

# Acheson Urges Trade Treaty

Washington, April 19 (AP)—Secretary of State Acheson urged congress today to approve quickly American membership in the international trade organization. He said it would be a means of strengthening the west in the cold war.

The ITO is the newest projected United Nations specialized agency. Acheson told the house foreign affairs committee that congress in effect will decide whether there is to be an ITO. Of 54 nations which signed the charter at Havana, Cuba, in 1948 only two have ratified thus far. Legislation has been pending in the senate and house since last year to authorize U. S. membership.

The secretary said:

"The others are all waiting to see what the United States does. American leadership in world affairs has always depended on our willingness to translate belief into action, to practise what we preach."

The two countries which already have ratified are Liberia and Australia. The latter made its membership contingent on acceptance of the charter by the U. S. and Britain.

# To Shift Damage Suits to U. S. Court

Petitions seeking to remove two related suits for a total of \$78,500 damages from Marion county circuit court to the U. S. District court were filed Wednesday by attorneys for Vera and Larry Grayson.

Both suits are against E. Gibbs Thurber, Yuma, Ariz., and seek damages for injuries sustained in an auto accident at the intersection of Market and Summer streets last August 11.

Vera Grayson, in her suit seeks general and medical damages amounting to \$40,000 while the second suit, is for \$38,500. Larry Grayson, a minor, is represented in law by Aubrey Grayson.

Both plaintiffs in the damage claim action were injured in the smashup.

# Bank of America to Seek OK Soon to Grow Even Larger

By T. W. KIENLEN

Washington, April 19 (AP)—The bank begun by the late Amadeo Peter Giannini in 1904 as the Bank of Italy and famous today as the \$6,250,000,000 Bank of America, largest in the nation, soon will grow even bigger.

Directors of Bank of America have successfully completed plans for an increase of \$70,000,000 in capital and will ask stockholders May 2 at a special meeting to approve a proposal for the issuance of new stock and the acquisition of 22 new branches. Thereafter the bank will operate a west coast chain of 547 branch banks.

While the bank's spokesman here was unable to indicate the extent by which Bank of America total assets will rise, it was estimated that deposits will expand by \$75,000,000 to \$100,000,000.

The plan is for Bank of America to acquire from the Trans-America Corporation 22 banks now operated by the latter in such California cities as Pasadena (First Trust and Savings Bank), Santa Ana (First National Bank) and Santa Barbara (First National Trust and Savings).

The complete list of 22 banks will be announced hereafter by Bank of America. All are located in California.

Bank of America grew up as a financial backer of such

**BASEBALL TONITE**  
SALEM — VS. — TACOMA  
**8:15 P.M.**  
**Waters Park**  
South 25th St.



**Heiress Wed**—Joyce Irene Green (above), 18-year-old chain store heiress, eloped Monday with Juan Gonzales Cuevas, 22, son of a Cuban industrialist. The two met when she took a cruise aboard a ship where he was a purser. (Acme Telephoto.)

# Englewood Rabbit Club Organizes

Reorganization of the Englewood 4-H rabbit club Saturday at the home of Mrs. Virgil Simmons, leader, resulted in election of Roy Simmons, president; Carol Jean Schmidt, vice president; John Jelderks, secretary; Wallace Dumluer, reporter and Joann Gray, recreation leader.

Roy Moore is also a member of the club.

The club members received record books and bulletins on rabbit raising and instruction from the city 4-H club agent, James Bishop.

Good housing and management of rabbits was demonstrated by Roy Simmons by showing the group his New Zealand white rabbits.

April 29 the club meets again at the Simmons' home at 1:30 p.m. Any boys or girls interested in taking a rabbit project and belonging to the club may contact either Mrs. Simmons at 1310 North 17th or phone James Bishop at 3-8429 before April 29.

St. Catherine's monastery, near Mt. Sinal, is believed to be the world's oldest Christian monastery.

# Canners Here Coming Week

Salem will play host next week to northwest cannery superintendents and supervisors when the western branch laboratory of National Canners' association holds a refresher course in food plant sanitation.

About 50 are expected to attend the school, which will last from Monday through Friday. A duplicate conference will be held in San Francisco May 8-12.

Although most morning, afternoon and night sessions will be in Chamber of Commerce rooms, some classes will meet at the Paulus cannery cafeteria Wednesday night.

Canners of fish, fruit and vegetables will participate in this course, the first held for two years. Plans are under way to offer it annually.

# Trio to Study Zone Questions

A special committee of the city planning and zoning commission was appointed Monday night to investigate some of the questions arising in connection with zoning in Salem west of the river.

Chairman Robert White appointed on the committee Milton L. Meyers, W. W. Rosebraugh and City Engineer J. H. Davis.

The committee will study zoning along Wallace road where a change in zone from Class IV industrial to Class III business is being considered. Also it will investigate a request by W. C. Heise, 1495 Edgewater, that his property on the east side of Senate street for a distance of 275 feet and a depth of 100 feet, beginning at Edgewater and running north, be zoned.

The commission gave final approval to Arnedan addition, owned by D. H. Schulze. The plat borders his home property at 230 Hansen avenue.

Tentative approval was given the Ben Claggett plat of 14 building lots lying north of the intersection of Keizer and Claxter roads.

# Complaint Against Dr. Lange Aired at Public Hearing

Petitioners asking the replacement of Dr. Fred Lange as veterinarian in their district for making annual tests of cattle aired their dissatisfaction at a public hearing before the Marion county court Wednesday.

Also heard at the session was a group of witnesses testifying for Dr. Lange in his position and as a veterinarian.

County Judge Grant Murphy explained that it would be possible to appoint a county - approved veterinarian to test herds of those signing the petitions if requests were received individually and with a justifiable reason and not merely because they "did not like Dr. Lange."

Dr. Lange, however, asked that the evidence be heard publicly and that his witnesses be permitted to testify because the charges made in the petition had attacked his reputation as a veterinarian.

First witness for the petitioners was Tom Webb, who contended that Dr. Lange had cleared three herders that later when placed with Webb's herd they showed positive in a test and had infected others of the herd. Later in the hearing Dr. Sam B. Foster, inspector in charge of the U. S. bureau of animal industry in Oregon for 35 years, testified that Webb had a dealer's license, and that anyone dealing in cattle assumes a hazard in bringing cattle into his home herd.

Webb criticized Lange's attitude when he came to test his herd, contending that he was not cooperative and "takes over the ranch." He said, however, that he could "not complain too much" of his abuse to cattle and that they had had "no words" in testing cattle but "otherwise."

Other witnesses against Lange were W. J. Denham, D. S. Richards, O. H. Spiva and L. D. Roberts.

M. F. Roberts, another witness, said he had never seen Dr. Lange before the hearing and had signed the petition on advice of his neighbors.

Dr. Foster, who appeared as a witness for Dr. Lange stated that he had known Dr. Lange ever since he began practicing in Oregon and that no incident of Lange's being abusive to animals had ever been reported to him. He further stated that Foster and

# LATE SPORTS

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Philadelphia ..... 391 000 018—5 11 0  
Podbielan and Edwards; Meyer, Donnelly (6), Konstanty (8) and Semnick.

# County Bond Sales Totaled

The total sale of E, F and G bonds in Marion county during March was \$209,114, with \$127,096 of this sum in E bonds, according to Sid Stevens, county chairman.

Federal reserve figures on savings bonds sales in Oregon in March which have just been received show that Oregonians bought a total of \$3,879,312 worth of United States treasury department E, F and G bonds, according to a statement by E. C. Sammons, state chairman of the savings bonds division. This brings total sales of these bonds for the first three months of 1950 to almost 14 million dollars.

Sammons also announced today that 49 full-scale replicas of the liberty bell have been contributed by the American copper industry to the forthcoming savings bonds campaign, of which the liberty bell is the symbol. The only difference between the original liberty bell and these replicas will be in the fact that the latter will not have the crack which has made the liberty bell toneless since 1832.

"One of the replicas of the lib-

# Rites Held for James Lee, 84

Resident of Salem for about two years, James Lee, 84, died Tuesday morning in a nursing home here.

Lee had been a druggist in Seattle and Portland for a number of years. Born in Woodstock in eastern Canada in 1888, he moved to Seattle when a young man and took an active part in civic affairs.

He married Elizabeth Paddock in San Francisco in 1896, and moved to Portland in 1919, where he operated a prescription pharmacy. Mrs. Paddock died three years ago.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Louis (Beatrice) Gerlinger, Salem, and Mrs. George Tully Bragg, Portland; a son, James Edwin Lee, Seattle, and two brothers.

Private services were held Wednesday morning in charge of the W. T. Rigdon company with Rev. George H. Swift officiating.

erty bell will tour the state of Oregon during the independence drive," Sammons said, "and will be on display in Marion county at a date to be announced later."

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