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BRITISH 2ND ARMY GAINS

Lublin Poles Recognized By Russia

U. S., Britain Stand By Exile Government

Seen As Major Policy Break of Three Big Powers

By Phil Ault
London, Jan. 5—(AP)—Russia in a policy break with the other big powers, today recognized the Lublin Poles as the provisional government of Poland after Britain had informed the Kremlin that she would not abandon the Polish government in London.

Washington, the United States government reaffirmed its recognition of the Polish government in London, and revealed that Moscow had agreed in advance of its recognition to recognizing the Lublin committee.

Refused to Concur

A British foreign office statement said Britain and Russia had concurred in the matter of Polish recognition, and Britain had refused to concur in the Russian decision.

The Russians had informed the British that they were going to recognize the Lublin setup, and the Moscow radio announcement of the recognition today came as no surprise in official quarters.

Britain and the United States were understood to have been in close consultation on the Polish problem, and probably will continue to take parallel action on it until the next meeting of President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Premier Joseph Stalin.

Blow to Tri-Power Unity

The blow to tri-power unity was understood by the coincidence that the Soviet announcement of the Lublin recognition came almost simultaneously with Mr. Roosevelt's report that he was meeting with the British and Russian leaders some time after Jan. 20.

High quarters here made no secret

Ultimate Victory On Leyte Never In Danger After Oct. 25

Early Heralded End Not Achieved Until Two Months Later

(Veteran Associated Press War Correspondent C. Yates McDaniels, in a series of two stories, tells for the first time how the Japanese attempted to make Leyte the decisive battleground of the western Pacific. He answers the question: "Why did General MacArthur issue his report that the Leyte campaign was virtually over after the first fortnight?")

By C. Yates McDaniels
Leyte, Philippines, Jan. 5—(AP)—The ultimate American victory of the Leyte campaign was never in serious jeopardy after the fateful hours of Oct. 25 when Vice Adm. Thomas C. Kinkaid's seventh fleet defeated the bulk of the Japanese battle force off Leyte with the distant support of Adm. William F. Halsey's far more formidable third fleet.

But the campaign's end, which General MacArthur's communique heralded within a fortnight of the initial landing, and the assured security essential to the materialization of his announced "great base for all arms for future operations" on Leyte was not achieved until the end of the year—almost two months later.

Airpower Tardy

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Ward Operation Conforms To Law Says Maj. Byron

**Company Accuses
Army Of Trespassing,
Illegal Seizure**

Chicago, Jan. 5.—(AP)—The war department is operating the "seized" Montgomery Ward and company properties in seven cities in "strict conformity with the law," says Maj. Joseph W. Byron, military manager.

In a statement answering a company accusation yesterday that the army was "trespassing" and "exceeding President Roosevelt's" "illegal order of seizure," Byron said: "The integrity of the United States is pledged to the protection of the legal rights of all parties in this matter."

Charge Trespassing

Byron's statement followed the company's disclosure of a letter sent by H. L. Pearson, vice president and treasurer, to Byron which charged the army personnel with "trespassing" against Ward's properties and "interference with Ward's business" and with service of Ward's customers.

Pearson termed "illegal" actions by army men in charge of the seized facilities and said "immediate correction" is required. He pointed out that army men were "cashing customer checks payable to Wards," "without authorization," drafts on Wards' treasurer, in payment of merchandise you have appropriated and in refund of overpayments made by you to Wards, and "which you have received from customers." He demanded that Byron find a solution of the problems raised.

Byron, replying to the company charges, said "all steps taken have been in strict conformity with the law and careful consideration is being kept of all financial transactions so that proper accounting can be made to the company for funds representing business transacted before the war department took possession of the property."

The army has seized 16 of the company's some 650 properties, 10 retail stores, three warehouses and three mail order houses. Thirteen company officials have been ousted, army officers said, so co-operate.

The army seizure, arising from Ward's refusal to obey orders of the board of directors, has been termed illegal by Judge Chairman Sewell L. Federal court hearing is scheduled Monday on a government petition upholding legality of the seizure and preventing company interference.

**Rufus L. Hedges,
Retired Farmer,
Dies At Age Of 76**

Rufus L. Hedges, 76, of 361 South Main avenue, formerly of Gibson City, died this morning following a brief illness. Mr. Hedges was born in Adams county, Ill. on Jan. 16, 1869. He was united in marriage to Nora Haskins, who died April 19, 1941. The deceased, a retired farmer, had lived in Kankakee the past year. He was a member of the North Neighbors of Gibson City.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Hester Appleton of Kankakee, son, Clark of Hoopeston, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. A daughter preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held from the Lamb Funeral home in Gibson City, at arrangements are in progress. Burial will be in Willow Brook cemetery at Fisher. Friends may call at the Phillips, Friday and Saturday. The body will be shipped to Gibson City to arrive at noon.

**60 Jap Ships—
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Arrests for the remaining months were as follows: January, 46; May, 31; June, 22; December, 30; November, 24; February, 32; July, 30; March, 22; and October, 21.

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**To Hold Funeral
Here Sunday For
Mrs. Sadie Hunter**

Funeral services for Mrs. Sadie Hunter of Chicago, a sister of Frank Wrenell of Aroma Park, will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday from the First Methodist church. Mrs. Hunter was 72 years of age. She was a native of Illinois and had been married to Mr. Wrenell for 45 years. She died at her home in Chicago on January 3, 1945.

**Monty Given—
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Montgomery at the time of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. He was a member of the 101st Airborne Division and was captured by the Japanese. He was held in a prison camp in Japan for several years. He was released in 1943 and returned to the United States. He is now a member of the 101st Airborne Division and is serving in the European theater.

**Ultimate Victory—
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The Japanese strategic importance of the Philippines was apparent from the first. To meet the American landing on Luzon, the Japanese moved their main forces to the Philippines. They were hoping to use the Philippines as a base for operations against the United States. However, the American forces were able to land on Luzon and the Japanese were forced to retreat. The ultimate victory was achieved by the American forces.

**Planes Attack—
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Air force Flying Fortresses and Liberators attacked the Japanese base at Manila. The attack was successful and the Japanese forces were forced to retreat. The American forces were able to capture the base and the Japanese were forced to abandon their plans for operations against the United States.

**Out Of Court
Settlement Ends
Cow Sale Case**

A civil suit which featured the sale of two cows and a calf, opened in the justice of peace court of Fred R. Smith, was finally disposed of through settlement out of court. The case was reported as amicable to both plaintiff and defendant. The settlement was reached after several days of negotiations.

**U. S., Britain—
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The United States and Britain are working closely together to defeat the Japanese. The American forces are making significant gains in the Pacific theater, and the British forces are making gains in the European theater. The ultimate victory is within reach.

**Mr. Motorist! Stop
Your Auto When A
School Bus Halts**

William Spillane, state driver's license examiner here, today cautioned motorists to stop their cars when a school bus halts. He said that it is the law and that it is for the safety of the children. He said that he has seen many accidents caused by motorists who do not stop for a school bus.

**Divorces Granted
In Circuit Court**

John Marquis and Ralph Mattingly were awarded divorces in Circuit court yesterday by Judge R. C. Smith. The divorces were granted on the grounds of desertion. The marriages had lasted for several years.

**Drift Boards
Ask Return Of
Valuable Cards**

An SOS call from the local selective service boards to Kankakee county persons to return to the county any draft registration cards or classification cards that they might find was sent out today by the boards.

RUMPS WAS INTO 100

Chicago — (UP)—J. M. Peterson, 44, an employee of the Pullman Co., shops, bumped his head into a 100 lb. Peterson got tired of bumping his head against the ceiling of the swinging door of a medicine cabinet at the shop and finally decided to swing the door open. He was injured and is now in the hospital.

BOAT CLUB WILL MEET

Kankakee Valley Boat club will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the club rooms. The meeting is for the purpose of discussing the club's plans for the coming season. The club is open to all who are interested in boating.

CHILD IS BORN

A daughter, Judith Ann, was born at St. Mary hospital on Jan. 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Romain Lambert of 290 North Cottage avenue. She is the second child and first girl. The mother is the former Kathryn L. Duffell.

CONDITION IMPROVES

The condition of W. S. Walden, 629 North Evergreen avenue, who underwent an operation at Illinois Research hospital in Chicago on Dec. 13, has greatly improved. It is reported.

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Marche to the right flank of the U. S. first army to the east. The British units attacked the Japanese on the outskirts of newly captured Bataan and Wavreille, south of Rochefort at the western end of the island.

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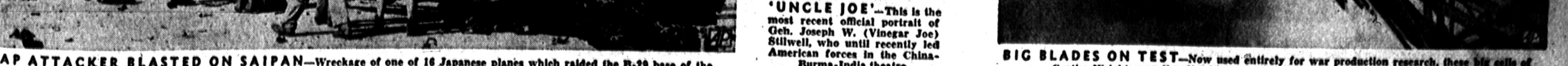
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WMAQ—Jim Bland and His Music
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6:15—WIND—The Spirit of Life
WGN—Telephone Quiz
WBBM—Howard Vincent O'Brien
WLS—Grace McCarthy, songs
6:30—WIND—News; Best Sellers
WMAQ—Super Intelligentsia
WBBM—Friday on Broadway
WLS—The Long Ranger
6:45—WIND—Chicago Reporter
WMAQ—News
WGN—The Lion's Roar
7:00—WIND—News; Music
WMAQ—Highways in Melody
WBBM—The Aldrich Family
WLS—Stars of the Future
7:15—WIND—News; Sunny Skyles's Serenade
WGN—Erin Lewis, news
WBBM—Capt. Michael Fielding
7:30—WIND—Tavern
WMAQ—Duffy's Tavern
WBBM—Freedom of Opportunity
WLS—The Tenth Man
7:45—WIND—Time to Remember
WMAQ—Tommy Tucker's Or.
WBBM—Key to the Future
WGN—Gabriel Heatter, news
WLS—Gang B. eer, drama
8:15—WIND—News; The Thin Man
WMAQ—Joan Davis Show
WBBM—That Brewster Boy
WLS—Double or Nothing
8:30—WMAQ—Spotlight Bands
WBBM—Amos 'n' Andy
WGN—Boing Boing
8:45—WIND—Bob and Line
WMAQ—Bill Stern, sports
WBBM—Stage Door Canteen
WLS—The Great Gilday
9:00—WMAQ—To be announced
9:15—WMAQ—The Super Club
WBBM—News of the Week
WGN—Jack Kirkwood Show

WBBM—Vladimir Brenner, pianist
WGN—Red Cross Report
WMAQ—Waltz Dreams
WBBM—Carl Marx songs
WIND—Melody Lane
WGN—Musical Moods
WBBM—On the Horizon Tomorrow
WMAQ—News
WLS—Musical Shop
WBBM—News
WGN—to be announced

6:00—WIND—News; Bill Sanders
WMAQ—World's Great Noels
WBBM—Major of the Town
WLS—Julian Bentley news
6:15—WIND—Spice of Life
WGN—Telephone Quiz
WBBM—Lead Stories
6:30—WIND—News; Sinatra Records
WMAQ—The Salt Man
WBBM—America in the Air
WLS—Meet Your Neighbor
6:45—WIND—Korn Kobblers
WMAQ—Say It With Music
WBBM—Sports Review
WGN—Gaiety Girls
WLS—Confidentially Yours
WBBM—Kenny Baker Program
WMAQ—Gaiety Girls
WBBM—Ralph Ginsburg's Orch.
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WBBM—FBI Program
7:00—WIND—Captain Michael Fielding
WMAQ—Truth or Consequences
WBBM—Hollywood Theater
WMAQ—Your Hit Parade
WBBM—National Barn Dance
7:15—WIND—News; Music
WMAQ—Can You Toss It?
WBBM—Spotlight Bands
WGN—Theater of the Air
7:30—WIND—Here Comes Elmer
WMAQ—Meet Your Neighbor
7:45—WIND—Melody Lane
WBBM—Julian Bentley news
WMAQ—Quiz Club
WBBM—Jackson news
WGN—Capt. Michael Fielding
WMAQ—Barn Dance
7:55—WIND—Chicago at Night
WMAQ—Band Plays On
WBBM—King's Jesters
WLS—National Barn Dance (2 hrs.)
8:00—WMAQ—The Symphonette
WBBM—News

6:00—WIND—Hour of News
WMAQ—400 Hour
WBBM—Record Retelle
WGN—News of the World
WLS—News
7:15—WLS—Prairie Ramblers
7:30—WBBM—Clock
WMAQ—News
WLS—Jennie Lou and Buddies
7:45—WLS—Milt Carlton
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8:15—WIND—Coffee Time
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WBBM—Music from the Heart
8:30—WIND—News; Rhythm Express
WMAQ—News
WBBM—to be announced
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WLS—Breakfast Club
8:45—WMAQ—Your Friend, Bob
WBBM—Meet the Missus
WBBM—Organ Moods
9:00—WIND—News; The Day Right
WMAQ—Ray Gibson
WBBM—What's Cookin'
9:15—WIND—Quiz Time
WGN—Spots of Music
WBBM—Al Pierce Show
9:30—WIND—Easy Listening
WMAQ—Morning Musical
WBBM—Erly Winkles
WLS—What's Cooking
9:45—WIND—Gaiety Public Schools
WMAQ—June Baker
WBBM—Agricultural Review
WMAQ—C. C. Johnson
WBBM—Chicago of Tomorrow
WBBM—News
WLS—Great Lakes Bulletin
WIND—Adventures in Research
WGN—News
WBBM—Modern foremaking
WBBM—News; Morning Pickup
10:30—WMAQ—Smilin' Ed McConnell
WBBM—Booby Day
WBBM—Bibi Burke Show
WLS—Poultry Service Time
10:45—WLS—News
11:00—WIND—News; Music
WMAQ—Niles Drier, news
WBBM—Rainbow House
WBBM—Theater of Today
WLS—Amateur Day Program
11:15—WIND—Quiz Time
WMAQ—Chatham Shopper
WBBM—Starline Hollywood
WBBM—Covers Girl Parade
WMAQ—Atlantic Spotlight
WBBM—Cheese, Wool Market
11:45—WMAQ—Ranch House
WGN—Broadcast Time
WLS—Farm News; Markets

Danforth

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Kraay drove to Chicago Saturday to meet their son, Russell, who was expected to arrive on a plane from Sampson, New York. Because of low ceilings all planes were grounded and Russell was forced to come by train, arriving in Chicago on Sunday at 2 a. m. After he had spent 24 hours at home, Mr. and Mrs. John Kraay and Louis drove him back to Chicago Monday morning where he again boarded a train for New York.

Mrs. Bertha Fry of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Milen Janssen of Watseka returned to their respective homes Sunday after spending a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Kremer.

Mrs. E. Kolner and daughter, Mrs. C. Hulzenga, were New Year's dinner guests at the George Mitchell home.

Mr. Bert Hulzenga returned Tuesday from the Watseka hospital after spending the Christmas holidays there recovering from an appendectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Zudyk and Mrs. Bert Hulzenga were callers at the Watseka hospital on Thursday.

The pulpit of the Reformed church will be occupied by Richard E. Winter, American Sunday school Union missionary. The Rev. Versteeg will preach in the First Reformed church of Lansing, the same day.

On Wednesday, Jan. 3, the Altruists met at the church parlors with Mrs. Dorothy Hulzenga in charge of devotions. A book report was given by Mrs. Irene Koets and Mrs. Marie Cotter gave a reading. The hostesses were Mrs. Tillie Behrens and Mrs. Verna Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slingerland of Wheatland, Conn., and Mrs. Lloyd, were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Kremer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Rietveld of South Holland, spent Thursday with the latter's mother, Mrs. T. Hulzenga.

On Tuesday evening the Christian Endeavorers of the Reformed church held their annual election. The following officers were chosen: Wayne Brown, president; Louis Kraay, vice president; Robert Osterhof, secretary; John Kremer Jr., treasurer, and Eugene Decker, assistant treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Zedyk left last week for Dallas, Tex., to spend a few days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Koets.

Word has been received here of the sudden death of John Saxma, brother of Mrs. John Benema, in a Chicago hospital on Tuesday, Jan. 2.

Lillian Janssen returned Sunday from a visit with her aunts, Mrs. B. Osborn of Joliet and Mrs. T. McMullen of Kankakee.

WILL START CROWING SOON
Jena, La. —(UP)—A two-ounce egg is considered normal. A five-ounce silver lace wendyotte belonging to L. L. Hooter of Jena added to the production, however, and recently produced one weighing 3½ ounces and another three ounces.

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Reddick

The first meeting of the W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church for 1945 will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. William Hemminger in Reddick. Mrs. LaVan Studley will be the assisting hostess.

The National Council of Catholic Women held its December meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. James Maloney. The business meeting was held, after which a luncheon was served. First prize was awarded to Mrs. V. C. Cook; consolation to Josephine Murphy. A lunch of chicken sandwiches, pickles, cake and ice cream was served by Mrs. Maloney and Mrs. Thomas Finnegan. There was a gift exchange. The next meeting will be Jan. 11 at the home of Mrs. Mary Pedersen.

Eugene Patchett of the University of Illinois gave an interesting talk at the morning service in the Methodist church Sunday relative to the Wesley Foundation at the state university.

Eugene Patchett and Jock Gill of the University of Illinois and Dorothy Chally of Normal university spent the holiday vacation at home.

Mrs. Virgil Bader and sons of Bonfield visited Friday and Saturday at the LaVan Studley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lauritzen spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peterson in Dwight.

Mrs. William Hemminger will entertain the Reddick Methodist W. S. C. S. at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. La Van Studley will assist as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Briney and family spent Sunday in Lovington with relatives.

Viola Studley of Bloomington came home Saturday and spent New Year's day at the home of her parents. She returned Monday evening.

Rosemary Briney has returned to West Chicago where she is teaching school.

Mrs. William Holsongton and daughter of Oklahoma returned to their home Monday from Stretator. They have been visiting during the holidays at the homes of John Graf, Frank Tabore, M. Tabore and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. La Van Studley and sons spent Sunday at the Glen Sargent home near Cabery. John Russell and Leland remained over night.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Miller have moved back to their home in Celina, Ohio. They had been living in the late Hallome Bros for the past five years. They spent a day and night at the John Clark home before leaving for Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Tyler and daughter Carol, Mrs. Laura Holsongton and daughter of Oklahoma spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Tavaré.

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The weekly Rotary club luncheon was held at the William Shonkwill home Tuesday noon. All members were present except Fred La Roque who is ill. This was an open meeting, therefore no speaker was scheduled. Howard Buhl, M. E. I. C. spoke briefly on his two years of service on an L.S.T. craft. The other guest was Cpl. Francis Smith, formerly Rotary president and mayor of Manteno.

Cpl. and Mrs. Richard Quigley have returned to Denver, Colo., after spending four days with the corporal's brother, Harold.

Margaret Jean Honnold arrived Saturday to assume her new duties as home economics teacher at the high school. Miss Honnold is a recent graduate of the Iowa State college of agriculture. She is staying at the home of Mrs. Sara Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Mallott left Sunday for California where the former will resume his naval duties.

Mildred Cunningham returned Sunday from her home in Arcola where she spent the holiday vacation.

Mrs. Eddie Reed accompanied her nephew, Billy, to Chicago Friday where he entrained for his home in Loveland, Colo., after a week's visit here. Mrs. Reed spent Saturday in Evanston with her sister Mrs. O. W. Bourrelle.

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I know I am supposed to speak of everyday food and what is available at this time, but with this glorious white snow and the crisp, clean air of January, I don't seem to be able to settle down to everyday living. Of course, in the line of lunches after an invigorating party out of doors, if you wish to really have something good to eat that will satisfy those ravenous appetites, there is always the good old-fashioned baked beans with salt pork or ham and the tasty brown bread that goes so well with them. That is a treat that is in its prime on frosty winter days.

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"In your own interest and in an effort to maintain a well balanced national inventory of shoes in all retail stocks we urge you to bring to the attention of your employees and to display the following statement prominently in your establishment:

"Cancellation of outstanding shoe stamps is not being considered," the OPA said today. "Although increased military demands are cutting into civilian supplies, the War Production board's office of civilian requirements said that shoe supplies are adequate to honor stamps now outstanding. While WPA has not yet completed its estimate of 1945 production OPA said indications are that the next shoe stamps probably will not be validated until some time next summer. OPA said that no specific date for making the next stamp good can be given now. That decision awaits information on production for 1945.

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