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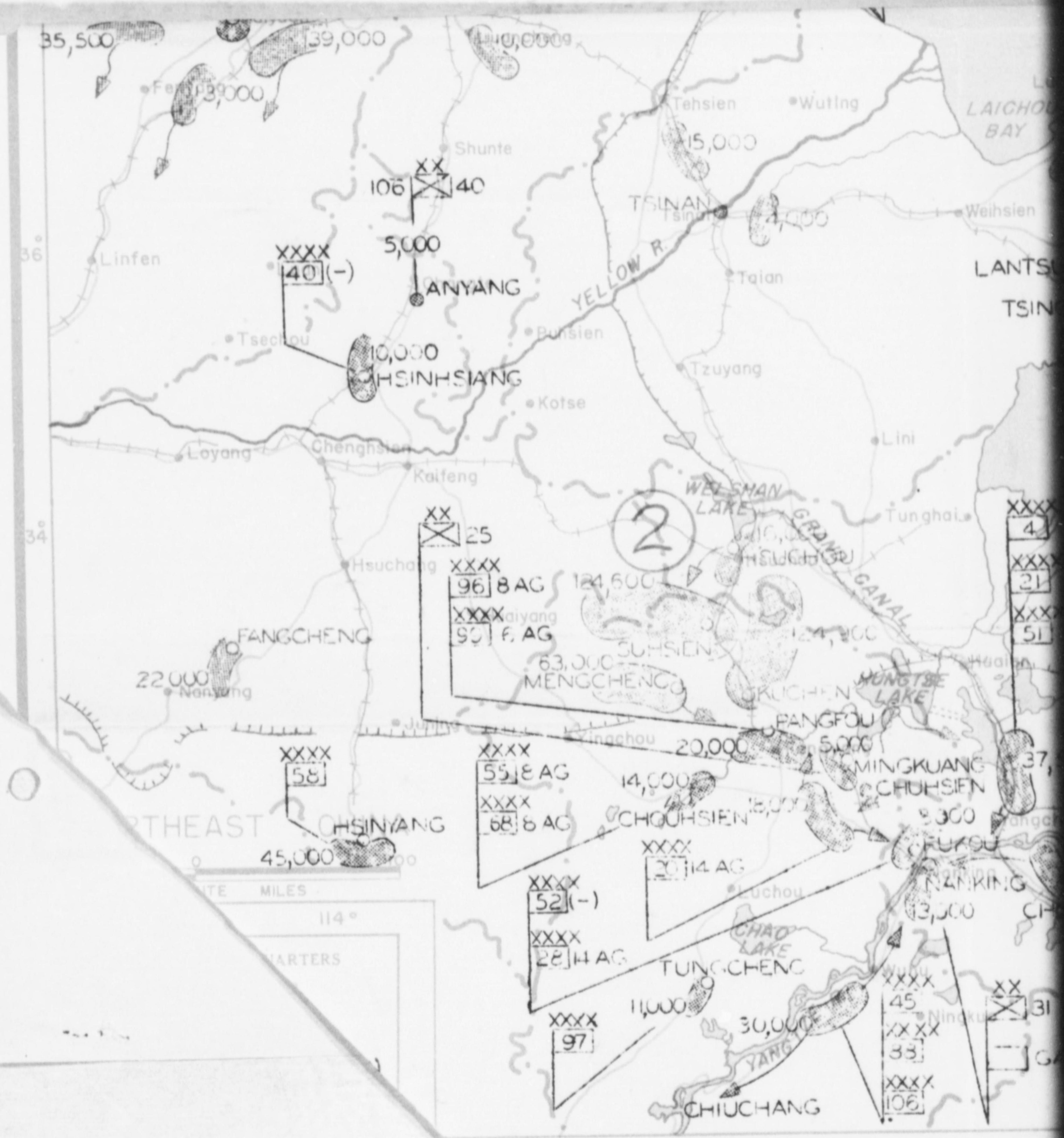

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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION. GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

HOUR: 1700
DATE: 12 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in China Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference is made to US MILAT, Nanking radio CM 9021 (AG No. 27124) 12 Jan 49 (Tab - 1) and Map "A" (Tab - 2).

b. Items 1 and 2 pertain to military developments in East-Central China. Item 1 indicates the capitulation of TU Yu-ming's 2d and 13th Army Groups southwest of Hsuchou. 1

c. Item 2 indicates no change in Nationalist dispositions in the Pangfou area, but Communist movements and activities have lead Chinese G-2 to believe Communist intentions are to completely isolate Nationalist forces remaining in the area. 2

d. Items 3 and 4 pertain to military developments in North China. Item 3 indicates a weakening of Nationalist defenses at Tientsin, with the Communists now in control of two entrances to the city. 3

e. Item 4 indicates Communist activity in the Peiping area pointing to a possible forthcoming attack against that city. 4

2. G-2 Comment:

a. TU Yu-ming's surrender marked the end of a prolonged defensive stand against numerically superior Communist Forces. Of the original 180,000 - 200,000 Nationalist troops which departed Hsuchou under TU's command, only an estimated 15,000 effective troops remained at the time of surrender which occurred 10 Jan. An acute shortage of food, water, fuel and ammunition contributed much to the collapse of this Nationalist position. Approximately 125,000 Communist troops of CHEN Yi's command are now released to enter operations to the south.

b. In North China, complete collapse of the Tientsin positions

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d. Items 3 and 4 pertain to military developments in North China. Item 3 indicates a weakening of Nationalist defenses at Tientsin, with the Communists now in control of two entrances to the city.

e. Item 4 indicates Communist activity in the Peiping area pointing to a possible forthcoming attack against that city.

2. G-2 Comment:

a. TU Yu-ming's surrender marked the end of a prolonged defensive stand against numerically superior Communist Forces. Of the original 180,000 - 200,000 Nationalist troops which departed Hsuchou under TU's command, only an estimated 15,000 effective troops remained at the time of surrender which occurred 10 Jan. An acute shortage of food, water, fuel and ammunition contributed much to the collapse of this Nationalist position. Approximately 125,000 Communist troops of CHEN Yi's command are now released to enter operations to the south.

b. In North China, complete collapse of the Tientsin positions appears imminent.

3. Action.

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, JSPOG and G-3.

2 Incls: (Attached to ADC and Chief of Staff's Copies Only)
1 - US MILAT, Nanking radio (Tab - 1)
2 - Map "A" (Tab - 2)

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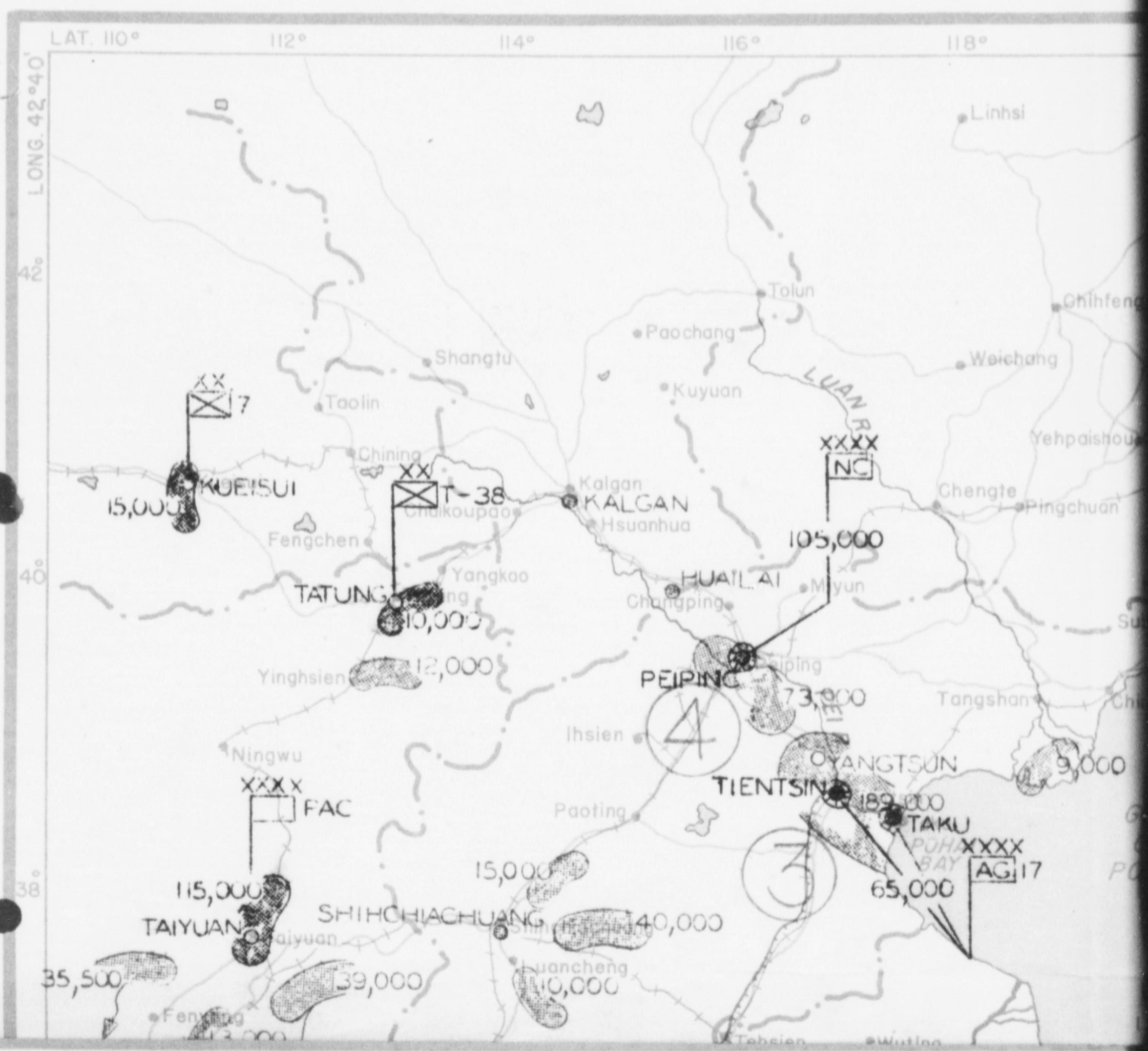

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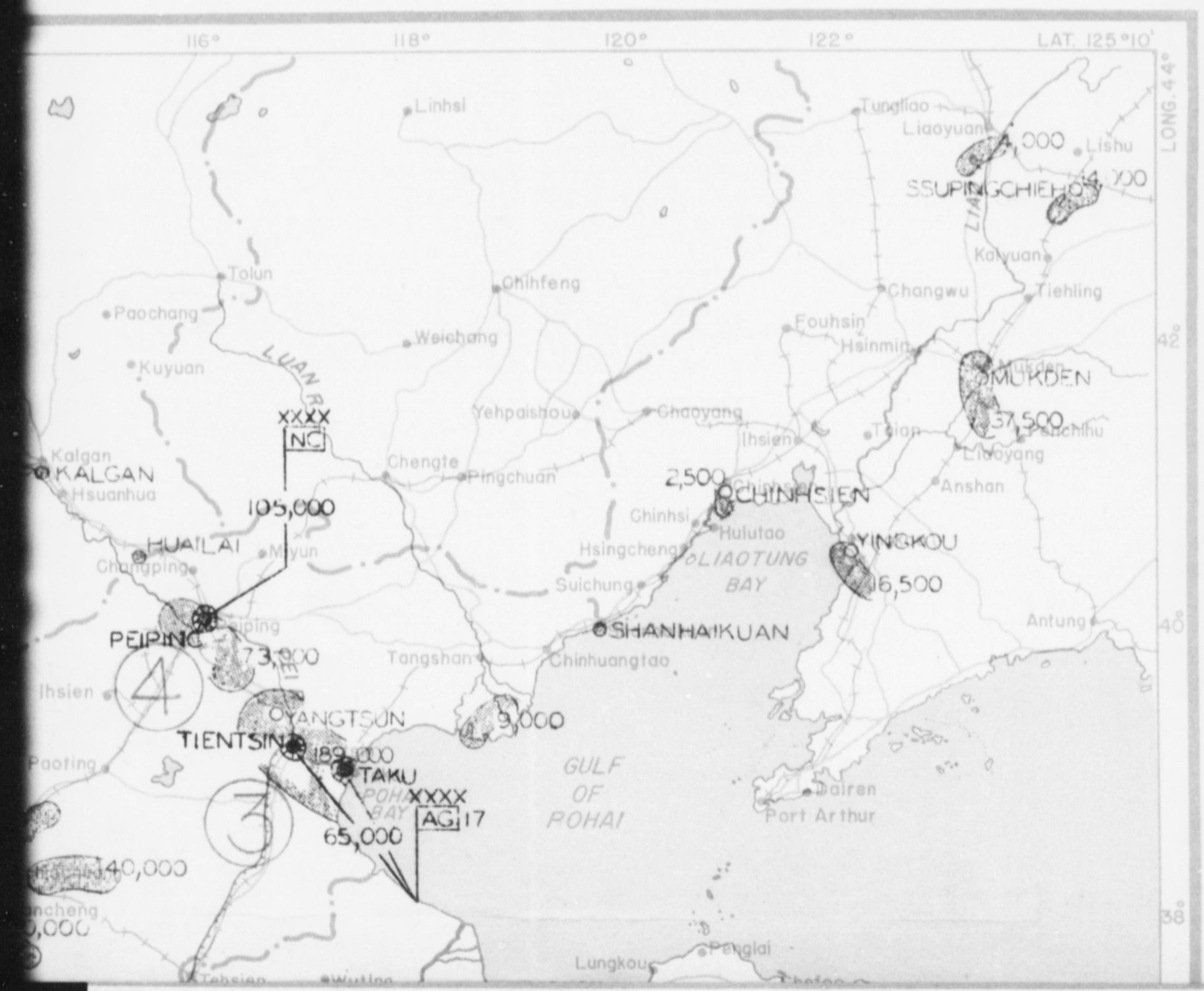

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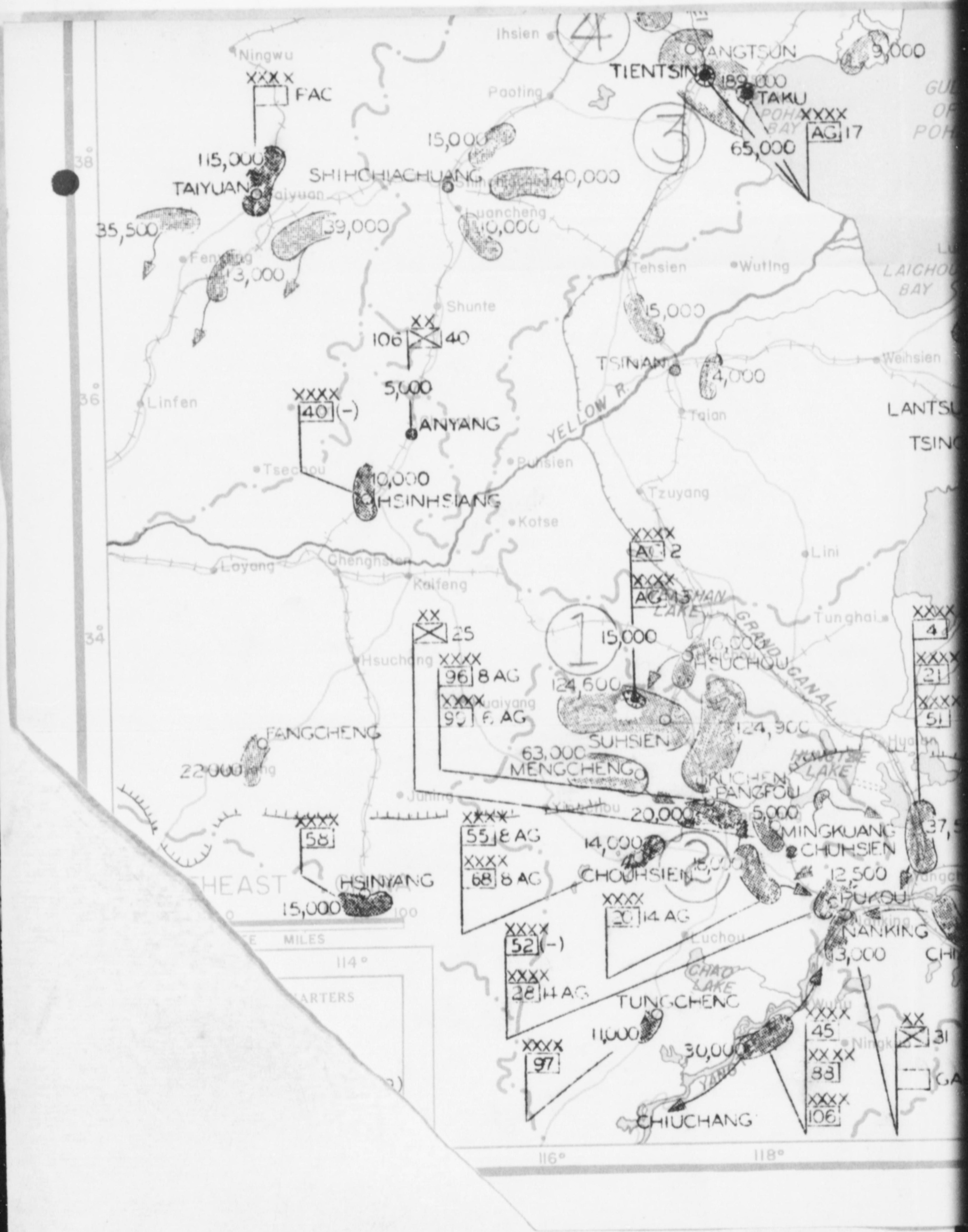

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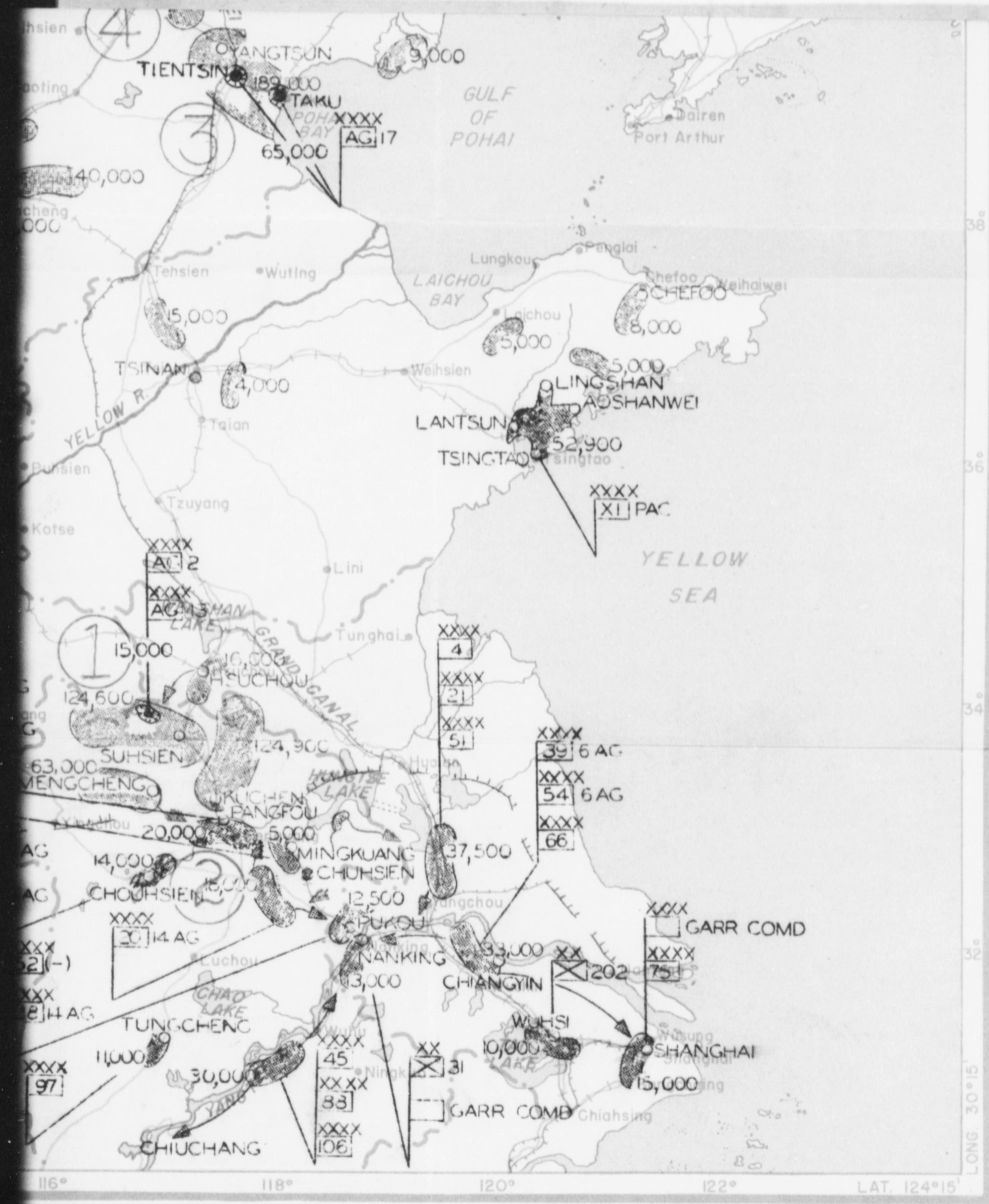

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

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Hour: 1730
Date: 11 January 1949

SUBJECT: Meeting of Indonesian Association Members in Tokyo

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. CIC reports that a meeting will be held in the Old Music Hall, Hibiya Park, between 1300 and 1630 hours, 12 Jan 49, under the sponsorship of the Indonesian Association. The purpose of the meeting has been announced as an "expression of support of hostilities of Indonesians against Hollanders".

b. The Indonesian Association is composed of Indonesians residing in Japan and the total membership is not believed to exceed one hundred persons.

c. It is anticipated that the meeting will also be attended by sympathizing Chinese, Burmese, and Indians. Following the meeting, a demonstration will be organized with a route of march which will pass in the vicinity of the Dutch Mission.

d. G-2 has learned from the Tokyo Provost Marshal that prior granting permission for the meeting and demonstration, the matter was coordinated with the Diplomatic Section, Legal Section and Kanto Military Government Team.

2. Action:

a. CIC will cover both the meeting and demonstration and any developments of consequence will be reported.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, DS, LS, GS, CPM, Tokyo Provost Marshal, CG Hq & Sv Gp, G-3, and G-1.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
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MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION. GENERAL STAFF

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HOUR: 1700
DATE: 11 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in China Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference is made to JUSMAG, Nanking radio CYF 023 OAGA (AG No. 26675), 11 Jan 49 (Tab - 1) and Map "A" (Tab - 2). 1

b. Item 1 pertains to military developments in North China. The Nationalist forces still cling to Tientsin against superior Communist forces, although the Nationalist situation is precarious and they admit the loss of the old French Arsenal two miles east of the city.

c. Item 2 pertains to military developments in East-Central China. General CHEN Yi's Communist forces continue to apply pressure against TU Yu-ming's beleagured Nationalist forces southwest of Hsuchou and have driven them back an average of one-half mile along their eastern perimeter. Nationalist troops have recaptured two Communist held villages along the western boundary. The Chinese Nationalist Air Force is now actively engaged in the support of TU Yu-ming's forces and has dropped 70 tons of bombs around the defense perimeter. 2

2. G-2 Comment:

a. Penetration by the Communists within the inner defenses of Tientsin is believed to foreshadow the loss of the city within the next two or three days.

b. The Continued contraction of the isolated Nationalist 2d and 13th Army Groups (AG) is following the pattern similar to that which led to the loss of the 12th AG. Its complete collapse is considered imminent.

3. Action.

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, JSPOG and G-3.

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3. Action.

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, JSPOC and G-3.

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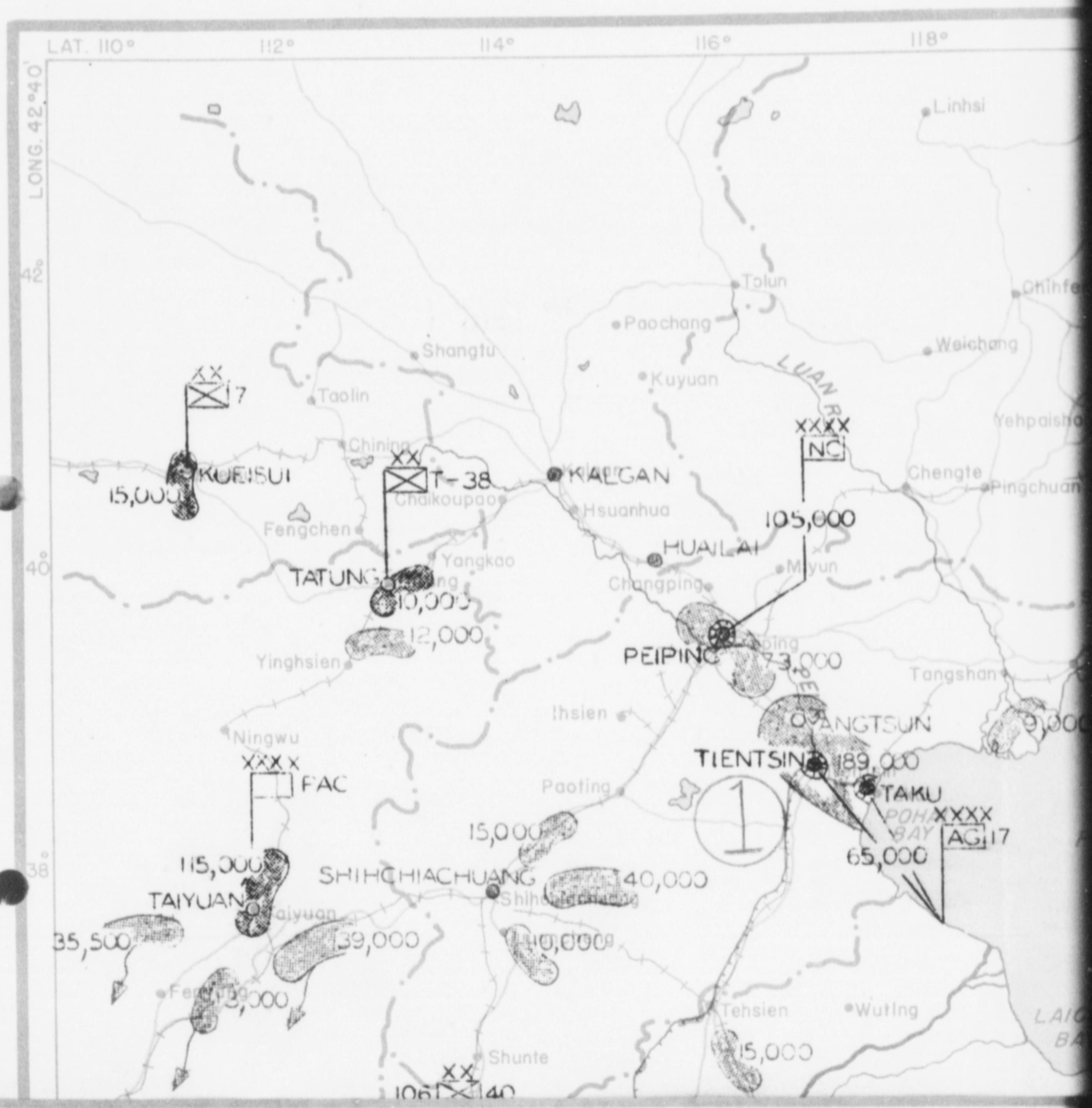

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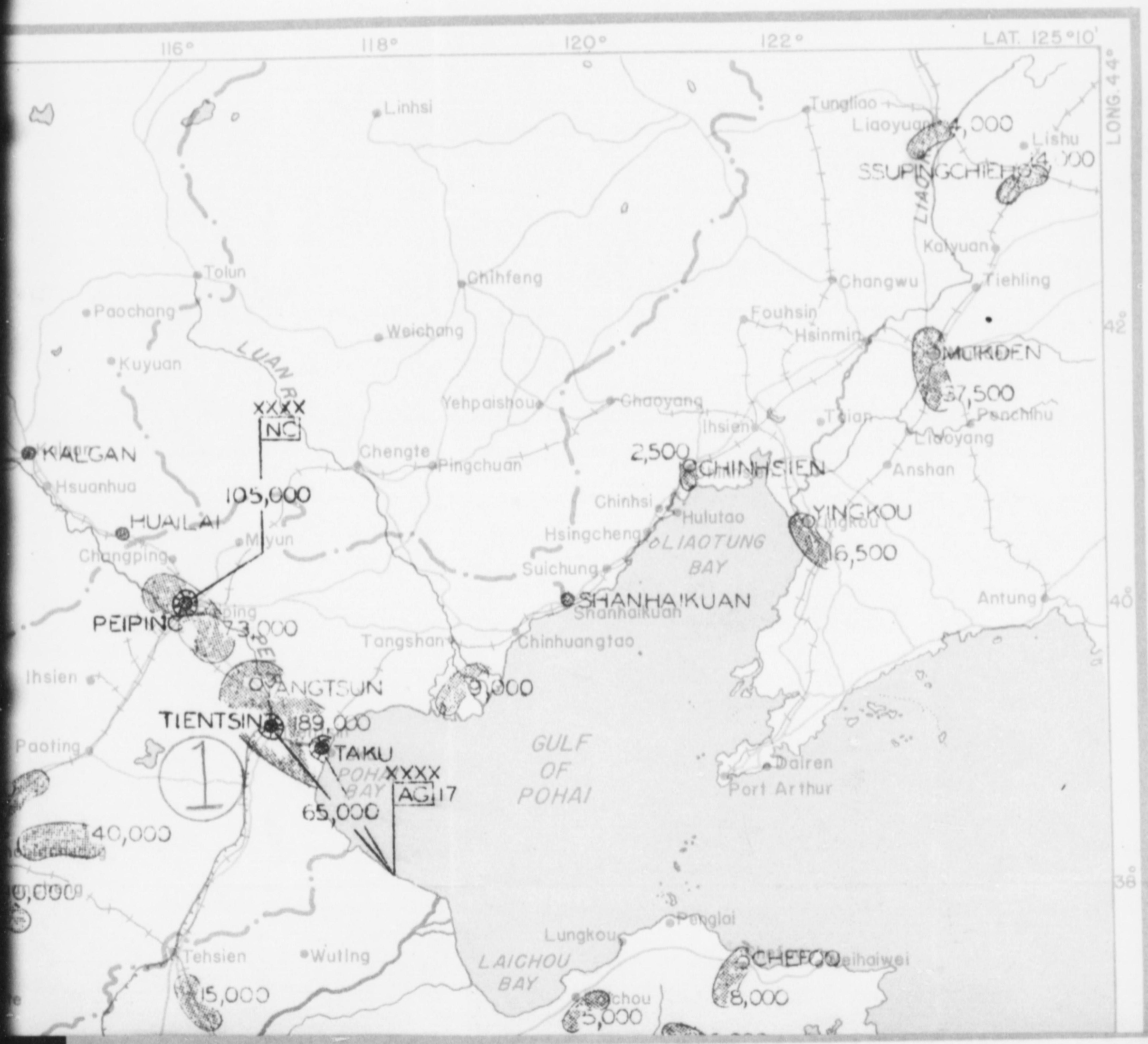

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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION, GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE HOUR: 1700
DATE: 10 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in China Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference is made to US MILAT, Nanking radio CM-9015 (AG No. 26421), 9 Jan 49 and JUSMAG, Nanking radio CYF 021 OAGA (AG No. 26416), 9 Jan 49.

b. Item 1 (not shown on map) pertains to political developments. The Chinese Foreign Minister, on 8 Jan, presented an aide memoire to the US, French, British and Soviet Ambassadors requesting that each country, either individually or collectively, intercede to bring the Communists and the Nationalist Government together to effect a peace settlement. The three non-Soviet Ambassadors met and agreed they could take no action other than to forward the note to their respective countries. The French Ambassador agreed to call on the Soviet Ambassador, who was ill; parallel action is expected.

c. Item 2 pertains to military developments in North China. The intensity of the Communist attack on Tientsin has increased, resulting in contraction of the Nationalist perimeter. On 8 Jan, Communist mortar fire was lifted while four Nationalist "white flag" delegates proceeded to the Communist side. Capitulation is believed imminent.

d. Item 3 pertains to military developments in East-Central China. Continued Communist attacks have reduced the perimeter of TU Yu-ming's isolated 2d and 13th Army Groups by more than half. His remaining effective strength is estimated at 15,000. Early capitulation is expected.

2. G-2 Comment:

a. The diplomatic move is considered a definite effort on the part of the Generalissimo to extricate the Nationalist Government from its present position with himself still head.

b. Capitulation of Tientsin will permit the Communists to establish through rail communications from Manchuria, deep into East-Cen-

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2. G-2 Comment:

a. The diplomatic move is considered a definite effort on the part of the Generalissimo to extricate the Nationalist Government from its present position with himself still head.

b. Capitulation of Tientsin will permit the Communists to establish through rail communications from Manchuria, deep into East-Central China. Capitulation of TU Yu-ming's forces will release all Communist troops in East-Central China for a move south to the Yangtze. Communist military success in both East-Central and North China appears imminent.

3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, Diplomatic, JSPOG and G-3.

3 Incls: (Attached to ADC and C/S copies only)
1 - US MILAT, Nanking radio CM-9015 (AG No. 26421) (Tab - 1)
2 - JUSMAG, Nanking radio CYF 021 OAGA (AG No. 26416) (Tab-2)
3 - Map "A" (Tab - 3)

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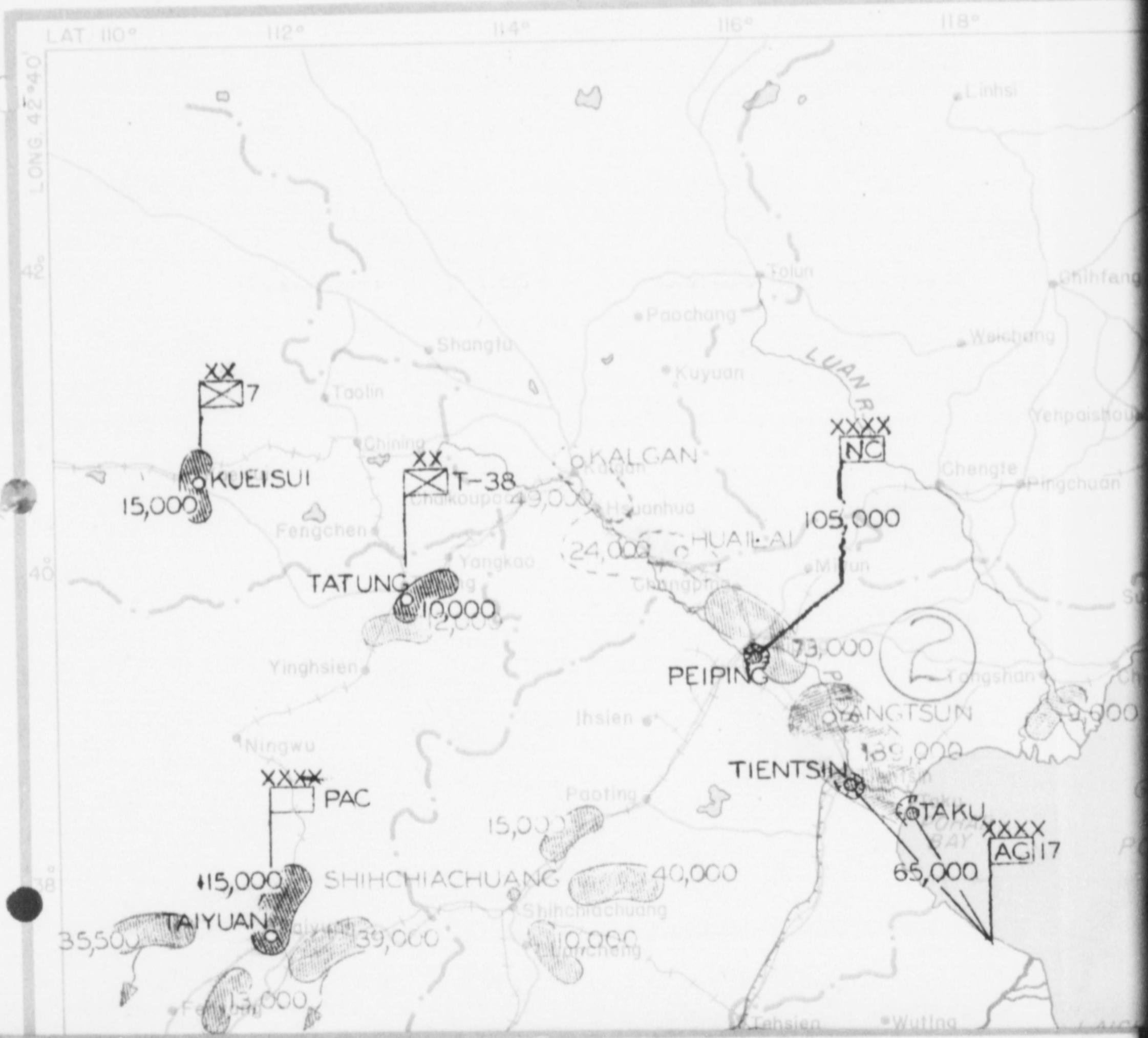

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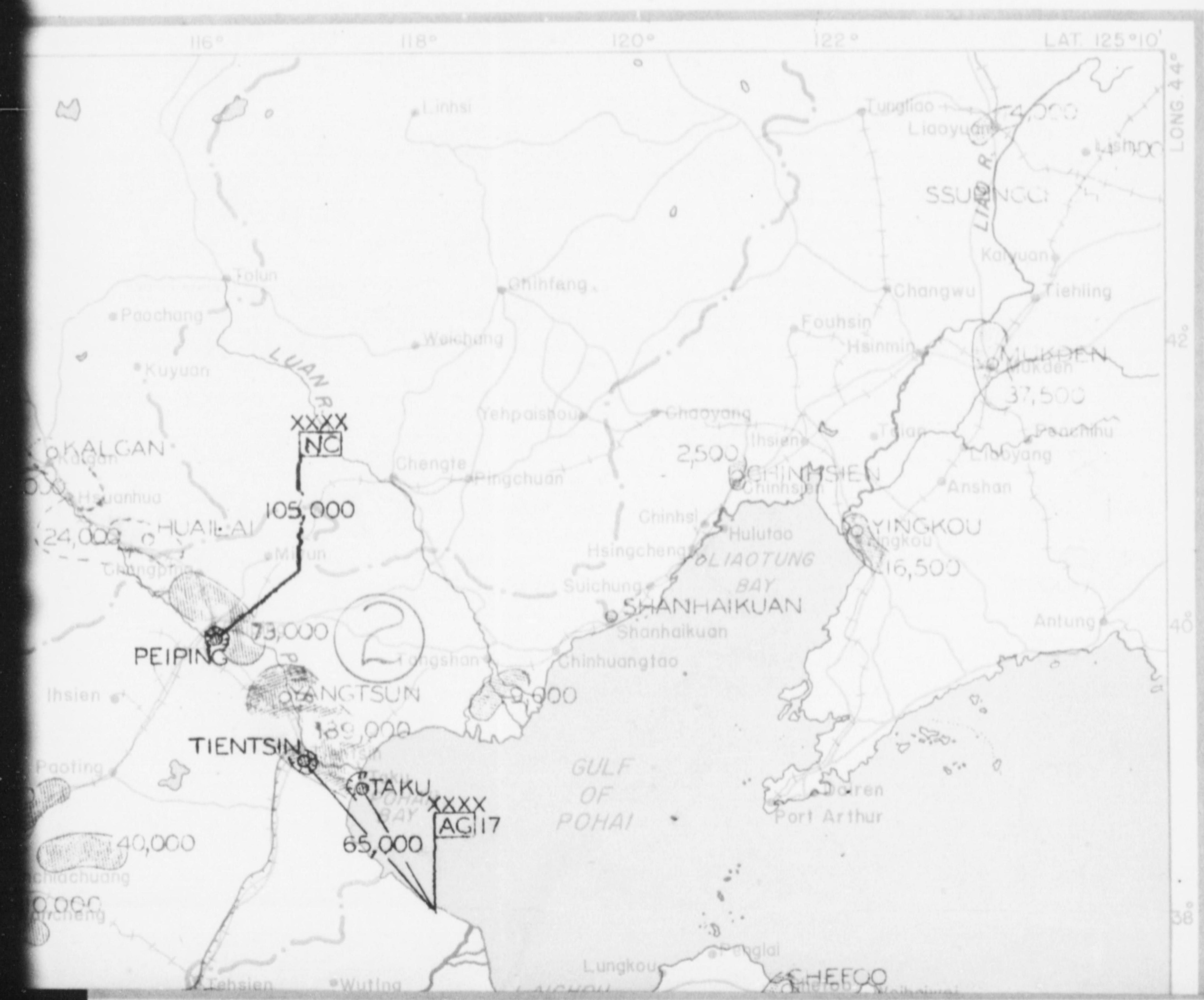

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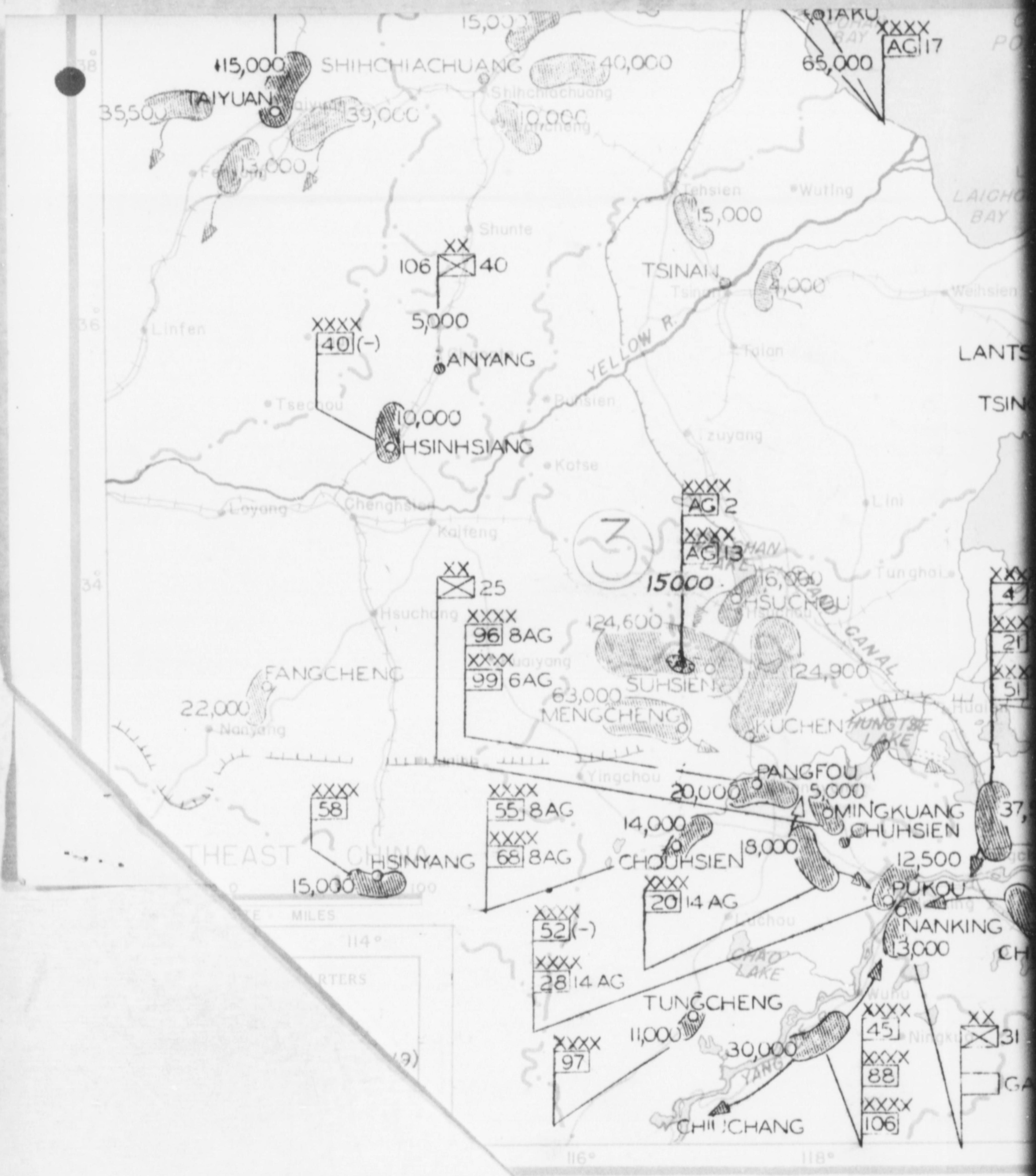

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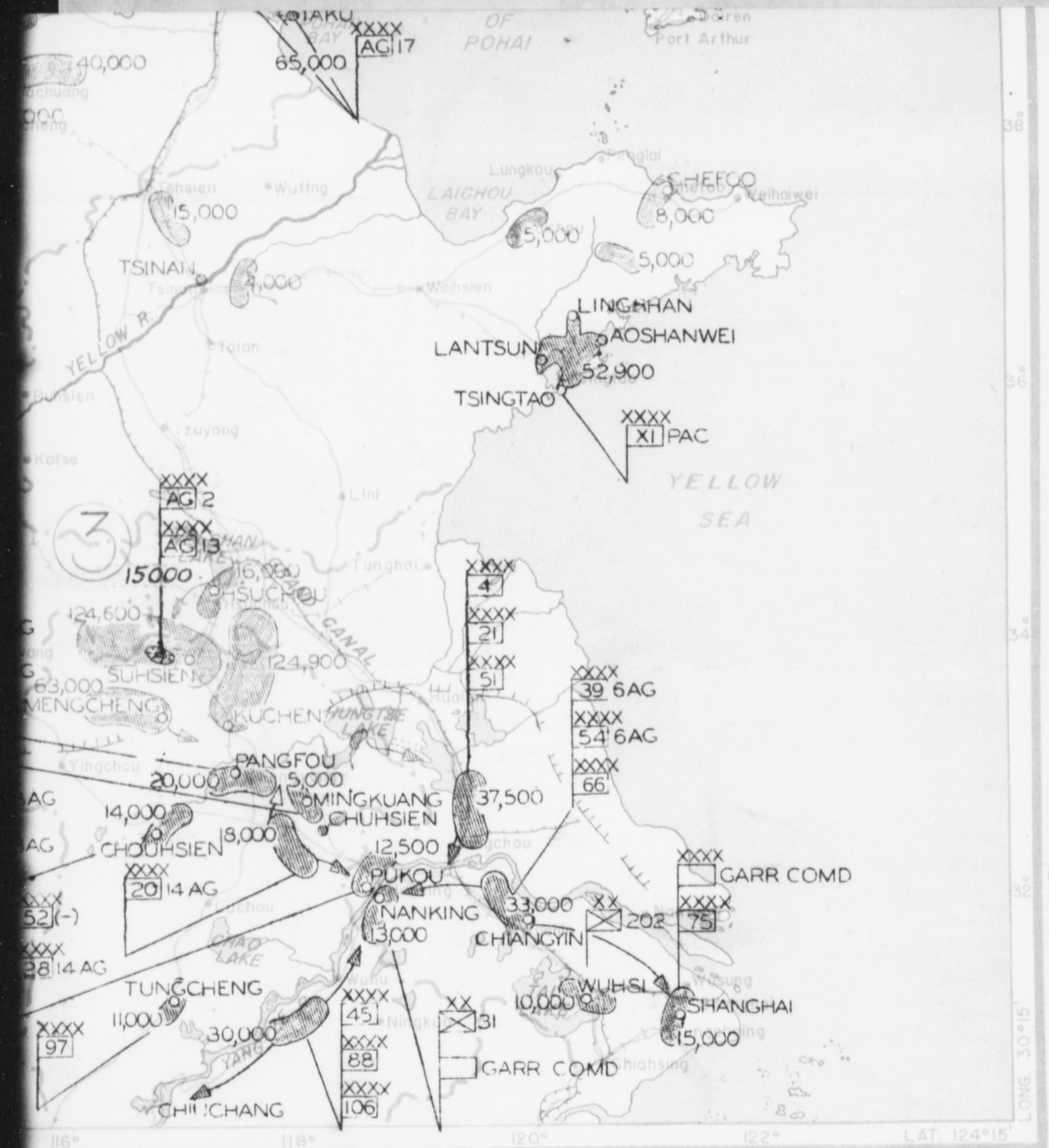

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MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION. GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

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HOUR: 1700
DATE: 9 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in China Military Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference is made to AMILAT, Nanking radio CM-9014 (AG No. 26337), 8 Jan 49.

b. Items 1 and 2 pertain to North China. Item 1 indicates the Communist attack against Tientsin is continuing. Artillery fire has been placed on the outskirts of the city and the Chinese G-2 admits that the Communists have gained a foothold in the eastern edge of the city. 1

c. Item 2 indicates the belief of the Chinese G-2 that Peiping will hold until the end of Jan 49, but that Gen FU Tso-yi will not fight until the bitter end. The Attaches are of the opinion that FU has sent word to Nanking that he will act independently, surrendering when he sees that further loss of lives and property is useless. 2

d. Items 3 and 4 pertain to East-Central China. Item 3 is the Chinese G-2's statement that the death of Communist Gen LIU Po-cheng has been confirmed by ten different sources and that Gen CHEN Yi has assumed over-all command of all Communist forces in East-Central China. CHEN Keng is said to have assumed command of LIU's former personal Columns. 3

e. Item 4 indicates that Gen TU Yu-ming's 2d and 13th Army Groups isolated and surrounded in the area southwest of Hsuchou, remain under strong Communist attack. 4

2. G-2 Comment:

a. Chinese and US observers agree that the fall of Tientsin, is imminent.

b. If reports of LIU Po-cheng's death are [illegible]

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e. Item 4 indicates that Gen TU Yu-ming's 2d and 13th Army Groups isolated and surrounded in the area southwest of Hsuchou, remain under strong Communist attack.

2. G-2 Comment:

a. Chinese and US observers agree that the fall of Tientsin, is imminent.

b. If reports of LIU Po-cheng's death are true, the Communists have lost their most outstanding field commander. LIU has been credited with Communist successes to date in East and Central China. His command included the forces of Gen CHEN Yi and CHEN Keng, which with his own Columns, totaled an estimated 250,000 effective troops. LIU's death could well alter the effectiveness of Communist operations in this area.

c. No change is made in previous estimates that Gen TU Yu-ming's isolated forces will be forced to capitulate within the next few days.

3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC; JSPOG and G-3.

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1 - AMILAT, Nanking radio CM-9014 (AG No. 26337), 8 Jan 49 (Tab - 1)
2 - Map "A" (Tab - 2)

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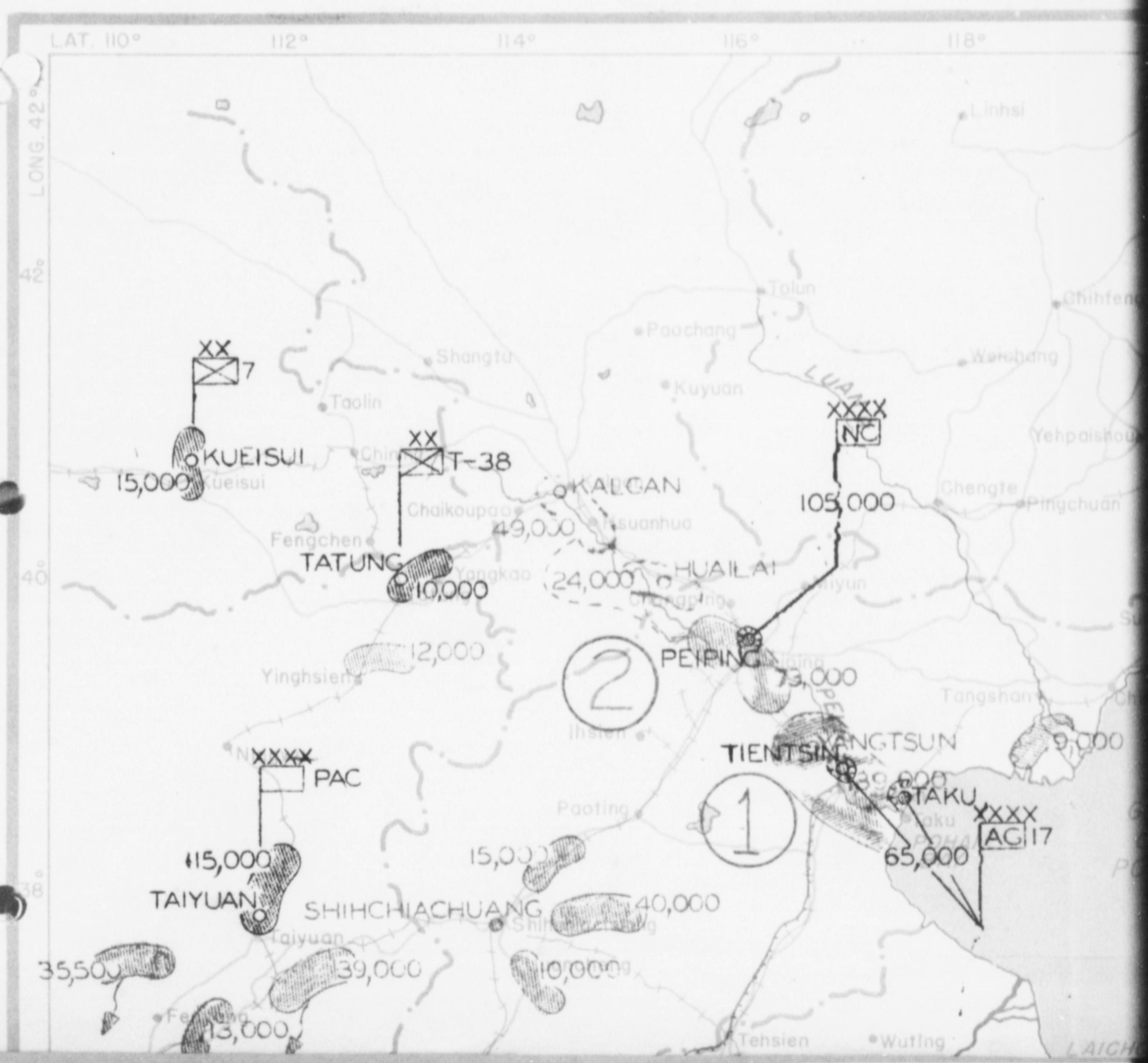

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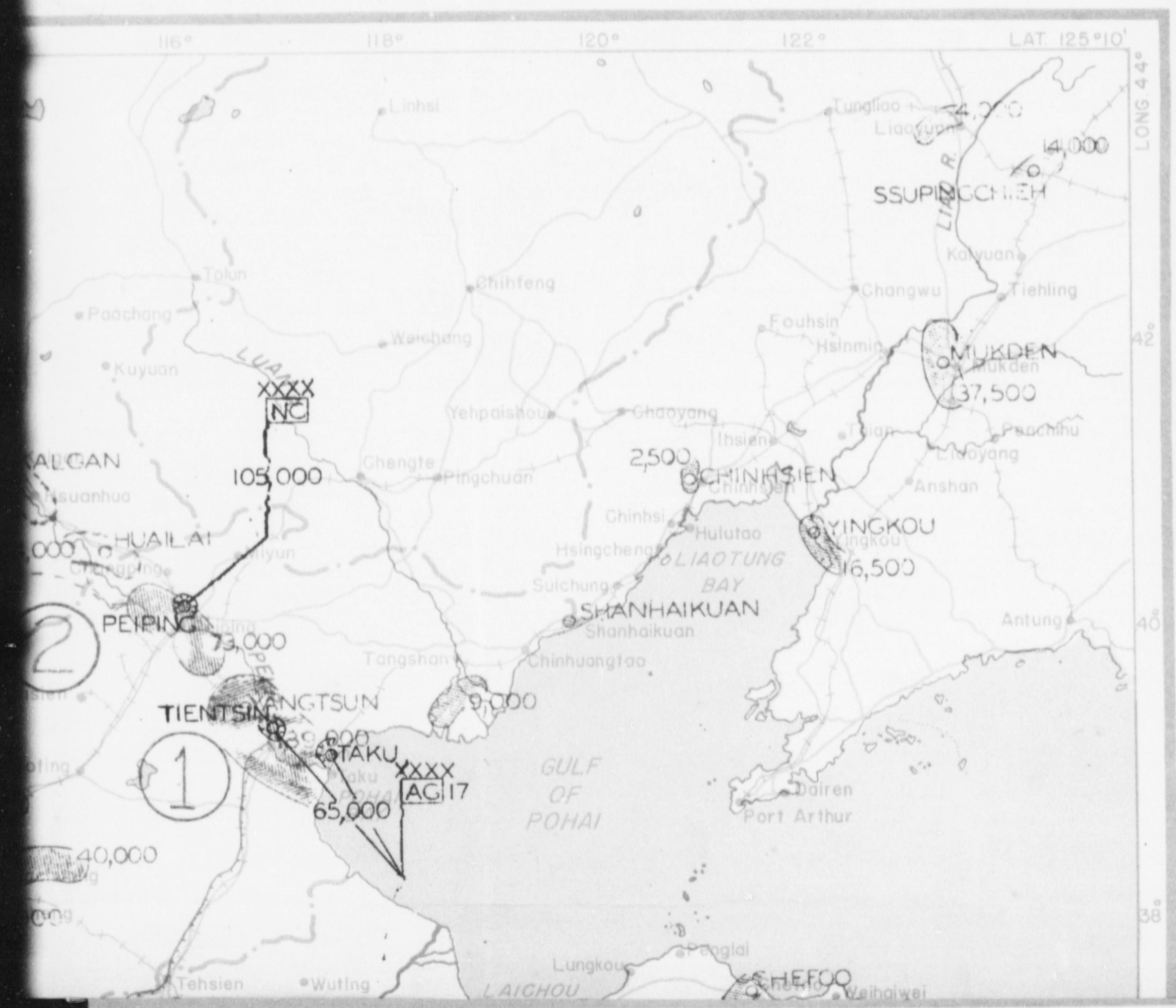

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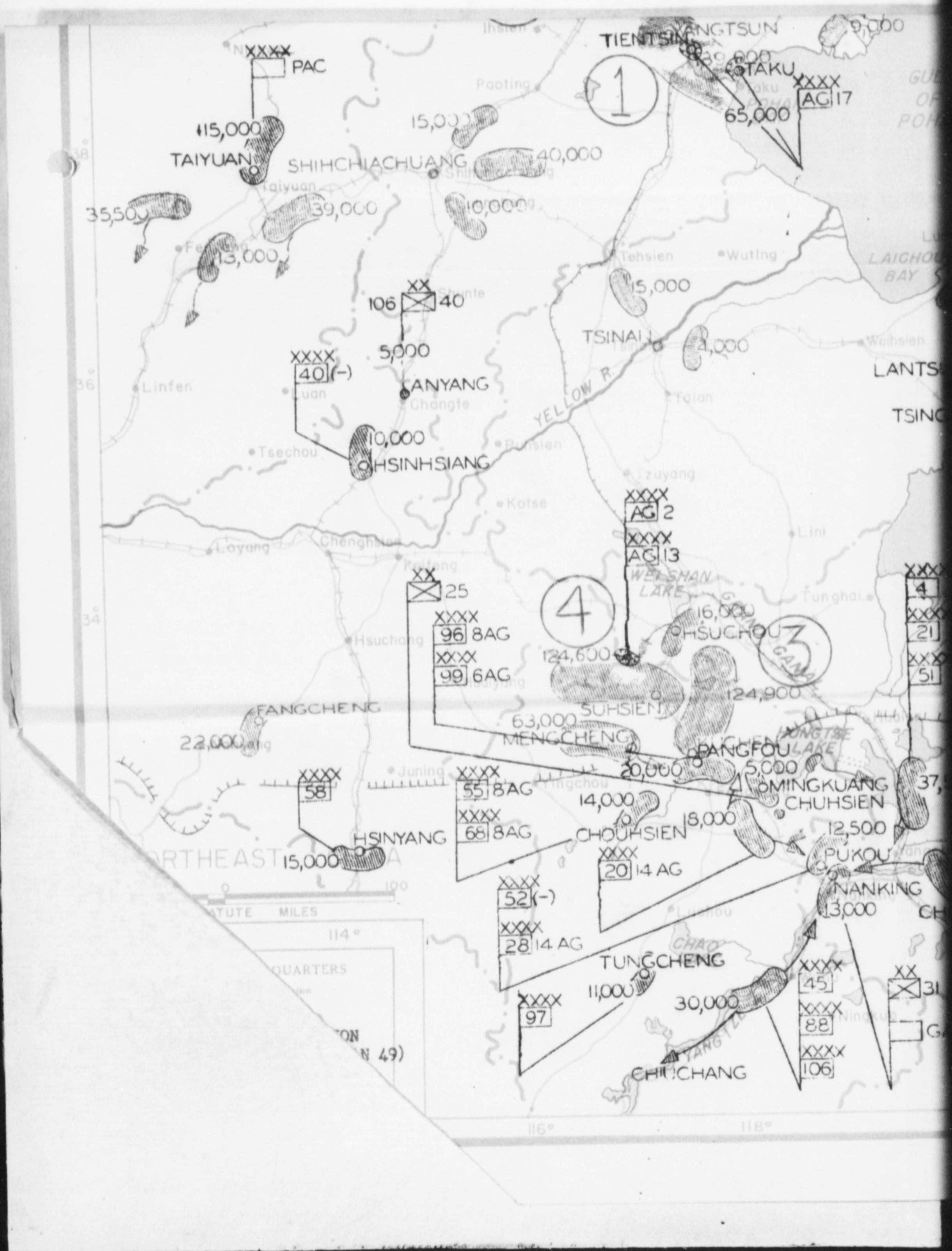

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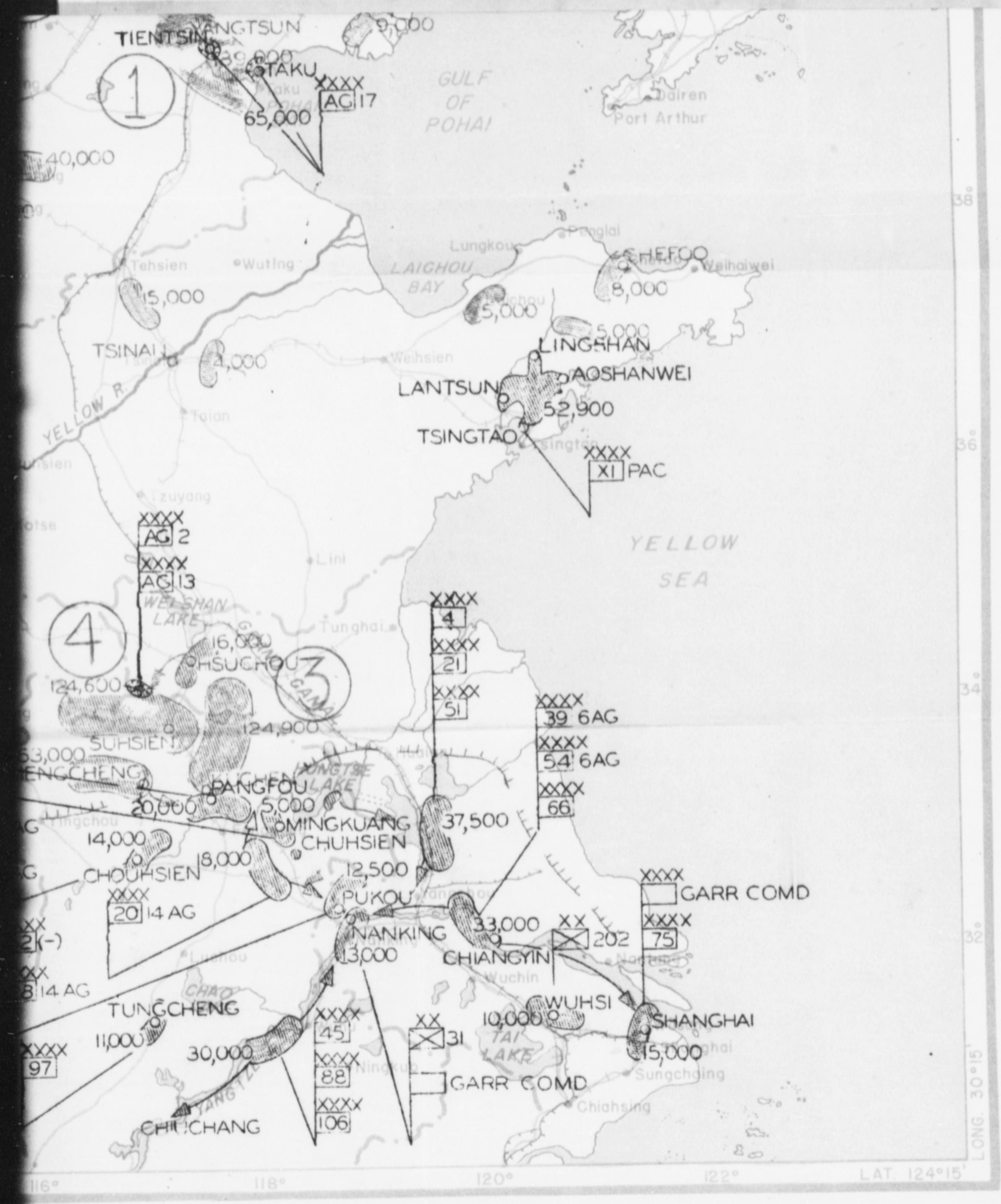

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

Hour: 1900
Date: 8 Jan 49

SUBJECT: Two USAF Personel Killed as B-26 Crashed

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. CIC reports that at 1505 hours today a B-26, from ITAMI Air Base, Hyogo Prefecture, piloted by Major Louis JOHNSON and Sgt. RODRIGUEZ crashed into the combined office and shop of the NANIWA SEIKI KOGYO Ltd., NISHINOMIYA City, Hyogo Prefecture. Both persons aboard the plane were killed. Two (2) Japanese nationals were also killed and four (4) Japanese nationals were injured as a result of the crash into the building.

b. The crash resulted from a head-on collision between the B-26 piloted by Major JOHNSON and another B-26 from ITAMI. The second B-26 landed safely at ITAMI.

2. Action:

Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff, SCAP and FEC; G-1; FEAF.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION, GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

HOUR: 1715
DATE: 8 Jan 49

SUBJECT: Current Developments in the China Military Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Refer to JUSMAG, Nanking, radio CYF 019 OAGA (AG No 25969), dated 8 Jan 49 (Tab-1), and Map "A" (Tab-2).

b. Item 1 indicates that the Communists have launched an all-out attack against Tientsin. (1)

c. Item 2 indicates that the Communists have resumed their attacks against the isolated Natiionalist 2d and 13th Army Groups southwest of Hsuchou. (2)

d. Item 3 indicates that there is no renewal of activity in the Pangfou area. (3)

2. G-2 Comment:

a. The massing of the main portion of Communist General LIN Paos forces in the Tientsin area and the poor calibre of the Nationalist troops defending the city should force the capitulation of the Nationalists within ten days. This attack against Tientsin may be a hint to Nationalist General FU Tso-yi that he should come to terms or the key city of Peiping will come under a similar attack.

b. The Nationalist forces of TU Yu-ming, southwest of Hsuchou, have been without supplies of food and equipment for so long that it is believed that they are incapable of holding out for more than one week against a determined attack by the Communists.

c. The inaction in the Pangfou area is believed due to the desire of the Communists to await developments in the Hsuchou area prior to launching a final drive to reach the Yangtze River.

3. Action:

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3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: JSPOG and G-3

2 Incls: (Attached to ADC and Chief of Staff's copies only)

1 - JUSMAG radio (Tab-1)

2 - Map "A" (Tab-2)

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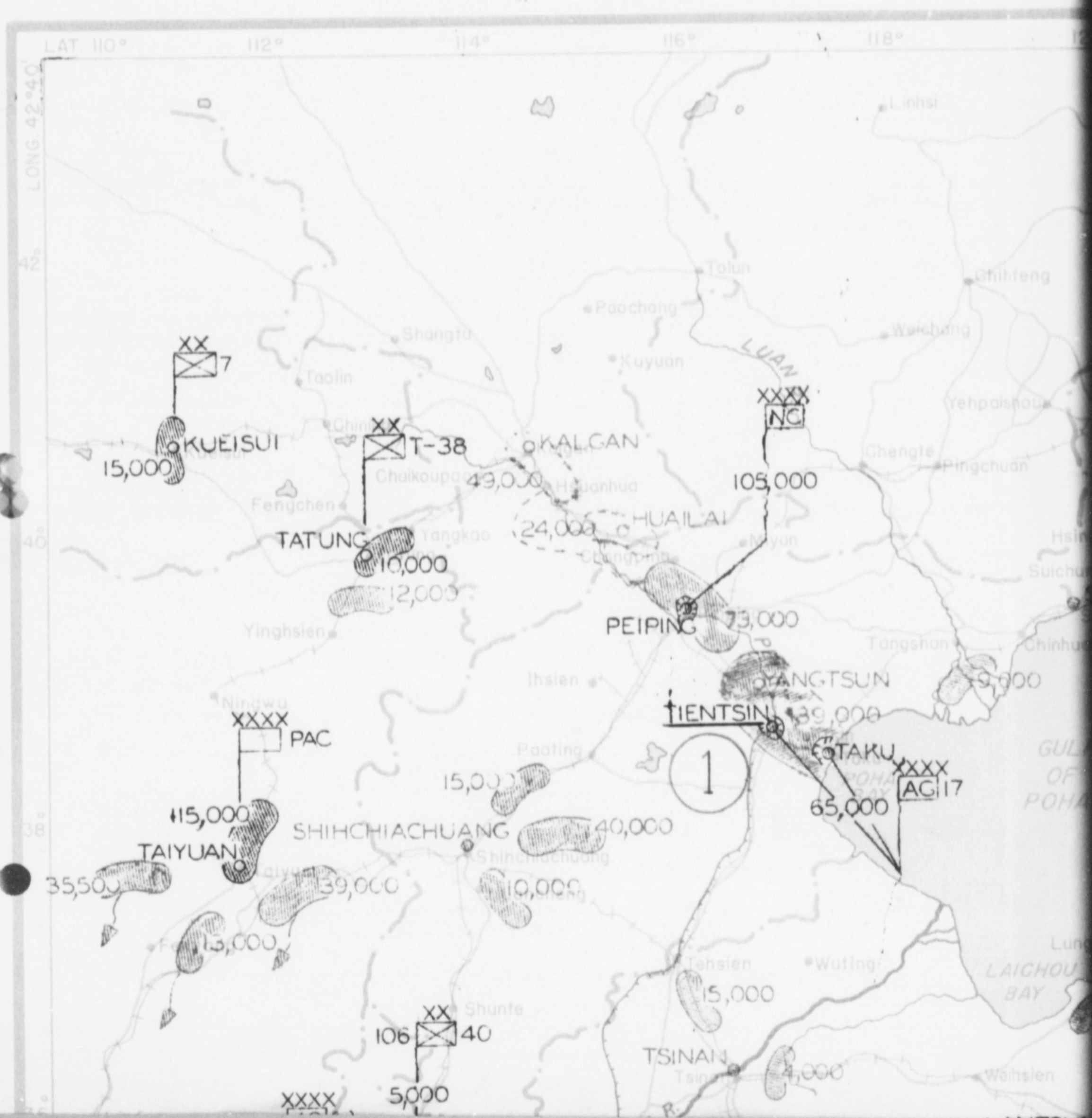

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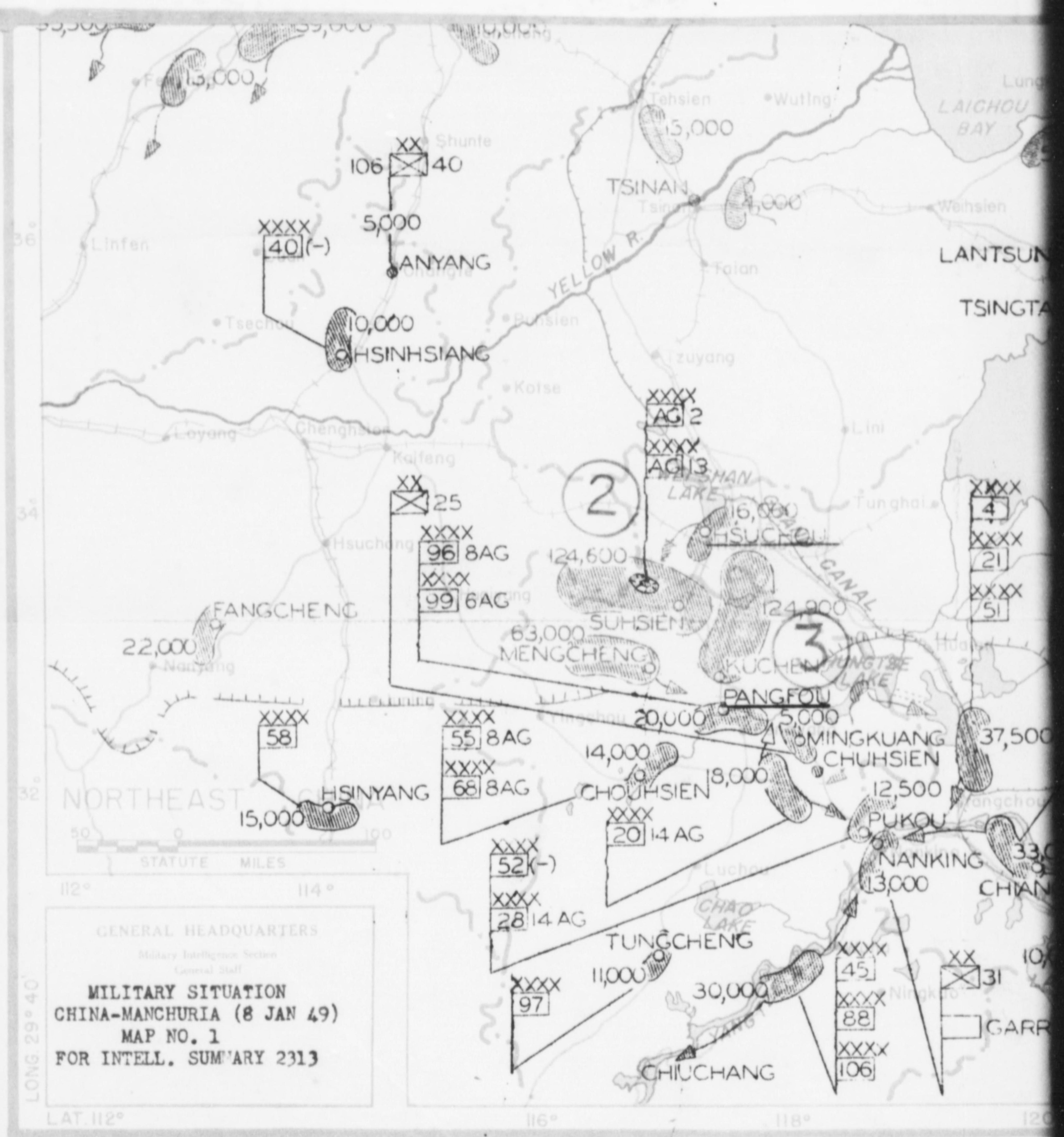

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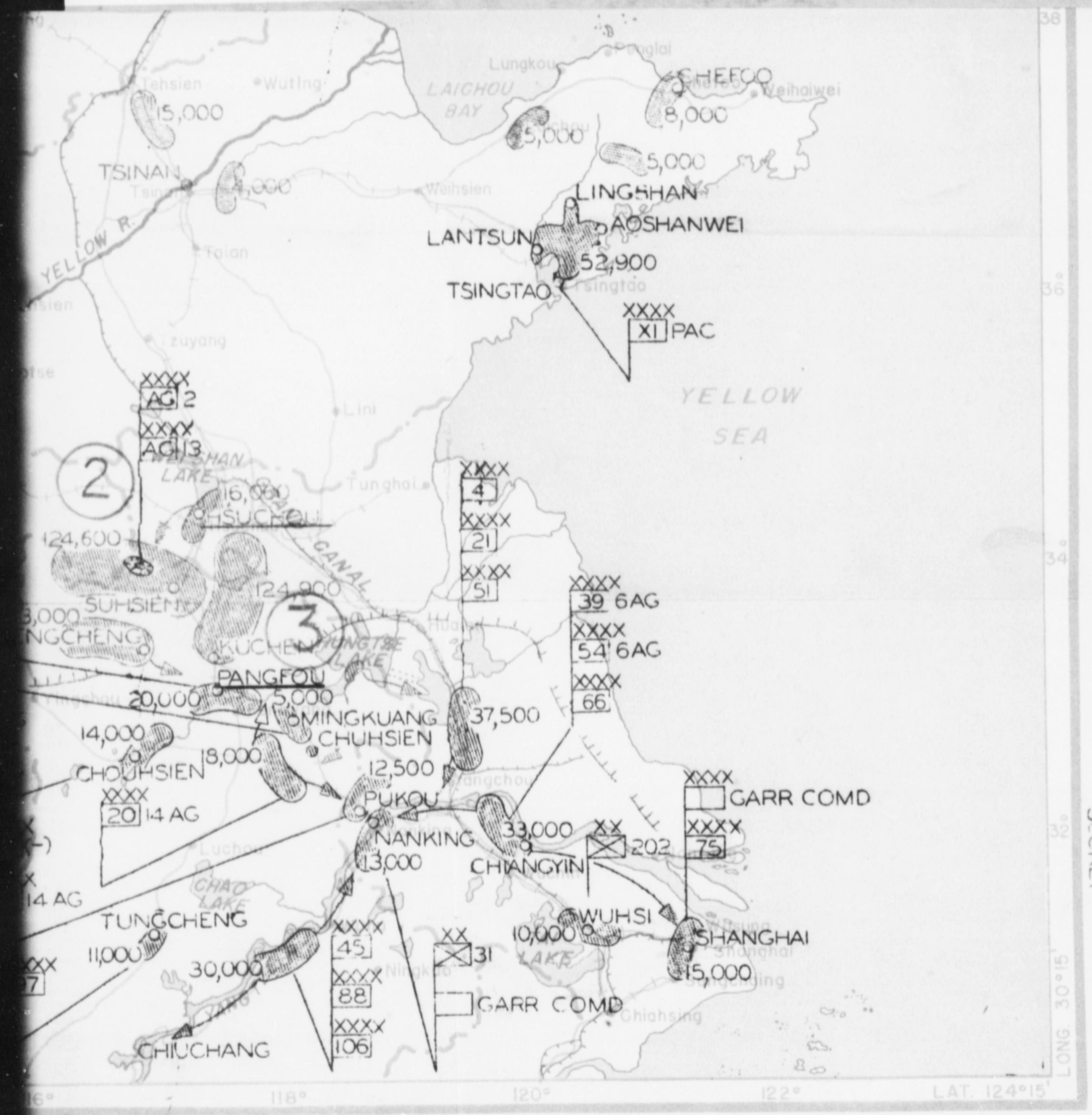

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION, GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

HOUR: 1100
DATE: 8 January 1949

SUBJECT: Reported Soviet Submarines

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference news item appearing in Nippon Times, 8 Jan 49.

b. G-2 USAFIK was contacted by telephone at 1025 hours 8 Jan 49 concerning Soviet submarines sighted off Cheju Island and a guerrilla outbreak on the island. He stated that he has received no reports of Soviet submarines in the area. He believes that the report of submarines originated when two Soviet merchant vessels were sighted approximately five miles off the coast of the island on 3 Jan 49 during stormy weather. These vessels were sighted the following day off Pusan approximately 175 miles northeast of the location where they were first sighted. Guerrilla forces have been active on the island for several months but reports indicate that they are being brought under control gradually by loyal forces. However, guerrilla troops burned the provincial capitol in Cheju City on 3 Jan and destroyed government records. G-2 USAFIK stated that Constabulary regiments garrisoning the island were changed on 3 Jan and that he believed that guerrilla forces took advantage of the change to attack the capitol. USAFIK has requested that a destroyer perform reconnaissance missions in the area as a result of the Soviet ships sighted on 3 and 4 Jan.

2. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, G-3, JSPOG, Diplomatic, FEAF, COMNAVFE.

2 Incl:
1 - Nippon Times Article 8 Jan 49 (Attached to Chief of Staff's copy only)
2 - Map A (Attached to ADC and Chief of Staff's copies only)

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Article appearing in NIPPON TIMES, 8 Jan 49:

LATE NEWS

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SEOUL, Jan. 7—Three Russian submarines appeared off the northern coast of Cheju Island on January 4 and signalled to 200 Korean Communist guerrilla troops there who immediately attacked the provincial capital causing numerous deaths and great damage, the tactics section chief of the emergency guard of the South Korean Government told the United Press in an exclusive interview.

The tactics section chief said the emergency guard, which is a part of the Home Ministry, received a wireless message from police headquarters in Cheju Thursday to the effect that 56 police and civilians were killed by the Communist attack and that more than 50 buildings were burned to the ground, including the provincial capital building and police headquarters.

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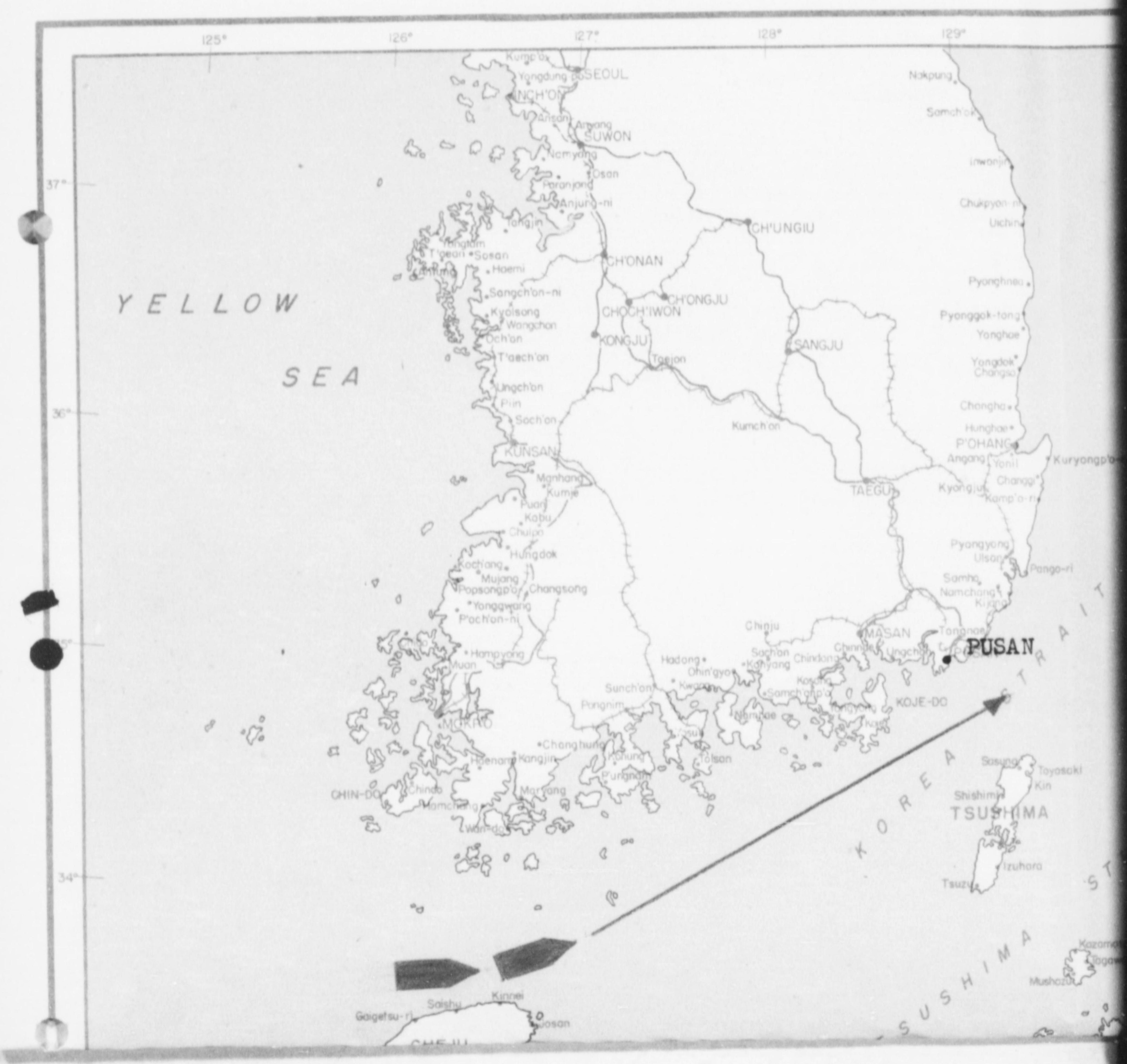

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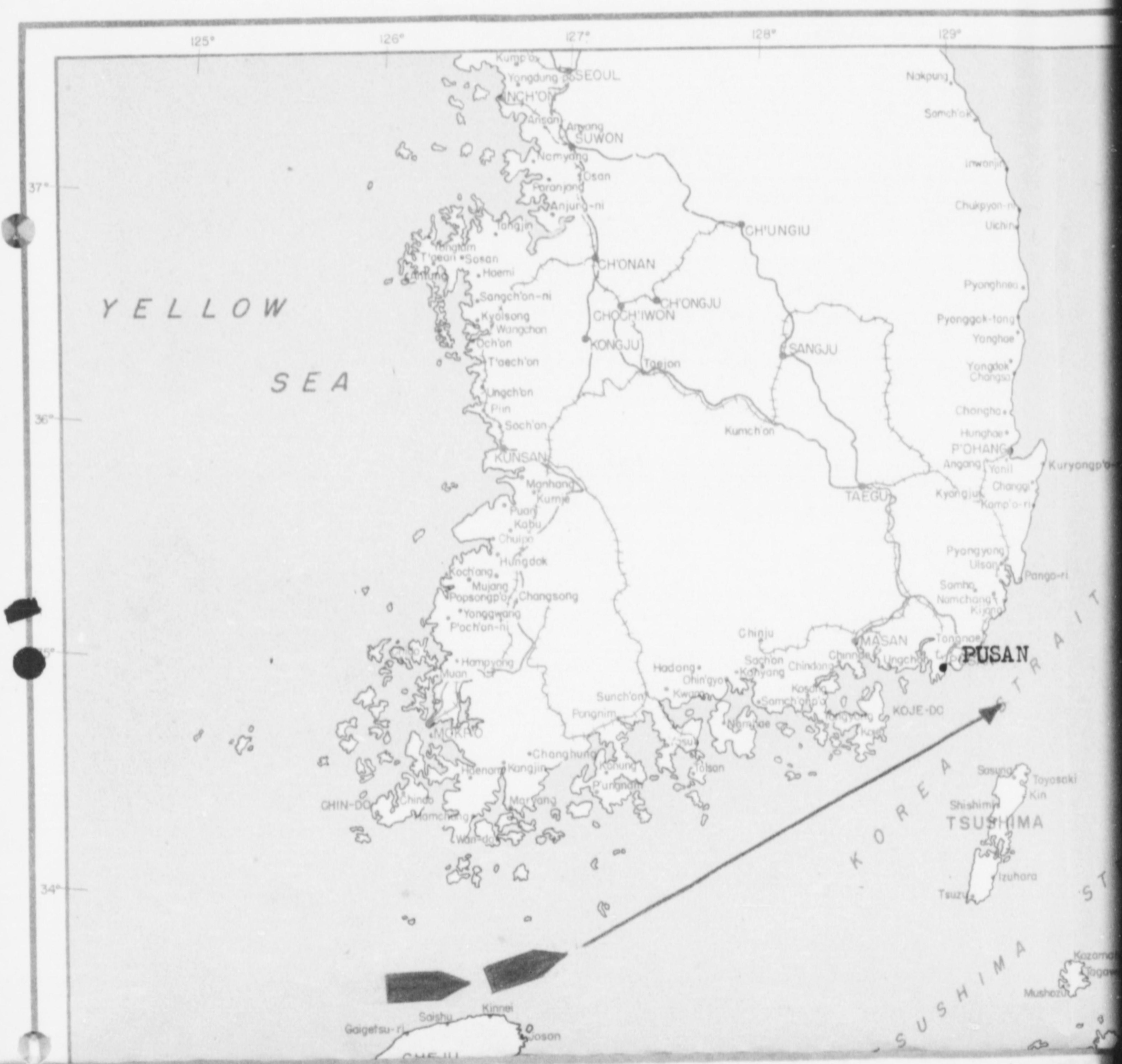

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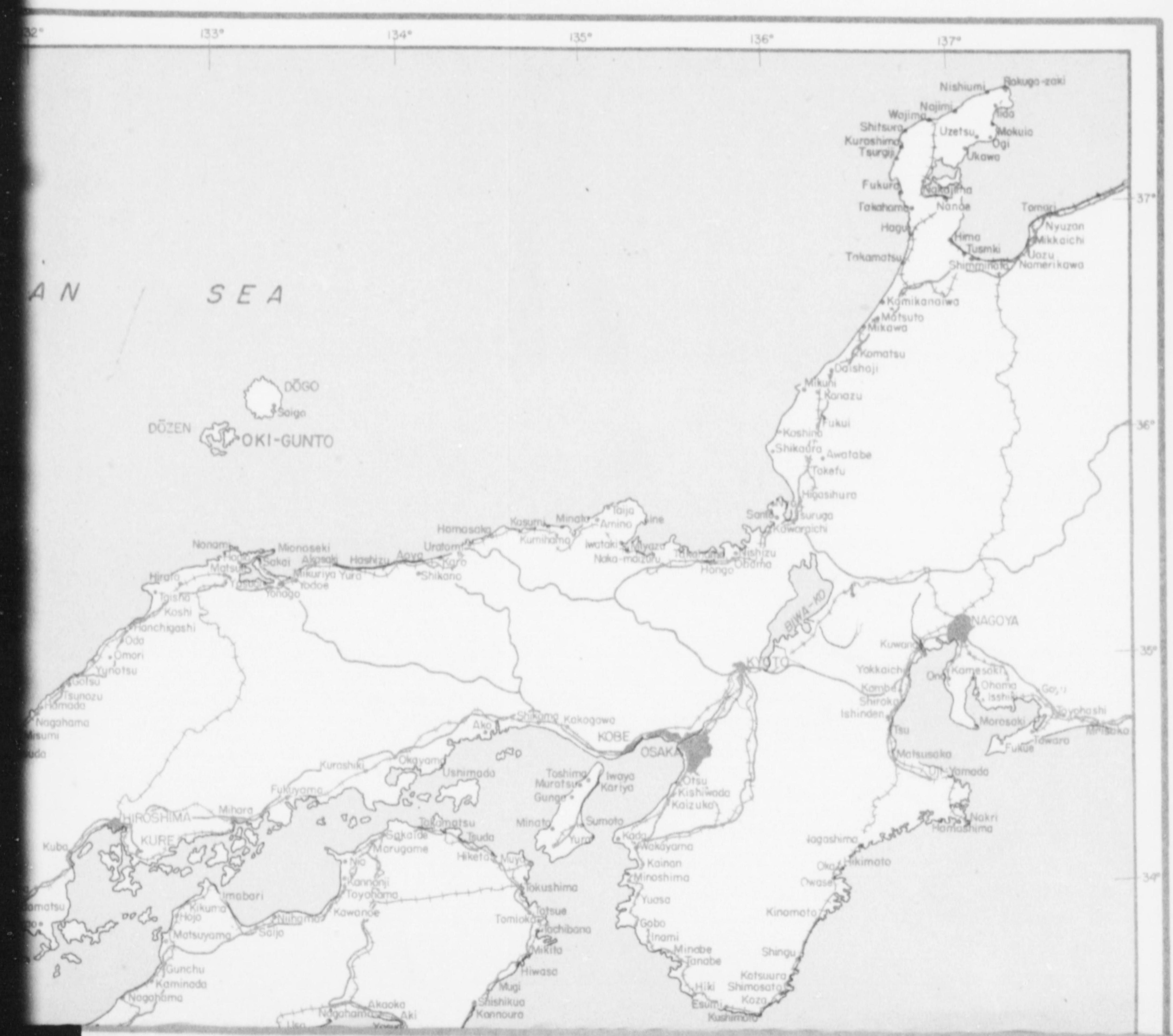

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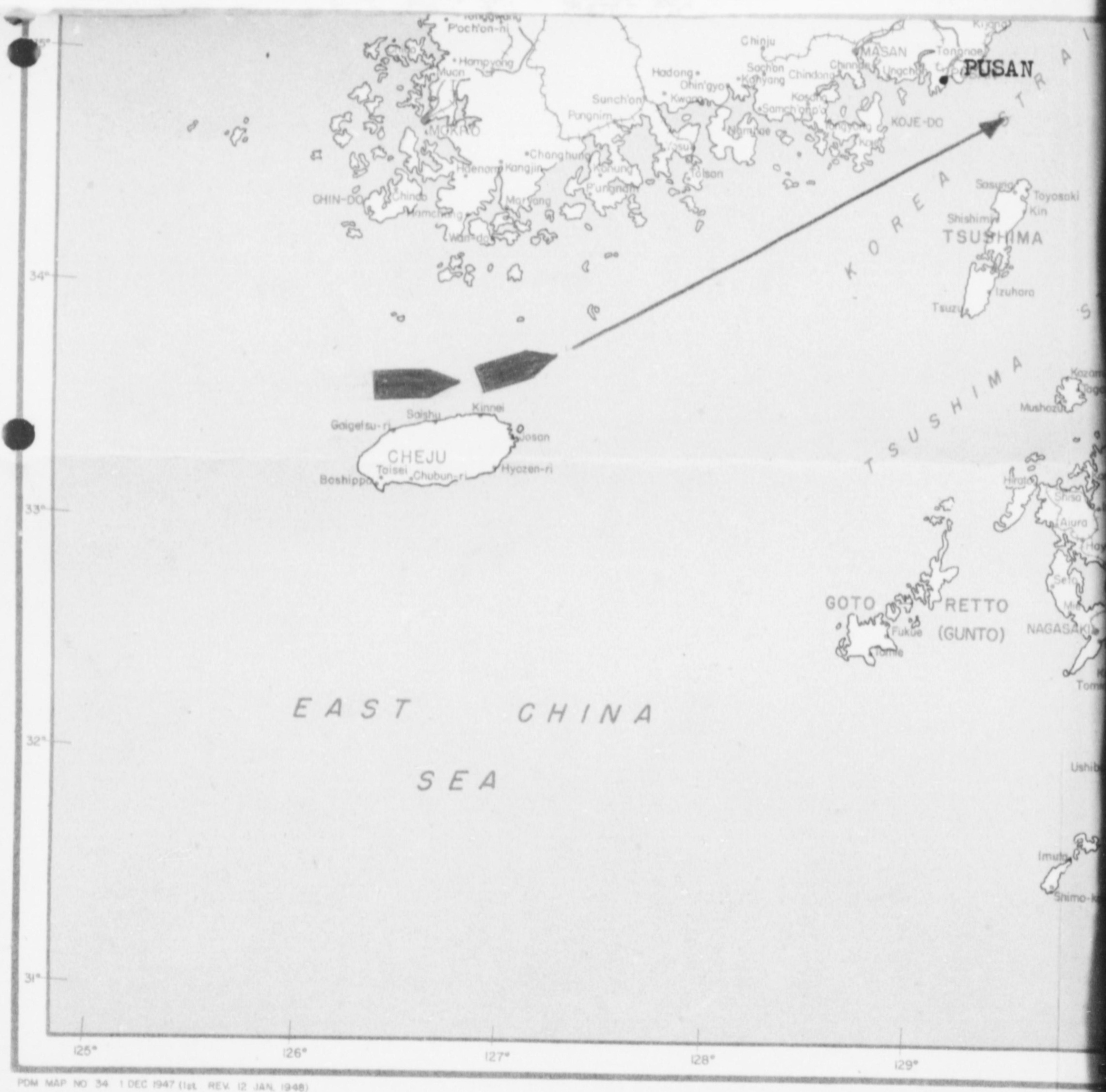

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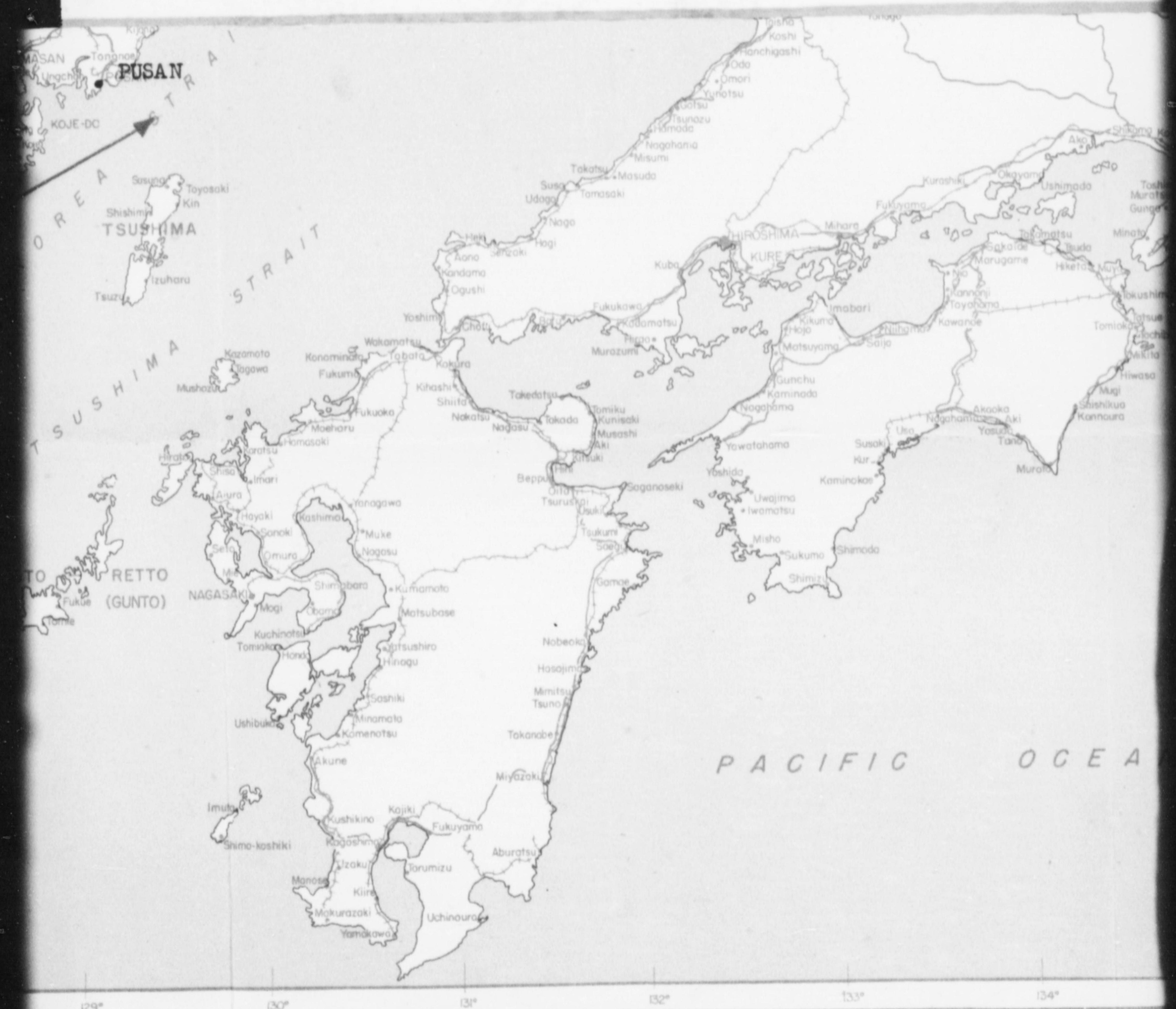

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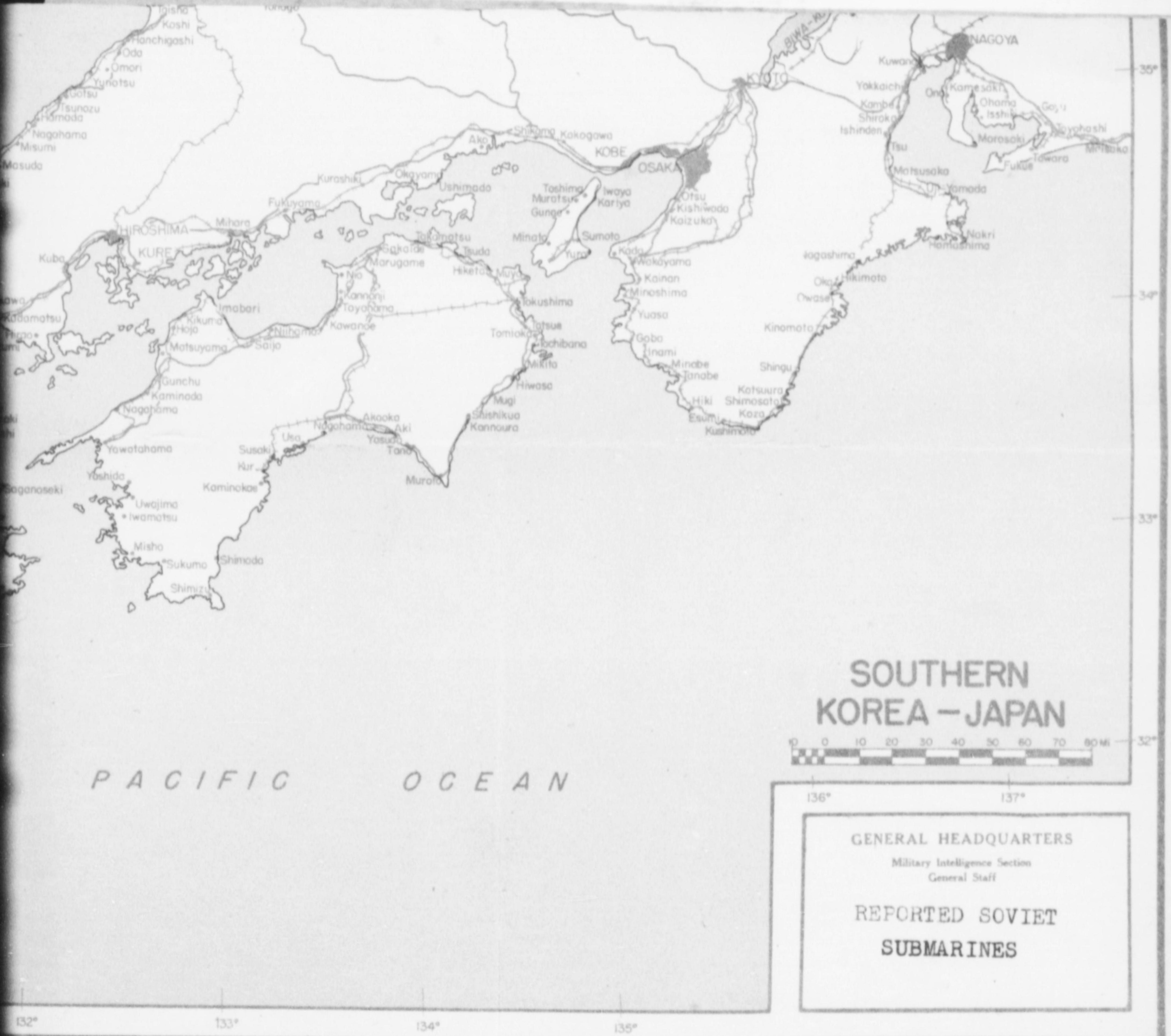

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS

Military Intelligence Section
General Staff

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SUBMARINES

TAB "2"

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION. GENERAL STAFF

SECRET

SPOT INTELLIGENCE HOUR: 1700
DATE: 7 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in China Military Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference is made to JUSMAG, Nanking radio CYF 016 OAGA (AG No. 25617), 7 Jan 49 and U.S. MIL ATTACHE, Nanking radio CM-9010 (AG No. 25616), 7 Jan 49.

b. Item 1 pertains to North China. Fighting has again broken out in the Tientsin area with Communist attacks, supported by artillery, reported on the northwest and southeast perimeter. 1

c. Item 2 pertains to East-Central China. Communist attacks have also been resumed against Gen TU Yu-ming's 2d and 13th Army Groups in the area southwest of Hsuchou. Small-scale fighting is reported on TU's northwest perimeter and additional Communist forces are reported in movement toward the area from Hsuchou and Suhsien. 2

2. G-2 Comment:

a. Communist operations appear to be following previously indicated lines (G-2 Spot Reports 4 - 6 Jan). In North China, Tientsin has apparently been designated as the next major Communist objective. The southwestward movement of Gen NIEH Yung-chen's Columns into the Peiping area has made available a containing force for Peiping of approximately 73,000 troops and has released LIN Piao's entire strength of approximately 189,000 for continued containment of the Tangku-Taku area and for the Tientsin attack. Nationalist forces in the Tientsin-Tangku-Taku areas total an approximate 65,000.

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c. Developments within the near future should determine the full implication of the present action - whether present moves are designed to improve the Communist position for further political negotiations, or represent a forerunner to the resumption of an all-out Communist offensive indicating a complete breakdown of peace hopes.

3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, JSPOG and G-3.

3 Incls: (Attached to ADC and C/S Copies Only)
1 - JUSMAG, Nanking radio CYF 016 (AG No. 25617) (Tab - 1)
2 - US MIL ATTACHE, Nanking radio CM-9010 (AG No. 25616) (Tab - 2)
3 - Map "A (With Overlay) (Tab - 3)

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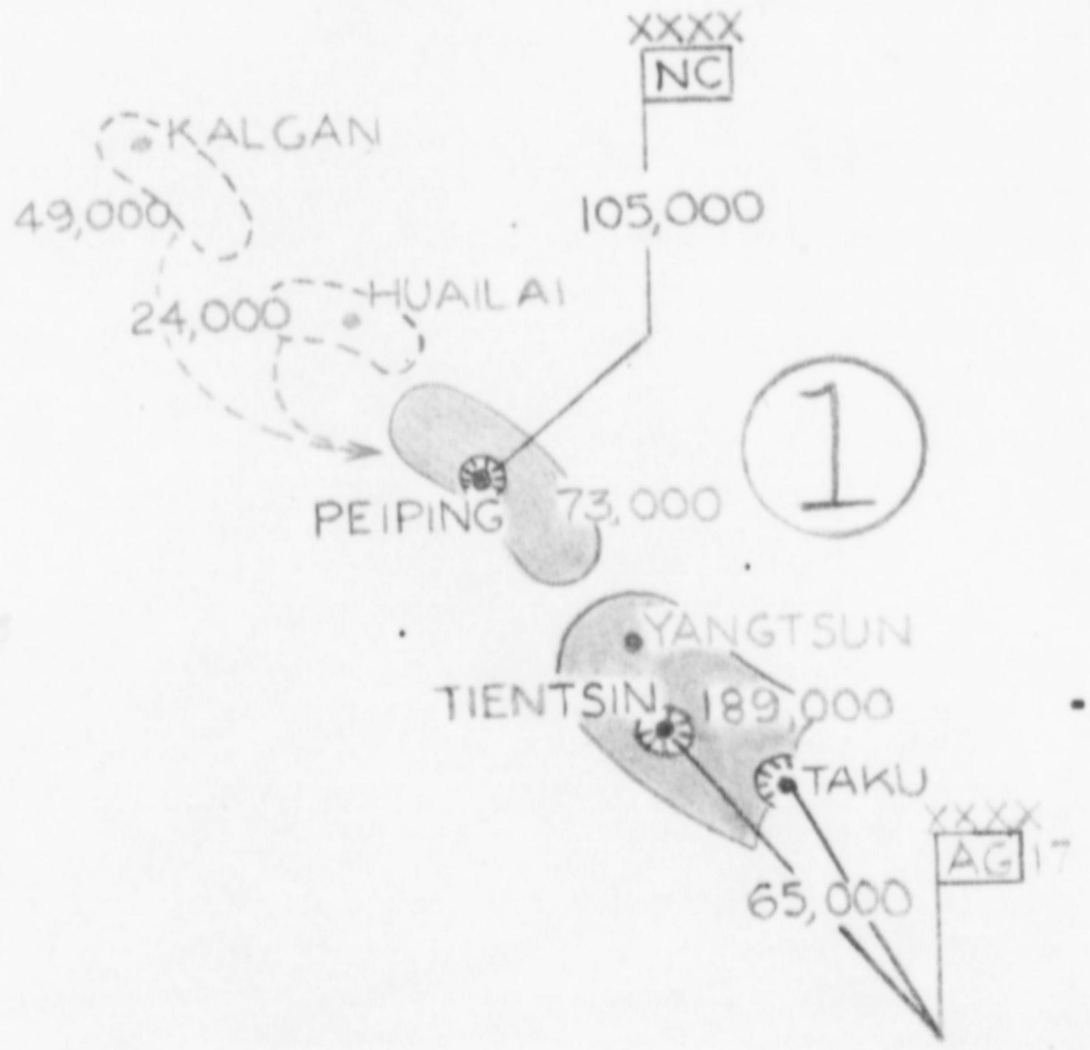

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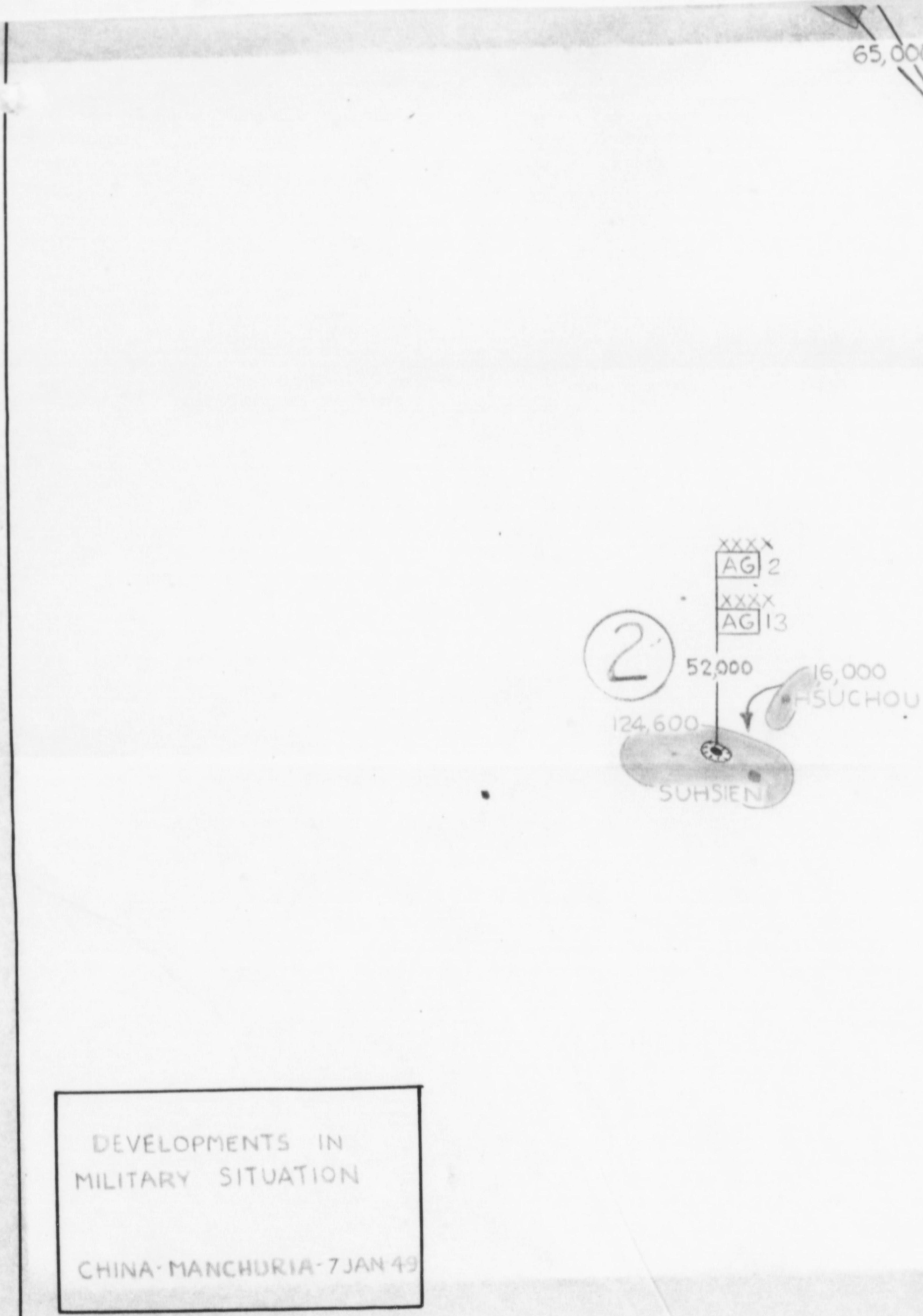

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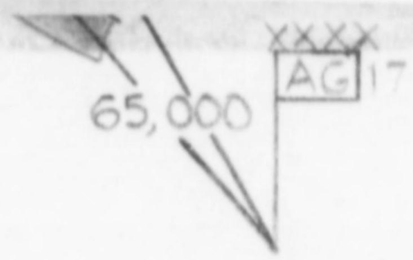

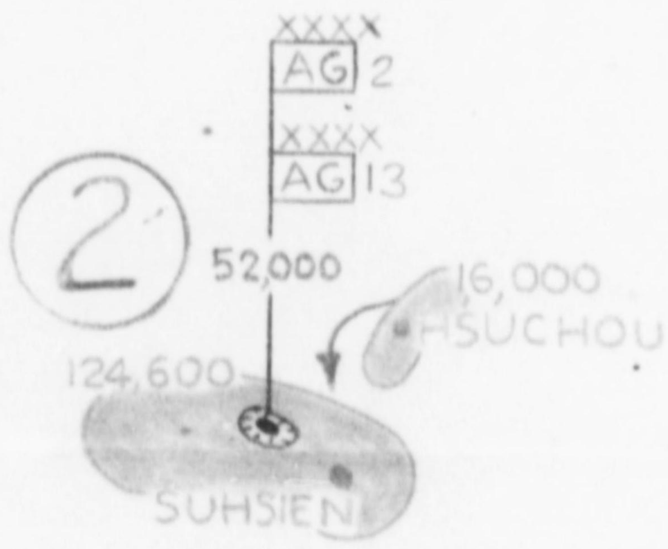

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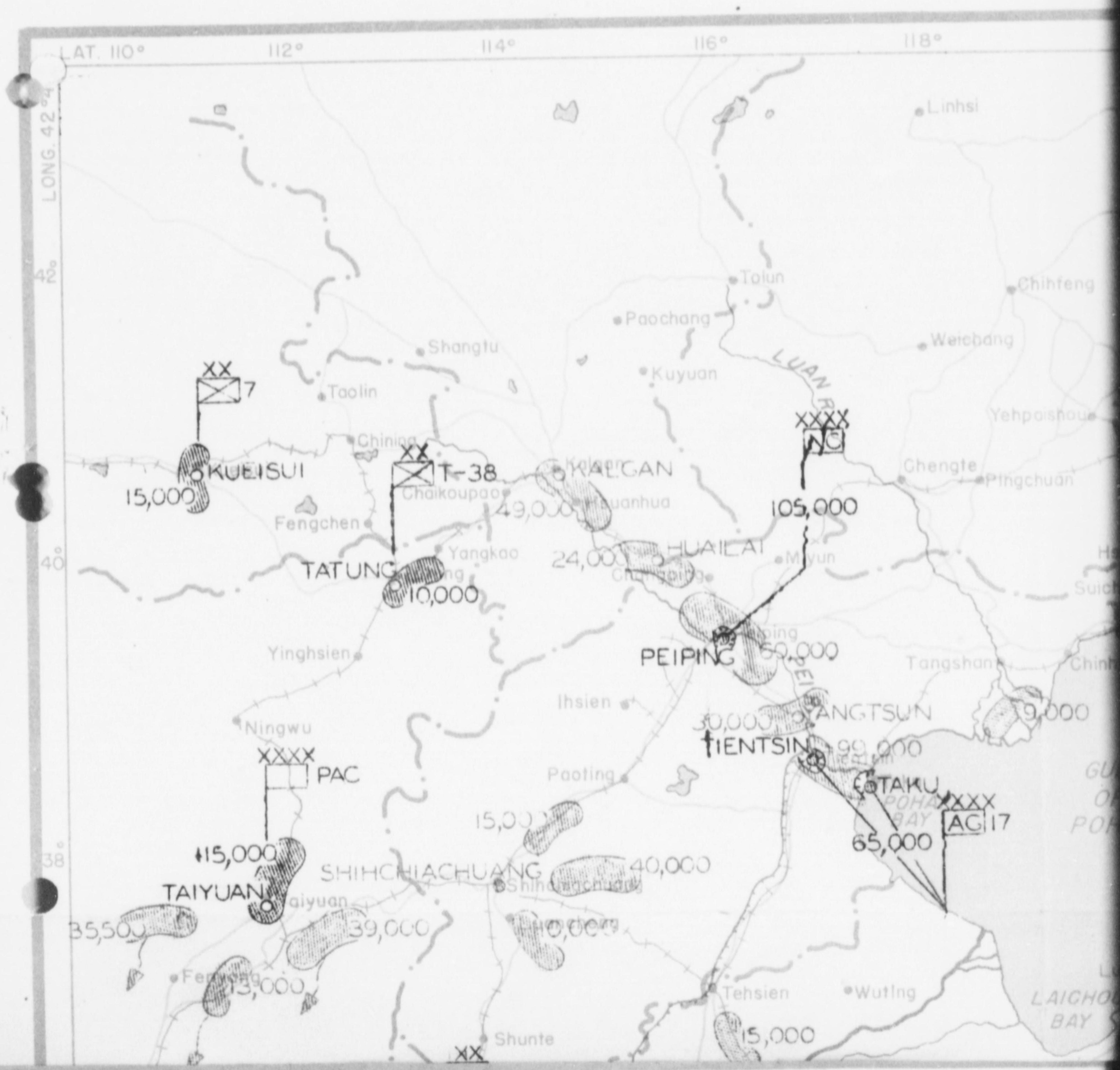

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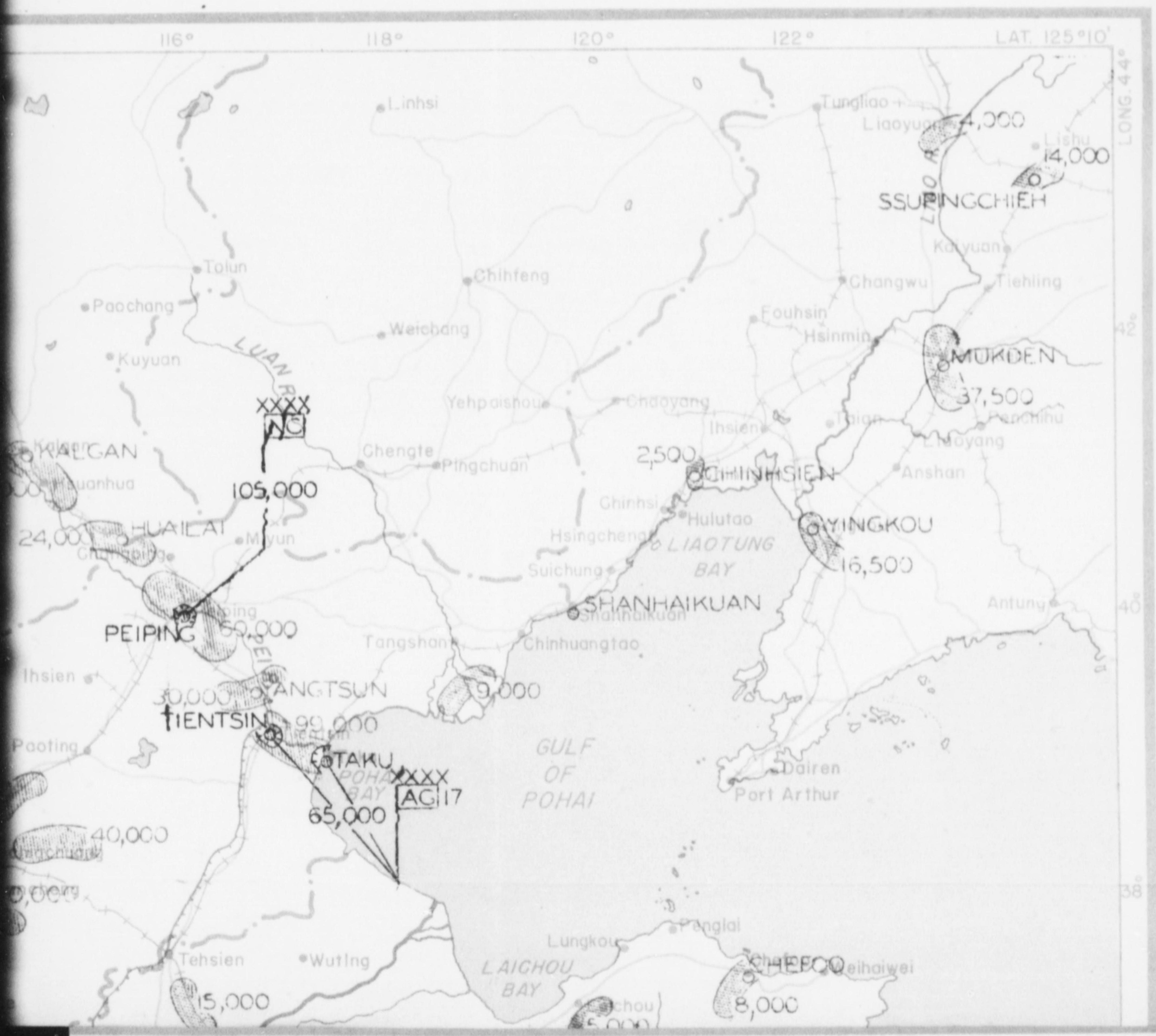

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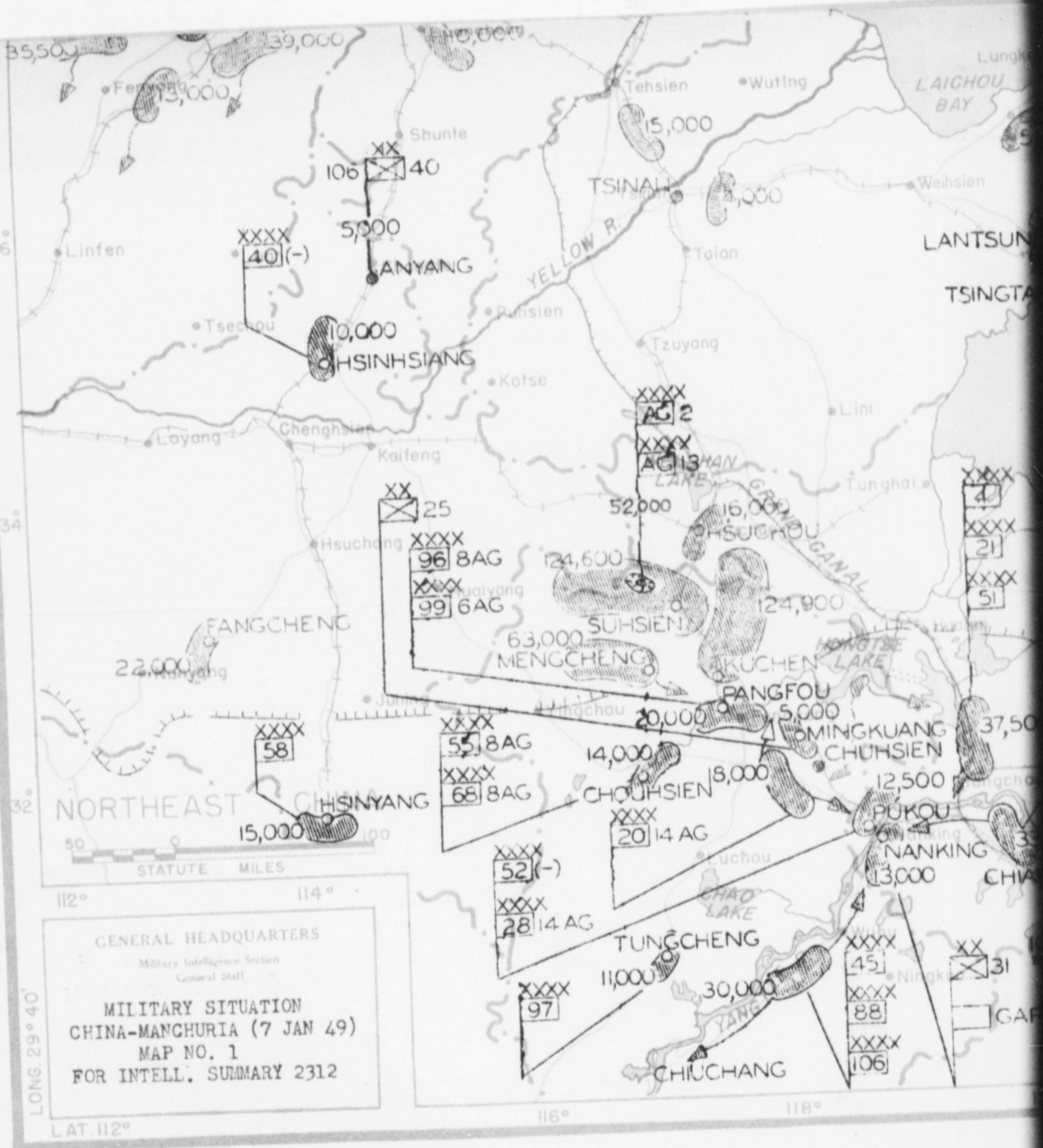

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"TAB 3"

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION, GENERAL STAFF

SECRET

SPOT INTELLIGENCE

HOUR: 1630
DATE: 6 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in China Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference is made to JUSMAG, Nanking (Joint Attaches) radio CM-9006 (AG No. 25091), 5 Jan 49 and JUSMAG, Nanking radio CYF 013 OAGA (AG No. 25054), 5 Jan 49.

b. Item 1 (not shown on map) indicates the Generalissimo will be forced to retire within one week, probably establishing headquarters in Taiwan (Formosa) from where he will continue "behind the scene" control of a government headed by LI Tsung-jen and from where he will attempt to lead a revolt against any coalition government unsatisfactory to him. 1

c. Item 2 indicates the belief that Communist radio broadcasts, evidencing bitterness toward "American Imperialism" and charging the U.S. with designing Nationalist peace feelers to gain time for training and equipping additional Nationalist troops south of the Yangtze River, are expected to result in early resumption of hostilities with Generals LIU Po-cheng and CHEN Yi sweeping south to the Yangtze. 2

d. Item 3 pertains to military developments in East-Central China. No fighting is in progress, but clear weather has permitted resumption of air-drops of food and ammunition to Gen TU Yu-ming's 2d and 13th Army Groups, isolated and surrounded southwest of Hsuchou. Some Communist movement has also been observed in and north from the Suhsien area, possibly indicating reinforcement or replacement of Communist units now containing TU Yu-ming. 3

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2. G-2 Comment:

a. The Generalissimo's failure to take definite, honest steps to approach some agreeable solution appears to be wrecking any remaining chance that a coalition government, satisfactory to the Communists, will be formed. Meanwhile, the prolonged lull in military operations has given the Communists opportunity to complete preparations for renewed, large-scale offensive action which may be resumed momentarily.

3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, Diplomatic, JSPOG and G-3.

3 Incls: (Attached to ADC and C/S Copies Only)
1 - JUSMAG, Nanking radio CM-9006 (AG No. 25091) Tab - 1.
2 - JUSMAG, Nanking radio CYF 013 (AG No. 25054) Tab - 2.
3 - Map "A" (Tab - 3).

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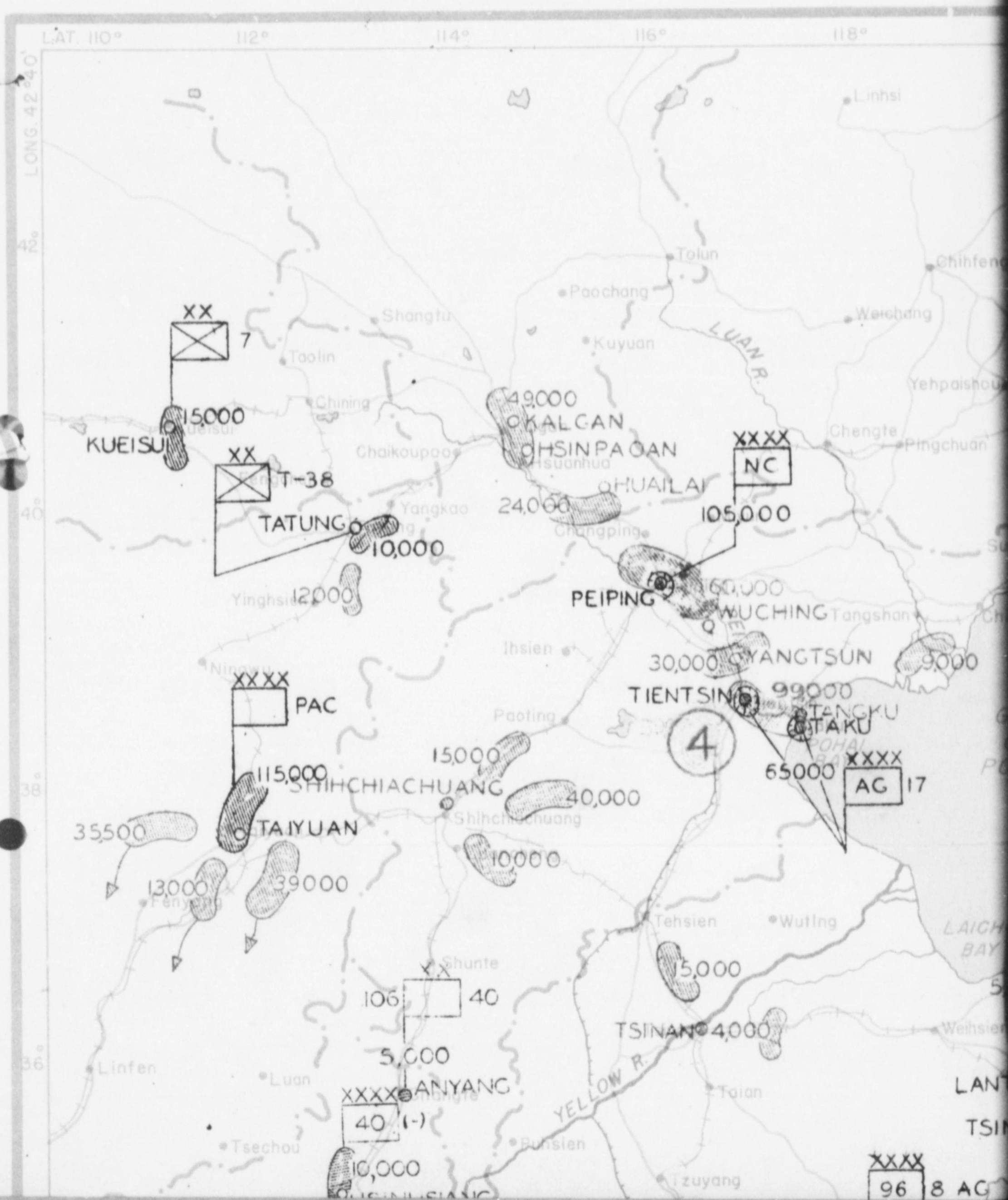

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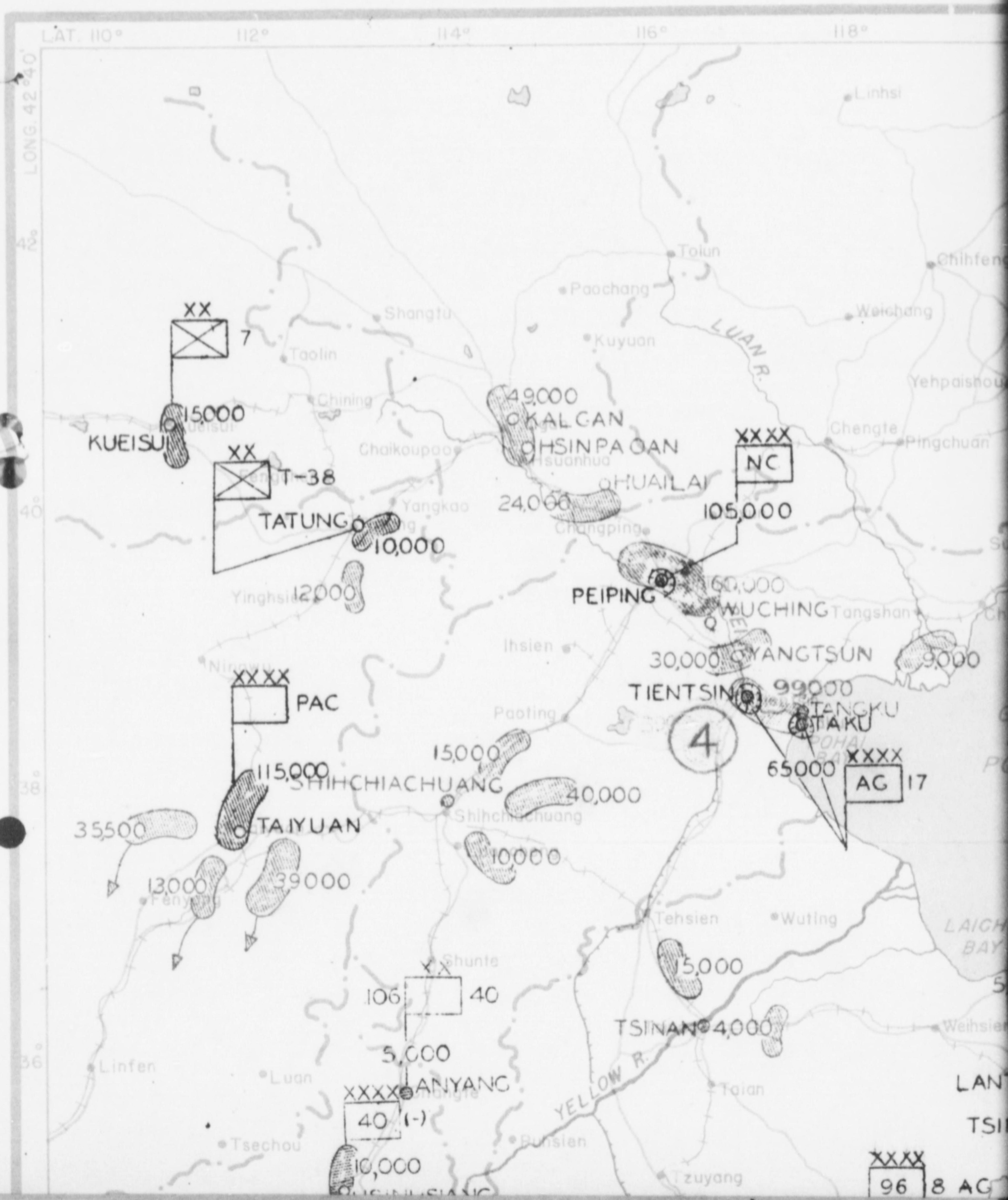

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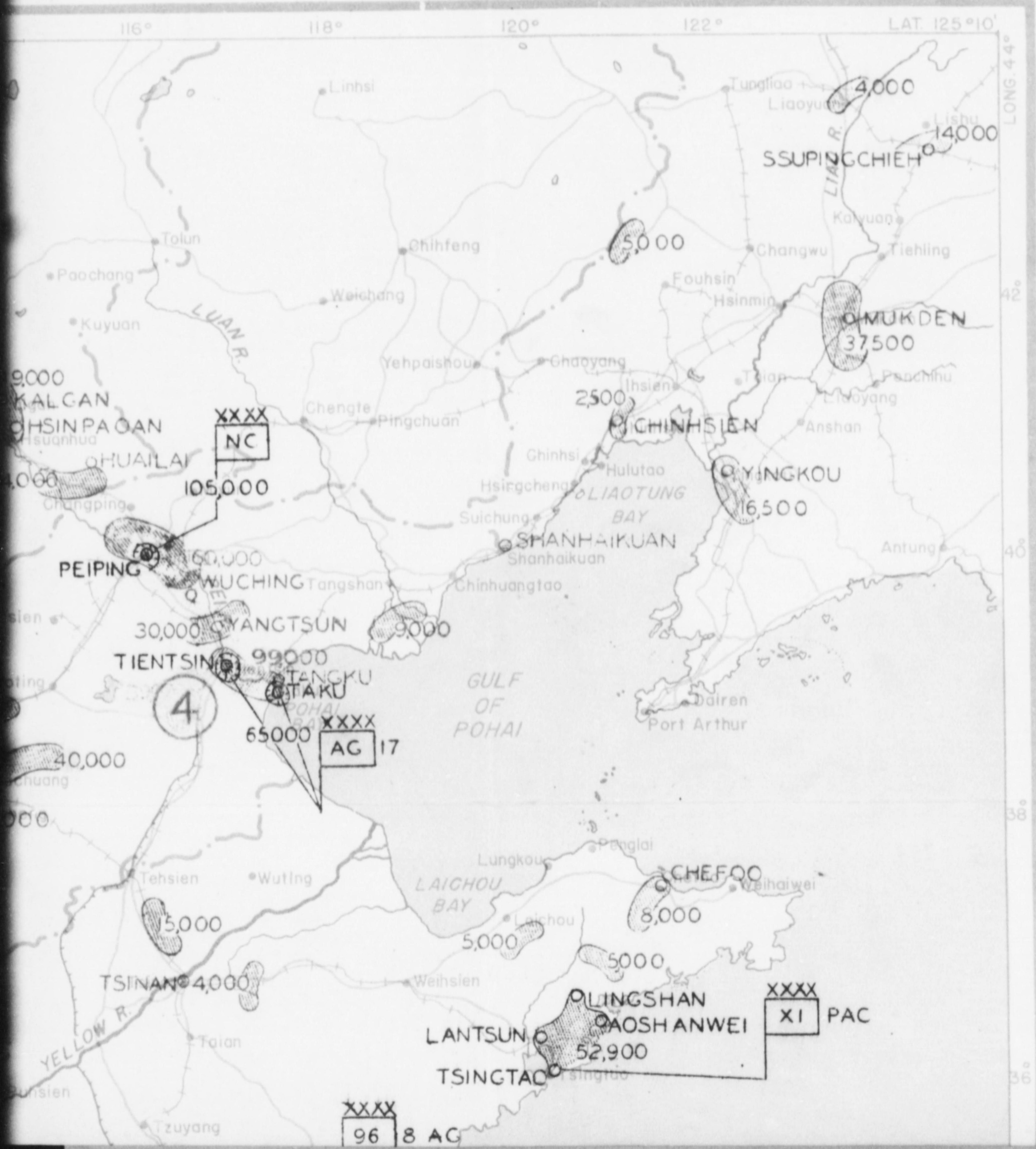

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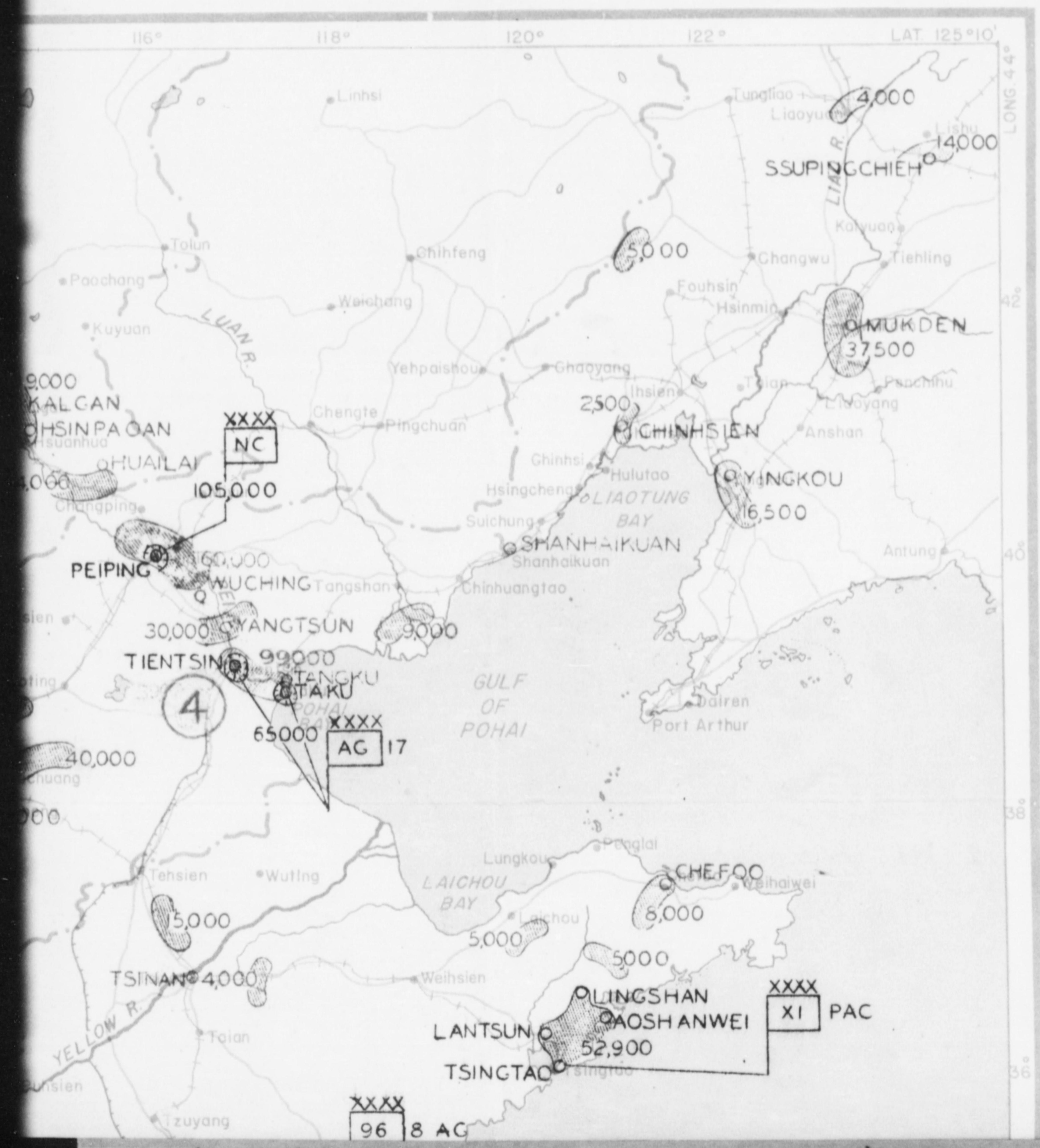

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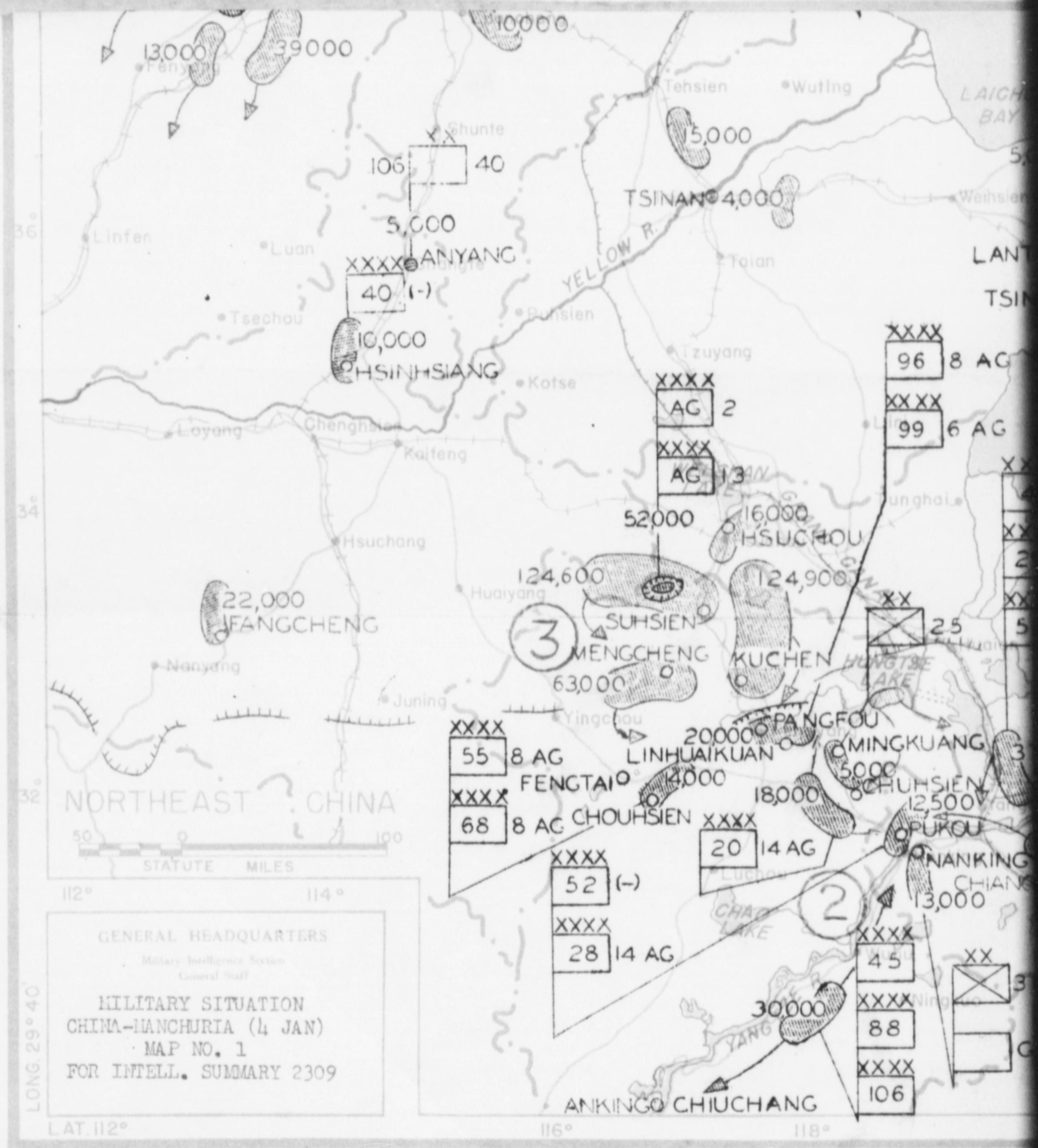

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION, GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

HOUR: 1730
DATE: 5 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developements in the China Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Refer to JUSMAG, radio No CYF 009 OAGA (AG No 24780), 5 Jan 49 (Tab-1) and AMILAT, radio No CM 9005 (AG No 24835), 5 Jan 49 (Tab-2).

b. Item 1 pertains to Communist artillery fire denying to the Nationalists the use of the race course temporary airfield. (1)

c. Item 2 pertains to the Communist preparations north of Pang-fou for a crossing of the Huai river, if present political negotiations prove unsatisfactory. (2)

2. G-2 Comment:

a. The Communists are apparently bypassing the Tangku-Taku area because of the Nationalist naval strength in the area. Loss of the air-field at Tientsin limits Nationalist air support to the city to possible air dropping of supplies.

b. It is expected that, if the Nationalists do not meet the Communist peace terms, the Communists will be in a position to rapidly move south across the Huai River, thus forcing the Nationalists to fall back to the Yangtze River defense line.

3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: JSPOG and G-3

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2 - AMILAT radio (Tab-2)
3 - Map "A" (Tab-3)

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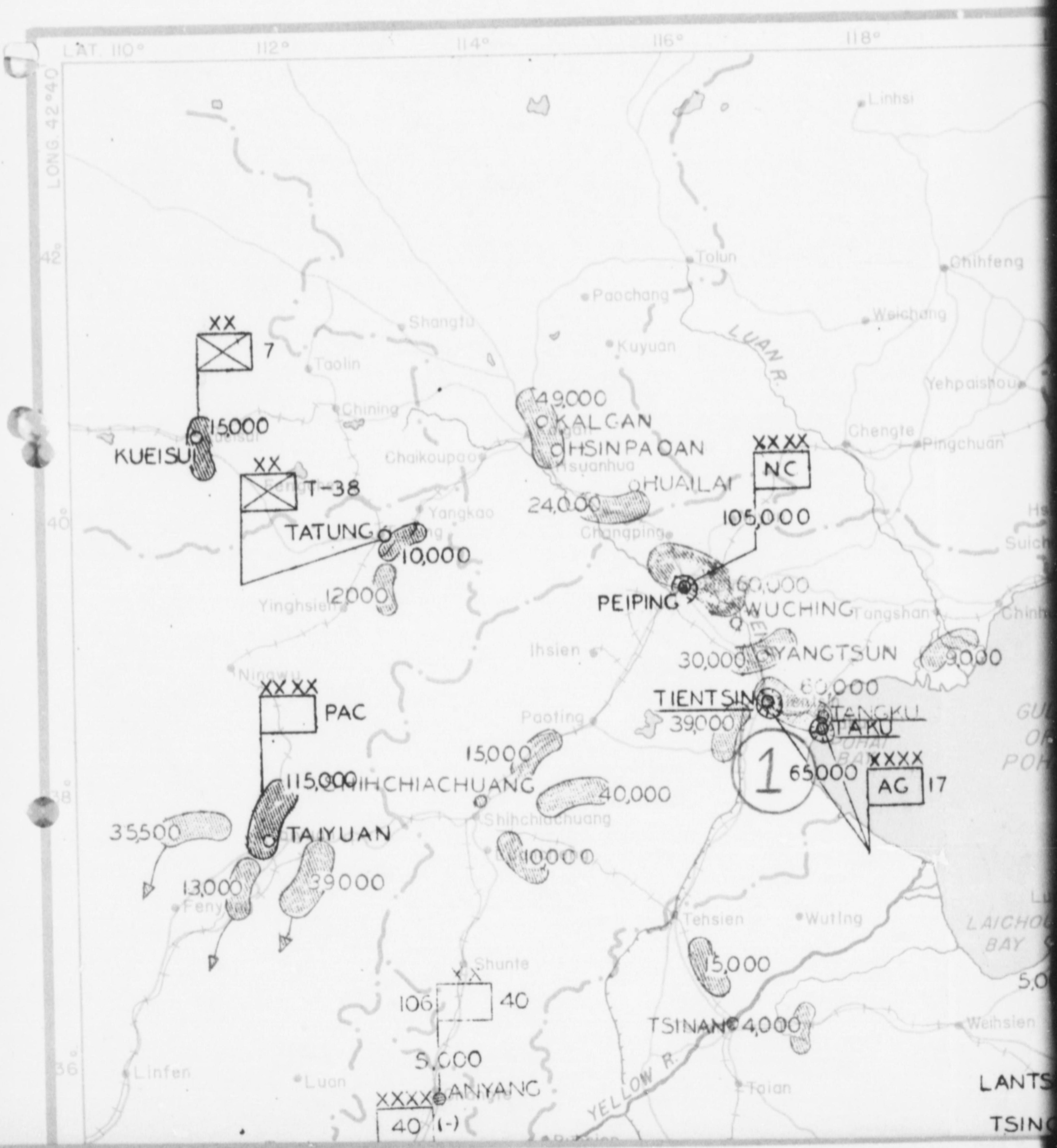

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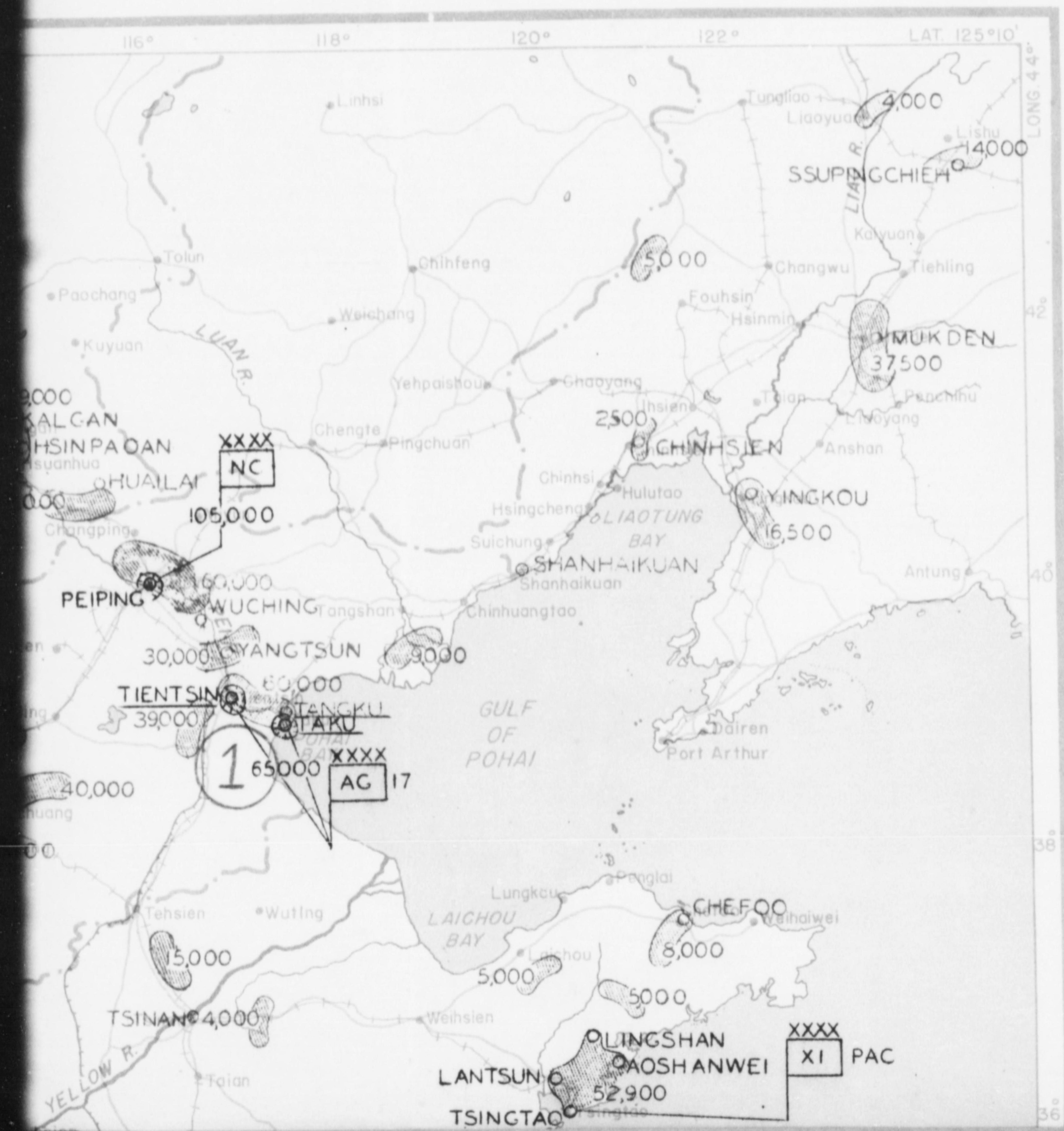

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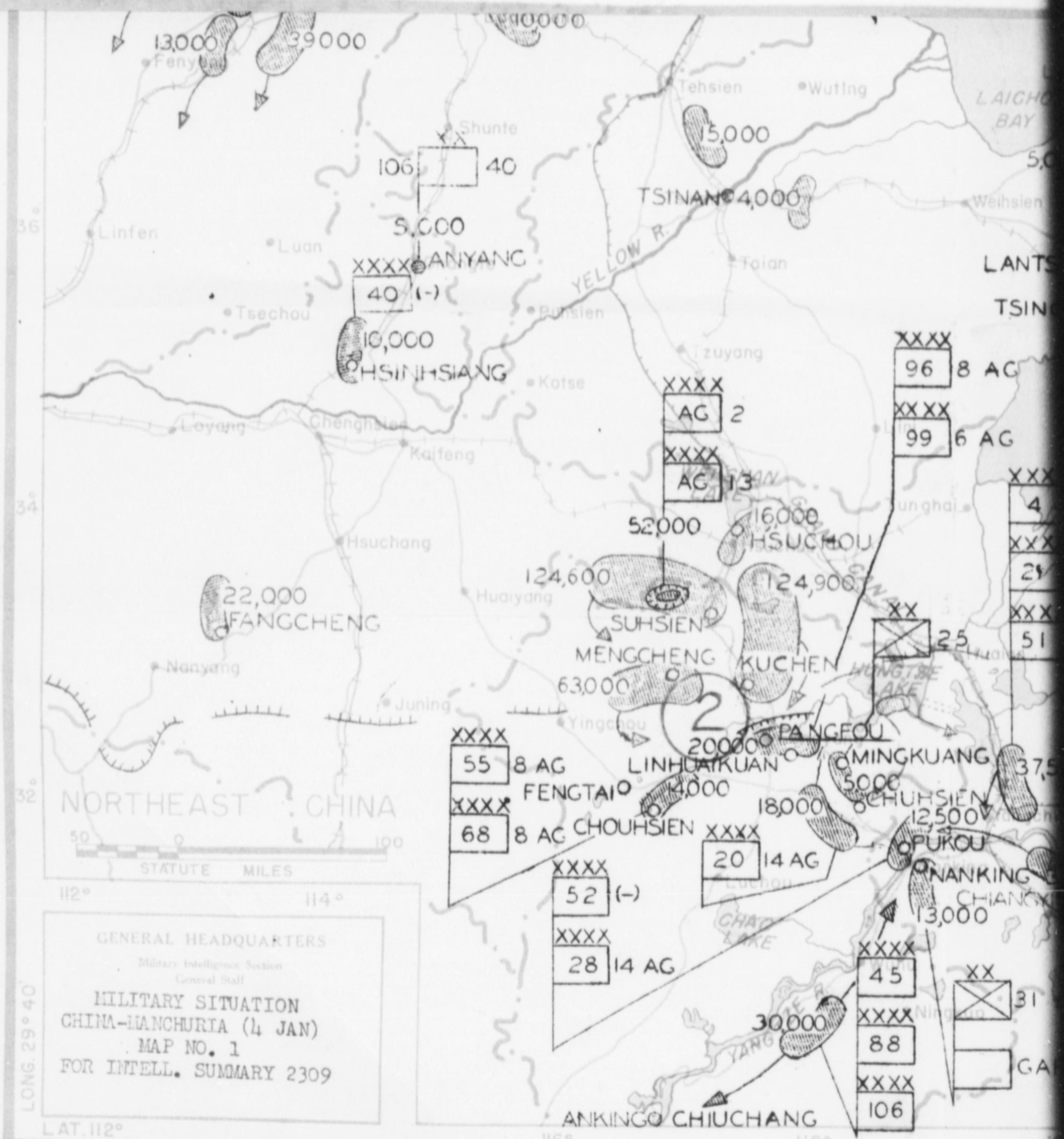

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION, GENERAL STAFF

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE HOUR: 1700
DATE: 4 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in China Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Reference is made to U.S. MIL Attache, Nanking radio CM 9004 (AG No. 242 95), 4 Jan 49.

b. Item 1 indicates that the Chinese G-2 is momentarily expecting an all-out Communist attack against Tientsin.

c. Item 2 indicates continued quiet in other areas of North and East-Central China.

2. G-2 Comment:

a. An estimated 130,000 Communist troops have been massed in the immediate Tientsin-Tangku-Taku area as opposed to approximately 65,000 Nationalist forces available for the defense of these points. It has been previously estimated (G-2 Intell Summary 2303) that Tientsin defenses could be reduced by the Communists within four or five days after the beginning of an all-out effort, and that during this time there would be many defections to the Communists.

3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC; JSPOG and G-3.

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1 - US MIL Attache, Nanking radio CM-9004, 4 Jan 48 (Tab - 1)
2 - Map "A" (Tab - 2)

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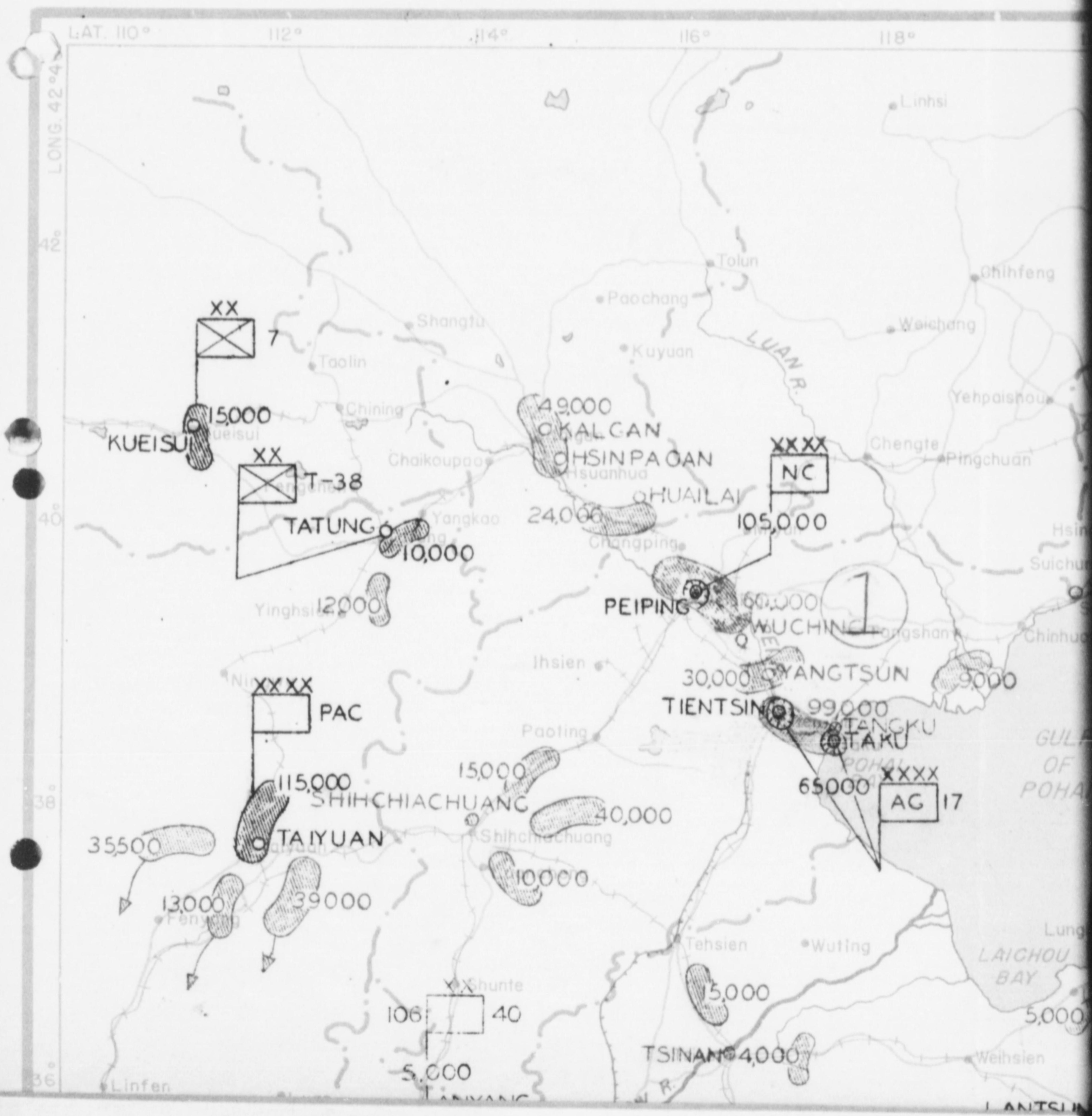

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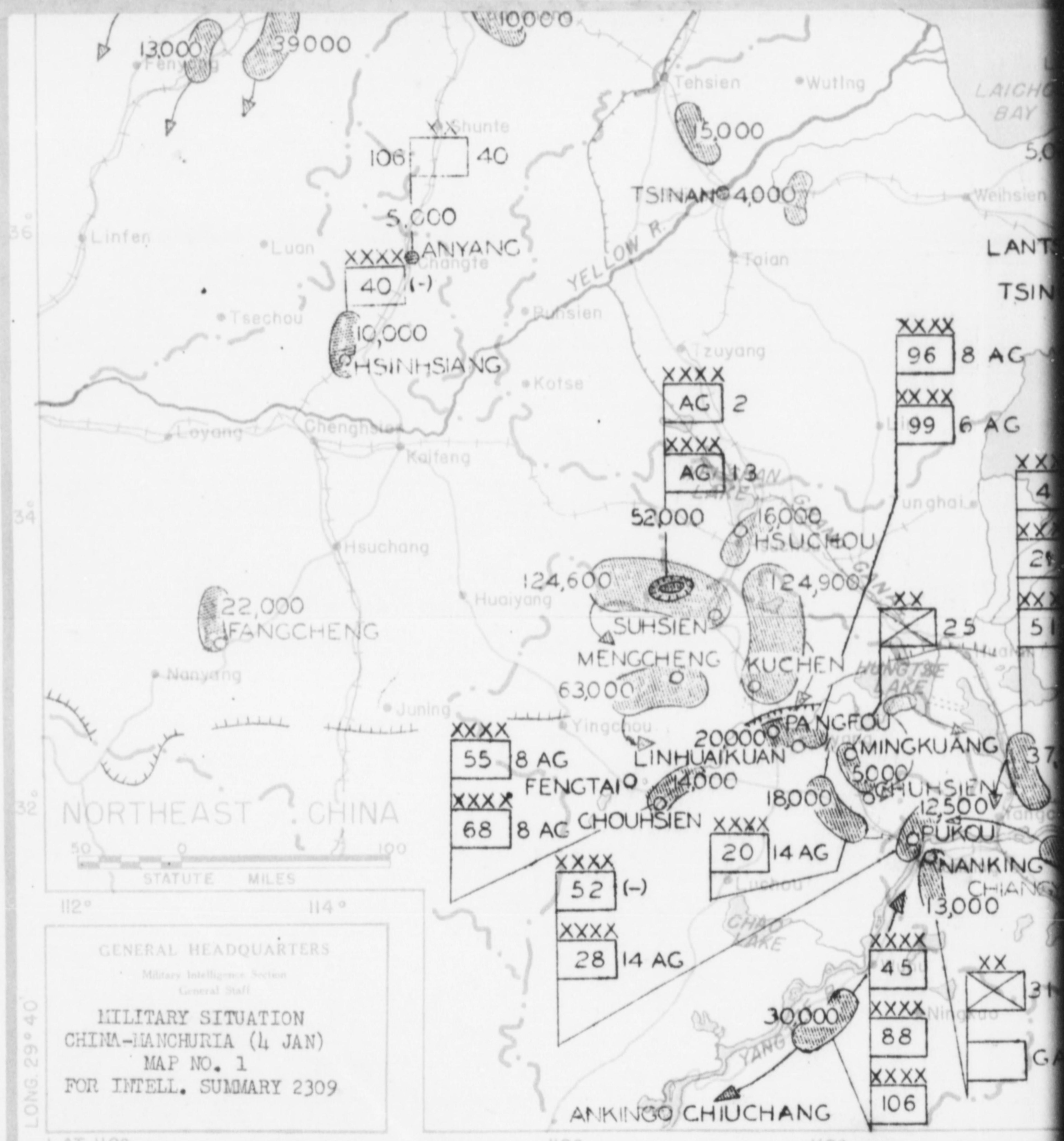

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

HOUR:1630
DATE: 2 Jan 49

SUBJECT: **Current Developments in the** China Situation

TO : The Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information

a. Reference is made to US Mil Attache, Nanking radio CM 1384 (AG No 23952) 2 Jan 49 and JUSMAG, China radio CYF 931 OAGA (AG No 23944) 2 Jan 49.

b. Item 1 indicates no significant change in the military situation in either North or East- Central China.

c. Item 2 indicates the Generalissimo's indecision to resign. 27 Dec it was decided by the Generalissimo to hold a conference with the major regional military-political leaders prior to making a decision to resign. Generals YEN Hsi-shan, LU Han, FU Tso-yi, PAI Chung-hsi, MA Hung-kuei, HU Tsung-nan, and T.V. SOONG were invited to attend, but only YEN, LU, and HU arrived immediately with SOONG expected soon. MA declined to attend, PAI dares not attend personally after sending the Generalissimo a telegram to resign, while FU is expected to send a deputy. Indications are that LU, SOONG, and HU will possibly favor continuing the fight. FU and PAI's representatives will possibly urge peace with YEN concurring indirectly. The Generalissimo's attitude toward conciliation with the Chinese Communists is momentarily hostile due to the publication of a war criminal list with the Generalissimo's name heading the list. Indications are that if any material encouragement is forthcoming from the conferees the Generalissimo will possibly decide to carry on the war and fight to the end.

2. G-2 Comment:

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3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, JSPOG, G-3 and Diplomatic.

2 Incl: (attached to C/S copy only)
1- U S MIL ATTACHE, Nanking radio CM 1384 (AG No 23952) Tab-1
2- JUSMAG, China radio CYF 931 OAHA (AG No 23944) Tab-2.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

HOUR: 1700
DATE: 1 January 1949

SUBJECT: Current Developments in the China Situation

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Essential Elements of Information:

a. Refer to JUSMAG radio, CYF 927 OAGA (AG No. 23702), 31 Dec 48.

b. There have been no significant changes reported in the past 24 hours relative to either the military or political situation in China.

2. G-2 Comment:

a. Although no official reports have been receive concerning the developments at the conferences now being held in Nanking, it is believed that the announcement of a "War Criminals" list by the Communists has caused the conferees to delay their final decision. The final decision, however, still is expected to call for the opening of negotiations with the Communists.

3. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: JSPOG and G-3

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Hour: 0945
Date: 6 November 1948

SUBJECT: Korean Defiance of North Korean Flag Ban

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. CIC is in receipt of information to the effect that through a secret directive issued 22 Oct 48, General Headquarters, League of Koreans (Leftist) is said to have ordered all Korean residents in Japan to prepare individual flags (Peoples' Republic of North Korea) in their homes for raising simultaneously on a date to be later designated in defiance of Occupation policy.

b. Purpose of this plan is to induce Occupation Forces to take positive counter action thus arousing anti-American feeling among Japanese as well as Koreans. Certain branches of the League in Hiroshima Prefecture are said to be already collecting funds and making flags at their offices.

c. Date of flag raising has been variously stated as:

(1) 7 Nov 48 - Soviet Revolution Day

(2) Day of celebration of establishment of North Korean Republic (not announced).

(3) Date designated by League general headquarters (unknown).

(4) Date designated by NOZAKA Sanzo (details unknown)

2. Action:

a. Second Cavalry Brigade and Provost Marshal have been notified.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, CPM, DS, GS, G-3, G-1, and G-2 8th Army.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

Hour: 1030
Date: 23 Oct 48

SUBJECT: Koreans to be Tried for Exhibition of North Korean Flag

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. CIC has learned that the Japanese police in Osaka have arrested six Koreans and have a warrant for the arrest of one other on charges of posting pictures of the North Korean flag on buildings, fences and posts in the Ikuno Area of Osaka. The trials of these Koreans are scheduled to open in the Osaka Provost Court on 25 Oct 48.

2. Action:

a. CIC will observe all developments in these cases and any information of consequence will be reported.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, CPM, DS, GS, G-3, G-1, and G-2 Eighth Army.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

Hour: 1700
Date: 14 Oct 48

SUBJECT: North Korean Flag Displayed at Fifth National Convention of League of Koreans

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. Reference is made to Spot Intelligence Report, subject as above, dated 1500 hours, 14 Oct 48, which reported that the flag of the Peoples' Republic of Korea (North) was being displayed on the platform of the Fifth National Convention of the League of Koreans Residing in Japan being held at Kyobashi Public Hall, Tokyo.

b. CIC reports that the flag which was displayed at the convention of the League of Koreans Residing in Japan was removed by the Koreans themselves at 1545 hours while the building was surrounded by approximately 300 Japanese policemen. No action has been taken with respect to the lapel buttons bearing fixed miniature replicas of the North Korean flag, which were handed out at the door of the convention earlier in the day.

2. Action:

a. CIC will continue to observe the situation and any incidents of consequence will be reported.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, GS, CPM, G-3, DS and G-1.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

Hour: 1500
Date: 14 Oct 48

SUBJECT: North Korean Flag Displayed at Fifth National Convention of League of Koreans

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. CIC reports that when the stage curtain was raised at Kyobashi Public Hall, Tokyo, at about 1130 hours, today, on the occasion of the opening of the Fifth National Convention of the League of Koreans Residing in Japan, the flag of the Peoples' Republic of Korea (North) was displayed on the stage. When the Metropolitan Police heard of the presence of the North Korean flag, representatives were sent to the convention hall. These representatives talked to an official of the League and the official refused to take the flag down and advised the Metropolitan Police Department representatives that such action would require permission of all League members present. He also refused to permit the Metropolitan Police Department representatives to remove the flag. The office of the Provost Marshal of Tokyo has advised CIC that a conference is in progress with the Metropolitan Police Department to determine further action regarding removal of the flag and it is expected that a number of policemen will visit the convention hall this afternoon and remove the flag.

b. CIC also reports that lapel buttons upon which were fixed miniature replicas of the North Korean flag were being distributed at the door of the convention hall. No action to seize these lapel buttons has been indicated by the Metropolitan Police Department or by any other authority.

2. Action:

a. CIC will continue to observe the situation and any incidents of consequence will be reported.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, GS, CPM, G-3, DS, and G-1.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

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Hour: 1025
Date: 13 Oct 48

SUBJECT: Korean Activities in Sendai

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. Reference is made to Spot Intelligence Report, subject as above, dated 1800 hours, 11 Oct 48, which reported that the League of Koreans Residing in Japan held a mass meeting in Sendai, Miyagi Prefecture, during which a number of flags of the Peoples' Republic of Korea (north) were displayed.

b. Another meeting was held by the same organization in Sendai beginning at 1000 hours, on 12 Oct 48, at which flags of both the South Korean Government and the Peoples' Republic of North Korea were displayed. During the meeting, one Korean brought out a South Korean flag which had a North Korean flag rolled up inside. Subject Korean began waving the North Korean flag and was immediately apprehended by Military Police. This incident caused the crowd to become unruly and several Koreans assaulted a Military Policeman. Another Military Policeman shot one of the Koreans, wounding him in the stomach. The wounded Korean was immediately removed to a hospital where his condition is reported to be serious.

c. Following the incident which occurred at approximately 1715 hours, the assembled Koreans began dispersing and the area was cleared by 1745 hours.

d. Kin Kei Ka, chairman of the Miyagi Branch of the Korean League, was arrested by MP's and taken to the North Sendai Police Station. Three other prominent leaders in the Miyagi Branch are scheduled for arrest. These four men had been advised by the Commanding Officer of the Miyagi Military Government Team prior to subject meeting which they sponsored on 12 Oct 48 that display of the North Korean flag was prohibited and that they were to so advise all Koreans at the meeting and to be held responsible for violations of the order.

2. Action:

a. Following agencies are cognizant: G-2 Eighth Army, G-2 IX Corps, S-2 11th Airborne Division.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, GS, CPM, G-3, DS, and G-1.

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G-2 Comment: C. A. W.

G-2, Eighth Army states that lower echelons have not complied properly with Eighth Army instructions that Japanese Police are responsible to prevent display of North Korean flag.

Follow-up action has been taken.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

Hour: 1800
Date: 11 Oct 1948

SUBJECT: Korean Activities in Sendai

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. CIC reports that at a meeting sponsored by the League of Koreans Residing in Japan today in Sendai, Miyagi Prefecture, flags of the Peoples' Republic of Korea (north) were displayed in quantity. Three large flags which were evident at the opening of the meeting (1000 hours) were retired by the Koreans at 1105 hours at the direction of the Legal Officer of the Sendai MG Team but 15 small paper flags were left on the archway which had been constructed at the entrance to the grounds.

b. At 1300 hours two of the large flags reappeared (one was flown from pole near center of the assembly area while the other was flown on a pole near entrance to the grounds) and the committee in charge of the meeting defied the MG Officer's request that they be removed on the premise that the people desired the flags to remain.

c. At 1330 hours a Japanese police riot squad arrived on the scene and was instructed by the MG Officer to remove the flags. Koreans locked arms in a human chain and prevented police from entering the area.

d. At 1410 hours an MP riot squad arrived but Koreans persisted in keeping the flags displayed. At 1435 hours the Koreans protestingly lowered the flags.

e. Following the flag incident the Koreans continued their meeting without further untoward developments.

2. Action:

a. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, GS, CPM, G-3, DS, and G-1.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

Hour: 1500
Date: 9 October 1948

SUBJECT: Activities of League of Koreans Residing in Japan

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. Reference is made to Spot Intelligence Report, subject as above, dated 1300 hours, 9 October 1948, which reported about 2,500 persons had assembled in Kanonyama Park, Yokohama, for the mass meeting of the leftist League of Koreans Residing in Japan.

b. CIC reports the following information:

(1) The meeting ended at 1330 hours. At 1415 hours about 3,000 participants had started a parade, some loaded on 60 trucks and numerous small vehicles and others on foot. The parade left Kanonyama Park and will move to downtown Yokohama and then to Kawasaki City (on the north Yokohama city limits) where it will disperse.

(2) CIC observed no violence in the proceedings up to this time.

(3) There was no evidence of opposition to the proceedings by the rightist Koreans present.

(4) About 11 Koreans were detained by the Military Police for unlawful display of the North Korean flag, banners and emblems.

2. Action:

a. CIC will continue to observe the activities ofthe League of Koreans Residing in Japan and incidents of consequence will be reported.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff SCAP and FEC, GS, CPM, Tokyo PM, G-3, DS and G-1.

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SPOT INTELLIGENCE

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Hour: 1050
Date: 8 October 1948

SUBJECT: Activities of League of Koreans Residing in Japan

TO : Chief of Staff

1. Information:

a. Reference is made to Spot Intelligence Report, subj: "Leftist Korean Meetings and Demonstrations", dated 1615 hours, 7 October 1948, which reported that the League of Koreans Residing in Japan would probably hold a mass meeting and demonstration in Hibiya Hall, Tokyo, on 9 October 1948, at which time the flag of the People's Republic of Korea (North) would be displayed.

b. CIS has learned from sources considered reliable that the Tokyo meeting will not be held as scheduled, but that it will be postponed until 17 October 1948.

c. On 9 October 1948, the members of the League of Koreans Residing in Japan will go to Yokohama to join the branch of the organization there in a mass meeting scheduled to be held at Kanonyama Park.

d. CIS has also learned that the Fukuoka Branch of the League of Koreans Residing in Japan will hold a mass meeting in Fukuoka City beginning at 1100 hours on 10 October 1948 with an expected attendance of 7,500 Koreans. The meeting has been announced as an occasion to celebrate the establishment of the North Korean People's Government. The Fukuoka Branch has sent out invitations to all sub-branches of the league throughout Fukuoka Prefecture to participate in subject meeting.

2. Action:

a. CIC will cover all activities of the League of Koreans Residing in Japan and incidents of consequence will be reported.

b. Following agencies notified: ADC, Deputy Chiefs of Staff, SCAP and FEC, GS, CPM, Tokyo PM, G-3, DS, G-1, and G-2, Eighth Army.

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