

placed on the table each guest tried to tear off the choicest portion, so that a tender joint soon vanished. Another writer on the habits of good society says:—"If you eat with another, turn the nicest bit to him, and do not go picking out the best for yourself. See that your nails are clean, and do not set more than two fingers and a thumb on the flesh, fish, or fowl." History tells us how fearfully greedy were the men and women of the 13th century. They did not hide their greed beneath a polish of politeness. There are still people who live to eat.

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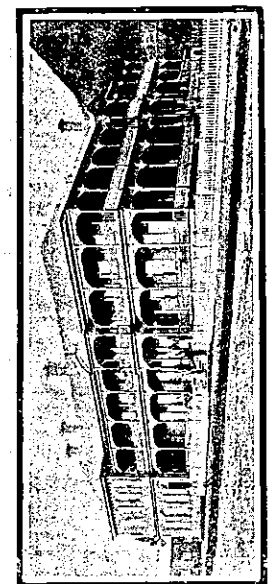
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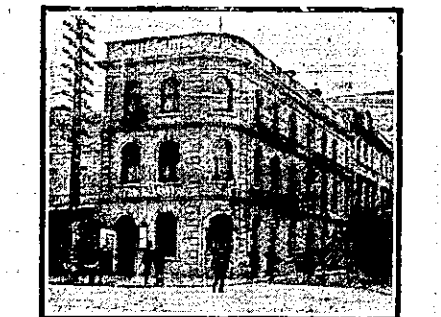
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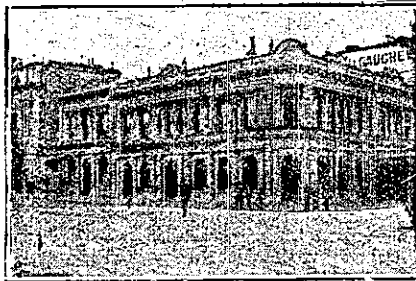
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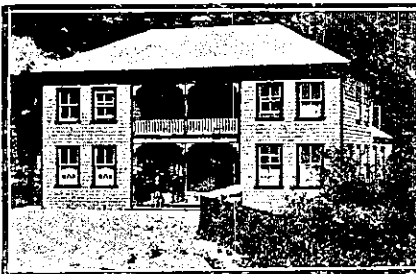


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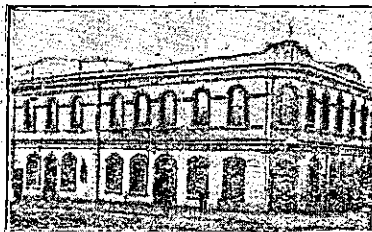
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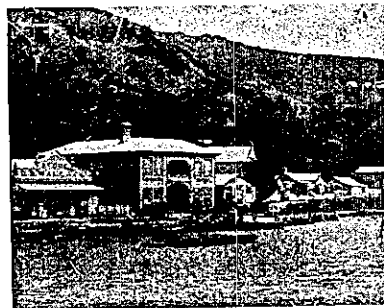
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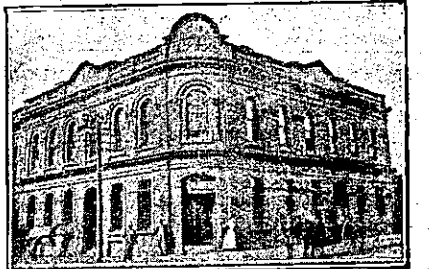
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