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power of the department. As a part of the Department of Commerce, the commissioner sent out a list of questions to all the so-called trusts in the country covering their capitalization and other financial items. All of the trusts replied to the commissioner save the Standard Oil Company, which refused to answer any questions. Information of the attitude of the company has been conveyed to high officials of the government, including the President, and it is believed that Commissioner Garfield will take legal means to compel the company to answer. He may call upon John D. Rockefeller to furnish the desired information, and, in the event of formal refusal, the case will be taken into United States District Court and an order sought to compel the company to answer the question. Upon the decision in this case will hinge the future policy of the new department.

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Items in Brief.

German Dill pickles at Bagley's. New crop.

Try the new market for the best in meats.

Everything for the table at the Blue Front Grocery.

For fine groceries trade at Gross & Worthington's.

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New line of ladies' and misses' Jersey leggings just received. Athena Mercantile Co.

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Get our prices on herb and woven wire fencing before buying. Umatilla Implement Co.

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Sweeping reductions on men's suits; an enormous stock to select from. Athena Mercantile Co.

Sweeping reductions on men's overcoats. Call and look them over. Athena Mercantile Co.

We can sell you the "Dutchman" or "Canton" plows. You know the merit of these. Umatilla Implement Co.

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Notice.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Athens, Oregon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held in its office in Athens, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1904, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m.

Dec. 11, 1903. E. S. LeGrow, Cash.

Notice.

Persons indebted to us are expected to call and settle, as we wish to get our books straightened up by the first of the year. Don't fail to attend to this, for we must have settlement and will surely call on you. SHARP & BOTKIN.

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Notice to Stockmen.

There is about 150 head of stray cattle ranging south of town on the reservation. Parties having lost cattle will do well to ride in that section.

John Thompson.

Notice.

The first of January is now here and the subscriptions made to the new M. E. church are now due. All persons who have not paid their subscription will please settle with H. O. Worthington or the pastor.

Dressmaking.

Mrs. Florence Alloway is prepared to do dressmaking and plain sewing. Children's clothes a specialty. Next door to A. L. Jones' residence.

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