# N CITY LICENSE **BUREAU**, URE SAYS

Movie Shows, Ice Wagons, Pool Halls and Peddlers Operate Without Permits, Probe Reveals.

An investigation into the affairs of he city license department has rerealed a deplorable condition, according to Commissioner Ure of the ecounts and finance department.

Samuel Freed, the new license in-pector, has been told that he will be pected to get results. He has been hold of the work and is now tecking up those who have failed comply with the license require-

Twenty motion picture theaters when he new administration took charge. few were licensed during the last wo weeks. Many ice wagons, pool halls and ddiers are operating

"Some of these peddlers were told before election that they would not be required to take out licenses this rear," Commissioner Ure stated.

#### **Extreme Cruelty Charge** Made Against E. A. Dworak

Charges of extreme cruelty, and that he threatened to kidnap her child, are made by Marie Dworak in suit for livorce against Egnance Anton Dworak of the Dworak-Ure Auditing company, filed in district court.

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She charges that Dworak called her ile names, threatened her, and also hreatened to kidnap their 3-year-old hild. Arthur. She further recites that in June 7 Dworak, in company with strange man, attempted to carry out his threat to kidnap the boy.

She alleges he is capable of earning 300 a month, and that he has properly worth \$5,000. She asks suitable limony. She also requested an order

limony. She also requested an order estraining Dworak from molesting ter. It was granted by Judge Day. Frank Martin Rearrested

On Daylight Holdup Charge Frank Martin, alias "Big Wally," leged member of a bandit gang lich gave battle to Omaha detectes on the night of January 30, 1918, llowing the holdup of the Malajewelry store, was rearrested ay morning on a warrant sworn for alleged complicity in the day-holdup. With his partners, e Kirke, Sam Stone, Thomas ay and Harry Williams, "Big ly" was held for tain for the ler of Frank Rooney, city deve, who was killed in the gun

to district court under \$5,000

### lackies From Great Lakes

Here on Recruiting Mission training station are in Omaha list tradesmen in the navy. The have permission to enlist the at special pay and to give them ratings and petty officerships. A. ickson, chief machinists mate, is re of the recruiting party. The For the first time in the his of the navy men past 35 years of rill be accepted for special work, men will be put in the public department and will be stapermanently, at the Great

#### Fight or Work" is Order of City Commissioner Ure

ight or work," is the brief order d by City Commissioner Ure of accounts and finance department, his goes for the city clerk's office other branches of the depart, "he explained.

The under the old order of things, the explained of the found a conder the old order of things, the petitions three times with

ing petitions three times with and ink, whereas one operation typewriter with duplicate sheet have done the work. He states ordinances passed during the lerkship of Tom Flynn are still copied and that the work is behind

## lamaica Ginger Promotes

Wide Variety of Emotions amaica ginger has the necessary maica ginger has the necessary edients to promote hate, fight, arbance, insanity and foolishness, anding to Bert Mitchell, East that, who appeared in police court ay morning to answer a charge laturbing the peace.

wuz just drinkin' a little ginger, e," Bert said. "And I'il tell ya, oesn't 'zactly mej ya happy, but, alive! she sure do burn ya and ya crazy."

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rt was relieved of \$10 and costs
rder of the court.

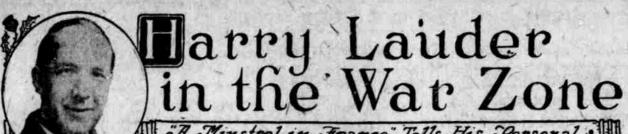
arks, Neb., Editor Tells of

Nonpartisan League Affair L. Long, editor of "The Enter"at Clarks, Neb., stopped over
maha Fridgy on his way to visit a
er in Iowa. Mr. Long, who is
man of his local council of de, figured a few days ago in conon with the case of B. A. Felver,
operated in Merrick county for
longartisan league.

onpartisan league.

e gave Felver safe conduct three out of Clarks and the citizens of own were not identified with a ttempt to lynch Felver. We are abiding people in Clarks and any insinuations to the conMr. Long stated.

#### Divorce Decrees Are **Branted** in District Court



A Minsteel in France" Tells His Personal & Experiences on the Western Fighting Front COPYRIGHT 1918

CHAPTER XVI. Busiest Spot on Earth. These Canadians, who were now

pit triangular in shape. The guns in a small town drenching a local were mounted at the corners of the triangle and along its sides. And constantly, while I was there they coughed their short, sharp coughs and sent a spume of metal flying toward the German lines. Never have and now I knew why. I'll venture I seen a busier spot. And remember-until I had almost fallen into that pit, with its sputtering, busy guns, I had not been able to make even a good not been able to make even a good guess as to where they were! very presence of this work shop of death was hidden from all save those who had a right to know of it.

It was a masterly piece of camouflage. I wish I could explain to you all made plain to me; every step of the process was explained, and I cried out in wonder and in admiration at the clever simplicity of it. But that is one of the things I may not tell. I saw many things, during my time at the front, that the Germans would be fore the fore the front, that the Germans would be fore the front, that the Germans would be fore the fore give a pretty penny to know. But none of the secrets that I learned would be more valuable, even today, other sort of wanton damage and than that hidden battery. And so— mischief their hands could find to do.

I must leave you in ignorance as to "Hard lines," said the battery comthan that hidden battery. And so-I must leave you in ignorance as to

The commanding officer was most kindly and patient in explaining mat-

"We can't see hide nor hair of our targets here, of course," he said, "any more than Fritz can see us. We get all our ranges and the records of all our hits, from Narmabell."

I looked a question, I suppose.
"You called on him, I think-up on
the Pimple. Major Normabell, D. S.

That was how I learned the name of the imperturable major with whom I had smoked a pipe on the crest of Vimy Ridge. I shall always remember his name and him. I saw no man in France who made a livelier impression upon my mind and imagina-

"Aye," I said, "I remember, So that's his name—Normabell, D. S. O. I'll make a note of that."

My informant smiled. "Normabell's one of our characters," he said. "Well, you see he commands a goodish bit of country there where he sits. And when he needs them he has aircraft observations to help him, has aircraft observations to help him, too. He's our pair of eyes. We're like moles down here, we gunnersbut he does all our seeing for us. And he's in constant communication—he or one of his officers."

I wondered where all the shells the battery was firing were headed for.
And I learned that just then it was paying its respects particularly to a high factory building its respects particularly to a high factory building its respects. factory building just west of

Lens. For some reason that had been marked for destruction, but it had here I was watching its ears. And been reinforced and strengthened so to finish the metaphor, to work it that it was taking a lot of smashing and stending a good deal more punishment than anyone had thought it to thish the metaphor, to work it out, I was listening to its voice. Its brazen tongues were giving voice continually. The guns—after all, every-tiself, to stick to the job until that the reason for all the rest of the ma-

BY FOLKS

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factory was nothing more than a heap chinery of the battery, and it was they who said the last short word. of dust and ruins.

The way the guns kept pounding my hosts, had located their guns in a away at it made me think of firemen

ing the towns and factories of our natured outburst of chaffing from all ally, France, to bits in the fashion the others. that we were doing that day-there and at many another point along the now the effect was achieved. It was that much of the destruction in northern France has been the work of altrees, cutting down every other tree that could be found, and doing every

mander. He shrugged his shoulders. "No use trying to spare shells here, though, even on French towns. The harder we smash them the sooner it'll be over. Look here, sir."

He pointed out the men who sat, over their ears. Each served a gun. In all that hideous ain it was of the utmost importance that they should hear correctly every word and figures that came to them over the wire-a part of that marvelously complete telephone and telegraph system that has been built for and by the British army in France.

"They get corrections on every shot!" he told me. "The guns are altered in elevation according to what they hear. The range is changed, and the pointing, Too. We never see old Fritz-but we know he's getting the visiting cards we send him."

They were amazingly calm, those laddies at the telephones. In all that hideous, never-ending din, they never pert operators, working with condi-tions made to their order, who grew infinitely more excited at a busy time when many calls were coming in and going out. Those men might have been at home, talking to a friend of

Up there, on the Pimple, I had seen

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There was a good deal of rough joking and laughter at the battery. The Canadian gunners took their task

other, as an American would say, I think. If a correction came for one gun that showed there had been a mistake in sighting after the last orders-if, that is, the gunners, and not It was a cruel business to be knock- at fault—there would be a good

But, though such a spirit of light-ness prevailed, there was not a mofront. The Huns are fond of saying ment of loaning. These men were engaged in a grim, deadly task, and every once in a while I would catch

surface, that they took life and their work seriously. Ah, no! They preferred, after the custom of their race, to joke with death.

(Continued Tomorrow.) Germany and Austria in

Break in Kitchen Quarrel Germany and Austria broke friendly relations and sought to mix things in general, on a small scale, Friday morning, when George Schory, of German descent, Douglas hotel and Annie Hrazdira, Bohemian, became involved in fistic combat in the kitchen of the Lincoln Inn. When Annie threw George's coat on the floor, every kind of kitchen tool, from

In police court they renewed their strife verbally. George sought the friendship of the police judge by rattling off a series of German phrases. Annie jabbered in the Bohemian tongie. Babylon was depicted in true sense, and the judge set the case over for a week to profound on the mysteries of languages.

a meat chopper to cleavers, started

## Soldiers Naturalized One

Hour Before Departure Federal Judge Woodrough made an additional trip to Fort Crook Friday morning to naturalize a group of solentrained for Camp Funston. As gram received by the police. soon as Naturalization Agents Smelzer and Boyster of St. Louis finish preliminary clerical work, 130 soldiers at Fort Omaha will be made citizens in the regular court room at the federal

OF CIDER SEIZED

Huge Quantity of Liquor Branded as Non-Intoxicating Taken From Local Firm by Officers.

More than 8,000 gallons of cider and fruit cordials, branded as non-intoxicating, were confiscated by police Friday morning in the Apple Blossom Cider company, 801-805 Jones street. Harry J. Schifferle, Ross S. Skelton, Joseph Zipfel and Echo Zipfel, heads of the company, were arrested upon a charge of unlawful possessin of intoxicating liquor. Officers of the morals squad made the raid upon advice from state agents at Lincoln, who had analyzed a quantity of the

The analyzation of the cider at-Lincoln showed that it contained 3 per diers less than an hour before they cent of alcohol, according to a tele-

Police say this, is the largest quantity ever confiscated in Nebraska The alleged liquor was manufactured in Memphis, Tenn., and sent here to be distributed to jobbers of the central states.

City Clerk Hunter is Now

Hailed as "Grandpa Billy" City Clerk Hunter is now "Grandpa Billy." A son was born on Thursday to his daughter, Mrs. Glen L. Hurd, of Spencer, Ia. Mrs. Hurd was nown here as Beulah Hunter. The new boy will be named William.



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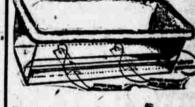
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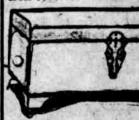
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