

WERRIBEE AVENUE OF HONOR.

Various suggestions have been made from time to time as to how the residents of Werribee should permanently honor the brave men from this district engaged in the great war. No honor we can bestow upon our boys can be too much, and we who have remained at home, under practically pre-war conditions, must forget what we have given, and what we will yet have to give, to Red Cross funds. Let us do something in addition and show our further appreciation of our gallant boys.

The Merry-makers—girls of Werribee—come to the rescue, and with your assistance their proposal will be accomplished. What is it? A most suitable proposition, viz., that an avenue of trees be planted along the Melbourne-Geelong road, at the entrance to the town, and each tree will have the name of a Werribee soldier attached. You may say, "Well, this is very good, but it is going to cost something. Of course it will, the same as everything else, but when a number of people contribute a little, the cost to each is not very much. Someone may be disposed to contribute the whole cost of a tree, or a number of trees, but this is not essential, the object being to let everyone contribute a little, and the avenue will be entirely paid for by the ever-generous people of the district as a whole.

The "Merry-makers," under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Colin Campbell, have undertaken to raise the amount required, and all you will be asked to do will be to patronise their many concerts at the nominal charge of 1/ or 2/.

Will you assist to give the "Merry-makers" a good send-off in their noble effort by attending the public meeting on Saturday evening, at the Shire Hall, at 8 p.m.