

HOT WORDS HURLED IN ROAD TILT

Storm Breaks When \$10,000,000 Bonding Measure Is Brought Up in Committee of the Whole. Charges of Attempted Bribery Made; Anti-Patent Bill Passed by House Without Any Debate.

Victory Loan Not To Be Floated by U. S.; Short Term Notes Take Place

Agreement Reached by House Committee and Secretary of Treasury as Procedure.

Washington, Feb. 18.—(U. S. S.)—There will be no fifth Liberty loan... Under the existing Liberty loan legislation, the secretary of the treasury could authorize a \$5,000,000,000 loan...

ENGINEERS' UNIT ARRIVAL SURPRISE

Battalion of Forestry Men Slips Into City Unheralded, but Gets Short Reception.

With almost no advance information the 12th battalion of the 20th engineers, forestry, arrived at Union station this morning at 7:45 a. m. and were greeted only by a few relatives and friends...

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Roll of Honor

- Private Walker E. Hamilton, emergency address, The Duke, 112 1/2 St. Seattle. Private John W. Jones, U. S. M., emergency address, Owen E. Jones, 2124 S. First avenue, Seattle.

FIRE DOES \$150,000 DAMAGE

Aged Man Named Ingram Believed to Have Perished in Flames in Coos Bay City.

Marshfield, Feb. 18.—With the possible loss of life of an aged man named Ingram, a block in the business section of Marshfield was practically devastated by fire this morning.

Oregon Soldiers Aboard Mercury

Sixty-Ninth Coast Artillery Back in States With Personnel of Oregon Troopers.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 18.—(U. P.)—Bringing more than 2000 men, most of them from Kentucky, Washington, Oregon and California, the transport Mercury arrived today from Pauliac, France.

Ole Hanson Suffers Nervous Breakdown

Seattle, Feb. 18.—(U. P.)—Mayor Hanson is at his home today suffering from a nervous breakdown, declared by his chief physician before the Portland Progressive Business Men's club today.

Income Tax Blanks Being Distributed

Washington, Feb. 18.—(U. S. S.)—The revenue bureau announced today that persons with incomes of \$5000 or less may now obtain income tax return forms at offices of revenue collectors or banks...

PORTLAND WELCOMES BOY VETERANS HOME FROM FRANCE

SCENES which marked the joyous return of the Sixty-fifth coast artillery corps Monday afternoon. At the top is the start of the march under the flag-decked welcome arch at the Union station.



Warriors Feted as City's Guests

Returning Soldiers Overwhelmed by Generous and Patriotic Demonstration in Their Behalf. They were simply dazed. At first the boys of the Sixty-fifth managed to yell as they were coming into the city.

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