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MISSING IN WAR MOURNED AS DEAD; FOUND IN SCOTLAND

(F. N., in Vancouver World)

It is an intensely dramatic and moving story of Sergt. Alfred McBay, a popular member of the Western Irish Battalion, who, buried only in the tomb of his own lost memory instead of under the sod of France, and mourned as lost for the last three and three-quarter years, may perhaps by spring time be back in Vancouver to receive from his wide circle of friends a welcome home such as falls to the lot of few to experience. The story has aroused general interest and prompted a correspondent to send me a most interesting letter.

Last seen on April 9, 1916, by his comrades in the course of the great Vimy Ridge struggle administering aid to a wounded officer, Sergt. McBay was, in due course, reported to the War Office as killed in action on that date, and a certificate of death to that effect, together with his war medal and other effects, is in the possession of his widowed mother, and probate of his will in the settlement of some Vancouver property was duly granted by the Vancouver courts.

Now, according to a letter from his overjoyed mother to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McBay, of 1912 Second avenue west, he who was "dead" is alive, found only ten miles away from his birthplace, Johnshaven, Scotland, in the famous mental institution of Sunnyside, Montrose.

"The Lord has spared my son to me," writes the thankful mother, "and I am wearying every hour of the day to see him. He has been very bad with his memory, and also very run down in body, but is improving every day. It has been marvellous what the short time at Sunnyside has done. We are getting him home. It hardly seems true. How proud many mothers would have been to share my feelings, and I thank God for His goodness. I couldn't be convinced for a long time, thinking it impossible.

What great shock caused the psychic upheaval that resulted in Sergt. McBay's loss of memory can only be guessed at. Perhaps some bursting shell that left him wounded and unconscious on the battlefield. Was he nursed back to life in some German hospital and exchanged at armistice time for some German prisoner? It hardly seems likely, considering the circumstances of the battle of Vimy.

Or was he picked up by some British rescue party to whom he was unknown and sent to a British hospital? These and other speculations that will readily occur to all are agitating the curiosity of his brothers and many friends here.

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THE COMFORTER

(From an Exchange)

An Irish farm laborer was being tried for stealing a watch. His employer testified that he had found Pat an honest fellow, but other evidence was against him, so he was sentenced to jail.

As his wife left the court in tears a woman friend stepped up to comfort her. "Oh, now, Katherine," she said, "don't take on so. Just think what a splendid character Mr. O'Malley gave Pat. Sure if he hadn't stolen the watch we would niver have known what a fine, honest fellow your man was."

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THE CRUX OF THE PROBLEM IN EUROPE.

(Montreal Star)

To the average reader the crisis that has arisen in Europe during the last few days resolves itself into a very simple problem. Germany, he argues, took on certain duties and responsibilities by signing the Treaty of Versailles, and these obligations she has disregarded or is seeking to escape. Germany, faced with the minimum demands of the Allies with regard to reparations, makes a counter-proposal which the Allies cannot treat seriously, and General Foch is called into consultation. The issue, therefore, resolves itself into easily discernible prime factors. The terms of the Allies are fixed, and failure to accept these terms will involve the occupation of certain Rhine ports and the seizure of the customs. The pen or the sworn, payment or prison.

Yet to the German the problem is far more complicated. Tucked away in a corner of Central Europe, between Czecho-Slovakia, Germany and Poland, lies one of the richest industrial areas in the world. Nature, with prodigal hand, has crammed into this region vast reserves of coal, lead, zinc, lime and other cremicals, to say nothing of immense forest riches. By the provisions of the Treaty of Versailles a plebiscite will shortly be held in this territory of Upper Silesia, under allied auspices, by means of which the residents will decide whether they wish to remain German or to become part and parcel of the newly-formed Republic of Poland.

The question in Upper Silesia is not an insignificant nationalistic squabble. It is a problem, essentially economic, the settlement of which is destined to have powerful repercussions on the whole of Europe. It is for the retention of Upper Silesia that Germany is fighting today in London.

A steady flow of German brains and German capital during the last half century has turned Upper Silesia into a second Lancashire. Vast iron and steel works, chemical factories, textile, paper, cellulose and other industries have grown up about the rich coal fields that produce about twenty-five per cent. of the total coal supply of Germany. While capital and organizing brains are almost wholly German, at least fifty per cent. of the workers are Polish in origin and sentiment. Poland's claim as its root in economic considerations, and these claims are endorsed and supported by Poland's chief patroness, France.

Germany realizes that the loss of Upper Silesia would be an irreparable blow to her. She understands that in the present exacerbated state of national feeling it would be inevitable that Polish patriotism should express itself in terms of tariff barriers and restrictions disadvantageous to her and in a partial boycott, it not wholesale expulsion of German workers. Upper Silesia today feeds Germany with countless necessaries not only for domestic consumption, but for her export trade. In return Germany feeds Upper Silesia with machinery and many industrial products which at present Poland could not supply.

Germany knows that if a plebiscite decided in favor of giving Upper Silesia to Poland she would be compelled to import certain necessaries where formerly she was able to supply herself and with which she was able to help her export business. Thus the balance of trade, and with it the exchange, would become more and more unfavorable. With her depreciated currency, her industry crushed, and one of her richest sources of taxation gone, the bankruptcy of Germany would be completed and that of Europe brought nearer.

Germany does not care how many billions she is called upon to pay in forty-two years' time. Much water will flow down the Seine before her full debt could be liquidated. Germany is fighting to preserve Upper Silesia for herself, regardless of plebiscites, and it is on the future of this region that a satisfactory solution of the present "reparations" discussion hinges.

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A LUTHER JUBILEE.

(From the Boston Herald)

The National Lutheran Council sends out a call for a worldwide celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the arraignment of Martin Luther before the Diet of Worms. At four o'clock in the afternoon of April 17 next Protestants of many denominations are invited to hold services in commemoration of one of the most dramatic events, and one of the most momentous in its consequences, in the history of the world. At that hour, four hundred years before, the greatest of Germans was called to confront his judges. Luther well understood the peril to which he exposed himself when he appeared before the imposing tribunal. He knew that a century before, John Huss, the Bohemian, had defended himself against similar charges, and had been burned at the stake. Luther, nevertheless, nailed his 95 theses on the door of the University of Wittenberg and refused to recant. Threats of excommunication did not intimidate. The famous words attributed to him, which probable he did utter, although the story has been disputed, "Here I stand. I can do not otherwise. God help me. Amen," mark the climax of courage on the part of a dauntless monk. At Worms he parted company with the church. For the authority of the church he substituted the authority of the book—the book that then the people for the first time were at first hand to know. When the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth their book had to them all the joy of a priceless find, for the King James Version then was less than ten years old. The present generation knows all too little of these matters. The quadricentenary marks the separation of Church and State, the right of private judgment, the guarantee of freedom of conscience. Martin Luther's career gave the impetus to the movements in all the lands of Europe that culminated in the Reformation, and to the overturnings of the Reformation are due many of the finest pages in the history of America.

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