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## PIPE BEING LAID FOR NEW WATER SYSTEM

Work Progressing Rapidly—Contractor Begins Construction of Pump House this Week.

The first pipe was laid for the Ontario Municipal Water system this week. The pipe came Saturday and was in the trenches soon afterward. Contractor C. H. Helmer has his trencher still at work on the Eastside and will have that section completed soon.

During the past week he has started the construction of the pump house at the intake and with the arrival of pumps and filter will be able to turn water into the present distributing system in July. At least that is the present plan. All depends on the delivery of the pumps. The firm which is to erect the tank and tower expects to have that work underway soon after June 1.

## GRANDMA THOMAS RECEIVES LETTER FROM SOLDIER BOY

Mrs. Mary J. (Grandma) Thomas recently received a letter from her grandson, Zayn Norton, one of the many Oregon boys now in France, of which she is very proud. The young man, whose mother, Elizabeth Thomas Norton, is well known to many Ontarians, is a soldier post and in his idle hours in the trenches, like many another soldier, he has amused on life "After the War Gets Through."

The following is a portion of the letter he sent with the poem:  
Somewhere in France, March 22, 1918.—I will try and write you a few lines more today to let you know that I am well. The rest of the boys are all well. How is everybody at home by this time? Tell them hello for me, and tell them all to write often for we sure like to hear from them. There is not much news to write from over here.

This country is most all towns. General Pershing and Secretary Baker were here today but I did not get to see them. We are still having good weather.

We have been payed twice since we landed here and I have one hundred and four and one-half francs a month. That sounds like it is a lot of money, but it is not very much—100 francs equals \$17.54 in our money.

I am sending you a little poem of how things will be after the war gets through. What do you think of it?

After the War Gets Through.  
When things don't seem to go just right  
And everything's gone busted,  
And the work don't seem to straighten out

And I'm just plum disgusted;  
I'd like to take my pipe and smoke,  
And forget I'm feeling blue,  
And dream about how things will be  
After the war gets through.  
After the war gets through—say!  
I want to be right here,  
To see the boys come marching back,  
And hear the people cheer.  
Of course there's thousands will be missed;

Some'll look in vain, that's true,  
And that'll be the saddest time—  
Just after the war gets through.  
After the war gets through—well!  
She's going to make a change,  
And coming generations  
Will think it mighty strange  
That one great land of people  
Should rise against another,  
And man spring up for knife and gun.

And try to kill his brother,  
But after the war gets through, boys,  
And everything is done,  
We're going to take to sea again  
And sail toward the setting sun.

And we won't be dodging submarines,  
But we'll hit 'er straight for dock,  
And when we pass Miss Liberty  
We're going to make her rock.  
And there'll be them that's waiting,  
To meet us when we light,  
And that final celebration  
Is going to be a sight.

And then we'll settle down to work,  
And there'll be a lot to do,  
A building up what's gone to smash—

After the war gets through  
But dreams are dreams, I reckon,  
And don't get a fellow fat;  
But when he's feeling sort of worn  
They help him forget the war.  
And I guess that in the years to come,  
I'll still be dreaming, too.

And thinking of the times we had  
Before the war got through.  
—By Zayn E. Norton.

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### RECRUITING OFFICERS DINED

Miss Lavine Smith entertained at dinner last evening the members of the Naval recruiting party which spent the first of the week here. That Miss Sam's men enjoyed chicken and ice cream and all the other things to eat was evident in their amount of the dinner and their appreciation for the hospitality shown them.

Mrs. E. M. Greig returned Sunday evening from Seattle where she went to attend the conference of Red Cross Chapter secretaries and superintendents for the purpose of receiving instructions in the making of the new surgical work that is to be made by the Chapters in the Northwest Division. At a special meeting held yesterday afternoon she extended that knowledge to the workers of Ontario.

Read the Argus for all the news.

### EMISON'S BEEF SOLD AT NEW RECORD PRICE FOR JUNE

C. R. Emison sold a bunch of steers recently for June delivery at what is the highest price ever recorded for that season in this section. The big heaves brought 12 cents on the hoof weight to be taken at Brogan where they will be loaded. There will 125 head placed on the cars, all good stuff.

### BOISE SHEEP FIRM PURCHASES KIMBALL RANCH AT \$50 PER ACRE

A. C. Kimball who has successfully operated a fine 160 acre farm on the Boulevard Southwest of the city this week sold his holdings to the Hunt Sheep company of Boise. It is understood that the consideration was \$160 per acre. The new owners are to use the ranch as a feed ground for their plans for the future are unsettled but he will remain in this section for some time. He made the sale on account of ill health.

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### NAVAL RECRUITING PARTY VISITS CITY (Continued from page 1)

classes of instruction for the training of quartermasters, coxswains, turret captains, gunners, mates and boat-swains mates. Those who show marked ability are sent officer material schools, where additional training is received and every opportunity afforded to qualify for commission in the Navy.

Recruits are sent to the Naval Training camp, Seattle, or the Naval Yard, Bremerton, Washington, where they

are first instructed in the various duties of a man-o-war's-man.

Tradesmen are wanted for the navy and men who can qualify are in line for rapid advancement; Machinists, electricians, shipfitters, boiler-makers, coppersmiths, blacksmiths, plumbers and fitters, shipwrights, coopersmiths, water-tenders, oilers, firemen, painters, musicians, buglers, hospital corpsmen, cooks and bakers. Also masons and bricklayers for the naval aviation service.

Athletics in the navy form a very prominent part of the training of a recruit and are encouraged in every way.

A man in the navy is assured of three square meals each day, served hot, and at night a dry warm place to sleep. Men eligible for military service should not overlook this opportunity to enter the navy and are cordially invited to call at the headquarters of the travelling recruiting party which after it leaves Ontario will be at Caldwell, Idaho until May 20, after which date the party will be in Boise, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich Casebeer returned to their home at Baker I.

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