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*Yellow beams that darted
from the sinking King of Day
And bathed in a yellow flood
Dunedin from the Bay.*

THOMAS BRACKEN

The beautiful historic Wains building is steeped in Dunedin history and links to its literary community. In the 1870's, as the Southern gold rush hit its stride and the region thrived, the hotel was home to Dunedin's very first Press Club – the inspiration for this bar and eatery's name.

For a time, the eponymous Press Club occupied a suite in the hotel, where editors and reporters from local newspapers set up a library and would often meet. The poet Thomas Bracken was among their members; an esteemed free thinker who penned New Zealand's national anthem.

LUNCH MENU

TO START

ROAST BEET goat cheese candied seeds	19
KOREAN FRIED CHICKEN slaw	22
LAMB SHOULDER RAGOUT PAPPARDELLE mushrooms sriracha mayo	25
GRILLED PRAWN citrus risotto prosciutto	26

SANDWICH & BURGER

PRIME BEEF BURGER pickles fries	22
OPEN STEAK SANDWICH fried egg fries	24

TO FOLLOW

CAPONATA CRESPELLE brie glazed vegetables nut & date crust	32
CHICKEN LEG CONFIT lamb bacon rosti sauerkraut	34
AORAKI, MT COOK ALPINE SALMON carrot & turmeric puree truffle bread pudding salsa verde	38
LAMB SHANK paris mash feta & olive mint jus	38
200 GM SILVER FERN EYE FILLET potato pave forest mushroom red wine glaze	34

SWEET TREATS

GINGER & STICKY DATE PUDDING butterscotch vanilla ice cream	16
CITRUS AND BUTTERMILK PANNACOTTA amaretti crumble beetroot sponge	16

The stylish Press Club restaurant offers modern New Zealand cuisine served in informal tapas and sharing style, championing local produce from Otago. Intimate & small, the restaurant & bar is set in the heritage listed Wains hotel. The long, intimate bar is the place to meet for special whiskey cocktails, beers & inspired wines.