

Sunshine Younger Set

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Since the last report in this paper this club has donated quite an amount of money to various causes. As a result of our final dance for last year we were able to donate the sum of £15 to the Queen Victoria Hospital Auxiliary (Sunshine branch), and the following amounts were donated from our funds:—£5 to Returned Soldiers' Xmas Tree Fund, £2/10/ to Comforts Fund, £2/10/ Patriotic Fund, £2/10/ to Red Cross Appeal, £2/10/ War Service Fund.

The club is now collecting novels suitable for the soldiers' camp in Sunshine, and any member who has any of these to spare is asked to leave same at the Advocate office.

On Sunday, 15th February, we are holding a picnic to Mordialloc. We are leaving by the 10 a.m. train, and each member purchases his own ticket and makes own arrangements for lunch and tea.

Our first annual meeting will be held at the Shire Hall on Monday week, 16th February, when all members are requested to be present.

Last night about 160 thronged to the Masonic Hall to make the first dance of the season a great success. Vic. Malney's Silver Bell dance band again supplied the music, and Ray Roberts was in his usual capacity of efficient M.C. The next dance will be in three weeks time, and after that we will endeavor to run them fortnightly.

On Wednesday, at St. Albans, the dairy farm of Roger Broa was the scene of a disastrous fire in which the majority of the property, including the farmhouse, was destroyed. All the milking for their dairy at Yarraville is done at this farm, and the loss sustained will be considerable.