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About the first week of January 1952, I received a letter from one of my Lisa friends reporting that the Communists are parading US captives (prisoners of war) in Paoshan, Yunnan Province, for propaganda purposes. [Allowing for mail transmission time, the parades apparently were held in December, 1951.] My friend said he had actually seen such captives -- and they are US soldiers. Communist barkers pointed the US soldiers to the spectators, saying they are the people we've been fighting -- and have conquered." [REDACTED] reporting removal of UN POWs from Shansen to a destination unknown.

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