



# Tallygaroopna Soldiers' Memorial Hall

The Soldiers' Memorial Hall was erected in 1924 to commemorate those who served in the Great War by the Tallygaroopna Community. The existing timber 1880's Mechanics' Institute and Free Library was demolished to make way for the building. The Foundation Stone was laid by Colonel (later Sir) Murray Bouchier MLA, CMG, DSO, in January 1924 who was concerned with the plight of the returned soldier. The building was opened by Dr Earle Page, Acting Prime Minister, on 9 June 1924. The Hall has been the centre of many activities for the town, and included concerts, euchre parties, dances, bazaars, a debutante ball and visiting picture shows.

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