

BORA RIDGE HONOUR ROLL UNVEILED

CORAKI, Wednesday. — The Bora Ridge District Honour Roll, inscribed with 61 names of men and women who served in the two world wars, was unveiled by Mrs. F. G. Pursey at a largely attended ceremony in the Primary Producers' Hall at Bora Ridge. The President of Woodburn Shire (Cr. L. B. Williams) presided.

Cr. Williams said that the ceremony was an "event" for the district. The committee deserved much credit.

Rev. L. R. Crossman, Coraki Church of England Rector, said the Honour Roll displayed the pride and appreciation of the citizens of the district for the supreme sacrifice of some men and the very worthy services of many others.

Mr. E. T. Sheridan, senior past President of Coraki R.S.L., said that the Honour Roll was not only a memorial but something to remind the rest of us that war was not over.

In these days there was far too much selfishness. Too much thought of self was far removed from sacrifice and we should try to live in unity with the rest of the world. "Unless we do something about the present state of affairs we will have the same need for sacrifice all over again," he said.

The President of the Coraki R.S.L. (Mr. S. R. Eastment), Rev. C. Haxton (Presbyterian Church), Pastor Brett (Baptist Church), and Mr. R. A. Pursey, on behalf of Rev. R. O'Donnell Finigan (Methodist Church), also spoke. Mr. Pursey said that it should be realised that the service of our men deserved full respect. The memorial honour roll was one way of offering respect.

The President of Woodburn R.S.L. (Mr. S. T. Lester) also spoke.

Musical items were included in the programme. Artists were Mr. S. T. Lester, Woodburn, accompanied by Mrs. Carmichael; Mr. L.

by Mrs. Carmichael; Mr. L. Lucas, Coraki, accompanied by Mrs. K. Turner; Mr. A. Weaver, solo, accompanied by Mrs. K. Turner; Mr. Nell Yabsley, solo, accompanied by Mrs. P. Shallard; Miss P. Gilmore, accompanied by Mrs. Carmichael, and Beryl Haynes, accompanied by Mrs. Turner.

Mr. Weaver led community singing and Mrs. Turner was accompanist. The hall was decorated and the stage was arranged with flowers and draped with flags.

Visitors were present from surrounding district. They included Mrs. P. Shallard, of Sydney, who was prominent in local war effort work in World War I, and Mrs. O. Hamilton, of Pwingsar, who was also associated with patriotic organisations.

Supper was served by a committee of women. A vote of thanks to the committee, artists and others who assisted was proposed by Mr. H. Clavworth and seconded by Mr. Reg Pursey.