

For Alien Enemies Not For Marriages

Blushing Swain Makes Vain Confession to Captain Wandless

"Do I have to give notice?"

A young Canadian with beads of perspiration standing on his forehead, shuffled nervously before Captain Wandless in the office of the Registrar of Alien Enemies to-day. The captain was puzzled. "What for?" he asked.

"Well, do I have to give notice before I register?" The young man blushed and eyed the stenographer with added embarrassment.

"What do you want to register for? Are you an alien?"

"To get married." It came out at last with a rush. Soon after the young man left hurriedly. It is reported that the Registrar's staff had smiled.

"Can I get a birth certificate here?" asked a boy of Captain Wandless recently. In this case also it was explained that the office registered alien enemies, not births and marriages.