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In late May 1953, approximately 1,500 United Nations prisoners of war were confined in a camp at Tungchutzu (2639/1444/1311), Tientsin. The majority of these prisoners of war were American marine officers and men who were sent to this camp after recovering from wounds.

[REDACTED] Comment. A POW camp once tentatively accepted in Tientsin was dropped from available listings in January 1953 because of a lack of recent reports concerning it. Available information fails to indicate the positive presence of any POW camps in China outside of Manchuria.

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