

### PERSONAL.

Miss N. Bennett received a letter from her cousin, Corp G. Bennett, who is in England doing well, but is trying hard to get to the front. She also received letters from Bugler Max Kotton and Stan Holland, who are doing well.

Master Ernie Frape received a card from Pte J. N. Wheeler thanking him for gifts he had received from him in the parcel from the Millthorpe school.

Mr. D. Redmond received a letter from Pte. J. Vaughan, who is at present lying wounded in Palestine with a bullet wound in the thigh, but it is not very serious, and he hopes to be knocking about in a few days.

Mrs. and Miss Thopson, who have been spending holidays with Mrs. Webb, the former's mother, returned home to Dulwich Hill on Wednesday.

Miss Pickup, of Manly, who has been spending holidays with Mrs. Blackmore, returned home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. J. Hahn, who has been very ill for some time, we are very pleased to say is now improving. Her daughter, who has had inflammation of the lungs, is now quite recovered.

Miss Sweeney, of the local post-office staff, left for Sydney on Friday night to spend her annual leave.

Nurse Allard, who has been on the staff of Ossory Private Hospital for about nine months, left by the passenger train on Thursday morning to visit her parents at Dorrigo, prior to entering the Crown-street Hospital, Sydney, to complete her training. During her residence here Nurse Allard has been very popular and her many friends wish her success in her career.

Captain Harold Butler, who has been 3½ years at the front, is at pre-

been 3½ years at the front, is at present visiting his cousin, Mr. R. Ewin.

Writing from Codford Camp to Eddie Caldwell, Private Stan Bryant says: On November 25th I received a parcel from Millthorpe Public School, and in it I found a trench writing outfit from you, for which I thank you. It will come in very handy soon, for I will be in France before long. We are doing night drill now, getting ready. It's a pity a few more wouldn't come over. Kindly remember me to all friends.

Miss Alma Bryant and Master Ernie Frape each received cards from Private J. N. Wheeler, thanking them for gifts which he had received from them in his parcel from Millthorpe Public School.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Worboys, Cowra, are spending a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Selars.

Mrs. Worboys recently received a letter from Bugler Max Kotton, thanking her for gifts received in a parcel from the St. Mark's Girls' Friendly Society, of which she was treasurer prior to her marriage.