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ST. LOUIS, Mo. — The Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, acting pursuant to delegated authority for the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, today approved the application by Central Banccompany, Inc., Jefferson City, Missouri, to acquire 100 percent of Millstadt Bancshares, Inc., Millstadt, Illinois, and thereby indirectly acquire First National Bank of Millstadt, Millstadt, Illinois.

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