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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.

DINNER MENU

BITES & SMALL PLATES

SUMAC SPICED NUTS	8
MARINATED OLIVES	8
CHEESE ROLLS MUSTARD	8
SOURDOUGH truffle butter	8
TOMATO & STRAWBERRY fresh mozzarella balsamic	14
CURED SALMON CREAM toasted brioche piccalilli	16
SEAFOOD CHOWDER garlic herb toast	16
POAKA CHARCUTERIE PLATE pickles grain mustard	18

SIDES

BEER BATTERED FRIES porcini salt aioli	8
GARDEN SALAD shaved fennel house dressing	8
SEASONAL GREENS olive oil	8

TO FOLLOW

PRIME BEEF BURGER pickles fries	22
PROVENANCE LAMB SHOULDER miso glazed pickles pear	34
FRIED CHICKEN & QUINOA BREAD chilli maple syrup citrus sour cream	36
SCALLOPS & PULLED BEEF pea risotto	40
ROASTED CAULIFLOWER pickled dates salsa verde cumin parsnip puree	32
OTAGO WILD FALLOW carrot venison boudin noir chocolate sauce	34
PORK BELLY scallops fermented cabbage XO	34
MARKET FISH turmeric cous cous fennel bearnaise	34
SILVER FERN FARMS SCOTCH FILLET fondant potato balsamic onion puree red wine glaze	42

SWEET TREATS

MATCHA CREAM LOG kaffir lime ice cream raspberry	14
ROSE & STEAMED YOGURT 'old fashioned' jelly	14
CHOCOLATE CREMAUX vanilla bean ice cream plum	14

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.