

# South 6th Bids Slated In January

South Sixth street widening will be up for contract award at the January meeting of the state highway commission, Highway Engineer R. H. Baldock told the members of the chamber of commerce board of directors today.

The heavily-traveled artery will be four-laned from a point near the south side of the viaduct out to Altamont drive. The way is now cleared for doing this job, Baldock said.

He added, however, that no definite plan has been formed for eliminating the bottle-neck which will still exist at the viaduct on South Sixth at the railroad tracks.

**Resolution**

The chamber directors received a copy of resolutions from the Fort Klamath grange asking that the road on the west side of Upper Klamath lake be hard-surfaced by the state highway department. It was referred to the roads committee for consideration of supporting action by the chamber.

J. E. Atherton, new freight traffic agent of the Union Pacific railroad was introduced at the meeting. He succeeds W. E. Kennedy.

## Bids On Beardsley Job To Be Opened

The state highway commission announced today it would open bids in Portland December 14, on 19 projects throughout the state including the remodel and construction addition to the Beardsley building on S. 6th here.

This building, formerly occupied by Piggly Wiggly, must be remodeled to eliminate six feet off the front of the structure. This is part of the S. 6th street expansion program, according to Rod Cozad, right-of-way agent with the commission now at the Willard.

**ACTRESS TO WED**

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Nov. 28 (AP)—Actress Bette Davis will wed William Grant Sherry, 30-year-old artist and former prizefighter, Friday afternoon at Laguna Beach, Calif., her studio said today.

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## Corvallis Boy Drowns In Ditch

CORVALLIS, Nov. 28 (AP)—Roger Gray, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gray of route 1, Corvallis, was drowned shortly before noon today when he wandered from his home a mile and one-half north of the city limits and apparently fell into a rain swollen ditch. Efforts of a fire department rescue squad to revive him were unsuccessful.

The child's father is a member of the entomology department at Oregon State college.

## Cross-Town Plan Favored

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streets are not adversely affected. He said that certain other communities of the state, notably Coos Bay, had asked the commission to establish one-way streets to care for a problem similar to here.

Nelson Reed said that he owned a business for a time located on a one-way street in Medford, and it was found to be more advantageous than a two-way street.

R. C. Dale said he felt that Plan No. 1 would be to the greatest advantage to the city, and that he believes the one-way system would be beneficial. He made a motion that the group present, as individuals, make an expression in favor of this plan. The motion was seconded by John Houston and carried.

**Improve Traffic**

In the discussion, the statement was made that one-way traffic on Klamath avenue and Main street would improve traffic movement to any point in the Main-Klamath sector and cross-streets over the present condition.

Houston asked in particular what the effect would be on traffic coming into Klamath for trading purposes from surrounding rural and suburban areas. Baldock, using a map, declared that traffic from any outside area could reach downtown points with less delay and confusion under the proposed system.

Baldock explained that he could not give any assurance how soon the cross-traffic system would be established, construction authorization being a matter for the highway commission rather than the engineer. He said that it would be necessary for the city council to adopt ordinances establishing one-way traffic before the new system could be inaugurated.

Baldock agreed to have a map drawn showing plan No. 1 for use in The Herald and News as soon as possible.

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## Strikers Play Football At Philadelphia Plant



Striking employes at Chevrolet division, General Motors part plant, Philadelphia, Pa., play football in front of building as CIO workmen in 31 cities are ordered on strike throughout sprawling automotive system in demand for 30 per cent wage increase. Work stoppage, involving some 350,000 employes will be largest single walkout ever called.

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## Hurley Lauded For Actions

ATLANTA, Nov. 28 (AP)—A former American diplomat today lauded Maj. Gen. Patrick Hurley for "revealing the obstructionist tactics of American foreign service 'career' officers in the Far East and the state department."

Hugh G. Grant of Atlanta, former minister of Albania, minister to Siam and member of the state department during 1933-42, said of Hurley's resignation as ambassador to China yesterday:

"Ambassador Hurley is on the right track about the confusion of our foreign policy as a result of the tactics of professional 'career' officers in the lower brackets of the service. Under the existing system," he said in an interview in the Atlanta Journal, "neither an ambassador nor a minister has any real control over his own mission, since the 'career' officers are assigned from the department and in many cases have pipelines to powerful fellow 'career' officers in the department."

"These men can absolutely 'break' a chief of mission and they can ignore and circumvent the established foreign policy of the president and the secretary of state."

Grant said "General Hurley's description of his experiences with 'career' diplomats in China sounds like a chapter out of my own experiences in two missions abroad" which he said led to his "resignation—which I had not tendered" being accepted "by cablegram from Acting Secretary of State Sumner Welles, a top 'career' officer."

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## World's Biggest Cannon



The army's newest gun, ready to be thrown against the Japs when they quit, fires a 36-inch, two-ton shell. It was built on short notice by the Mesta Machine company. This gun is located in Pittsburgh, Pa. (AP Wirephoto).

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Lewis pointed out the fact that the young trees are of considerable value to the property owner as a crop. Many individuals owning logged-off property are raising the trees to sell in the Christmas tree market, he said.

Hoffer had been in this area for the past three years, the sheriff said, to get trees for the California markets.

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## Slight Increase In Diphtheria Reported

PORTLAND, Nov. 28 (AP)—Diphtheria increased slightly in the state last week, from six to nine cases, the state board of health reported today.

This increased the year's total diphtheria cases to 261, compared to 135 in the same period last year.

Two cases of infantile paralysis were recorded. Four, with one death in Wasco county, were reported the previous week.

Veneral disease has stricken 41.4 persons out of every 100,000 in Oregon this year, the board said. This figure was slightly less than in 1944.

## Cordon To Arrive

PORTLAND, Nov. 28 (AP)—Senator Cordon (R-Ore.) will arrive here Friday from Washington en route to Eugene to attend the Oregon and California re-vested lands hearing December 3. Cordon left Washington last night.

## British Asked To Halt Action

BATAVIA, Java, Nov. 28 (AP)—The Indonesian governor of western Java asked the British command today to halt military action at Bandoeng, and was told that nationalist forces must evacuate the residential area north of the east-west railway line by noon tomorrow.

In the midst of a tense situation in the summer capital, the Javanese governor approached British headquarters in Bandoeng under a white flag, an official British statement said.

Earlier, strong allied patrols had been ordered out in Bandoeng, about 75 miles southeast of Batavia, to disperse Indonesians who were gathering in the city, in one area of which some 60,000 former civilian internees of the Japanese were crowded.

A British brigade commander told the Javanese governor that if the area north of the rail line was not evacuated by the fixed deadline, any Indonesians found there after noon tomorrow would be liable to be shot by British patrols. No civilians may approach within 200 yards of any British or Japanese post.

The governor replied, the British said, that he was unable to "assent or make proposals."

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## Camp Fire Girls Will Run Portland

PORTLAND, Nov. 28 (AP)—The Camp Fire Girls will run Portland tomorrow—in name at least.

A spirited three-party campaign ended with an election yesterday in which 31 city officials were chosen—from mayor to head librarian.

Taking Mayor Riley's place for the day will be Nancy Judges, Grant high student.

## Earthquake Hits Bombay

BOMBAY, India, Nov. 28 (AP)—One of the most severe earthquakes of the century, believed centered in the Indian ocean around the Gulf of Oman, jiggled seismographs in many parts of the world today.

What was described by some as "a tidal wave" rolled into the Bombay suburbs of Juhu and Versova and swept a number of fisherfolk out to sea. Bodies of three women were recovered.

Earth tremors continued for three hours. Numerous communities in West India were shaken after 6:29 a. m. (2:29 p. m. PST Tuesday).

The earth shook and buildings trembled at Karachi.

The Bombay observatory estimated the quake was felt 250 miles to the north.

The New Delhi seismograph recorded a shock of "great intensity" approximately 1400 miles west of New Delhi, in the vicinity of the Gulf of Oman.

The tremor was felt in Karachi, where furniture shook and ceiling lights swung.

## Destruction Of U. S. Codes Bared In Quiz

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which codes were destroyed before war broke. But Rep. Murphy (D-Pa.) protested that the committee wouldn't want to make specific ones, "spread them on the records for the world to read" when perhaps some of them are still in use.

At any rate, Grew said he

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didn't recall which ones were destroyed first.

Grew said that a message he received from Secretary of State Hull on November 27 about possible contingencies that might lead to closing the embassy was "not necessarily" a suggestion to dispose of codes.

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