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October 7

[NETTLETON, C.J. AND GRIMSHAW, P.J.]

POLICE

v.

ARISTOCLE KYRIAKOU.

KNIVES LAW—PREMISES.

The accused was convicted and sentenced to six months imprisonment by a Magisterial Court. The facts as disclosed by the evidence are as follows :—

Accused, a man of good character, was discovered uprooting onions in his own field with a pointed knife. Accused stated inter alia that the ground was hard and a pointed knife was necessary for this agricultural purpose.

Accused appeals against conviction and sentence.

For Appellant *Kakoyanni*.

For Police the *Assistant Attorney-General*.

Kakoyanni cites Wharton's Law Lexicon. Premises—house and lands.

Judgment : As the accused was working within his premises (field) when he was discovered with the knife, the appeal must be allowed and the conviction and sentence quashed.

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POLICE

v.

GEORGHOS KOUMAS.

LICENSED PREMISES KEPT OPEN AFTER CLOSING TIME—NO SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR—LAW 10 OF 1889, SECS. 21 AND 22.

Case stated by a Magisterial Court.

Facts :—

Defendant had a license to sell intoxicating liquors for an hotel and a café or bar. Defendant kept the café open after 9 p.m. the prescribed hour. He had before this hour locked up his intoxicating liquor in another room and he did not sell or expose for sale on the premises any intoxicating liquor after 9 p.m., nor did he open or keep open the premises for sale of intoxicating liquor after 9 p.m., nor did he allow intoxicating liquor purchased before 9 p.m. to be consumed on the premises after 9 p.m.