# Seeing Week-End Market | Presents Ills With Aunt Maria's Eyes | But No Remedy

other end of the market house proved

\$2.25 each. The young housekeepe

had profited by her experience, how-

and asked to have

The habit of going to market is a

Several lots of maple syrup wer

Green Things Tempt.

Green things to tempt the after-

grippe or tired-feeling appetite lent

color and spring freshness. There

was beautiful lettuce at 10 cents a

bunch, three for a quarter; endive

for salad, grown right in London,

But the spinach at a dollar a peck,

journey since cutting, all the way

Celery was 15 cents for a very

"I'll pass that up," said the thrifty

The woman who endeavored to put

the fear of providence into the heart

of the man who asked \$1 too much

for onions, was knocked speechless

by the price of cabbages, 25 cents for

"He'll be brought to account for

As long as they lasted, pussy wil-

ows were the most popular blooms

of the day at 15 cents a bunch, well

Twenty-five cents a dozen was

asked on the open market for daf-

Towering serene and beautiful

above the baskets of eggs, the

butter, the bags of dried apples.

stately calla lily, one pearly

white, golden tongued bloom un-

folded among the pointed leaves.

It had been getting ready for Easter.

lily brought to the week-end market

fodils, and that couldn't be con-

developed, showing a flush of rose

obviously home-grown

none too large at that.

sidered exactly cheap.

from Florida.

home-maker.

solemnly.

15 cents a bunch, or two for 25 cents.

knows prices and knows values.

noon, or 90 cents a quart.

"Never mind, God'll measure the that the price asked was actually little more than 50 cents a pound. Comely, well-groomed birds at the half bushel."

was the original method, adopted by one woman marketer Saturday forenoon, to smite the onscience of a farmer who, she believed, was giving short measure. She was firmly convinced that he was charging entirely too much for

She was offering consolation at the same time to the man who wanted the onlong but balked at the price. He look well-to-do, but he avowed, he didn't want to give his money

otatoes were in big demand. Several bags were on the market bright and early, but by noon it was difficult to find any that were not sold at \$1.50 a bag. Of course each and every farmer declared his potatoes mealy when cooked. One vendor who came in with a regular caravan wagon from Caradoc insisted that

his "Dooleys" couldn't be beat. "Nothing like the real Irish spuds grown on sandy soil," was his final convincing argument.

And to think eggs were ever a

dollar and more a dozen!

The week-end market was literally flooded with them, baskets upon baskets, dozens upon dozens. Those who asked 28 cents early in the morning were glad to take 25 cents by noon. Why was it that the hens went on strike in the food conservation days of war-time and the subsequent peak-load price years? The woman who is getting an average of 35 eggs a day from her 63 hens wonders why her hens wouldn't lay then as now.

Get It Weighed.

Poultry was more plentiful than for some weeks past, of much better quality, but not a whit cheaper. Three dollars was asked for one big hen, a year and a half old, declared to weigh ten pounds. "Steam it an hour first, then dress it and it will and green through the fuzzy grey roast up as tender as a young chicken," said the home-maker who had brought it to market.

Small chickens were being offered by one farmer for \$1.25 a piece. "That looks reasonable." commented young housekeeper to the friend who accompanied her.

"Get it weighed and see how much The scales in the corner showed

Calsworthy and His Work Cleverly Women's Club.

a strong temptation even at \$2 and Galsworthy, the great impression ist among English writers, was presented in able papers by Mrs. weighed. Forty cents a pound was Carr-Harris and Mrs. Howard Higabout the average price. After that gins at the meeting Saturday evening she went to a provision shop and of the University Women's Club, the bought her a fine chicken to roast former dealing with his work, and in for Sunday, "a little better than five pounds," for \$1.72. this connection with his method, material and philosophy of life, and the latter with the man and his life. thrifty one, provided the marketer

Mrs. Carr-Harris drew special attention to Galsworthy's gift picturization, the steady advance in on sale at \$3.50 a gallon towards the mastery of technique shown in his books, the dominant note of pes simism in all his work.

"If asked what was the matter with the world we would expect Galsworthy to answer 'Everything', said Mrs. Carr-Harris. Delineating vividly and grippingly the ills of the world, Galsworthy, she stated, suggests no remedy. His men and wo men are inexorably caught in the crisp though it was, had come a long great machine of modern human life, the cravings and desires crushed by precedent, caste and convention. His material deals largely with British sylph-like bunch; 25 cents for a more substantial one. stolidity and conservatism as found in the great upper middle class possessed of property and vested interest. Only in his last book, "To Let." of which she gave a resume had Mrs. Carr-Harris found a glim mer of light, a greater freedom and independence of the individual.

"What may we not hope from a writer with such a grasp of technique, such unusual insight?" was the question left by the speaker with the club

such prices as that," she said In a delightful sketch Mrs. Higgins worthy had always been placed in comfortable circumstances in life, never obliged to burn the midnight oil in struggle for existence. Opportunity was presented to study the sordid side of life and see the inexorable grinding of the machine as a result of his study of law. Amusepaper as possible to the club, she had men's club at the gathering. Mis written last fall to Galsworthy himself Minhinnick read a report of the an measures of pickles, the rolls of for data. None had come, and, in the nual meeting of the Canadian that is a pound," advised the man of pats of cottage cheese stood a had discovered that this English Clubs, Miss K. Jackson had charge meantime, in her research work she Federation of University Women's writer shuns reporters and inter- of the dainty refreshments served at viewers, and refuses to give out any the close of the program. facts in connection with himself.

Correspondence with regard to the out Easter came too late, and so the meeting in Paris in July of the International Federation of University March 18th the message of Women's Clubs was read, and it was spring's awakening and resurrection decided to write and ask Mrs. inspiration could be obtained for Tanner, who will be in Paris at the sum will provide enough wax for a time, to represent the London wo-dozen drippings.

Welcome Bertha Back



BL MARIAN HALE.

LONDON, March 19 .- And occa- the hem and mount panel-wise to sionally one finds on the newest of the waist line at the side fonts. frocks something reminiscent of the emphasized the point that Gals-days when a bertha fluttered at the narrow silver ribbons tied and caught shoulders of every gown that laid any at the front with lavender velvet

This Claire frock of palest lavender the thing this season and they in-Canton crepe wears a two-tiered variably extend below the hem line semi-bertha of chiffon edged and of the gown and contrast in color. weighted with finely pleated taffeta, Royal blue is often seen on black Such a shoulder treatment natur- and the silver and lavender combinament was created by her statement and this too is ornamented with fine ingly good. ally calls for the fullest of skirts tion of the Claire gown is exceed-

### WATERPROOF SOLES.

If the soles of walking shoes are dipped into melted wax once in three or four weeks they will last twice as and life. And all this beauty and Richard Crouch, formerly Miss Hazel long and be waterproof. A small

SUNLIGHT

LIFEBUOY

TORONTO, December 14th, 1921.

TOILET SOAPS

I pleatings which extend quite around

The tight bodice is sashed with

of a delightful bridge of three tables on Saturday afternoon

Miss Hellen Blackwell and Miss Babe Penfound are week-end guests of Dr. S. H. Donald, Toronto.

Miss Agnes Malloch, 784 Colborne street, London, is spending a few days in Detroit on a business trip.

Mrs. Gerald Pearson entertained last week at a bridge of three tables in honor of Miss Adeline Wethered of Marlowe, England, who is the guest of Mrs. Eric Reid.

Miss Lorna McGillivray was among the Londoners invited to attend the Major George Smith dance in Chatham, but owing to a harp engagement for a concert in Ingersoll, she was unable to attend.

Members of the Froebel Society are anticipating with much interest their banquet of Wednesday evening next, to be held in the Tecumseh House, when their speaker will be Rev. Peter Bryce, authority novements of the day affecting the welfare of children.

The Union Mothers' Club is calling a special meeting for Thursday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock, in the Technical School, to afford all who are interested an opportunity of hearing Miss Ruth Hill, associate secretary of the American Association for Organizing Family Work.

Mrs. E. B. Smith entertained eight of the delegates attending the Girl Guide convention, at a luncheon, Saturday, at her home, Wortley road, Mrs. Smith invited Mrs. David Williams and Mrs. Auden to meet her guests. Mrs. F. P. Betts was also a luncheon hostess, entertaining a number of delegates at her home on Queen's avenue.

A delightful and well-attended affair of Saturday afternoon was the euchre and tea given under the auspices of the Nightingale Club, in aid of the War Memorial Hospital. Thirty tables were in play, followed by tea served at tables decked with spring flowers. The committee in charge of the excellent arrangements included Miss Margaret Miss Tory Jervis, Miss Beulah Daly and Miss Jessie Manson.

A large number of friends surprised Miss Edith McMartin, at her home, 531 Talbot street, Friday evening, when a handkerchie shower was given in her honor. St. Patrick's favors were used effective ly to decorate the rooms and supper table. The evening was spent in cards and music, followed by a dainty supper, the color scheme being also carried out in the refreshments. Miss McMartin is leaving in the near future on an extended tour of the Southern States.

the home of Mrs. J. T. Parkinson, tea table. The regent, Mrs. Duncan, Ridout street, in aid of the Ethelbert were also used on the tea table, centered with a fern, resting on a lace Rogers and Mrs. Cowan. Among cloth. Mrs. D. C. MacGregor and Miss those arranging tables were: Miss Mabel Thomas, assisted the hostess Macbeth, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Younge, in welcoming the many guests, and Mrs. Turner, Miss Florence Wilson, Miss Mabel Thomas poured tea. The Miss Bertha Smith and Miss Mary members of the club, wearing pretty Campbell. frocks of the club colors, acted as

The bridge and tea given at the The long-planned social service Abigail Chapter, Saturday afternoon, Monday. At 7 o'clock in Cronyn Hall quires a peculiar stale taste.

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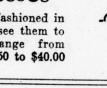
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was a delightful and well-attended; those enrolled for the course will have The B. S. C. Club of St. Andrew's affair. The rooms were artistically an opportunity of hearing "How Our Presbyterian Church held a most decorated with tulips and roses, with City Meets the Need of Its People's successful tea Saturday afternoon at daffodils tastefully arranged on the Such service agencies will be fully explained as the public health dewelcomed the many guests, assisted partment, child welfare work, out-Hospital, Saskatchewan. The rooms by Mrs. Luscombe, Miss Fraser and patients' department of Victoria Hoswere effectively decorated with blue Miss Hill, and Mrs. Turner poured pital, mothers' allowances, etc. At and white, the club colors, which tea at the attractive tea table. The the close of the address a discussion lovely prizes were carried off by Mrs. will take place with regard to how girls may help in social service work The week's program will include field work, in order to let the girls see for themselves what is being done.

PINEAPPLE.

Left-over pineapple will keep its SOCIAL SERVICE STUDY WEEK delicate flavor if put back immediately into an air-tight glass jar. home of Mrs. T. C. Duncan, Water- study week, under the auspices of loo street, under the auspices of the the London Girls' Cabinet, opens dish that pineapple sometimes ac-



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