

# Only Ten Days Left Of The Great Subscription Contest

Business College, Clara Klages	St. Mary's School.....	6,950	Miss Kiehne, Jackson.....	5,200	<b>BOYS AND GIRLS.</b>	Norbet Foster .....	5,500	Alvin Brasse, Jackson.....	5,470	
Representative.....	Broadway School .....	16,200	Henry Miesner .....	5,100	Raymond Laughlin .....	9,780	Dennis Taylor .....	5,500	Loran Grant, Jackson.....	5,100
Mrs. D. C. Henney.....	Miss Tillie Meyers.....	14,100	John Kuss .....	5,100	Howard Fields .....	7,800	Norman Sander .....	5,450	Richard Schaefer, Jackson.....	5,100
Woodmen of the World, G. M.	Miss Esther Bayes.....	5,500	Gertrude Schwab .....	5,100	Bernard Lindey .....	6,150	Allen Reed .....	5,300	Roy Tice .....	4,750
Drum Representative .....	L. C. Snider.....	10,100	Theo. Umbeck .....	5,100	Adolph Ruediger .....	6,110	Ben. J. Pott, Pascola.....	5,250	Ray Maltbie .....	4,150
Harry McLain .....	J. O. Keller, Gordonville.....	8,305	Susie Bloomer .....	5,100	Fred Bowman .....	5,700	Jim Snider, Jackson.....	5,200	Jack Evans .....	3,900
Susie Crawley .....	James Ellis .....	7,100	Ora E. Smith.....	5,100	Marie Stein .....	5,550	William Probst .....	5,165	Ben J. Williams.....	3,650
			Grace E. King.....	5,100					James Roberts .....	3,100

## This Great Contest Will Close On Saturday Evening, February 20th

Four weeks have passed and there have only been Six Hundred new subscribers added to our lists. People are waiting for some contestant to come and get their subscriptions. Why don't you start now? Get this Beautiful Piano for yourself. You can be justly proud of it.

Boys, the Automobile goes to the Boy who brings in the most subscriptions. You will want it and we are sure you could all use an Air Gun. We will give each one of you an Air Gun if you will give us a little of your time. All Prizes on display at Allison's.

Come to The Tribune Office and See the Contest Manager

The DAILY TRIBUNE

7-9 South Spanish Street

Cape Girardeau



News From The County Seat

Jackson, Feb. 10.  
Circuit Court is in session.  
Miss Mollie Spradling has gone to Gordonville for a visit.  
Mrs. Gholson of near Roberts School, is visiting the Misses Phillips.  
Mrs. Glenn Hope of the Cape, passed through Jackson today on her way to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Medley, of Gordonville.  
Mrs. Roxie Bauer of Burfordville, who has been sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patterson in Jackson for two weeks, has so far recovered as to be able to return to her home. Mrs. Bauer had been visiting in Kentucky and on her return stopped with Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, intending to go on to her home next day, but became so ill she was compelled to stay here two weeks.  
Miss Alma Voges entertained a crowd of young ladies yesterday afternoon.  
Lonzo Kelley of Leora, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Graves.  
Jackson has a citizen whose name is Luckey, but this morning he did not feel as if the name suited him, for in the night thieves had visited his smoke house and carried away nine fine hams and 5 gallons of lard; and this after Mr. and Mrs. Luckey had a new boarder, in the person of a little daughter who arrived last Sunday. Mr. Luckey had killed five fine hogs just before Christmas, and to think that he should lose almost all that fine meat in one night, is certainly aggravating enough to want to find the thief and have him dealt with in a manner he deserves. We were informed Charleston had been phoned to send bloodhounds, but of the two hounds which Charleston had possessed one is dead, the other sick and therefore other measures will be tried.  
Mrs. Northdurft and L. D. Hartle of near Whitewater, had business with the Probate Court yesterday.

Mrs. Herrmann entertained quite a number of ladies at the Evangelical parsonage yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry of Nashville, Tenn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Firestone.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kerstner of Gordonville, passed through town on their way to St. Louis.

The jury was discharged by Judge Kelley today.

And now we hear Clarence Grant mentioned as a man who would make a fine mayor for Jackson, and John Putz, they say, must be city assessor. We are positive no better men could be found for the two places.

Wm. Schlegel of the Cape, is in town.

Charles Bartels has bought Fred Schneider's interest in the McAtee Mercantile Co. Mr. Schneider will engage in some other business. Mr. Bartels, having bought the Chas. Behrens home, we hope he will soon be one of our citizens.

The Missionary Societies are meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Heinberg today.

We hear that Alvin Penzel, Sam Vandivort, Claud Kerstner, Henry Puls and R. K. Wilson have organized a realty company.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens of near Fruitland, are the proud possessors of twins, a boy and girl, born Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Steinhoff of near Dutchtown is critically ill.

Circuit Court opened at Jackson this morning, and the first case coming up for hearing, was that of Gibson Houck vs. The Water & Light Co., which was continued until the May term of the Circuit Court.

The case of the Cape Girardeau & Jackson Interurban Railway Co. vs. the Light and Development Co., came up this morning, and most of the forenoon was occupied in hearing arguments of the attorneys.

Two witnesses, Miss Birdie Adams, court stenographer, and Miss Reed, deputy city clerk of Cape Girardeau, were placed on the stand to identify certain papers to be used in the trial of the case.  
All preliminary matters pertaining to the case have been disposed of, and the testimony of witnesses will be given tomorrow, and the trial will proceed without further delay.

Mrs. August Friedrichs of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henschobler of the Cape, will spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. George Henschobler tomorrow.

### GLASS EYED HORSE LEADS TO ARRESTS

#### Trio Held for Hazing Road Commissioner Meier—Farmer Also Complains.

Complaint was filed yesterday in Jackson against Linus Strong and two others by the name of Young, from near Whitewater, charging them with having disturbed the peace of Henry R. Meier, a prominent farmer, and Commissioner of the Special Road District of Byrd Township, who lives a few miles west of Jackson on the Burfordville gravel road.

Mr. Meier was returning from Jackson to his home one night, several weeks ago, when he was accosted by three men who seized his horse and threatened to do him bodily harm, after which all of them hurriedly entered their buggy and drove away as fast as their horse could run.

After they had gotten away some distance they stopped and waited for Mr. Meier to come up to them again, when they repeated their actions.

When one of them seized his horse by the bits, he struck at him with a riding whip but the man dodged and avoided the whip which struck his hat and knocked it off his head.

The hold up performance was indulged in three times before Mr. Meier reached his home and escaped further annoyance. His tormentors after leaving him a short distance are said to have met Linder Miller, a prominent farmer in that vicinity, who was driving into Jackson with his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Miller were held up and subjected to insulting remarks after which they were permitted to pass on.

Neither Mr. Meier nor Mr. Miller recognized any of the men, but Mr. Meier had noticed that the horse they were driving had what is known as glass eyes, and after his experience of that evening he kept a lookout for the glass-eyed steed.

His watchfulness resulted in success as it was but a few days later that his attention was attracted to an animal with the peculiar markings he was looking for, and upon closer observation recognized the two men who were driving it, as members of the party who had caused him so much annoyance. A short time later his investigations revealed the identity of the third man, and it was upon his

complaint that warrants were issued for their arrest yesterday.

The hearing will be held in Jackson before Justice of the Peace John Putz.

### RAILROAD LOSSES SHOW A HUGE CUT

#### C. R. Jordan Says \$100,000 Was Saved in Six Months by Organization.

There was a meeting held at the Commercial Club rooms last evening, at which was assembled about 50 railroad officials, employes and local business men, for the purpose of discussing ways and means to prevent loss and damage to shipments and to avoid freight claims.

C. R. Jordan, assistant superintendent of the Frisco, addressed the meeting, and in addition to offering many suggestions as to what should be done to accomplish the purposes sought, in showing the satisfactory results already obtained by the movement, stated that in the first six months of the fiscal year, beginning, July 1, 1914, the losses of the Frisco on claims has been reduced more than \$100,000 and the aim is to make it at least \$200,000 for the year.

A number of addresses were made by parties interested, in which employer, employe and shipper were all represented.

Among the speakers were J. C. Bryan, traveling engineer, Conductor Chapin of this city, Engineer J. C. Fisher, Conductor Thorpe, secretary of the Commercial Club, A. H. Hinchey, and W. H. Stubblefield, Jr., who expressed his belief that the railroads were justified in asking for a three cent passenger rate and an increase in freight rates.

Mr. Hinchey commented on the cooperative spirit displayed in the movement, by which employer and employe were brought together to work in harmony for a common cause.

Employees of the road are requested to maintain a watchfulness for possible causes from which claims for damage might arise, and to make report of same at each meeting on cards that are provided for that purpose. 500 items were reported last month.

The railroad men attending the meeting were: C. R. Jordan, assistant superintendent, Chaffee; W. H.

Williams, yardmaster, Chaffee; C. G. Moeder, yardmaster, Cape; A. Klages, cashier, Cape; W. Baker, general agent, Cape; D. Sullivan, clerk, Cape; Sam Frissell, engineer, Chaffee; J. C. Burnes, engineer, Chaffee; W. C. Thorpe, conductor, Chaffee; H. M. Jennings, conductor, Chaffee; M. E. Dale, conductor, Chaffee; J. B. Gilliam, general car foreman, Chaffee; J. G. Sarius, agent, Chaffee; Ben Fowler, care foreman, Chaffee; M. H. Weston, foreman, Chaffee; M. E. Gisi, secretary to superintendent, Chaffee; J. H. Gold, brakeman, Chaffee; J. C. Bryan, assistant superintendent locomotive performance, Chaffee; B. A. Lipscomb, operator, Cape; J. F. Neal, ticket agent, Cape; J. C. Fischer, engineer, Cape; W. T. Donnelly, dispatcher, Cape; D. A. Chapin, conductor, Cape; L. A. Lowry, roadmaster, Cape; J. W. Ellis, roadmaster, Cape; H. G. Cummins, district storekeeper.

#### CAN STATE ASSEMBLY ELECT AS SPEAKER A NON-MEMBER?

#### Popularity of Ex-Lieut.-Gov. Oglesby Causes Illinois Legislators to Consider Him.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 6—Can the House of Representatives elect as Speaker a man who is not a member of that body? This is the question Attorney-General Lucey will be asked next week to decide.

Opinion on the subject appears to be about equally divided among the members of the House. All precedents point otherwise, but the Constitution is silent on the matter. In the absence of any constitutional inhibition, it is contended by those advocating such a procedure that it is legal.

Talk of the possibility of electing a Speaker outside the membership of the House started last week when Former Lieut.-Gov. John G. Oglesby appeared on the floor. He was warmly received, and before he left the chamber William P. Holaday of Georgetown, had started a boom for his selection as Speaker on the assumption that the Constitution does not prohibit such action.

Later in the week the proposal received serious consideration. Secretary of State Lewis G. Stevenson also was being urged to say whether he would accept such additional honor, preparatory to the inauguration of a boom in his behalf.

#### HENS GONE ROOSTER ENDS LIFE

#### Remarkable Story Is Told of a Barnyard Tragedy.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 6—A prize Buffington rooster, owned by M. J. Mendelsohn, took its life when four hens, comprising its pen, were sold. The rooster became despondent, refusing to eat the most tempting morsels. Finally it jumped on a ledge, forced its head through a loop in the wire netting and choked itself to death.

The sixth annual public sale of registered Jacks and Poland China gilts and young boars will be held in the barn of W. F. Schade, in West Jackson Tuesday, Feb. 23. Mr. Schade will sell 15 head of Jacks and 25 head of gilts and boars. The stock to be disposed of include as fine specimens as Mr. Schade has ever offered for sale. His barn will be heated and those who attend the big sale will be as comfortable as if it were spring.

#### CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENT

#### of the Southeast Missouri TRUST COMPANY

JANUARY 23, 1915

#### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,021,528.67
Stock in Banks	172,407.10
Local Bonds	37,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,576.00
Real Estate	2,535.00
Overdrafts	2,408.30
Cash and Due from Banks	263,554.47
	<b>\$1,502,009.54</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$500,000.00
Surplus and Profits	73,991.71
Bonds Borrowed	2,500.00
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	75,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	23.25
Demand Deposits	465,669.98
Time and Savings Deposits	384,824.60
	<b>\$1,502,009.54</b>

The above statement is correct  
SAML M. CARTER, SECRETARY

Your patronage invited. Every dollar deposited is protected by the Capital and Surplus of \$573,991.71, plus the management of Officers and Directors.  
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