

"OVER TOP" SIX TIMES, GASSED TWICE, IS SOLDIER'S RECORD

HIBBING, May 7.—Back from the trenches with 16 months' service to his credit, Sam Gordon, who enjoys the distinction of fighting with the Russian army, has only one regret. He wished he had joined the army sooner than he had.

Gordon, who left a cobbler's shop to fight for Uncle Sam, participated in four important drives, went over the top six times, was gassed twice and was a participant in many personal encounters with the Huns.

In the Vosges he went on several night patrols into the enemy country. He captured several Germans and his ability to talk German assisted him in obtaining considerable information from the Boches.