

RETURNED SAILORS & SOLDIERS' IMPERIAL LEAGUE

The New South Wales branch of the Returned Sailors and Soldiers' Imperial League prides itself on the fact that some of the 'strongest sub-branches in the State are situated on the main southern line. Goulburn, Moss Vale, Mittagong, Bowral, and Wagga deserve special mention. They have set an example which other centres, notably Liverpool, Campbelltown, Camden and Fairfield should be quick to follow. Much could be said about what the league has accomplished on behalf of returned men and their dependents, and on behalf of the dependents of deceased sailors and soldiers. A list has been prepared by the Federal Office, detailing the more national phases of the league's achievements, and steps will be taken to make it available for general perusal at an early date. In addition to the Federal list, the State branch, in its domestic sphere, has also done yeoman work for returned men. Its achievements have not been so spectacular, perhaps, but they have been of vital concern to the individual or groups of indi-

viduals, who have sought the aid of the league; No doubt the league could obtain a vast increase in membership if it restricted its services to financial members, but the prestige of the league is the main consideration. Its duty is to help all Diggers who have a genuine case. The nature, and number of the league's achievements, both in the Federal and State spheres, will act as an "eye-opener" to all doubters. The

league is worthy of their support. They, should join up without % The benefit social for Mr. Tom O'Connor takes place in the Town Hall on Friday night of next week when an orchestra of five artists will gratuitously supply music. The function promises to be very successful. • Monday week, October 5th is a public holiday. . v.]

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