

ONE LAW FOR THE PUBLIC, AND ANOTHER FOR THE PUBLICAN.

(London "L.V. Gazette.")

An eminent judicial humorist has dissipated once for all the fallacy that we have one law for the rich and another for the poor...

The facts of the case may be briefly recapitulated here for future reference. In September last the Ram Inn, which is situated at North Tedworth, Salisbury Plain...

But the mob resented this interference with their liberties, and made an assault upon the house. If the attack had succeeded the ruffians would doubtless have made short work of the stout and its guardians...

But they did not resort to this extreme, and it was by a sheer accident, caused by one of the bricks with which they were being bombarded striking a gun...

Three months prior to this occurrence a similar disturbance at Seathwaite, North Lancashire, attended by the same fatal consequences, was dismissed at this stage of the proceedings...

The magistrate before whom the licensed victualler was charged declared that the man was fully justified by law in using firearms as a last resource...

There could have been no other verdict. The facts were plain; the evidence was conclusive; the law on the point is undisputed...

It may be argued that as the ultimate result was an acquittal, which restored the men to freedom and exonerated them from blame, the law has not been abused...

The law as it stands had justified them, and the magistracy was empowered to deal with the question and relieve them without delay of the stain which the charge itself puts upon them...

excesses of the rioters brought about the fatal accident.

If the manager of the Ram Inn and his assistant had done less than the evidence showed them to have done they would have been responsible to the law for gross negligence...

STATE OF TRADE IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

A subscriber to the "A.B. Journal," in Kalgoorlie (W.A.), in a recent letter, takes a gloomy view of the condition of general trade and commerce in the Western State. Writing from Perth, he says:—"I have had considerable opportunity to ascertain the true conditions of things in Perth, as I have for months made a house-to-house inspection of properties...

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DANIEL ARKELL, Gladstone Brewery, NEWTON ROAD AND GLADSTONE STREET, AUCKLAND.

Table listing various beer types and prices: XXXX Strong old Ale, K Bitter Ale, XXX Mild Ale, Extra Stout, Draught Ale and Stout, Dunedin Ale and Stout, Arkell's own brew, etc.

Crushed Malt, 7/- per bushel. Pure Island Lime Juice, 6/6 per doz. Nelson Hops, packed in 1 lb. and 5 lb. packets, at Market Prices.

HOTELS—AUCKLAND PROVINCE.

MACKAY TOWN HOTEL.

Situate on the Road between Paeroa and Karangahake.

MR W. WOODWARD, late of the Pacific Hotel, Thames, desires to inform the public of Thames and Ohinemuri Districts that he has taken over the proprietorship of the above well-known and popular hostelry.

AUBORA HOTEL VICTORIA STREET, AUCKLAND.

MR SAMUEL SARAH Has taken over the management of this Hotel.

Every Convenience for Boarders. First-class Billiard Room.

Wines and Spirits of the Best Brands only kept. S. SARAH, Proprietor.

ROYAL MAIL HOTEL, COROMANDEL.

THOMAS CARROLL ... PROPRIETOR. First-class Accommodation for Tourists and Travellers. Wines, Spirits, and Ales of the Best. Hot and Cold Baths. Every Comfort and Convenience.

STAR AND GARTER HOTEL, COROMANDEL.

MRS F. MOUNTFORT ... PROPRIETRESS. Sample Rooms Free to Commercial Travellers. Night Porter in attendance. All Communications promptly attended to. Hot and Cold Baths.



KARANGAHAKE HOTEL MAIN-STREET, KARANGAHAKE.

MR A. MONTGOMERY has much pleasure in informing the General Public that he has now bought the Freehold of the above well-known Hotel. The Hotel has been fitted up with Acetylene Gas, and is lit from top to basement.

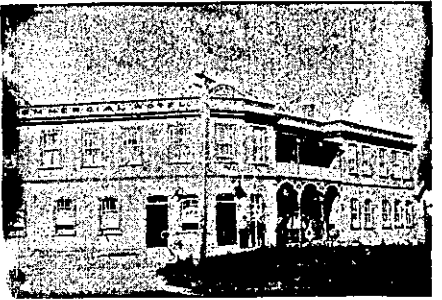


PANMURE HOTEL PANMURE.

J. MCKEANE.

Having taken possession of the above old-established Hotel, invites a continuance of that support so liberally accorded his predecessor.

Wines and Spirits of the Best.



COMMERCIAL HOTEL, WHANGAREI.

JAMES JACKSON Having taken over the above Hotel, has increased the accommodation and renovated the Premises throughout. Customers can rely on Every Comfort and Attention.

THE BEST BRANDS OF WINES AND SPIRITS KEPT IN STOCK. Ample Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. Good Billiard Table. Stable Accommodation Superior to anything North of Auckland.



THISTLE HOTEL, QUEEN-STREET, AUCKLAND.

Mr A. ROBERTSON has now taken over the Management of the above Hotel, which has been thoroughly renovated throughout.

A few doors above the City Hall. A. ROBERTSON ... Proprietor



CRITERION HOTEL, OTAHUHU.

G. CLARK desires to intimate that he has taken over the above Long-established House, which has been rebuilt on the latest and most approved plans, so as to combine with the attractions of a First-Class Hotel all the advantages of a private home.

HUNTLY HOTEL, Huntly

L. B. HARRIS, Proprietor.

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QUEEN'S HOTEL (Corner of Symond Street and Khyber Pass.)

Mr VICTOR CORNAGA begs to announce to his friends and the public generally that he has taken over this old-established and popular Hotel. The Hotel is being renovated and refurnished throughout, and will be found replete with all modern and up-to-date conveniences.

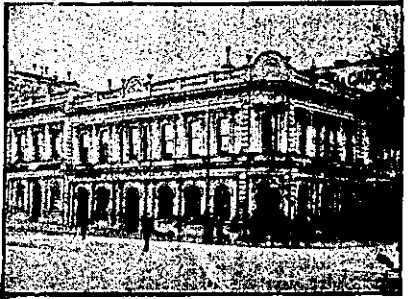
VICTOR CORNAGA, QUEEN'S HOTEL, Symond Street and Khyber Pass.



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THIS FINE MODERN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN Erected and Furnished in the Latest Style. And situated on an ideal site, commanding a full view of the harbour. The Proprietor trusts to receive patronage of those who require UP-TO-DATE ACCOMMODATION.

HEALTHY SITUATION, EASY ACCESS TO TOWN AND MODERATE TARIFF. Special Terms can be arranged with the Proprietor. E. H. WHITE for FAMILIES or PERMANENT BOARDERS. BILLIARDS, BOATING, FISHING, etc.



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Good Shooting, Fishing and Boating, Thermal Springs, Hot Natural and Swimming Baths within twenty minutes' drive of the Hotel, and an Ostrich Farm within two minutes' walk of the Hotel.

Excellent Cuisine. This interesting Pleasure Resort is about two hours' drive from Waikato, and three and a-half from Tauranga. Livery and Bait Stables in conjunction with the Hotel.



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The above Hotel is within two minutes' walk of the Railway Station and Town Wharf. First-class Accommodation, Baths and Every Convenience. Best Brands of Wines and Spirits. Brewed and Bottled on the Premises. Charges Moderate. Good Stabling and Paddock for Horses. Sample Room and First-Class Billiard Table.

D. McLEOD ... Proprietor.



STAR HOTEL, OTAHUHU

W. ABBOTT ... PROPRIETOR

The Best Wines, Spirits, Beers, and Cigars. All the Comforts of a Home, and a Good Table Kept. Charges Reasonable, and Civility the Rule of House. Commodious Stables. Good Paddocks. Billiards.