

DEVIZES BEAR HOTEL COMPANY, (LIMITED)

In our advertising columns will be found a prospectus of this company, which will, we hope, supply a want long felt in this town, and which we shall be pleased to see become, also, a remunerative investment for its proprietors. It is admitted on all sides the Bear ought to be one of the first, if not the first Hotel in the county, and with such a highly respectable body of men of business as appear on the prospectus, and so active and able a secretary as Mr. John Marsh, we do not doubt that the best of management will be combined with a proper - not a parsimonious - company. The name of the manager, Mr. Henry Bertram, should also be a guarantee for the excellence of the commissariat. We see no reason why the Hotel should not become as good a speculation as the White Hart at Salisbury, or the larger and more pretentious establishments of a similar kind in our great cities, many of which pay from 10 to 20 per cent per annum on dividend.

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