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The Russian War is not over and we are getting the benefit of it and we have just received a boat load of Japanese Matting which we will sell to all that come to my store at a price that will astonish you in colors and designs.

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Bed-room Sets, Dining-room Sets and also Rocking Chairs, Wooden and Iron Bedsteads, Spring Mattresses and Cook Stoves at the lowest prices for cash or installments; easy payments.

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We want 200 dozen Eggs at Baltimore market price for cash or goods.

I have still got one of the best and fastest Mares, named Netley, in this county for sale. Yours for business,

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Clothing, all the latest patterns,
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this we have bought a very large quantity for 50 cents on the dollar and we can save you money on these.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!
In this line we are proud to say that we have a full line of the best celebrated brands, the latest Patent Leathers, Russets and others in Shoes and Slippers and for all occasions, Men's and Boys', Ladies,' Misses' Children's and Babies.
☞LADIES' SKIRTS and SHIRT WAISTS.

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the latest style, latest ladies' collarettes, the latest style.
☞A full line of MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS and NECKWEAR and FURNISHINGS for all.

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No matter what your style or your taste we have just the Hat for you. There are Tall Hats and Low Hats, Soft Hats and Stiff Hats, your style and your price.

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A full assortment—Bed Room Suits, Buffetts, Couches, Lounges, Chairs, Rockers, Reed and others, Morris Chairs, Tables, Stands, Cribs, Bed Springs, Mattresses, Cradles.

All we ask is for you to come and be convinced of the BARGAINS. POULTRY and EGGS taken in exchange at highest market price.

H. H. BENEMAN, Millington, Md.

THE DAGUERREOTYPE.

Odd Notions Concerning the Process When It Was New.

Many amusing remarks were made at the doors of daguerreotype galleries when they were first opened in this country. A small frame containing a dozen specimens would draw a crowd. One man would undertake to describe how they were made. "You look in the machine, and the picture comes—if you look long enough." Another would say: "It is not so much the looking that does it. The sun burns it in if you keep still." Another made it all very plain by stating, "The plate is a looking glass, and when you sit in front of it your shadow sticks on the plate."

How it came about was never known, but the impression became general that the sitter must not wink. No operator of intelligence ever told the sitter not to wink, for the effort to refrain would have given the eye an unnatural expression. We found it a duty to tell the sitter to wink as usual; that natural winking did not affect the picture. Even then it was not always understood. One old lady jumped out of the chair before a sitting was half over, raising both hands and exclaiming: "Stop it, stop it! I winked!"

Another remarkable fact was that sitters seldom acknowledged their own likenesses. "All good but mine," was the common decision. An aged couple after examining their pictures came to this conclusion, "Maria, yours is perfect, but this does not look like me." But the old lady answered, "Jeems, yours is as natural as life, but mine is a failure." After a longer consultation the old gentleman said, "We must know each other better than we know ourselves." At one time when Daniel Webster sat for a daguerreotype the finished picture was held before him. Turning away, he said: "I am not to judge of my own looks. It is for you to judge, and you must decide whether the work is worthy of your reputation."—A. Bogardus in Century.

MISTAKES IN LIFE.

Brooding Over Them Is Useless and Unprofitable Work.

One of the most unprofitable ways of spending time is the practice, to which many persons are addicted, of brooding over the mistakes one has made in life and thinking what he might have been or achieved if he had not done at certain times just what he did do. Almost every unsuccessful man in looking over his past career is inclined to think that it would have been wholly different but for certain slips and blunders—certain hasty, ill considered acts into which he was betrayed almost unconsciously and without a suspicion of their consequences.

As he thinks of all the good things of this world—honor, position, power and influence—of which he has been deprived in some mysterious, inexplicable way, he has no patience with himself, and as it is painful and humiliating to dwell long upon one's own follies it is fortunate if he does not implicate others—friends and relatives—in his disappointments. Perhaps, as education has never been free from mistakes—mistakes indeed of every kind—he imputes the blame to his early training, in which habits of thoroughness and accuracy or, again, of self reliance and independence of thought may not have been implanted. Perhaps a calling was chosen for him by his parents without regard to his peculiar talents or tastes and preferences, or if he was allowed to choose for himself it was when his judgment was immature and unfit for the responsibility. The result was that the square man got into the round hole or the triangular man got into the square hole or the round man squeezed himself into the triangular hole.—Success.

A Hard Critic.

A clergyman was rebuked by one of the ruling elders for sauntering on the Sunday along the hillside above the manse. The clergyman took the rebuke in good part, but tried to show the remonstrant that the action of which he complained was innocent and lawful, and he was about to cite the famous example of a Sabbath walk, with the plucking of the ears of corn, as set forth in the gospels, when he was interrupted with the remark, "Ou aye, sir, I ken weel what you mean to say, but for my pairt I hae nefer thocht the better o' them for breakin' the Sawbbath." — Geikie's "Scotch Reminiscences."

The Kangaroo Rat.

One of the queerest little animals of the antipodean wilds of the paradoxical continent of Australia is a little zoological oddity which the naturalists have called the kangaroo rat. It averages no larger than the common rodent of the Norway variety, but is a miniature kangaroo in every respect. Its mode of locomotion is precisely the same as that of Macropus giganteus. Besides this, the female carries its young in pouches which nature has provided for that purpose and in many other respects imitates the habits and characteristics of its gigantic relative.

No Room For Doubt.

"Oh, my, yes, he's away up in Shakespeare."

"Is he? I shouldn't have guessed that he had ever read a line of Shakespeare."

"That's strange. Haven't you noticed that every little while he says 'in sooth?'"—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Little Inclined to It Himself.

Towne—There's nothing I hate so much as a lazy man. Browne—Well, I wish there were more of them. Towne—You do? Browne—Sure. The more lazy men there are the less competition we'd have in business.—Philadelphia Press.

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W. E. PARSONS (Ingleside).
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

ADOLPHUS D. MELVIN,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouches thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of Nov., 1904, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 24th day of May, 1904.

WILLIAM F. MELVIN. Administrator c. t. a.

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