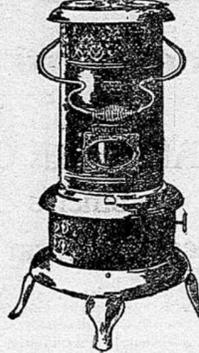


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Standard Oil Company. Dealers Everywhere. Write for descriptive circular to the nearest agency of the Standard Oil Company.

Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 27

A Joke on the King. Sir Ernest Cassel was persona grata with King Edward VII. As a matter of fact there was a curious and striking resemblance between the back view of the late king and that of Sir Ernest.

The Bull Snake. The bull snake, a species of pine snake, inhabits the shady pine woods along the Atlantic coast from New Jersey to Florida.

Beggars and Bandages. It was a case in which first aid to the injured was imperative, but no one present knew how to extend the aid. Presently a bandaged beggar who had been sitting on the curb cast off his pretense of helplessness.

Johnny Roche's Tower. Standing on the bank of the river Arvey, between Mallory and Formoy, County Cork, Ireland, is a remarkable edifice known as "Johnny Roche's Tower."

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK. Alexandria, Va. The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at the banking house on January 10th at twelve o'clock noon.

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS. THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the W. N. DORRIST SHOE COMPANY will be held at 2:30 p. m., on Monday, January 22, 1911, at the office of Lewis H. Machen, at King and Washington streets, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS. Gas bills for the quarter ending December 1, 1910, having been delivered, this is to notify all consumers that a discount of 30 cents per 1,000 feet will be allowed on all bills paid on or before January 1, 1911.

When Buying Fuel. The consumer must always figure on the actual amount of heat and comfort that is gotten for the money spent.

Opera Glasses, Lorgnettes, Reading Glasses, Optical Novelties, &c., for Xmas.

Virginia Safe Deposit & Trust Corporation. ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING OF THE AMERICAN RUTILE CO. OF VIRGINIA. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Rutile Co. will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, the 24th of January, 1911.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. All persons having claims against the estate of GEORGE WASHINGTON, deceased, are requested to present the same, properly authenticated, to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment.

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Wines and Liquors FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

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