

Less Trouble and Cheaper to Buy Provisions in Larger Quantities

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THE pantry or storehouse of the early Colonial housewife must indeed hold ample supply of foodstuffs, and woe to the woman who failed to garner while the harvest abounded with a variety of crops.

Scharff and Westcott, in their history of Colonial Philadelphia, tell of the fact, that the Delaware and Schuylkill and adjacent pools and marshes were the resorts of every species of fowl and fish. Every family kept its own cows, and had milk, butter and cheese, salted and cured bacon, hams, beef, herring, shad, venison and mutton; the dairy, the smokehouse and poultry house were appendages to all town houses, as well as country places.

From the day when the housewife gathered in supplies, early in the fall, to last the family until the growing crops matured next season, to the present day, with many housewives buying almost from day to day, is indeed, a long step. Today, as of yore, it will pay the housewife to purchase certain provisions in reasonable quantities, rather than from day to day. This is particularly true of flour, sugar and other dry provisions.

Suggestive weekly menu for three meals Sunday:

- Sunday Breakfast**
Dried Apple Sauce with Raisins
Hominy Grits and Cream
Ham, Country Style, with Cream Gravy
Fried Potatoes Watercress
Hot Biscuit Apple Butter
- Coffee**
Dinner
Celery
Vegetable Soup
Roast Shoulder of Country Pork
Sage Dressing Brown Gravy
Apple Butter
Potatoes Baked in Jackets
Creamed Carrots
Mashed Turnips Pickled Beets
Cream Pie Coffee
- Tea**
Creamed Oysters and Celery on Toast
Potato Salad
Pickled Beets
Bread and Butter Sandwiches
Old-Fashioned Rice Pudding
Tea

The market basket will require:
Dried apples,
Hominy grits,
Potatoes,
Watercress,
Carrots,
Turnips,
Beets,
Celery,
Oysters,
Ham,
Shoulder of country pork,
Apple butter,
Rice,
Eggs,
Butter,
and other weekly staples.

Old Colonial Recipe for Dried Apple Sauce
Wash one-half pound apples in warm water and then place in a baking dish. Cover with water to cover the apples, adding:
Two-thirds cup of sugar,
One cup of seeded raisins,
Peel of one-quarter lemon.
Simmer very slowly until the apples are very tender. Beat with a spoon and remove the lemon peel. Add:
One-half teaspoon of salt,
One-half teaspoon of grated nutmeg.

Ham, Country Style with Cream Gravy
Cut thin slices from the ham; cover with boiling water and let stand for twenty minutes; drain and fry a light brown quickly in hot fat; drain the fat from the pan and add:
Four tablespoons of flour,
stirring the flour to blend. Now add:
One and one-half cups of rich milk.
Bring to a boil and cook for five minutes. Pour over the ham.

Have the butcher remove the bone from the shoulder and place well-seasoned filling in its place, using plenty of sage for seasoning. An old Colonial filling comes from an old diary, and is as follows:
Two cups of bread crumbs,
One cup of chopped onions,
One-half cup of finely chopped parsley,
One teaspoon of sage,
One-half teaspoon thyme,
One teaspoon of salt,
One-half teaspoon of pepper,
One-half cup of boiling water.
Mix well and use for filling.

Cream Pie
From the same recipe book comes the recipe for the cream pie. Tare it a plate and cover with thin well-rolled pastry. Use fork and pierce here and there to prevent crust blistering and bake a delicate crust. Now slip off the pie plate, and fill with the following mixture:
Place in saucepan
One cup of milk,
One-half cup of water,
Four level tablespoons of cornstarch.
Stir to dissolve sugar and starch and bring to a boil and cook for five minutes. Now add one well-beaten egg, one teaspoon of vanilla and beat to blend. Cook for ten minutes; pour, when cool turn in the prepared crust. Whip one cup of cream, adding when stiff:
One teaspoon of vanilla,
One-half cup of seeded raisins.
Cut in tiny bits and pile on the pie.

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Strap-Wrist Duplex or Silk-Lined Fabric Gloves Special at \$1.25
Lowest price we have ever heard of for gloves of such quality.
Duplex gloves are of such fine texture that one has to touch them to distinguish them from leather. Even the seams and the English thumbs are made exactly like those of leather gloves. In sand, gray and white.
Silk-lined chamois-lisle gloves of fine quality are in champagne, white, mode, brown, light gray and chamois.
Both styles have extra-long cuffs and heavy silk embroidery on the backs.
2-Clasp Duplex Gloves, 75c
All sizes in chamois color and mastic. Sizes 5½ to 6½ in white, gray and beaver.
2-Clasp Chamois-Lisle Gloves, 50c
In covert, beaver and white.
(Central)



\$5 \$3.75 \$5 \$3.75 \$6.75 \$3.75 \$16.50

Indestructible Pearl Bead Necklaces at \$2 (For 200 Fortunate Girls and Women)
So that no one will be disappointed, we give the quantities:
100 necklaces in cream finish, 24 inches long;
50 necklaces in white, 18 inches long;
50 necklaces in white, 20 inches long.
The least that these have ever been is \$5. Made with a solid mother-of-pearl base, the beads will not break when they're dropped. They have 10-carat gold clasps, and the luster of the beads is beautiful.
Silver-Finished Mesh Bags, Worth a Third More, \$3
Dainty and pretty and just right for Spring. Big enough to be of real use, they are in three styles.
(Central)

Week-End Opportunities Central Aisle
Women's New French Gloves \$1.50 and \$1.90
Two-clasp gloves of fine French glace lambskin in shades to match new Spring suits and coats.
Black, white, tan, brown and beaver, over-seam sewn and with Paris-point stitched backs, \$1.50.
Black, gray, beaver, brown, tan, white and black, full pique sewn, with embroidered backs of two-tone crochet, \$1.90.
Springlike Hats of Horsehair Braid, \$3.50
So light in weight that one hardly knows she has a hat on! One pretty hat of black braid is caught at each side with a tiny ornament of orange straw.
Others of silk and straw or sport hats of felt come in cardinal, beaver, blue and other colors, \$3.50 and \$3.85.
Hand Made Blouses, \$2.45
Every stitch hand done, with trimming of hemstitching, drawwork or embroidered dots. Made of white batiste of an exceptional silky fineness.
Button-down-the-back style with Peter Pan collar or open-down-the-front style with roll collar.
Taffeta Handbags, \$3
Two new shapes sure to be popular! One filled in soft folds on a silver-finished metal frame is lined with changeable taffeta. The other has a tiny yoke, the "skirt" being filled on with a narrow ruffle.
Both styles in navy blue or black moire taffeta silk.

Delightful New Spring Frocks, \$15, \$16.50
Rustling taffeta dresses are in navy blue, black and brown with ruffles, pleatings, sashes and dear little nose-gays of flowers or fruit at the waistline. Some are embroidered with tiny nail-head beads, others are combined with Paisley Georgette crepe. Canton crepe frocks among these, too.
Cloth dresses at \$15 and \$16.50 are of Poiret twill and tricotine. One model is trimmed with bands of grosgrain ribbon. Another is beaded with steel. Others are embroidered in self or contrasting silks.
Dancing dresses are made of layer upon layer of colorful chiffon, girdled with cloth of gold. Sizes 14 to 18 at \$15. Hundreds of other beautiful dresses emphasizing the newest fashions for Spring are \$20, \$25 and \$39.

SURELY a gay new frock for everybody when prices are so low!
Here are cloth dresses, tricolettes and silks, with charming touches of bright color, interesting sleeves, girdles of wooden beads and tinsel embroidery or braid. Yes, even the fashionable Paisley silk is used on them!
Satin, Wool Crepe and Tricolette at \$6.75
These materials are used in a most popular type of dress which is characterized by brightly colored insets of pleated silk in the sides of the skirt and in the sleeves. Interesting girdles of wooden beads mark the waistline.
In navy, brown or tan satin.
In navy blue wool crepe.
In gray or navy tricolette.
Silken insets are in fuchsia, flame, French blue, beige and jade.

6 Styles at \$3.75
Young women's frocks of checked or plain velour, trimmed with contrasting bands, gold embroidery or with braided sleeves. Some have Peter Pan collars. Mostly in browns and tans.

20 Styles at \$5
What a collection of dresses!
Dresses of satin, silk poplin or tricolette, some with yokes and sleeves of Paisley printed silk.
Checked velour dresses are in brown, blue or tan, with contrasting bandings or bright pipings.
Wool crepe and serge dresses are in navy blue with embroidery done in black or colors; or with facings of bright red, green, Gopenhagen or beige. Some coat dresses among these.

Reductions on Women's Winter Coats —Prices Newly Lowered to \$15 to \$85 Which Is a Third to a Half Less Than the Original Prices
This embraces our entire stock of heavy winter coats. Street coats and wraps—coats for young women, for their mothers and for their aunts. You can choose from dozens and dozens of different styles, all Wanamaker quality.
Now \$15 and \$20
Coats of velour and cut Bolivia, full silk lined. \$20 coats have collars of beaverette fur. Sizes 14 to 38.
Now \$25 and \$35
Cut Bolivia, plain Bolivia and llama cloth coats, some with blue backs, some with collars of Australian opossum, wolf, nutria or mole. Navy and brown. Sizes 14 to 42.
Now \$48, \$75 and \$85
Soft luxurious coats and wraps, with large fur collars and sometimes cuffs of nutria, black or taupe wool, Hudson seal (died muskrat), dyed squirrel, gray squirrel or caracal.
They are of the finest and most fashionable coating materials, beautifully lined throughout with silk.

Price Reductions on All Winter Suits For Women and Young Women
38 Suits at \$6
Serge, tricotine and jersey suits, just two or three of a kind. Originally more than twice this sum.
25 Suits at \$7.50
Heather jersey suits, some with slip-on dresses and jackets to match. Sizes 14 to 38 only. Less than half price.
Fur-Trimmed Suits, \$12.50 to \$50
Very few of any one kind, but some amazing values among them. Of velour, tricotine, heavy serge and llama cloth, trimmed with Australian opossum, nutria, beaver, mole and beaverette.

All-Wool Suits for Young Men Special—\$20
It's a collection of small quantities taken from our regular stock and grouped under this low price for a clearance.
And what an opportunity for any young man needing a suit!
All of these are semi-conservative as to cut—best choice in the long run—and are of chevots in gray and brown mixed patterns.
Every one is a good office suit and a splendid investment.
Sizes 34 to 42, to start with.
(Gallery, Market)

SPECIAL—FOR MEN Woven Madras and Cheviot Shirts \$1.45
Madras shirts are in nearly every kind of stripe in a wide variety of colorings.
Cheviot shirts are in plain colors and dark grounds with white stripes, and have plain neckbands or soft collars attached.
All with soft cuffs.
Knitted Ties, 55c
Most uncommonly good ties for so little! Many have the creepy feel of real silk and the color combinations are fine. Nearly all are striped.
Boys' Coats Sweaters, \$5
A good deal less than the original prices. These are heavy-weight sweaters, fine for coasting, skating and all outdoor play. They have roll collars and are in navy, gray, maroon and khaki. Sizes 28 to 36 chest.
(Gallery, Market)

Men's Black Shoes for All-Around Wear Special, \$4
Broad-toe black leather blucher shoes with heavy welted soles—the shoes that most men wear most of the time. Not a bad idea to get a couple of pair.
Oxfords, Special, \$5.25
They are undoubtedly good-looking with their decorative perforations and double soles with strips of light fiber inlaid between. Saddle straps or full wing tips.
Boys' Shoes, Special at \$2.75
Black and tan shoes on English lasts do nicely for dress wear. Soles are welted.
(Gallery, Market)

Girls' Coats, \$8.50 Almost Half Price
Mostly polo coats, fully lined and interlined. Some have collars of deep soft Australian opossum. A few of a kind. Sizes 6 to 12 years.
(Market)

Vicuna Yarn Special—28c Ball
Soft beautiful yarn such as we have been selling for the last year at a third more. Made of the best wool procurable. A yarn that works up so well that customers come back and back for more "just like the last."
To still further introduce the new Art Needlework Shop one of our regular makers has turned over this special lot to go at 28c a ball—the lowest price in years.
All wanted color, including white and black. Each ball weighs 1½ ounces.
A knitting instructor will be glad to show you how to make sweaters, caps, scarfs and so on.
(Thirteenth Street, Central Section)



NEWNESS Is the Keynote in Hats at \$5, \$6 and \$8
So entirely different from last year, so new, charming and becoming that every woman should see them! The new hats are new! There is such a diversity that one must see them to realize it.
A Whole Room Full of Hats at \$5
Newest are entire hats of haircloth in tailored shapes, very smart and clean-cut of line. Two are sketched.
Hats of Cellophane at \$6
Hats of fine cellophane (straw put through a process to give it very high luster) interwoven with fabric are delightfully soft. Particularly pretty in pearl gray, red, taupe, orange, henna, various blues, brown, navy and black. Many shapes. One of the new silk and straw hats is sketched.
At \$8—One is impressed with the quality of the fine straws. These hats have dignity as well as charm and smartness. Distinguished. Also hats with tops of heavy grosgrain ribbon are in various colors.
(Market)

Think of Getting a Lovely Fur Coat for \$86
Women's fur coats of near seal (died coney), 36 inches long, are only \$86. 40-inch length \$93.
Near seal (died coney) coats, trimmed with natural skunk or nutria, are \$108 to \$160.
Natural muskrat coats are favorites among the younger women. \$112.
(Market)

Fourth to Half Less for Good Corsets Now \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3
Most interesting sale in a long time because the corsets are decidedly above the average in both desirability and quality. It includes a new special purchase as well as discontinued models from our own stocks.
Specially Purchased Corsets, \$2.50 and \$3
\$2.50 for ready-laced topless corsets of pink or white jean beautifully striped with satin, finished with elastic; all sizes.
\$2.50 for girdles of satin-strapped poplin and elastic, closed in the back; all sizes.
\$3 for girdles of pink tricot with satin strapping; medium long skirt; all sizes.
\$3 for average and large women's corsets ready laced, made of self-striped jean with straight elastic top, well boned.
Five Discontinued Styles—Now \$1.50, \$2, \$3
Some are special purchases now marked down because they show slight marks of handling. Models mostly for average and large women who wear sizes 22 to 36. Either pink or white materials. Not all sizes in each style.
(Corset Shop, Central)

Sale of Women's Sweaters and Scarfs—Average Half Price

Some were originally four times their present prices. All are in perfect condition and good style for Spring. They tell their own story of value.

Slip-on Sweaters, \$1
The style sketched is in buff, white, orchid and green. The wool is so soft that it feels as if there's some Angora in it. Good to wear under coats.

Wool Scarfs at \$1
Long wide scarfs of pure wool are in various desirable combinations of stripes. Warm as toast for skating or long walks!

144 Navy Coat Sweaters, \$1.85
Good looking—can be worn as jackets in the Spring, as they are well tailored. They have tuxedo collars and roll over collars. The latter show a line of white wool such as finishes the snug cuffs.

Peter Pan Sweaters at \$1.85
So called because they are worn with Peter Pan collars. These slip-over sweaters with long sleeves are knitted in block pattern and have braided belts. In black, navy, henna, buff, brown, jockey red and orchid.

Smart Tuxedo Sweaters at \$2.50
The style is sketched. Knitted of fine wool with tuxedo collars of contrasting brushed wool: brown with buff collar; black or navy with white; buff with brown.
(Central)



Big Scarfs of Brushed Mohair, \$3.50
In beautiful colorings—camel-hair tan, browns and grays—and extra large.
Scarfs with Belts \$2.50
Warm wide scarfs of brushed wool with pockets and belts have checked borders. Gray, brown, buff, green and blue.
24 Pure Silk Scarfs, \$3.50