

SPRING GREENS ARE SCARCE
Lettuce and Other Vegetables Missing from Grocers' Racks.
GENERAL SUPPLY IS SUFFICIENT, THOUGH Market Offers Enough that is Tempting to Make Good Dinner and Prices Are Coming Down.

Miss Carrot Top.
'Tis the air of you
And the hair of you,
Which is the golden sheen.
'Tis the eyes of you
And the nose of you,
Which is the nose of you, my queen!
'Tis the face of you
And the neck of you,
On which the lads are keen—
But the heart of you
Is the part of you
That I love, Mavourneen.—Exchange.

Notwithstanding the positively gorgeous appearance of the grocers' racks this week, there has been an almost serious shortage of some of the green vegetables. And this shortage is not entirely over yet, either, but southern Illinois will begin shipping in a few days and that will replace the varieties withdrawn when the shipments from further south ceased. Head lettuce has not been procurable for several days, except in small shipments of a few dozen heads, and these have sold as high as 20 and even 25 cents each. String beans and asparagus have not been plentiful, either, but are coming in, the former selling for 25 cents a quart and the latter at 25 cents a bunch. Except for a few scattered stalks of sweet potatoes are practically out of the market. Few of the grocers had them at all Friday morning, and these few were high, selling for 50 and 60 cents a peck.

Nice looking cauliflower sells for 30 and 40 cents a head. Tomatoes are 20 cents a pound and are nice. Wax beans are 20 cents a pound. California cabbage is in and the heads are large and the leaf green. These sell for 5 cents a pound and the other cabbage, which is much whiter and more waxy, sells for 4 cents a pound. Cucumbers are from 15 to 25 cents each, according to size. Another carload of Florida celery has come in and is selling for 5 and 10 cents a stalk. Rhubarb is still 10 cents a bunch, but the price started low on this and with the good weather, it is coming for a while, possibly until the home-grown comes in. Wax beans are 20 cents a quart, spinach 30 cents a peck, Spanish onions 10 cents a pound, new turnips, beets, radishes, carrots and parsnips are 5 cents a bunch. New spring onions are bunches for 5 cents. Leaf lettuce is plentiful enough and sells for 5 cents a head. New potatoes are 10 cents a pound or three pounds for 25 cents. Old potatoes are \$1 a bushel.

Strawberries sold for 40 cents a quart Friday morning and they were not of the finest quality. A few specialties in the way of plums and peaches from South Africa and other far distant places are being offered by a few dealers at from 10 to 30 cents each, but aside from these, the market affords little more than it has. Oranges are 20 and 40 cents a dozen, lemons 20 cents a dozen, bananas from 15 to 25 cents a dozen, according to where one buys them, the quality being about the same. Fine pineapples are in again this week and sell from 20 to 30 cents each. Grape fruit is nice looking and sells for 15 cents each. Figs and dates are to be had from 15 to 20 cents a pound.

Creary butter has dropped from 35 to 30 cents a pound this week, but the dealers say the reduction is only temporary and the price will probably advance again the early part of next week. Other butters dropped, of course, with the creamery and the best dairy butter sells for 25 cents a pound. It will be well for housewives to keep in mind that this butter, if carefully selected, is quite equal to the creamery in quality and much better than some of the brand of so-called first-class creamery butter. Eggs are still at 18 cents a dozen, or two dozen for 35 cents.

Chickens are scarce and high priced in proportion, selling at 13 cents a pound wholesale, Friday morning and retailing from 14 to 16 cents a pound. Capons are 20 and 25 cents a pound and broilers 50 cents each. The hens are laying now and with eggs at 13 cents the farmers are not shipping chickens as they did. Duck is 16 cents a goose, 14 cents and turkeys from 20 to 25 cents a pound. Squabs are 50 cents each.

THRIFT AT THE HELM
Utopian Pictures of Bygone Days Likely to Become Early Realities.
How many people outside of political revolutionists have dreamed of a time when poorhouses, homes for the aged and poverty in the home would be reduced to an "upward-of minimum, almost unknown, in fact."
Such Utopian pictures have been drawn by writers of the More and Bellamy orders—have been painted from the pulpit and elaborated in the school room—but always

SUNOCO BARGAINS

Free List---FREE! Saturday Only
Ad No. 13---
One Fancy China Piece Free with every 1 pound of our high grade Java and Superior Coffee.
Ad No. 10---
CHICKENS 13c
This is the time of year when selection of meat and poultry for the Sunday dinner becomes an important problem.

The Lange Grocery Co. 24th and Cuming. Tel. Doug. 1530.

SOMMER BROS. Saturday Specials
Extra Choice Tomatoes, 10c
Bartlett Peas, 25c
Red Salmon, 25c
No. 1 Lipton Tea, 29c
Knox's Gelatine, 10c
Creamery Butter, 28c
Strictly Fresh Eggs, 16c per doz.

SKILJACRUE THE SOLUTION
How the Household Service is to be Provided in Future.
DOMESTICS TRAINED FOR THEIR DUTIES
Institute That Will Give the Needed Attention to an All Important Topic Gets Some Discussion.

SMASHED A JAP MYTH
One of New York's "Finest" Turns a Trick on a Jiu Jitsu Expert.
One venerable weakness of cultured people is that of standing in awe before anything halting from east of the sea and adorned with a jargon of consonants and vowels.

HE WAS CHAMPAGNE PROOF
Effort to "Lay Out" the Governor of Nevada Proved a Dismal Failure.
There were many practical jokers in the new territory. I do not take pleasure in exposing this fact, for I liked those people; but what I am saying is true.

LOWNEY'S Chocolate Bonbons
Always Delicious—Pure—Wholesome—Digestible
One Box Will Make A Happy Home!
Every Sealed Package guaranteed Fresh and Full Weight

SKETCHED HIS OWN DOOM
Foolhardy Criminal Sealed His Fate with Caricatures of Jurors.
JUSTICE AS IT WAS IN CHEYENNE

It seems to be accepted that a jury of American men cannot be got to convict a young and good looking woman of a crime where the legal punishment is death. A man observed a man from Wyoming, who has been practicing in Cheyenne since territorial days.

It happened in Cheyenne. Cheyenne had then been in existence only six months as the terminus of the first railroad to be built across the continent, and its citizenship was of course as motley as that of all the frontier towns in that day.

When Women Served as Jurors.
The first trial under regularly constituted legal forms in Cheyenne since did make a commotion, not only by reason of the novelty of the thing, but because women served as jurors in the case.

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THE COURT WARNED
"Bill, old boy," said the prisoner to the justice, "I want you to pay particular attention while I'm a-making of this here statement."

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Says I to myself says I—they only cost five cents a package.
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