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Mrs. Catherine Boyce, of Tallangatta Valley, has just received official notice that her third son, Private G. H. Boyce, was admitted to 2nd Birmingham War Hospital, England, on 14/10/17, suffering from gunshot wounds in the back. He had previously served 17 weeks in the trenches at Gallipoli and fell ill with enteric fever shortly after the evacuation. After spending several weeks in hospital at Alexandria, he was invalided home, arrived here on 13th March, 1916, but was sent back to France in July of same year. Mrs. Boyce's second son, Tom, was wounded during the Bullecourt battle (in May last), but has recovered and rejoined his unit. Two other sons, Frank and Eddie, were well when last letters left France.