- Conference **Opens Today**

Oregon annual conference of the Methodist church wil open at as organizations will participate as will Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Campfire Girls. Mayor A. W. hall on Willamette university campus, following committee ses-sions that started Monday night. This is the 99th annual meeting and some 300 official delegates are

Also on the program today are Elects Dale Bates memorial service at 4:30 p.m. in Waller hall and the first of nightly ublic worship services at 7:30 in

will be each morning at 9, both in secretary and Linn Smith, treas-Waller hall.

BOAT MISHAP CLAIMS GROTON, Conn., June 11-(AP)-Eleven persons, including two wo-men and a boy, perished when their fishing craft sank suddenly in wind whipped seas in Block Island sound yesterday. Three men were saved. Tonight the bodies of five of the drowned had been re-



Elks to Sponsor Flag Day Rites

Flag day will be observed publicly at 8 p.m. Thursday at the Salem Elk's club and the sponsoring Elks hope that a good many folk will turn out for the patriotic program.

A number of service and veter-Loucks will speak and Josephine Albert Spaulding will sing.

County Red Cross

Dale Bates, Salem, was elected public worship services at 7:30 in First Methodist church. The latter will be addressed by Dr. J. Richard Sneed, pastor of Los Angeles First Methodist church.

Methodist church.

Bishop Gerald H. Kennedy will speak at daily devotional services at 8:20 a.m., and business sessions will be again morning at 9 both in urer. Mrs. John Hooper, Wood-burn, was appointed blood recruitment chairman for north Marion county.

Margaret Closes Visit to Britain

LONDON, June 11 -1/2 - Mar-garet Truman ended her visit to building.

Britain tonight. The evening train took her to the east coast for a boat trip to Actor, Pals Holland where she will land at The Hook, She will stay at The Nabbed at Hague three days. Among her en-gagements there is a luncheon with Queen Juliana, Poker Game

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Gen. Wedemeyer Urges Salem Street U.S. to Regain Initiative Problems Cet

(Story also on Page 1.)

WASHINGTON, June 11-(P)-A policy which he says is designed at taking the initiative away from the communists was urged by Gen. Albert Wedemeyer today in testimony before the senate committee investigating the firing of Gen. MacArthur.

The general, author of the 1947 Wedemeyer report on China and council Korea, indicated in his over-all testimony that although he would cluded:

Express to

Move Office

Moving of the Salem Railway

Express office, by July 1, from 559 Court st. to 411 S. 12th st., across

from the railroad depot, was announced Monday by W. A. Link,

Link said the new quarters

would be smaller, but would pro-

vide better service ultimately be-

cause of its nearness to the depot

and would have less parking prob-

lem. He noted that most of the

agency's business is done by tele-

phone, with the three trucks mak-

The office has been in the Plaza

building for 24 years. Its place is

HOLLYWOOD, June 11-(AP)-

Actor Charles Coburn's monocle

today when they broke up a

friendly card game he was having

Cited for violating county gam-

bling laws were Coburn, film pro-ducers Howard S. Benedict and

Paul A. Malvern, and screen writ-

ers Morris Ryskind and Paul A. Yawitz. Specifically, they were

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ing pickups and deliveries.

quit the ground fight in Korea, he would continue action by allied Salem Railway naval and air forces.

Earlier in the day, he had urged the bombing of red China bases

are Russia's "third team" and declared that to "fight under conditions at times and places of the soviet chosing . . . will ruin us."

"I want to take the strategic initiative away from that enemy," he said.

Wedemeyer said specifically that the United States should take the initiative in the military field, as well as in the realm of politics, econome and psychology.

"Words are not enough. We have got to take action," he said at one

Challenging many of the administration's present Far East policies, Wedemeyer contended that a truce with the communists near the 38th parallel in Korea would be "tantamount to a defeat for us psychologically."

Secretary of State Acheson, in earlier testimony, has said that a truce at the 38th parallel would be acceptable if a "real settlement" in Korea could be achieved with guarantees against future aggres-

But Wedemeyer, former American commander in China during World War II, said a truce at the old border between North and South Korea would mean that "our first team was unable to defeat successfully the third team of the

He went on to say:
"It is their third team opposing our first team, and their third team at times has defeated us in battle, in combat, and at least it has accomplished a stalemate."

accused of playing draw poker.

They will place their chips on the table in Beverly Hills justice Wedemeyer thus appeared to back Gen. Douglas MacArthur's contention—which the administraion has disputed—that the war in Korea is verging on a "bloody stalemate" with no clear-cut victory in sight.

Wedemeyer said he though President Truman was justified in relieving Gen. MacArthur from his Far East command if the president had "lost confidence" in Mac-Arthur's capacity to carry out or-ders faithfully. But he said:

"The manner in which it is done is something else, and I think most Americans feel unhappy about the way it was done." Wedemeyer endorsed generally

the tactics recommended by General MacArthur, but went beyond them; MacArthur did not advocate nearly as strong steps as his old comrade-in-arms, but was fired from his Far East command for advocating what he did. (We-demeyer is retiring at his own request.)
Wedemeyer and MacArthur

were in agreement on these steps:
1. Allied bombing of the socalled "privileged sanctuaries" of Red Chinese bases in Manchuria. 2. A naval blockade of the Red

China coast-by U. S. warships aone if other United Nations members refused to go along.

3. A tight economic blockade of the China coast.

Secretary of Defense Marshall and other administration witnesses, testifying at the senate in-quiry into the firing of Gen. Mac-Arthur, have contended that the bombing of communist bases in Manchuria would involve grave risk of war with Russia. Wedemeyer said he would take

that risk. Senator Green (D-RI) pointed out that Russia might come to the aid of China under the terms of the Russian-Chinese treaty if the Red China coast were blockaded and its cities bombarded by American warships.

"It would probably lead to a Green asked.
"It might, sir," Wedemeyer replied. "That is a calculated risk."

Green: "In your judgment, it is worth taking those risks?" Wedemeyer: "Yes, sir, senator. I would state categorically I would accept those calculated risks, yes,

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Council Action

(Story also on page 1)
A variety of street problems
gained the action of Salem city council Monday night. They in- July.

Approval of petitions for improving Victoria drive south from Court street and Downs street from Crestview to Haight, approval of a driveway for Salem Steel and Supply loading a long 7th age is 350. and the shelling of Chinese coastal cities even if it meant risking a street, approval of signs to stop east and southbound traffic at leopold to Yield

Banning of parking on Trade street between Front and Commercial and on Front between Trade and Ferry, with loading zones to be designated by the police department; restricting parking to two hours on Center -treet between Front and Commercial.

The council also: Approved exchange of city property on Minto's island to Oregon Pulp and Paper company for ncreased water rights.

Awarded a contract for construction of approximately 22,000 feet of lateral sewers in the Capitola-East Moreland area to Stateside Construction company of Roseburg, for \$85,788.65, lowest of eight bids.

Approved petition for a sanitary sewer on Victoria drive. Instructed the city manager to have crews keep the city shop property south of Mission street

better appearance. Referred to the manager for study a request for moving of the playground at High and Lefelle streets or for provision of rest-rooms and off-street parking.

Removed planned improvement of Duncan avenue, after remon-Tabled to June 25 the proposed

widening of 24th street between D and Market, because of confusion over remonstrances.

Authorized China cafe to have a

passageway between two build-ings at 2055 Fairgrounds rd. AMERICAN LEGION

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monies the next day.

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