

First Courses.

Cured Loin of Pork (Teruel Lomo)

Rocket Leaves,
Caramelised Pineapple.

*The palate is as worthy and as capable of education as the eye
or the ear. Brillat-Savarin.*

Montgomery Cheddar Souffle

Parmesan Glazed Smoked Haddock.

(This dish has been on our menu for 38 years).

*How long does getting thin take? Pooh asked anxiously.
A.A. Milne.*

Read's Cured "Gravalax"

Potato Salad, Honey
Mustard Dressing.

*Prices subject to alteration according to customer's attitude.
David Pitchford.*

Ham Hock Terrine

Dressed Autumn Leaves,
Piccalilli, Country Bread.

*When you come to a fork in the road take it.
Unknown. (Chinese)*

Crisp Crumb King Prawns

Smoked Paprika & Lime Aioli,
Compressed Water Melon.

*Remember gentlemen, it's not just France we are fighting
for its Champagne. Winston S. Churchill.*

Pressing of Pickled Herring

Charlotte Potatoes, Apple,
Light Horseradish Dressing.

*If you resolve to give up eating, drinking and smoking you don't
actually live longer, it just seems longer. Clement Freud.*

Main Courses.

Breast of Gressingham Duckling

Ginger Stir-Fried Chinese Leaves,
Kumquat Marmalade, Five Spice Jus

*Never eat more than you can lift
Miss Piggy.*

Medium-Rare Fillet of Angus Beef

Charlotte Lyonnaise Potatoes,
Baby Spinach, Red Wine Shallot Jus.
(£6 Supplement).

*No man can be wise on an empty stomach.
George Eliot.*

Lamb, Lamb, Lamb, Lamb and Lamb

Baby Spinach, Carrot Puree,
Honey Glazed Shallots, Hot Pot Potato.

*If you throw a lamb chop in the oven, what's to keep it from getting done?
Joan Crawford.*

Fillet of Loch Duart Salmon

Braised Fennel, Chervil Gnocchi,
Sauternes and Orange Sauce.

*A good meal in troubled times is always that much
salvaged from disaster.
A. J. Liebling*

Fruit Fed Loin of English Pork

Spinach, Fondant Potato,
Pickled Russet Apple, Pork Jus.

*My wife and I tried to breakfast together but we had to stop or our marriage
would have been wrecked. Winston S. Churchill*

Roast Breast of Local Pheasant

Spiced Red Cabbage,
Blackberry Puree, Celeriac.

*It is wonderful if we chose the right diet what an extraordinary
small amount would suffice.
Gandhi.*

Desserts and Cheeses.

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A Selection of Read's Desserts.

*Cookery has become an art, a noble science cooks are gentlemen.
Robert Burton.*

Tonka Bean Pannacotta

Poached Yorkshire Rhubarb, Candied Orange.

*Once in a lifetime one should be allowed to have as much sweetness as one
could possibly want and hold. Judith Olney.*

Chocolate Sphere

Caramel Ganache,
Caramelised Banana, Hazelnut.

Eating and sleeping are a waste of time. Gerald Ford.

Read's Deep Lemon Tart

Raspberry Sorbet.

*When ordering lunch, the big executives are just as
indecisive as the rest of us. William Feather.*

Hot Blackberry Soufflé

Vanilla Ice Cream
(Please allow up to 15 minutes)

*Strange to see how a good dinner reconciles everyone.
Samuel Pepys.*

British Cheese Selection

Grapes, Biscuits and Bread.

*Poets have been mysteriously silent on the subject of cheese.
G. K. Chesterton.*

Read's Restaurant – Rona and David Pitchford.

A La Carte Menu £60.00 per person

We kindly request that you do not smoke in any part of these premises.

Our restaurant is an approved premises for civil marriages.

Our private dining room is a perfect venue for small receptions and
conferences. Please ask for details or reservations.

