

MOTHER STILL LOOKS FOR SON

Mrs. Lettie V. Michael Will not Give up the Hope That Soldier son is Still Living.

CARRIES SEARCH FAR Seeks Information From Boys who Fought With her Son.

(By The Associated Press.)
Bonosboro, Md., March 14.—Hope that springs eternal in human breasts, sent its thrilling message to the mother heart of Mrs. Lettie V. Michael here when the mailman handed her an official photograph of the grave in France where her blue-eyed, giant, soldier son lay, sleeping with the heroes—of the great war.

Across the card ran the legend, "Alvin A. Michael, killed in action, Oct. 17, 1918," but her son's name was Austin G. Michael. And in that moment there was born to the brave-hearted woman a hope (time alone could kill that she would see again the six-foot, curly-headed youngster who marched so gallantly to battle when his country called.

Perhaps you who read may help her vision to fulfillment. For there may be wandering some where in the country a lad from whose mind the impact of a German bullet swept the ties of memory, yet who writes always to a mother he knows not how to address.

Mrs. Michael has carried her search far, and here and there has found tales of "Big Mike" as his "buddies" knew him, which filled her with tearful pride. But also she found cog-

fliting accounts in the official record of his death and burial and strange reports at hospitals she visited of a patient long treated and whose description tallied closely with that of her son, but who was known as "Big Tom Hinnegan."

"Big Tom" too has vanished, and until she has found him, Mrs. Michael will not discard the hope that he may be her son, his identity lost in the crash of the bullet that scared his head.

Buddies Give Information.
Boys who fought with "Big Mike" told his mother of the great "Hike" in France when man after man toppled over from exhaustion and finally "Big Mike" himself went down in a jangling pile. When they examined him, they found the rifles and equipment of a squad of men strung about his huge frame, carried to ease weaker comrades.

They told her too, of the night when a bullet struck him down, but here there was a difference in the tales that set the mother's heart strings fluttering anew. Some of them said "Big Mike" had laid two days under a blanket, there in the heat of the battle, given up for dead. But later, signs of life were seen and he went back on the weary road to the hospital.

At one hospital, officials thought they recognized a photograph of "Big Mike" shown by the eager mother as that of "Big Tom" who also had stopped a bullet with his head. It was "Big Tom," they said, who wrote endlessly to his mother but knew not where to send the letters.

And in Washington kindly officials poured over the records to aid the search. They found a queer tangle showing that "Big Mike" apparently had been twice buried by regimental chaplains. Once in the honor graveyard at Consoyve and again at Meuse. There was a difference too, in identification numbers, and the mother came home, weary, dejected, but still with high hope in her heart that time would give back her son.



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