

Sunday Observance and Social Reform Committee.

DIOCESE OF SYDNEY.

Please address reply.

The Chapter House,

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Epsomville

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To the Honorable
The Chief Secretary

W/ I am requested by my Committee to thank you for your reply to our letter of the 25th. ultimo. and to state that our meaning does not appear to have been made clear to you. Your recent action in regard to the Sunday Observance laws generally emphasize the point of our protest. Consequently I am requested by my Committee to convey to you their further strong protest against the arbitrary suspension of the laws against Sunday trading & to express their firm conviction that such interference with the laws of a country by a Minister of the Crown is at once a menace to democratic ideals & contrary to the best interests of the community. Our protest is again emphasized by the fact that Parliament, where the power lies, will meet within a short time.

I am
Yours devotedly
J. M. Davidson Secy.

Hon. Secy