

products—all guaranteed organic. On the first floor, the Beauty & Nature Bio Drugstore sells a comprehensive range of cosmetics, natural toiletries, hygiene products, children's and babies' clothing and toys.

CHOKOIN

Nordendstraße 52, Schwabing.

Map E1.

U-Bahn: Josephsplatz.

Tel: 890 689 54.

www.chokoin.de

Open 10am to 7:30pm,

Saturday until 2pm.

Closed Sunday and Monday.

Credit cards accepted.

Chocolaterie

Kerstin Weise has invested heavily in the visual identity of her chocolate business as well as the products themselves. Black and white photos, immaculate lacquered furniture, white flowers, and sophisticated packaging all suggest a jewelry-fashion-cosmetics agenda; even the chocolates are packed like wedding rings in their exotic wood boxes. As well as sipping hot chocolate, nibbling pastries, and sampling

a few cigar-chocolate combinations, the company selects the finest bars from around the world to titillate the taste buds of customers.

DALLMAYR

Dienerstraße 14–15, Zentrum.

Map E4.

U-Bahn: Marienplatz.

Tel: 213 51 00.

www.dallmayr.de

Open 9:30am to 7pm.

Closed Sunday.

Credit cards accepted.

Fine food

For over a century, members of Munich's loden-and-cashmere bourgeoisie have stopped here on Saturdays for sustenance after shopping in the neighborhood. In a saffron-yellow Rococo palace, beneath the vaults and between the columns, where the fresh-ground coffee still smells of Costa Rica, the staff offers old-fashioned attentive service, because they know that's what the customers like. Beware though: this is not the place for a quick snack. At Dallmayr, even for a half lobster and two