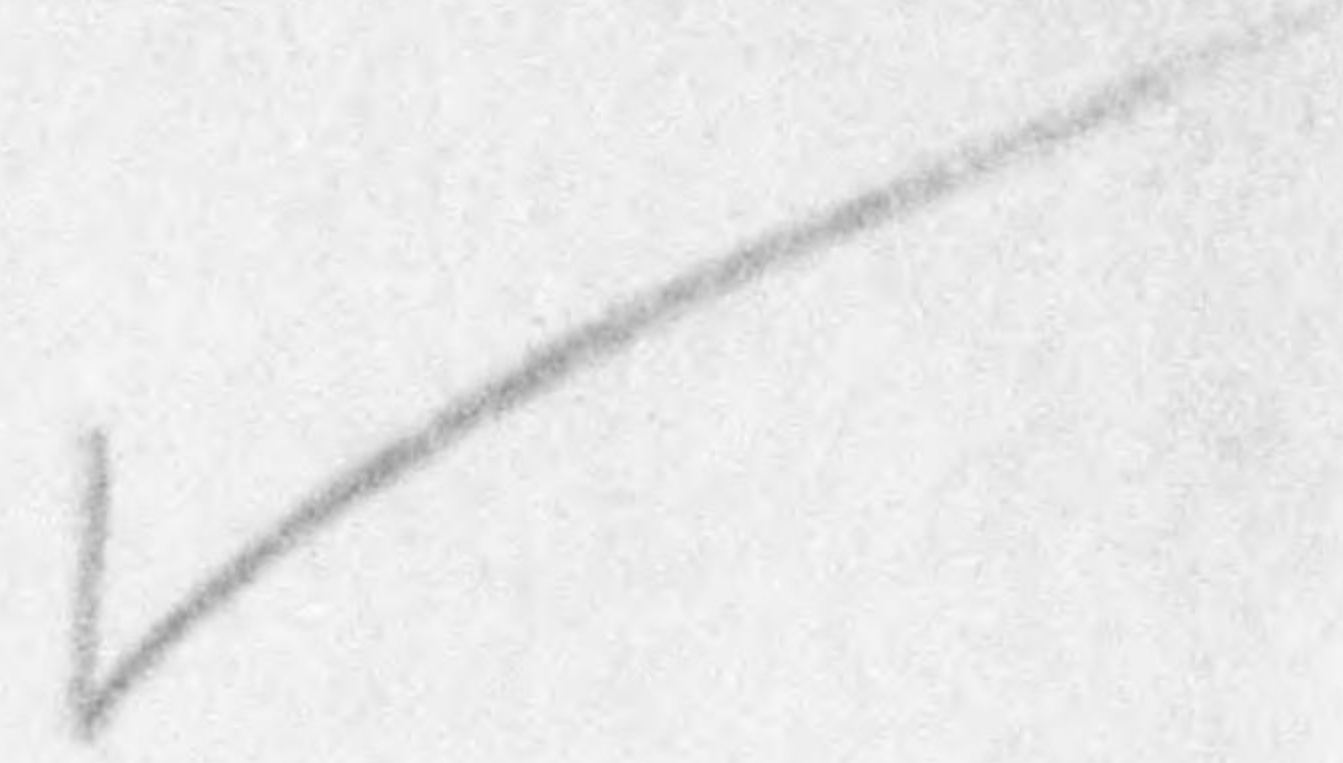
1. CE by C/N dtd 9 Feb 46 requested the IJG be directed to repair the boilers of the War Ministry and provide heat.

2. It is not necessary to requisition these facilities as they were taken over by the Allied Forces by virtue of their being used by the Japanese Army. The above Memo directs the IJG to place the heating system into operation and provide operating personnel and services required to furnish heat 24 hours a day to the portion of the War Ministry to be used by the Allied Forces.

3. This completes G-4 action on this case.

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G-1 Section, AFPC  
Intra-Office Routing SlipDate 28 Dec 1975

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For: Originator \_\_\_\_\_

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Remarks: ① Gen Eastwood wants this letter acknowledged to the extent we recall the letter referred to, however it was not identified as the same being due to difference in name.  
MP

② noted.

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Acknowledge

Received letter  
differs in name



G-A Section, AFPAC  
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Remarks:

see Tab

(1) This office did receive Japanese Memo CLO No. 351. However, the IJG stated in their letter that they were informing GHQ that the Foreign Office had decided to move into the Nissan Building. This office knew the Nissan Building under the title of the Japanese Navy Aeronautical Research Building. It was assumed at the time that the Japanese Foreign Office was moving into a building that was property of the Japanese Government or belonging to a civilian agency.

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IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

Brigadier-General H.E. Eastwood,  
General Headquarters for the  
Allied Powers

24 December 1945

My dear General,

I wish to refer to the Memorandum AG 601 (16 Dec 45)GD from the General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, concerning the use of the Nissan Building by the Foreign Office and the Central Liaison Office.

It was a serious oversight on our part that, whereas the Nissan Building was allocated by the General Headquarters for the demobilization purposes of the Japanese Navy and is a military installation, we did not go through the procedure of seeking the permission of the General Headquarters before moving into the building, but merely sent thereto information regarding the removal (C.L.O. No. 351, 23 Oct 45).

I sincerely regret this careless omission and take this occasion to express to you my profound apology.

Very truly yours,

*K. Kodama*

President,  
Central Liaison Office



C O P Y

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME  
COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: Removal of the Foreign Office.

C.L.O. No. 351

23 October 1945

The Central Liaison Office has the honour to inform the General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers that the Foreign Office which was obliged to discharge office routine at several places separately on account of the destruction of its buildings by air raids, has decided to move into the Nissan Building situated at No. 2, 1-chome, Tamuracho, Shiba Ward. The removal of the Foreign Office including the Central Liaison Office which now occupies a part of the building of the Ministry of Education at Toranomom into the Nissan Building is scheduled for the 1st and 2nd of November.

The telephone number and the other necessary particulars will be submitted at a later date.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:

( S. Iguchi )

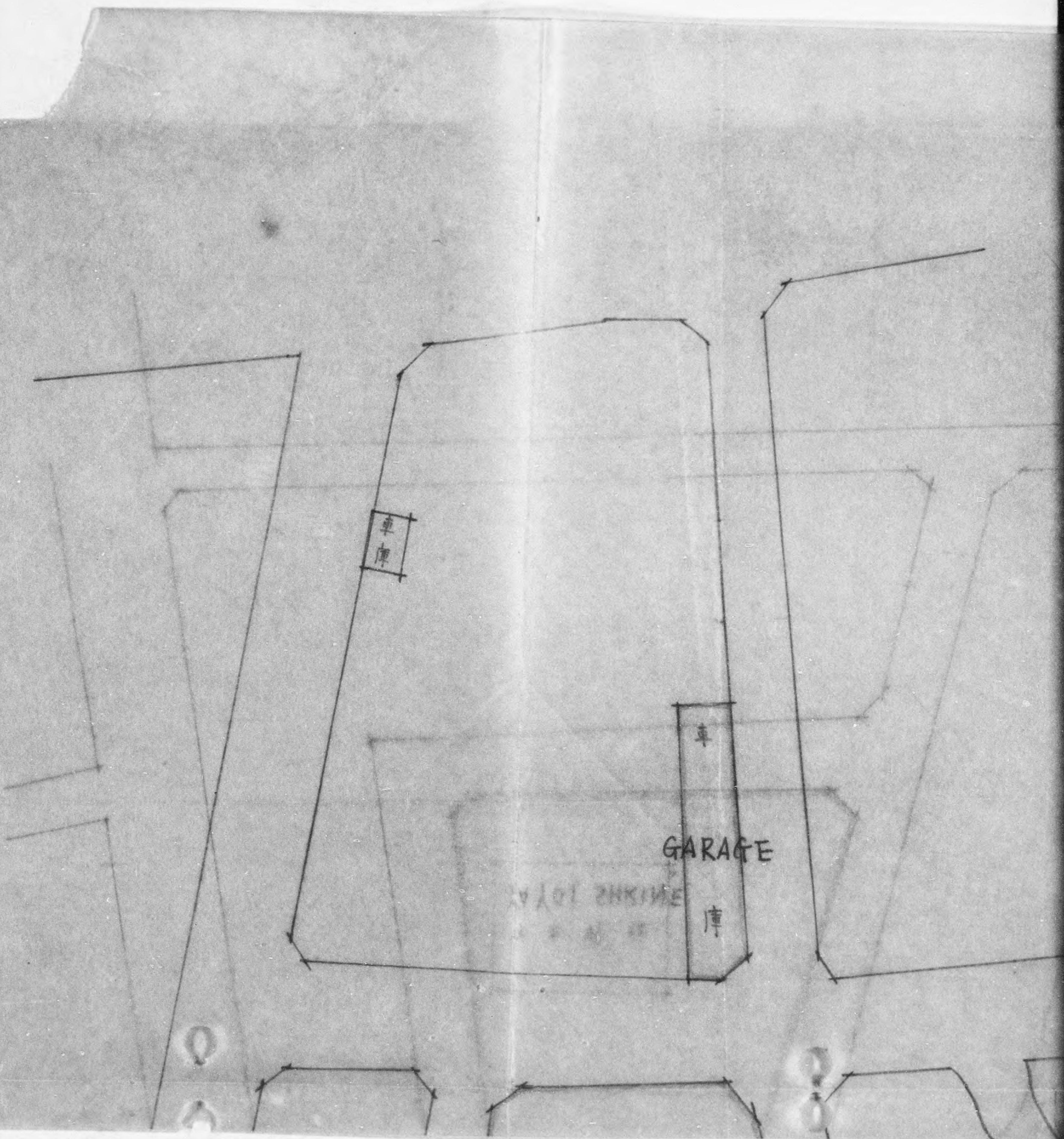
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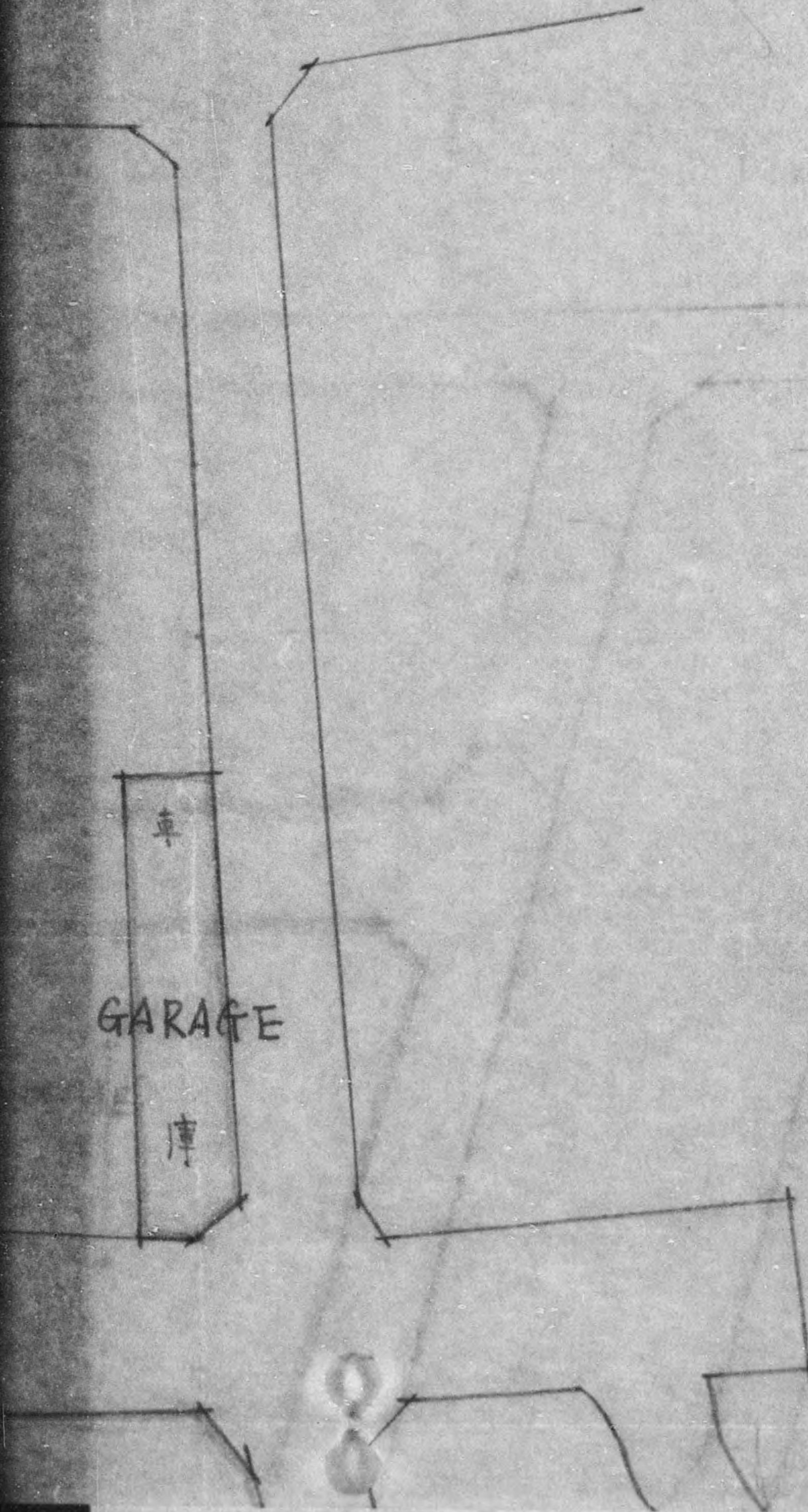
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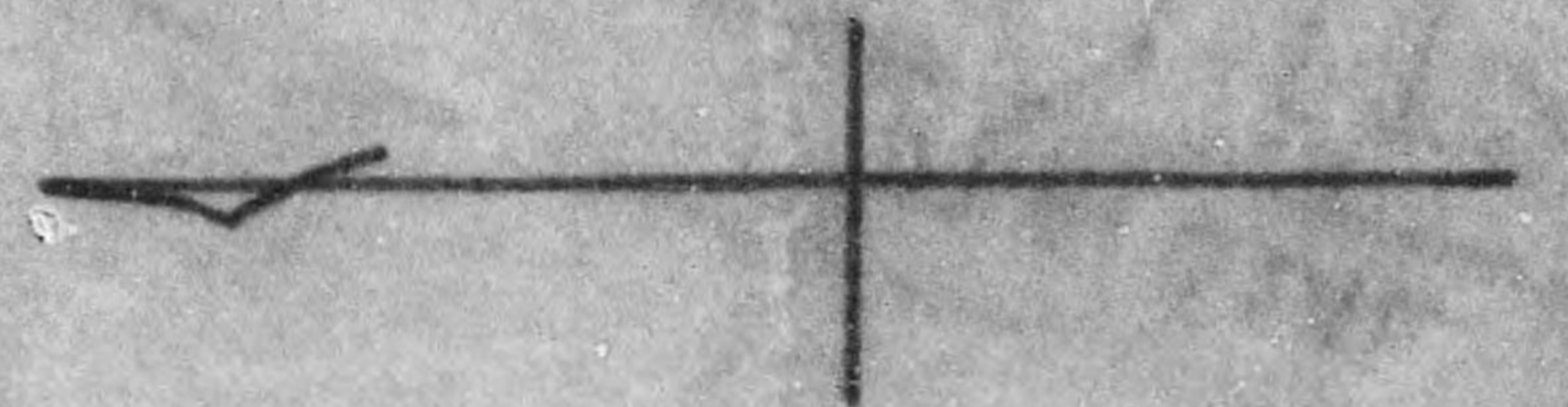
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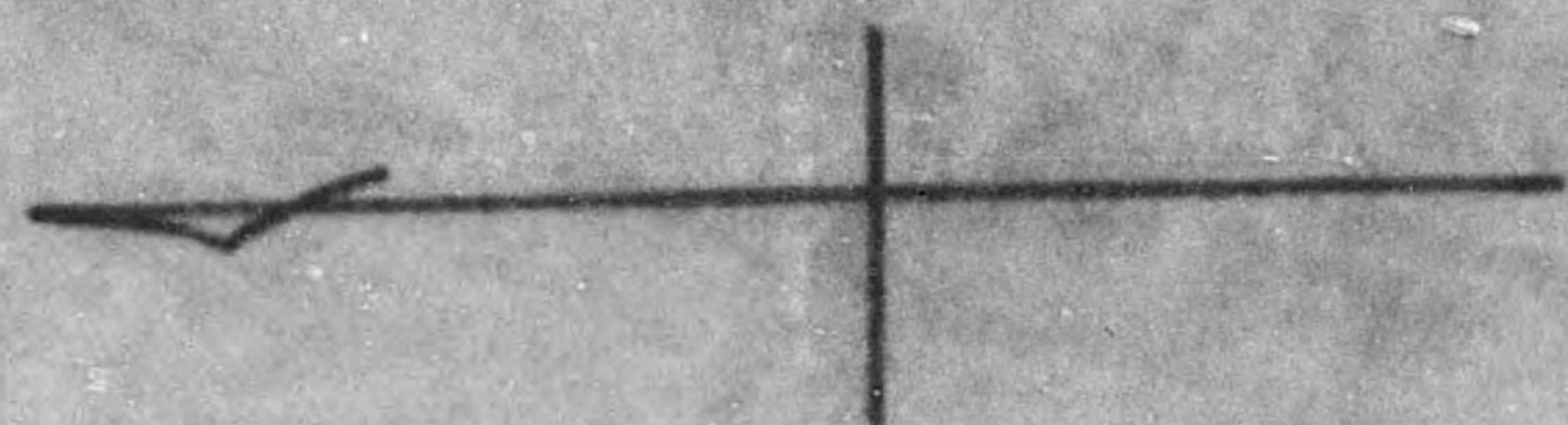
Police Headquarters residences guide plan

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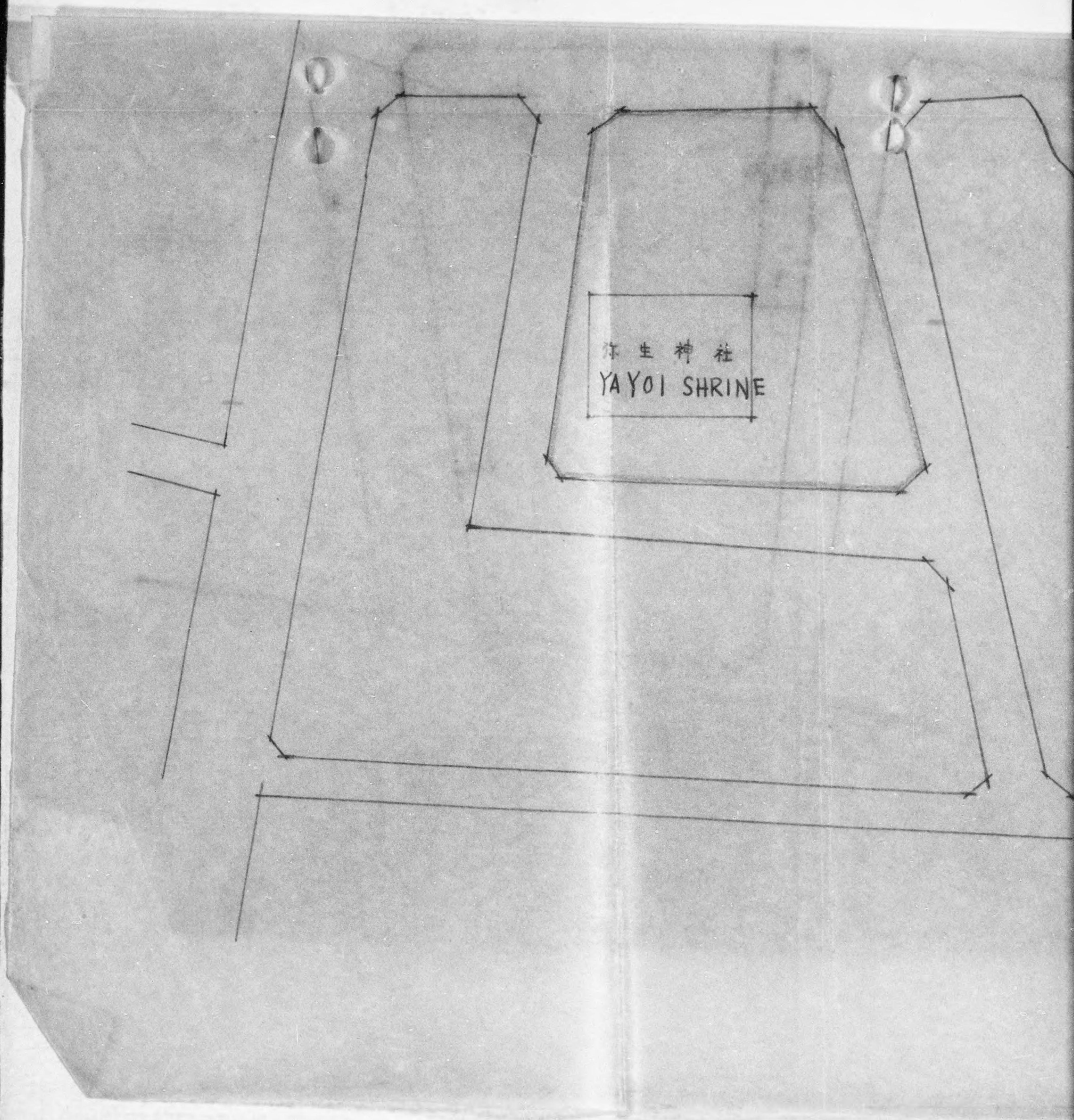
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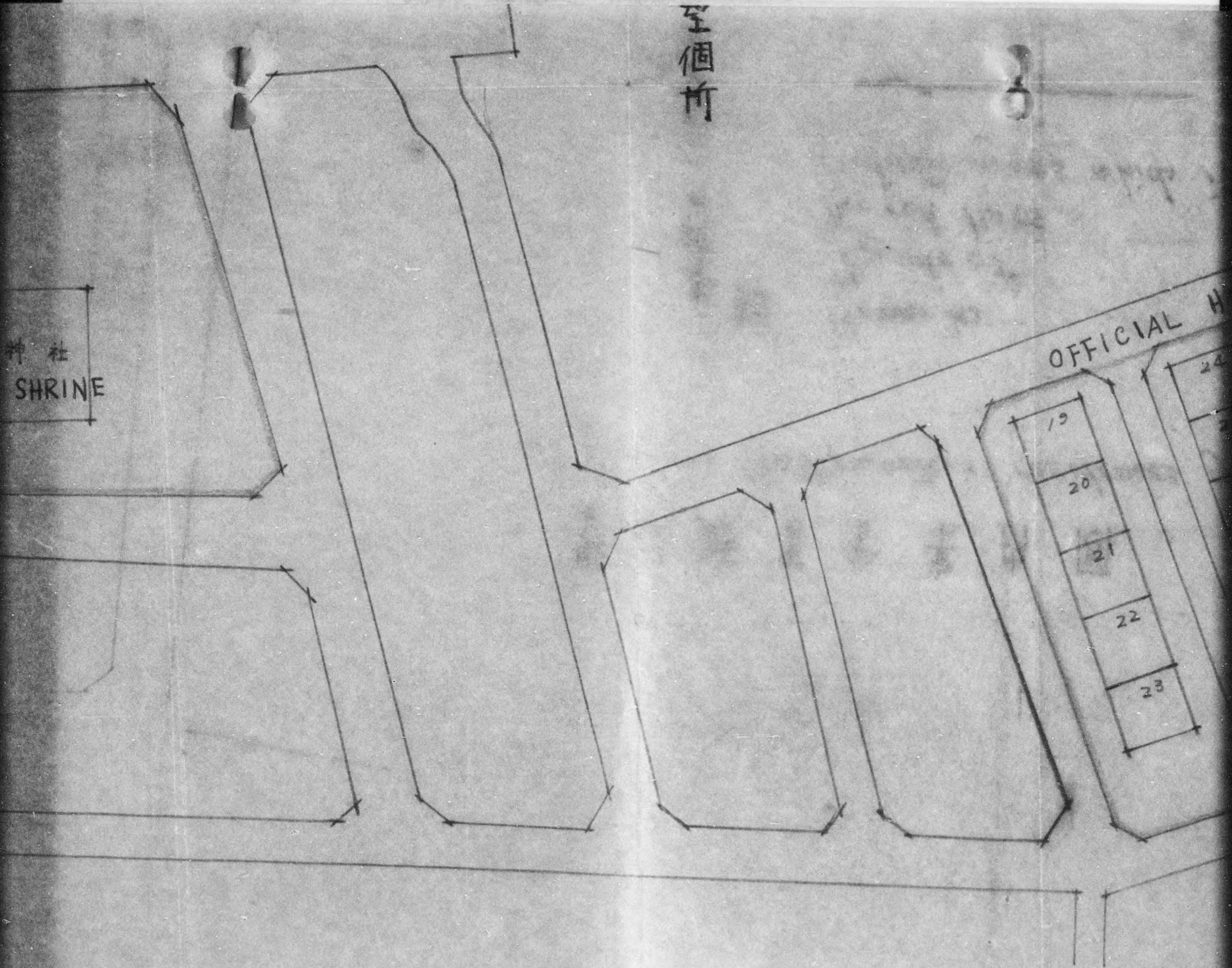
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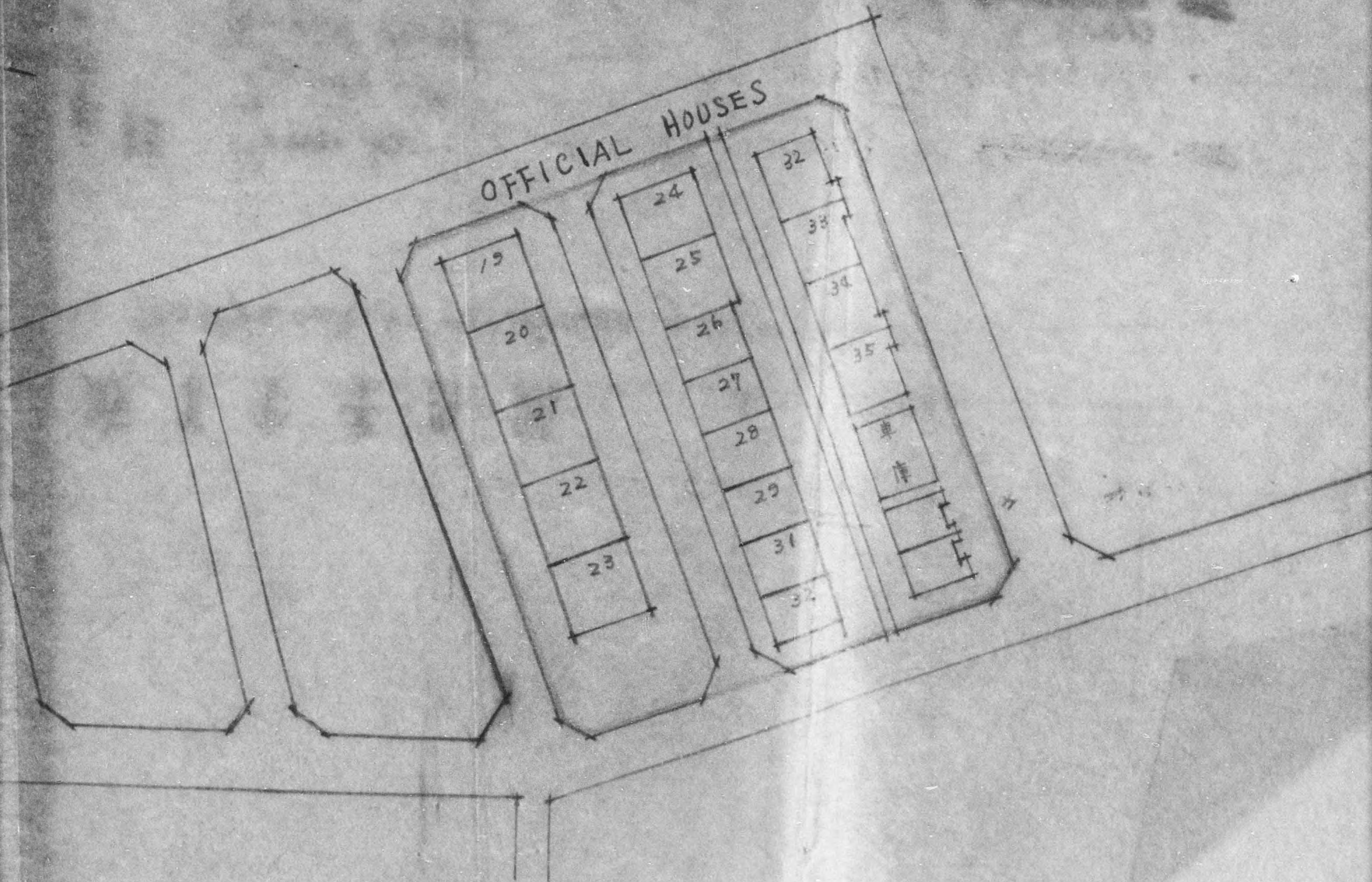
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## IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

GHQ  
AGO RECORDS  
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15 DEC 1945

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME  
COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: Request for Exemption from Requisitioning  
of Yayoi Shrine, etc.

C.L.O. No. 1100 (4.2)

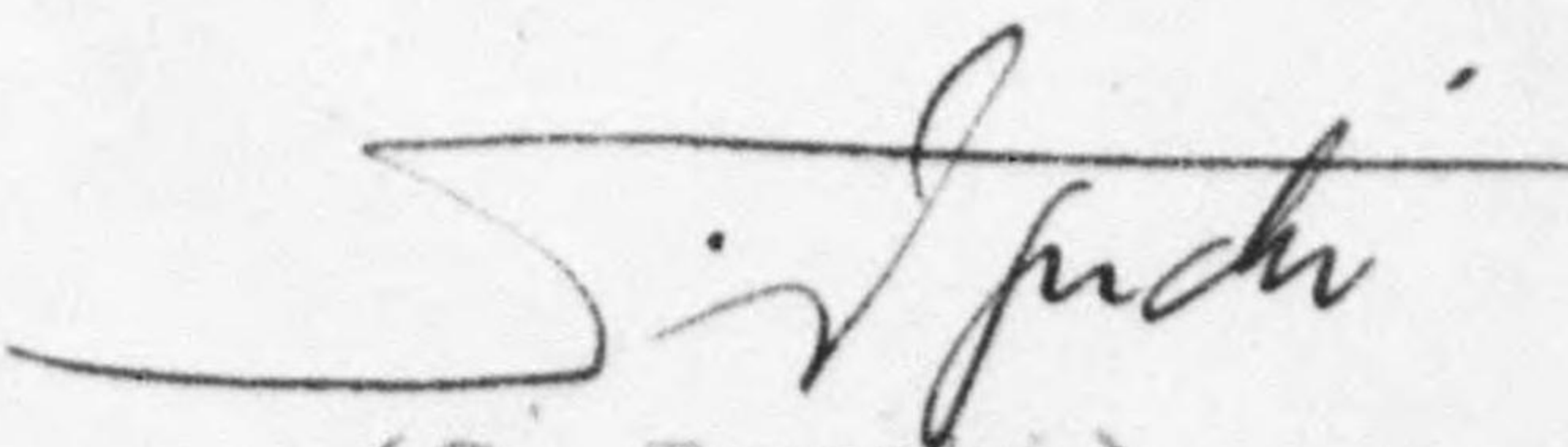
14 December 1945

The Central Liaison Office has received the following request from the Metropolitan Police Board:

"The Yayoi Shrine (consecrated to the spirits of those police and firemen who were killed while on duty) and the garage of the Board, both located at Hayabusa-cho, Kojimachi-ku, are at present being used just as they are, and the reconstruction of the three bombed official residences of the Board is nearing completion. Now, in view of the fact that the Occupation troops are carrying on the ground clearance work in this neighbourhood, it is assumed that the buildings in this area may be requisitioned by the Occupation forces. The good offices of the Central Liaison Office in this matter is requested."

Under the circumstances stated above, this office requests the special consideration of the General Headquarters regarding the exemption from requisitioning of the buildings, the garage, and the Yayoi Shrine, each encircled in red lines as shown in the accompanying sketch map.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:

  
(S. Iguchi)  
Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office.

Enclosure: a map



GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
**CHECK SHEET**

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File No.:

Subject: **Location of Yayoi Shrine and adjacent  
Garage and Residences.**

From:

**G-4**

To:

**OCE**

Date:

**17 Dec 45**

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**1. Your comments and recommendations are requested on the inclosed  
Memo from the Imperial Japanese Government.**

**2. The facilities discussed in the inclosed letter appear to be located  
on the site where the GHQ 2000-man camp is under construction.**

**1 Incl: Memo CLO 1100 (4.2),  
dtd 14 December 1945.**

*cah*  
*for*  
**H.E.E.**

**2.**

**Ch Engr**

**G-4**

**21 DEC 1945**

**1. A check on the ground has been made by a representative of this office  
to determine whether the Yayoi Shrine and adjacent garage and residences  
indicated on the sketch map attached to Inclosure 1 lie within the area presently  
contemplated for construction of the GHQ 2000-man camp.**

**2. It has been verified that the above installations do not fall within  
the area where present camp construction is contemplated, and it is recommended  
that the Japanese Government be so advised.**

**1 Incl: n/c**

*[Signature]*  
**A. B. L.**






GD P&amp;C - ORS/wbs

## MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD:

1. C.L.O. 537(5) of 10 Nov requested permission to send three officials to China to participate in conferences regarding reparation for damages to Allied property in Central China.
2. Our radio CAX 54899 of 16 Nov referred the matter to ComGen China for comment and recommendation.
3. In CFBX 15499, CG China said he considered the visit neither necessary nor desirable. However, he stated he would get the comment of the Chinese Government.
4. CFWX 17910 of 20 Dec from CG China advised that the Chinese Government did not desire to have the Japanese officials visit Shanghai.
5. This closes the matter as far as this Headquarters is concerned. The IJG is informed that their request is not favorably considered.

ORS CRH 

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26 November 1945  
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MEMO FOR RECORD:

SUBJECT : Japanese request for permission to send officials to China in connection with reparation for damage to Allied Property.

1. C. L. O. 537 (5) requested permission to send 3 officials to China to engage in discussion regarding reparation for damages to Allied property.

2. Our CAX 54899 of 16 November referred the matter to COMGEN CHINA for comment.

3. COMGEN CHINA in radio CFB 15499 of 25 November stated that he considered the trip neither necessary or desirable. He further said that he was taking the matter up with the Chinese Government and would advise us further after securing their views.

4. Recommendation:

Since this is an interim report from COMGEN CHINA and in view of the fact that final disapproval of Japanese Government's request is indicated, it is recommended that no action be taken at this time on the basis of CFB 15499 and that no communication be sent to the Japanese Government until COMGEN CHINA's final report is received.

ORS CRH 



GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

# INCOMING MESSAGE

SECRET  
OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

20 December 1945



TO : SCAP INFO: CINCPAC AND COMGENCHINA  
FROM : COMGENCHINA  
NR : CFWX 17910

*This message does not consider trip covered in your CAX either necessary or desirable.*

Rerads CAX 54899, CFBX 15499, CFB 15771 and CLO 1188. Chinese Government states that visit of 3 Japanese reparations Officials to Shanghai is not desired.

NO SIG

TO : 191135 Z  
MCN : YF 121

NOTE: Ref CLO 1188 has not been received in the AG Office, GHQ AFPAC ADV,

DISTRIBUTION:

ACTION COPY TO:

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INFORMATION COPIES TO:

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*CAX 54899: - Jap Govt has requested this has to authorize three officials of Jap Ministry of Foreign Affairs travel to Shanghai for conference re question of reparation for damages caused to American, British, and Chinese properties in Central China*

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

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25 November 1945

TO : CINCPAC ADVANCE INFO CINCPAC MANILA  
FROM : COMGEN CHINA  
NR : CFB 15499

This Headquarters does not consider trip covered in your CAX 54899 either necessary or desirable. However since it is a matter which also concerns the Chinese Government we are asking them for their views. Anticipating delay in reply this is Interim China Theater Headquarters reply only.

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TOO: 241202Z

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*Ref: concerns auth. for travel of  
Jap officials to China in re:  
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC P&C - ORS/wbs

OUTGOING MESSAGE  
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16 November 1945

FROM: CINCAFPAC ADVANCE  
TO : COMGEN CHINA.....PRIORITY  
INFO: CINCAFPAC MANILA.....ROUTINE

JAPANESE GOVERNMENT HAS REQUESTED THIS HEADQUARTERS TO AUTHORIZE THREE OFFICIALS OF JAPANESE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS TRAVEL TO SHANGHAI FOR CONFERENCES REGARDING QUESTION OF REPARATION FOR DAMAGES CAUSED TO AMERICAN CMA BRITISH CMA AND CHINESE PROPERTIES IN CENTRAL CHINA PD (CA+54899) INFORMATION ON DISCUSSIONS AND REQUEST FOR OFFICIALS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE BEEN FURNISHED JAPANESE GOVERNMENT BY THE GENERAL LIAISON DEPARTMENT OF THE JAPANESE ARMY IN CHINA AND MINISTER TSUCHITA CMA JAPANESE REPRESENTATIVE IN SHANGHAI PD DO YOU CONSIDER PROPOSED TRIP OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICIALS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE PD IF AFFIRMATIVE REQUEST AUTHORIZATION ENTRY THEATER PD REQUEST YOUR COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS AT THE EARLIEST PD

OFFICIAL:

Approved by:

B. M. FITCH  
Brigadier General, U. S. Army  
Adjutant General

H. E. EASTWOOD  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.  
Deputy Asst. C/S, G-4

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## IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME  
COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo

SUBJECT : Request for Permission to Send Officials  
to China in Connection with Reparation for  
Allied Property.

C.L.O. No. 537(5)

November 10, 1945

Telegrams have been received from the General Liaison Department of the Japanese Army in China (formerly the General Command of the Japanese Forces in China) and from Minister Tsuchita, the Japanese representative in Shanghai, to the effect that the Allied authorities in Shanghai have informed the Japanese officials that they will shortly take up formally the question of reparation for the damages caused to the American, British and Chinese properties in Central China which have so far been under Japanese custody. These telegrams ask that the officials in charge, together with related data, should be sent from Tokyo.

Accordingly, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs proposes to dispatch the following officials:

Hisanari Yamada, Councillor of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, being the Director of the Second Division of the Control Bureau of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Shigezo Yoshikawa, Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs attached to the above-mentioned Second Division.

Hideo Suzuki, Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, attached to the above-mentioned Second Division.

It is requested, therefore, that permission be granted for the travel of these officials. It would

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be convenient if they are allowed to board a liaison plane of the Supreme Allied Command. If this is impossible, it is hoped that they will be enabled to take "Hokusen Maru" which is scheduled to depart from Hakata on 21 November, 1945.

For the President,

*T. Katsube*  
( T. Katsube )

Chief of Liaison Section  
Central Liaison Office



21 December 1945

MEMO FOR RECORD:

SUBJECT: Acquisition of Tokyo Arsenal No. 1.

1. G-2 by c/n dtd 7 Dec 45 requested allocation of 24 additional buildings and adjacent open areas at the Tokyo Arsenal No. 1. These additional facilities are required to accommodate increases anticipated in the Tokyo section of U.S. Army Technical Intelligence Center. The various Technical Services will be represented at this center. The facilities after being renovated and used by the Intelligence Center will afford appropriate facilities for other units at some future date as they will be in condition for use.

2. This center now occupies 7 buildings at the Tokyo Arsenal No. 1 and these additional 24 buildings will make them a total of 31 buildings at this location. Approximately 350 persons are now quartered at the center and an increase of 150 or more is expected. In addition to buildings for billets additional buildings will be used for storage space, laboratories and shops.

3. Eighth Army at the time the original 7 buildings were requisitioned, stated they had no requirement for any part of Tokyo Arsenal either then or in the future.

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ADDED MEMO FOR RECORD:

ASCOM "C" Ord Officers (Cols. Skinner & Buck) stated they had no requirement for Tokyo Arsenal #1. They have designated and are using the Tokyo Army Ordnance Depot as their depot. The attached Map indicates the location of these two installations.

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**Memo for Record:**

1. IJG by Memo GLO No. 1023 (4.1) dtd 11 Dec 45, acknowledged receipt of our Memo directing the Management policy for the Marunouchi Hotel and submitted a recommended procedure for accomplishing our directive of 3 Dec 45. The procedure provided for the following:

a. The Jap Foreign Office will billet diplomats of Neutral and Allied Powers, and instruct the hotel to register only those recommended by them.

b. In case the 50 rooms reserved for diplomats are not fully occupied, such vacancies will be temporarily appropriated by the Foreign Office for use of Japanese Government personnel on condition that the rooms be vacated when required by diplomats.

c. The reservation of rooms for diplomats who visit Tokyo occasionally will be discontinued.

d. That an officer of GHQ issue certificates to permit bona fide civilians to secure rooms in the hotel.

2. This office by the above Memo to IJG approves only their recommendations contained in par 1 a above and directs that:

a. Diplomats of neutral and Allied Powers will not be denied reservations unless the 50 rooms reserved for this class of personnel are taken by them.

b. Jap Gov't officials will not be denied reservations unless the 50 rooms reserved for this class of personnel are taken by officials.

c. Civiliansemployees of this Hqs who are certified by the Hq Comdt, this headquarters will not be denied reservations unless the 70 rooms reserved for this class of personnel are taken by them.

d. This Hqs, will not furnish certificates to permit civilians other than those employed by GHQ to obtain reservations. These civilians may be furnished reservations by the hotel management without certification. However, these civilians will not be furnished reservations when such reservations are required by the personnel and under the conditions listed in pars a, b, and c above.

3. It is desired that the hotel be managed in accordance with existing local laws and customs for all vacancies not required by personnel listed in our directive.

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**GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC**

**CHECK SHEET**

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File No.:

Subject: **Reservation of Rooms in Marunouchi Hotel.**

From:  
NOTE NO.

FROM: G-4

To: Hq Comdt

Date: 14 Dec 45

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Your comments and recommendations are requested on paragraph 3 of the inclosed Memorandum from the Japanese Government.

1 Incl: Memo fr CLO, No. 1023 (4.1)  
dated 11 December 1945.

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*H.B.E.*

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17 Dec 45

The Central Liaison office is laboring under a misapprehension. The Marunouchi Hotel management is at liberty to rent any of the 78 rooms in question which are not required by employees of GHQ with the understanding that they can be evicted on 24 hour notice if the room is required by GHQ. Certificates of permission to reside in the Marunouchi Hotel will be issued by the Hq Comdt to GHQ employees only.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER  
FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: Management of the Marunouchi Hotel.

C.L.O. No. 1023(4.1)

11 December 1945

The Central Liaison Office wishes to acknowledge receipt of the Memorandum AG 601 (3 Dec 45) GD on the above subject, stating (1) that 50 rooms be reserved for Neutral and Allied Powers' diplomatic staffs whose presence is required in Tokyo and who have no other place of residence in Tokyo, (2) that 50 rooms be reserved for officials of the Japanese government whose presence is required in Tokyo and who have no other residence in Tokyo, (3) that the remaining rooms be used for bona fide civilian use, giving preference to Japanese and foreign nationals employed by the General Headquarters, (4) that no military or naval personnel of the Allied Occupation Forces be permitted to reside, except upon authority of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

The above directions have immediately been communicated to the Management of the Hotel. It is proposed that these directions will be executed in the following manner, and the views of your Headquarters on this is requested as soon as possible.

1. As regards diplomatic staffs, unless otherwise directed by the General Headquarters, the Foreign Office will billet them and instruct the Hotel to register only those who are recommended by the Foreign Office in the 50 rooms mentioned in paragraph 4, (a) of the Memorandum. ✓

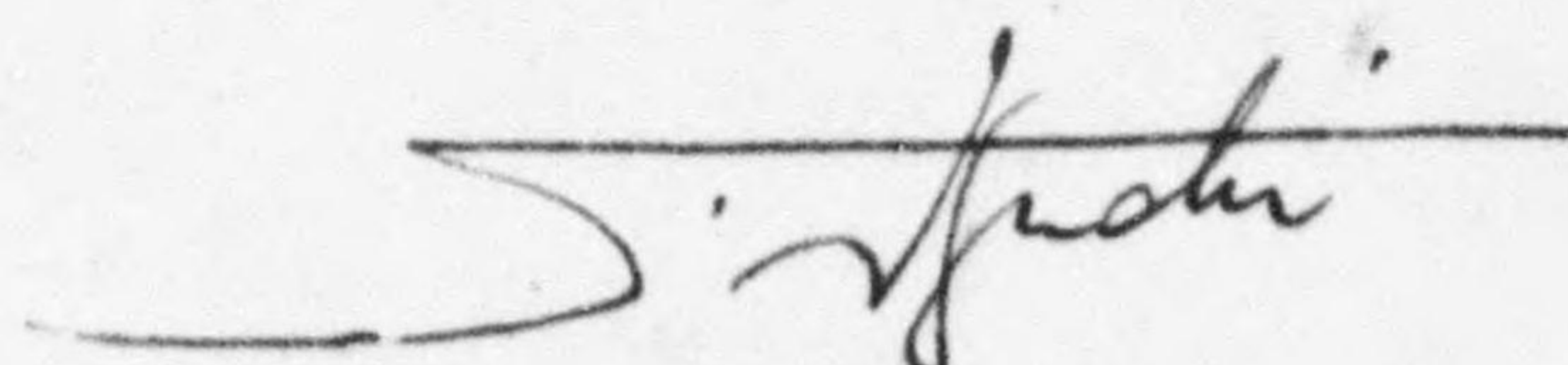
The continuous reservation of rooms for diplomatic personnel who do not stay in the Hotel permanently, but visit Tokyo occasionally on business will be refused. ✓



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2. In case the 50 rooms reserved for diplomatic staffs are not fully occupied, such vacant rooms will be temporarily appropriated by the Foreign Office for the use of Japanese Government personnel on condition that the rooms will be vacated at any time when required by diplomatic staffs. X
3. As there are 178 rooms in the Hotel, the number of persons to be permitted under paragraph 4, (c), and paragraph 5 of the Memorandum will be limited to 78, and those so permitted will be given a certificate of permission in a prescribed form, signed by a competent officer of the General Headquarters. A specimen of such a certificate is to be forwarded to the Hotel. Further, it is requested to give the above-mentioned certificate of permission also to those employees of the General Headquarters now staying in the hotel. X

FOR THE PRESIDENT,



(S. Iguchi)  
Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office.



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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: Request for exemption from requisitioning of the Patent Board. (*cat swinging business*)

C.L.O. No. 1077 (4.2)

13 December 1945

It is reported that the officers in charge of requisitioning of the Allied General Headquarters have recently made survey of the building of the Patent Board, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

It would be highly appreciated if the General Headquarters would be good enough to exempt from requisitioning the said building, taking into consideration the circumstances stated below.

(1). The Patent Board is part of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry. The Bureau naturally holds a great number of data and materials of international value which aim at guaranteeing the international protection of industrial inventions and devices and the rights thereof. Moreover the Building differs from ordinary ones in the fact that it contains special apparatuses and chemical laboratories specially connected with the work of this Board. Therefore it will be next to impossible to find a building suitable to house the staff and facilities of the Patent Board.

(2). In the building of the Patent- Board are housed three bureaus of the Commerce and Industry Ministry, namely, Electricity, Mining and Textiles Bureaus, besides the Patent Board, the former three bureaus occupying the third and fourth floors.

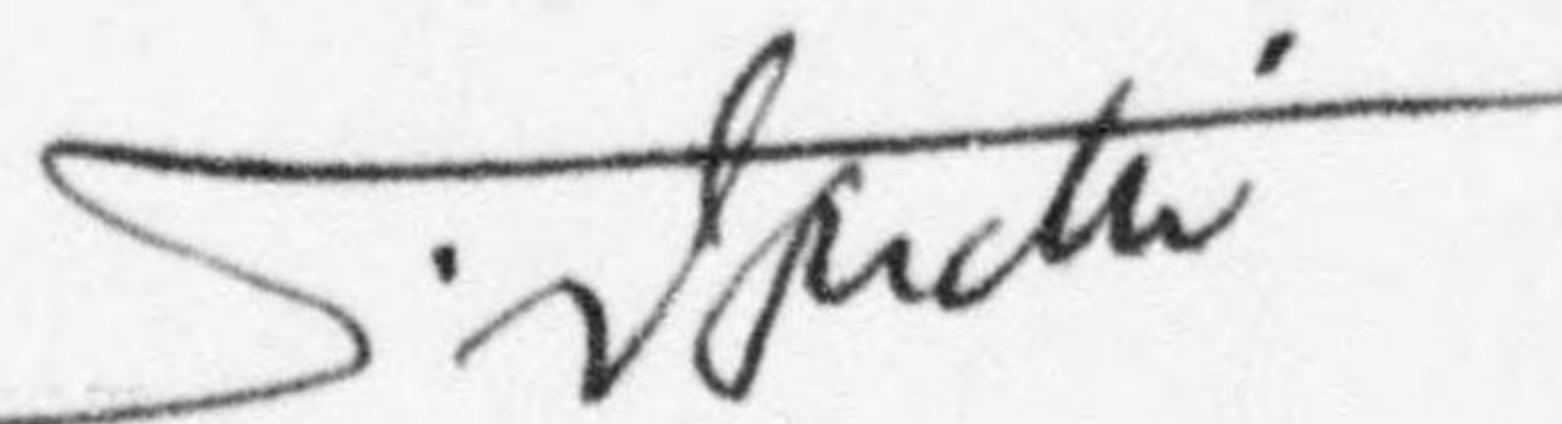
(3) Consequently, the building is in a congested condition, scarcely no room to swing a cat in. Moreover the Department of Commerce and Industry has been instructed by the Allied Headquarters to establish two new bureaus, namely, a Coal Bureau and a Trade Bureau, for the staffs of which the Department of Commerce and Industry must find proper accommodation. Therefore, we are pressed speedily to reconstruct the burnt and destroyed floors.

(4) In view of the scarcity of buildings suitable for office work it will be difficult for us to find any building for use by the ousted bureaus, upon your occupation of the said Patent Board building.



(5) If it should ever happen that the various bureaus be scattered and wide apart from each other, the coordination of the business prosecuted by the Commerce and Industry Ministry would be rendered very imperfect.

FOR THE PRESIDENT,



(S. Iguchi),  
Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office



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BASIC: Ltr, General Headquarters, United States Army Forces, Pacific, Adv. APO 500 dtd. 29 November 1945, Subj: "Exemption from Requisition of the Igarashi Marine Products Factory".

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HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY SERVICE COMMAND C, APO 404 8 DEC 1945

THROUGH: Commanding General, Eighth Army APO 343.

TO : Commander-in-Chief, United States Army Forces, Pacific, Advanced, APO 500. (Attention: Facilities Sec. G-4.)

The Igarashi Marine Product Co. Ltd. was inspected by this Headquarters on November 12th as a possible location for the Coca Cola Co. bottling plant. However another site has been allocated for the use of the Coca Cola Co. and the Igarashi Marine Product Co. Ltd. is no longer under consideration by this Headquarters.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl:  
n/c

*John R. Aden*  
JOHN R. ADEN  
Capt. A. C.,  
Actg. Asst. Adj. Gen.

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Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343.

TO: Commander-in-Chief, General Headquarters, AFPAC, Advance Echelon, APO 500. (Attn: Facilities Section. G-4.)



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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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AG 601 (29 Nov 45)GD  
APO 500  
29 November 1945

SUBJECT: Exemption from Requisition of the Igarashi Marine Products Factory.

TO : Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343.

Your comments and recommendations are requested on the inclosed request from the Japanese Government to exempt the Igarashi Marine Products Factory in Tokyo from requisition by the Allied Forces who plan to operate it as a soft drink bottling plant.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

*E. D. Law, Jr.*  
E. D. LAW, JR.  
Major, AGD  
Asst. Adj. Gen.

1 Incl: Memo from IJG  
dtd 23 Nov 45.

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Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343.

TO: Commanding General, USASCOM-C, APO 404.

A matter pertaining to your command.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL EICHELBERGER:

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*M. W. [Signature]*

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER  
FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Request for Exemption from Requisition of a factory of  
the Igarashi Marine Products Co., Ltd.

C.L.O. No. 692 (4.2)

23 November 1945

The Central Liaison Office has been informed that on November 12th an officer of the Allied forces inspected the factory of the Igarashi Marine Products Co., Ltd., located at 2, 2-chome, Shibaura, Shiba-ku, Tokyo, as a preliminary survey for converting a part of the factory into a mill for the manufacture of soft drinks for the Allied Forces.

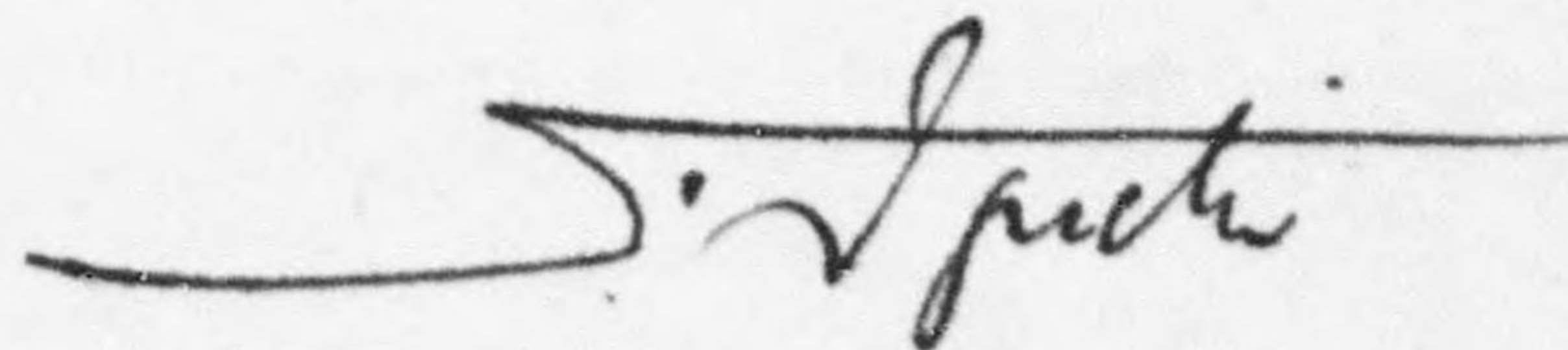
The main part of the above factory is now being used for cold-storage, having a capacity of approximately 180,000 cubic feet, of which a space of about 60,000 cubic feet is allocated for storing approximately 120,000 kan (450 kilo-tons) of onions, about 4,000 kan (15 kilo-tons) of apples, and a supply of green vegetables and fruits, for the Occupation forces, together with some salted and dried fishes for distribution to the residents of the Tokyo Metropolis.

The remaining space in the factory is indispensable for processing and storing marine products and for classifying incoming and outgoing goods.

Should this part of the factory be requisitioned by the Allied forces, the processing of marine products will be rendered impossible and also extreme difficulty will be experienced in classifying incoming and outgoing goods. Furthermore the removal of machinery equipment is an extremely difficult matter.

Under the circumstances the Japanese Government would much appreciate if the General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers would be good enough to give its kind consideration so that the above factory may be exempted from requisition.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:



(S. Iguchi)  
Director of General Affairs,  
Central Liaison Office.

Enclosure: a plan.

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16 December 1945

MEMO FOR RECORD:

SUBJECT: Acquisition of Office Space.

1. OCCIO by check sheet dated 13 Dec 45 in answer to our query of 9 Dec 45 reported the following office space as occupied:

a. CENTRAL TELEGRAPH OFFICE BUILDING: one room, 30' x 45', fifth floor. Occupied on or about 15 Sept 45 by the District Telecommunications Station of CCD after informal arrangements had been completed with Japanese occupants. Space utilized is essential for the prompt censoring of communications going through this building.

b. SHISEI KAIKAN BUILDING: 900 sq ft, second floor. Building is utilized for the News Agency Section of CCD. Section was housed in above building upon the verbal agreement of Mr. Kato, Assistant Managing Director, Kyodo News Agency to expedite the processing of news copy prior to publication.

c. CENTRAL TELEPHONE BUILDING: One room, 25' by 25' with additional space for two monitors with their equipment in the telephone overseas switchboard room, all located on second floor. Building was occupied on or about 15 Sep 45 after informal arrangements had been completed with tenants. Space now occupied is most necessary to accomplish the censorship of telephone communications.

2. The above letter is a procurement demand for this space. It is felt best to procure this space, although the owners or building managers have agreed to its use, because of the requirements for installation of electric heaters and other minor repairs.

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