

Minister Of Defence Lin Piao Seen Near Top Post In China

Defence Minister Lin Piao is evidently within striking distance of making himself undisputed master of China's 700,000,000 people.

Forces supporting Lin appear to be closing in swiftly on the 68-year-old president, Liu Shao-chi. According to Communist bloc dispatches, Liu's name now is linked with the fallen Peng Chen, once the powerful mayor of Peking.

Young Red Guards, whom the

Peking press calls "little generals of the revolution," recently denounced Liu. If this had official inspiration, which seems likely, things look ominous for Liu.

Red Guard attacks call Lin No. 1 boss of a "black-gang" accused of masterminding anti-party activities. Teng Hsiang-ping, apparently still Communist party general secretary, is pictured as Liu's No. 2 man.

The attacks go well beyond that. They allege Liu was involved in anti-party plotting all the way back to 1954 during the "Kao Kang deviation." Kao, heaved out of leadership of the party in northeast China, killed himself. The guards also accuse Liu of having supported Lo Jui-ching, ousted as army chief of staff in the current purge.

The European and Soviet Communist press says the struggle is not over and nobody can say where it will lead. The Soviet party would like nothing better than the defeat of Lin, by a group more amenable to Soviet leadership.

These dispatches tell of widespread discontent in China. They refer to the breakup of China's 9,000,000-strong Young Communist League, which would have been the source of leadership as the older genera-

Hamilton laid down while he was agriculture minister from 1960 until 1963.

He had a big hand in the Tories' national oil policy, aimed at opening markets for Canadian oil in the United States in exchange for markets in the Eastern Canada for U.S. oil.

Once the Conservative government was defeated and moved into Opposition, Mr. Hamilton recognized that a big political gap was opening up through loss of all Conservative seats in Vancouver and Toronto and reduction of the party's Montreal strength to a lone member.

With the shift of population from rural to urban seats, he convinced his colleagues that it was essential for future election success to rebuild in the cities.

He was given the go-ahead by the caucus to organize them a year ago and to act as their contact man.

power—the great metropolitan centres.

All this adds up to a sizeable power base from which to springboard into the party leadership when John Diefenbaker steps down.

And, while this power base has been forming under and around him, Mr. Hamilton apparently has managed to remain loyal to his chief and retain the confidence of the MPs, most of whom are just as loyal to the leader.

CLAIMS FISHING RUINED CORNWALL (CP)—A \$200,000 damage suit against Donmar Pulp and Paper Ltd. and Howard Smith Paper Mills Ltd., was set down Thursday to the January sitting of the Ontario Supreme Court. Plaintiff in the action, fisherman Walter MacPherson of nearby Summers-

town, is seeking damages because he says his fishing grounds in the St. Lawrence River are being ruined by toxic effluent and poisonous substances released into the river by the defendants' plant in Cornwall.

STIMULATES THINKING

The task not only gave him an outlet for stimulating policy thinking within the party, it gave him what may prove to be valuable relations with the areas of growing political

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- 1:00 p.m.—Music
 - 2:00 p.m.—Emergency Ward 10
 - 2:30 p.m.—Most Lovely Country
 - 3:00 p.m.—Take 30
 - 3:30 p.m.—Edge of Night
 - 4:00 p.m.—Communicate
 - 4:31 p.m.—Time for Adventure
 - 5:00 p.m.—Rin Tin Tin
 - 5:30 p.m.—Music Wep
 - 6:00 p.m.—Nations Business
 - 6:15 p.m.—Live Linger
 - 6:30 p.m.—Canada
 - 7:00 p.m.—CFCY TV News
 - 7:15 p.m.—TBA
 - 7:30 p.m.—Dean Martin Show
 - 8:30 p.m.—Beethoven
 - 9:00 p.m.—Green Acres (Color)
 - 9:30 p.m.—Music Canada
 - 11:00 p.m.—Interl...
 - 12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
 - 12:19 a.m.—Local Weather and Sport Scores
 - 12:20 a.m.—Sign Off

CKCW-TV

- 9:57 a.m.—Station Sign On
- 10:00 a.m.—Canadian Schools
- 10:30 a.m.—Nova Scotia Schools
- 11:30 a.m.—Friendly Giant
- 11:45 a.m.—Ches Helms
- 12:00 p.m.—Bourgeois
- 12:25 p.m.—Emergency Ward 10
- 12:55 p.m.—CBC TV News
- 1:00 p.m.—Playbill—Ride Out For Revenge
- 2:30 p.m.—At Home With Helen Crecker
- 3:00 p.m.—Take Thirty
- 3:30 p.m.—Edge of Night
- 4:00 p.m.—Communicate
- 4:31 p.m.—Time for Adventure
- 5:00 p.m.—Funtime
- 5:30 p.m.—Woody Woodpecker
- 6:00 p.m.—Nations Business
- 6:15 p.m.—Supper Club
- 6:17 p.m.—LTV News
- 6:25 p.m.—LTV Weather
- 6:30 p.m.—LTV Sports
- 6:35 p.m.—Supper Club
- 7:00 p.m.—Take A Chance
- 7:30 p.m.—The Flintstones
- 8:00 p.m.—The Fugitive
- 9:00 p.m.—Grain
- 9:30 p.m.—Music Canada
- 11:00 p.m.—Interl...
- The Lion & The Eagle
- 12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
- 12:20 a.m.—Viewpoint
- 12:28 a.m.—LTV News
- 12:35 a.m.—Sign Off

CFCY RADIO

- WEDNESDAY**
- 6:30—News and Weather
 - 6:45—Morning Roundup
 - 6:45—Morning Roundup
 - 6:55—News and Weather
 - 7:00—Hebrew Christian Hour
 - 7:30—News and Weather
 - 7:35—Farm Report
 - 7:41—Morning Roundup
 - 7:45—Island W. and Mar. Temp.
 - 7:46—Morning Roundup
 - 7:56—Sports Capsule and Scoreboard
 - 8:00—News
 - 8:15—Morning Roundup
 - 8:45—Weather
 - 8:50—Atlantic News Roundup
 - 8:58—Thought For Today
 - 9:00—CBC National News—CBC
 - 9:10—Notes and Music
 - 10:00—News and Weather
 - 10:05—Notes and Music
 - 10:25—Sunlight Eyes
 - 10:35—Preview Commentary
 - 10:55—Lucky 7 Contest
 - 11:00—News and Weather
 - 11:05—Notes and Music
 - 11:45—Bulletin Board
 - 11:50—Notes and Music
 - 11:55—Agriculture '66
 - 12:00—Weather
 - 12:05—Town and Country Time
 - 12:30—News and Weather
 - 12:45—Town and Country Time
 - 1:00—News and Weather
 - 1:05—Town and Country Time
 - 1:15—Gordie Tapp Show
 - 1:45—Town and Country Time
 - 2:00—News and Weather
 - 2:05—Mostly Music
 - 2:10—Mostly Music
 - 2:30—Assignment
 - 2:35—Mostly Music
 - 2:58—Thought For Today
 - 3:00—News Headlines and Weather
 - 3:03—Trans-Canada Matinee—CBC
 - 3:30—Pop Caravan
 - 4:00—News Headlines and Weather
 - 4:03—Canadian Roundup—CBC
 - 4:10—Pop Caravan
 - 5:00—News and Weather
 - 5:05—The Outposts
 - 5:25—Morning Weather
 - 5:28—The Outposts
 - 5:45—Sports Capsule and Scoreboard
 - 5:50—The Outposts
 - 6:00—News and Weather
 - 6:30—Business Barometer—CBC
 - 6:35—Tonight's Music
 - 7:00—Back to the Bible
 - 7:30—News and Weather
 - 7:45—Program Schedule

Hamilton Seen Moving Into Leader Category

OTTAWA (CP)—Alvin Hamilton, for years the Conservatives' idea-a-minute man, seems to be moving deeper into the future-leader category.

His latest operation in the field of leadership was a press conference late last week at which he announced on behalf of the party's 98 MPs that a policy conference will be held at party headquarters Dec. 10 and 11.

The conference will be attended by the party's MPs and senators to chart policy directions that the party's national association left hanging at last month's annual meeting.

For the 54-year-old former high school teacher, acting as spokesman for the MPs in the

policy field is something new. But the making of policy is old stuff for him.

He is generally reputed to have fathered such northern development plans as the roads to resources while he was Conservative minister of northern affairs from 1967 until 1969.

EARN POLITICAL FRAMES

He also is credited with the ARDA program, highly praised even by his Liberal political foes, which began as the Agricultural Rehabilitation and Development Act.

While the Liberals expanded ARDA's operations, they did go along the lines of the same, Mr.

THE SLEAZE TRAP

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- 7:45—Tonight's Music**
- 8:58—News Headlines and Weather
 - 9:00—Midweek Theatre—CBC
 - 10:00—CBC National News, On Per. Hill and Speaking Personally—CBC
 - 10:30—Starlight Serenade
 - 11:00—News and Regional Weather
 - 11:03—Starlight Serenade
 - 11:20—News and Weather
 - 11:35—Starlight Serenade
 - 11:55—Sports—CBC
 - 12:00—CBC News, Weather and 12:15—News and Music—CBC
- WEDNESDAY**
- 6:00—The Morning Show—Part 1
 - 6:35—Shop Talk
 - 7:00—CBC News
 - 7:03—Inland Wx., Sports Scores
 - 7:06—Music
 - 7:27—Inland Wx., Sports Scores
 - 7:30—Live Up Your Years
 - 7:40—Music
 - 7:45—It Happened Today
 - 7:46—Music
 - 8:00—CBC News
 - 8:12—Regional Wx.
 - 8:16—Maritime Sportscast
 - 8:21—Music
 - 8:35—The Max Ferguson Show
 - 9:00—CBC News
 - 9:15—The Gordie Tap Show
 - 9:30—The Gordie Tap Show
 - 9:45—A.M. Cronica
 - 10:30—Playroom
 - 10:55—Assignment
 - 11:00—CBC News
 - 11:03—Jean Marshall
 - 11:15—Assignment—Consumers
 - 11:30—Al Foster Show
 - 11:55—National Business
 - 12:00—Jamboree Junction
 - 12:30—Maritime Farm '66

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By S. JAY BECKER

North dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

NOTRUMP

♠ A K 8
♥ A 8 3
♦ A 8 3
♣ A J 10 7 5 4

WEST

♠ 10 8 7 4 3
♥ 7
♦ Q 10 9
♣ Q 8 3 3

EAST

♠ A Q 9
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ J 8 5 3
♣ 6

SOUTH

♠ K J 6 3
♥ Q 10 9 3
♦ K 7 4
♣ K 9

The bidding:

North East South West
1♣ Pass 1♥ Pass
3♥ Pass 3NT

Opening lead—four of spades. This deal was played by Eric Paulsen, Los Angeles star. It occurred in a pair championship, where great stress is placed not only on making the contract but also on making every possible trick.

West led a spade, taken with the ace, and East returned the queen to Paulsen's king. Paulsen had to discard on dummy on the spade, and made the far-sighted discard of the eight of diamonds.

Making eleven tricks was now a cinch, but making twelve was more difficult because of the possibility of taking a club finesse in the wrong direction.

Before committing himself to a finesse, Paulsen first cashed the A-K of hearts in order to better gauge the makeup of the hand. When West showed out on the second heart, he decided that West was likely to have the greater club length.

Accordingly, he led a club to the king and a club back to the jack, East showing out. By now, Paulsen had a count on West's hand and all he had to do was take advantage of it.

This he proceeded to do by playing a heart to the ten and cashing the queen to produce the following position:

West East
♠ A 3
♦ A 10 7
♥ 10 8
♣ Q 8

South
♠ J 8
♦ J 8 5
♥ 7 6
♣ K 7 4

With West's hand virtually an open book, Paulsen now cashed jack of spades, played a diamond to the ace, cashed the ace of clubs on which he discarded a spade, and continued with the three of diamonds. When East followed with the six, he finessed the seven to produce his twelfth trick.

Paulsen's method of play would have failed if dummy's last diamond had been the eight instead of the three.

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