

PERSONAL

At the Sale Town Council meeting on Monday night the Mayor (Cr. J. E. Thomson) feelingly referred to the passing of Mr. M. Breheny who, he said, had rendered long and effective service to ratepayers whilst he was a member of the council. He was an estimable and popular citizen. He moved that a letter of condolence and appreciation be forwarded to the bereaved family, which was unanimously carried.

Mrs. Dewsbury, of Stawell Street, Sale, has received word from the Defence Department that her son, Pte. Albert de F. Dewsbury, 22 Pioneer Battalion, has been posted as missing. He was last seen in Batavia. "Blue" Dewsbury was a well known local lad and the general wish is that better news will be heard of him later.

Mr. Travis, Sale Town Engineer, was taken seriously ill on Monday and is at present in a private hospital at Maffra. His many friends will regret to learn that he is unlikely to resume duties again.

Mrs. Cooper snr., who would be 89 on Saturday next, is in hospital in Maffra, her condition being very low indeed last night.
