The Evening World's Kiddie Klub Korner

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January Contest Award Winner.

A VALENTINE.

By Hilda Modofindt, aged fourteen years, West New Brighton, N. Y.

A GALLANT SOLDIER.

RED WOLF, a half-breed, had knocked at the door of a cabin to ask for a drink of water and the summons had been answered by a young woman. Seeing no one else about, Red Wolf would have helped himself to the contents of the cabin, including its pretty tenant, had not a young soldier happened by. Glancing in at the door a stirring picture met his eye. Marion, the young woman, stood with leveled rifle ready to defend herself against the half-savage man in paint and feathers.

In two strides the soldier was over the threshold. Doffing his hat to Marion, he ordered the rogue to be off. Red Wolf lost no time in obeying, glad to escape with his life.

Then the man in uniform, none other than George Washington himself, begged that he might stay a while and rest. You may imagine that after his gallant behavior, Marion and her grandfather were only too pleased to be able to repay, in part at least, his service to them. The gift nursed him carefully through a whole day and succeeded in threatening the fever that had threatened him.

It was with real regret and a promise to return that Washington took his leave on the following day, for Marion's youthful vivacity and gentle charm had not failed to please this young man of good taste and breeding.

Washington was unhurt in the ensuing battle while scores of his comrades fell under the rain of the arrows and the blows of the tomahawks. When the retiring column neared the place where Marion lived, George Washington went on ahead to call upon her as he had promised. The cabin was a heap of ashes, but he rescued one crisp brown curl which he cherished to his death, folded in a paper marked: "Marion, July 11, 1755."

OUR FIRST PRESIDENT.

GEORGE WASHINGTON was our first President. He was a man of truth, strength and ability. Although he was the son of a wealthy planter he was brought up as other young people were in those days. The boys always made him leader because he was brave, truthful and honest and always stood for what was right.

He was fond of sports such as running, leaping and wrestling. He was a skillful horseman and always enjoyed a fox hunt.

Love of sport and woodland led him to take up surveying. When he was barely sixteen his friend Lord Fairfax sent him to survey an immense tract of land. With his companion, Christopher Gist, he went into the wild region and was so successful that soon he was made surveyor for Virginia.

During the next three years he spent much of his time in the woods, becoming very familiar with the frontier life. Its dangers and hardships made him fearless, patient and self-reliant. These qualities, combined with his ability and uprightness, won the confidence of those in authority, and they turned to him as a suitable person to undertake a dangerous errand to the Ohio country. George Washington succeeded.

He so proved that he was worthy of confidence that when the Revolutionary War began, the people made him General and the head of all the armies, and later he became President. The people liked him so much that they re-elected him for a second term.

Later, on December 14, 1799, George Washington died.

By Raphael Salvaggio, aged eleven years.

INSPIRATION.

The grand old name of George Washington
Means truth and loyalty,
He fought for his country, and the love of his people;
He fought unselfishly.
And may the memory of his name
Inspire us to do the same.
For We, the members of the Kiddie Klub,
Will ever honor his name.

By Geraldine Eacker, aged eleven years, New York City.

MY DEAR COUSINS: You all remember our drive to secure funds to send to Papa Joffre's children; those little French children whose brave daddies fought and fell in the battle of the Marne. The drive was begun in the spring of 1917 and ever since then the Klub Cousins have continued to send contributions to the fund. Some were large and some were small but each was sent with a generous heart, and added together the sum they made was quite considerable. With it and the receipts of our shows on Kiddie Klub day at Luna Park, July 1917, you have kept six unfortunate little children from too terrible suffering and richly earned this praise of Mrs. Cofer, Chairman of the "Fatherless Children of France":

"I am taking this opportunity of expressing to you my appreciation of the continued interest shown in our organization by your young contributors, and practical form which their interest takes. This is of the greatest benefit to their newly arrived French brothers and sisters in France for notwithstanding all idle rumors to the contrary, the children over there are still in the direst need, and we are constantly appealed to not to relinquish our efforts. Contributions such as those collected by the "Kiddie Klub" are indeed welcome, and to one and all who so kindly help, I want to tender my most appreciative thanks.

Believe me,
Very sincerely yours,
LENSITA LELAND COFER.

A subscription large enough to provide for the six little friends over the sea through the year of 1920 has just been sent in your name. It is a happy thing to be able to do since, as Mrs. Cofer says, the need is still great. It makes us both proud and glad.

COUSIN ELEANOR.

FEBRUARY ESSAY CONTEST.

Subject: My Favorite Book, and Why.

Ten prizes of $1 each will be awarded ten Kiddie Klub members, aged from six to fifteen inclusive, who write the best essays about their favorite book, giving its name and the name of its author and the reasons why they like it better than any other. The essay should not contain more than 200 words.

A note from the parent or guardian saying that the essay is original and has not been copied must accompany each essay. Contestants must state name, age, address and certificate number.

Address to Cousin Eleanor, Evening World Kiddie Klub, No. 63 Park Row, New York City. Contest closes March 1.

HOW TO JOIN THE KLUB AND OBTAIN YOUR PIN

"Klub Pin"

Beginning with any number cut out six of the coupons—the 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592—and mail them to Cousin Eleanor, Evening World Kiddie Klub, No. 63 Park Row, New York City, with a note in which you must state your NAME, AGE AND ADDRESS.

All children up to sixteen years of age may become members. Each member is presented with a silver gray Klub Pin and membership certificate.

COUPON No. 587

WILLIAMS ACTS ON $25 HAM.

Robert H. Mainzer's $25 ham has been brought to the attention of Federal Food Administrator Arthur Williams, who, it was said at his office to-day, will investigate the question of profiteering.

Mrs. Mainzer bought the Virginia ham the day before New Year's at Reuben's Fine Food Shops, Inc., Nos. 2120-2122 Broadway. When the bill came Mr. Mainzer had a shock. He proffered the dealer $11 and Reuben's, Inc., brought suit.

Mainzer, broker and volunteer fireman, a millionaire, is fighting the claim, he says, on behalf of the public. Reuben's, Inc., claims the ham was worth the money.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND PRICES

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chg's.
Adams Express	34½	34½	34½	+ ½
Ad. Rumely	41	40½	41	— ½
Ajax Rubber	74½	73½	74½	+ 1½
Alaska Gold	1½	1½	1½	+ ½
Alaska Juneau	2	2	2	
Allis. Chalmers	41½	41½	41½	— ½
Am. Beet Sug	136	116	116	+ ½
Am. Can	45½	44½	45	+ ½
Am. Car & Foundry	133½	133	133½	
Am. Cotton Oil	43½	42½	43½	— ½
Am. Sumatra	85½	85	85	
Am. Drug Synd.	12½	12⅜	12½	+ ⅛
Am. Express	99½	98½	99½	+ ½
Am. Hide & Leath	23½	22½	23½	+ ½
Am. H. & L. pf.	107½	107½	107½	+ ½
Am. Inter. Corp.	94½	94	94	
Am. Locomotive	94½	93½	94	+ ½
Am. Ice sec.	59½	58½	58½	+ ½
Am. Sm. & Com Co	22½	21	21½	— ½
Am. Steel. & Hef.	64	63½	63½	— ½
Am. Sm. & Ref. pf.	95½	95½	95½	— ½
Am. Steel Found.	43	42½	42½	+ ½
Am. Sugar	127	127	127	+ 1
Am. Tel & Tel Co	97½	97½	97½	+ ½
Am. Wool	133½	128½	132	+ 3½
Am. Wool pf.	106	106	106	+ ½
Am. Writ. Paper pf	40½	46½	46½	— ½
Am. Tob. Securities	60	59	59½	— ½
Am. Zinc	19	18½	18½	— ½
Anaconda	59	58½	59	
Ann Arbor R. R.	19	18	18	+ ½
Asso. Dry Goods	51½	51	51	
Atchison Ry	84	82	84	+ ⅝
Atchison Ry pf.	78½	78	78½	+ ½
Atlantic Coast L.	88	88	88	
Atl Gulf & W I.	162	160½	160½	— ½
Baldwin Loco.	112½	111½	112½	— ½
Balto. & Ohio	35½	34	35	+ ½
Beth. Motors	23⅞	23½	23½	— ½
Beth. Steel B	48½	47⅞	48⅜	— ½
Booth Fisheries	11½	11	11½	+ ½
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	14½	13⅞	13⅞	— ½
Butte Corp. & Zinc	10½	10	10	
Butte & Superior	27	26½	26½	— 1½
Butterick Co	22	22	22	
Calif Packing	78½	77½	78½	— ½
Calif Pet	34½	33½	34	
Can Pac	126	124½	125	+ ⅝
Cent Leather	81	79½	81	+ 1½
Cerro de Pasco	50½	50½	50½	+ ½
Chandler Mot.	128⅜	127	127⅜	— 1½
Ches. & Ohio	58½	57	57½	+ ½
Ch. M. & St. P. Ry	38½	38	38½	+ ⅝
C. M. & St.P.Ry.pf	56⅝	54⅝	55⅝	+ ⅞
Chi. R. I. & Pac.	32½	31½	32	+ 3
Chi.R.I. & Pac.6 p.c.	66½	65½	66	+
Chi. Alton Ry.	10⅝	10½	10⅝	+ 1
Chi. Great West.	10⅝	9⅝	10⅝	+ ⅛
Chi. & Nw. Ry.	87⅝	86	87⅝	— ⅛
Chile Copper	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	— ½
Chino Copper	37½	37	37½	+ ½
Col. Fuel & Iron	39	38⅞	38⅞	
Col. & Southern	26	25	25½	— ½
Col. Gas & Elec.	57⅞	57½	57⅞	— ⅝
Col. Graphophone	49	46½	46	
Coco Cola	58½	58½	58½	+ ½
Cons. Int.-Cal. Min.	20	19⅞	20	+ 1
Const. Can.	81½	81½	81½	+ ½
Corn Products	82½	81½	81½	
Crucible Steel	206½	203½	204	— 2½
Cuba Cane Sug.	44⅞	44	44	— ⅞
Cuba Cane Sug. pf.	81	81	81	
Cos. Tattle Corp.	28½	28½	28½	+ ½
Del Lack & West.	172½	172½	172½	— ½
Den & Hudson	96	95	95	
Den & Rio Gr.	8½	7⅞	8½	+ ½
Den & Rio Gr pf.	15½	14½	15	+ 1
Dome Mines	11½	11½	11½	+ ½
Endicott-Johnston	121	119	119	— 3
Erie	14½	14½	14½	+ ⅝
Erie 1	24½	23⅞	24½	+ ⅝
Fed. Min. & Sm.	13½	13½	13½	+ ½
Fisk Rubber	36⅞	36⅝	36½	+ ½
Freeport Texas	26⅞	26½	26⅞	+ ½
Gaston Wil. & W.	14	14	14	— ½
Gen. Cigar	66½	66½	66½	+ ⅝
Gen. Elec.	159	159	159	
Gen. Motors	252½	248½	252⅜	
Gen. Motors Deb.	73½	73	73	— ½
Goodrich	70½	70½	70½	— ⅝
Gt. Nor. Ry. pf.	79	78½	79	+ ⅝
Gt. Nor. Ore	38½	37½	37⅞	+ ⅝
Gray & Davis	34	34	34	
Gulf States Steel	65	64	65	
Haskell & Barker	58	57½	58	+ 1
Illinois Cent.	86	86	86	— 2
Inspiration Cons.	55½	54	55½	+ ½
Interboro. Con.	4½	4½	4½	
Interboro. Con. pf.	13	12½	13	+ 1
Inter Ag. Corp.	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	— 1
Int. Harvester	118	117⅞	117⅞	— ½
Int. Mer. Marine	31⅞	31½	31½	— ½
Int. Mer. Marine pf	84½	83⅞	84½	— ½
Int. Nickel	21½	21½	21½	+ ½
Int Paper	79½	78⅞	78⅞	— ⅝
Kelly Spring	120	120	120	
Kennecott	30	30	30	+ ½
Kresge Dis Tire	31½	30	30⅝	+ ⅝
Kansas City So.	16⅞	16⅞	18⅞	+ 1
Lackawanna Steel	75	74	74⅞	— 1⅛
Lerin, Inc.	27½	27½	27½	
Lee Rub & Tire	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	+ ½
Lehigh Valley	46½	45½	46	+ ⅝
Loft, Inc.	29⅞	29½	29⅞	— ½
Lackawan Ale Wes	50	50	50	— 1
Maxwell Motors	30	29½	30	— 1½
Mex. Motors	25½	25½	25½	+ ½
May Dept Stores	121½	120	121½	+ 2
Mex. Petroleum	178½	175½	176½	+ ½
Miami	25½	25⅛	25½	
Midvale Steel	46½	46½	46½	+ ½
Minn. & St. Louis	15½	15	15½	+ ½
Miss. S.an & Tex.	31	30⅞	30⅞	+ ⅝
Montana Power	65	64½	65	+ 1
Middle States Oil	29½	29	29½	— ½
Nat. Cloak & Suit	65	65	65	
National Acme	55	55	55	
Nat. Conduit	19	19	19	+ ½
Nat Enamel & Stp	76½	75½	75½	+ ½
Nevada Cons.	15½	15½	15⅝	
N. Orleans T & M	46½	46½	46½	— ½
N. Y. Central	73½	72½	72½	+ ½
N. Y. Dock	35	35	35	— 1
N. Y. N. H. & H.	35	30½	35	+ 8½
N. Y. Out. & W.	20⅞	19½	20⅞	+ 1½
Nor Pacific	78½	78½	78½	— ½
Ohio Cities Gas	43⅞	43½	43⅞	— ½
Okla P. & R.	5½	5½	5½	+ ½
Ontario Silver	8	8	8	
Owens Bottles	58½	58½	59½	+ 1½
Pacific Gas	50	50	50	— 1
Pan Amer. Petrol.	88½	86½	87½	— ½
Penna. R. R.	44	42½	43	+ ½
Pere Marquette	31½	29½	31½	+ ½
Phila. Co.	38	37⅞	37⅞	
Pierce Arrow	36½	35½	35⅞	— ½
Pierce Oil	18½	18	18	
Pitts. Coal	56½	56½	56½	
Pitts. & W. Va.	30⅞	27⅞	29½	+ 1½
Press Steel	94½	93½	94⅞	+ ½
Pullman Co.	114½	114	114	— 1
Punta Sugar	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞	— ½
Rail Steel Springs	94½	94½	94½	+ ½
Ray Copper	20⅞	20½	20½	— ½
Reading	76⅞	75	76	+ ½
Rep. Iron & Steel	101½	100½	101½	— ½
Royal Dutch N. Y.	103	102½	103	+ ½
Saxon Motors	17½	16½	16½	+ ½
Seaboard Air Line	9	8⅞	8⅞	— ½
Sinclair Oil	40⅞	40½	40½	+ ½
South. Pac.	98⅞	97	97⅞	+ ½
South. Ry.	24⅞	23½	24½	+ 1½
South. Ry. pf.	57	57	57	— ½
Studebaker	89½	87⅞	88½	— ½
Stutz Motor	122	120	120	— 3
St. Joseph Lead	15½	15½	15½	— ⅝
St. L. & S. F.	24⅞	23½	23⅞	+ ½
St. L. & Southwest	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	+ ½
Shell T. & T.	83	82⅞	82⅞	— ⅝
Tenn. Cop. & Ch.	10⅞	10½	10½	— ½
Texas Co.	186½	183½	184	— 1
Texas & Pac.	38⅞	36	37½	+ ½
Tobacco Prod.	70	69⅞	69⅞	— ½
Trans. Oil	25⅞	25½	25½	— ½
Union & Williams	60	58½	60	+ 2
Union Pacific	129⅞	128½	129½	+ ½
Union Oil	32½	31½	31⅞	+ ½
United Alloy	45½	45½	45½	— ½
United Fruit	185½	185½	185½	
Un. Retail Stores	71½	70½	70⅞	— ½
U. S. C. I. P.	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞	+ ⅛
United Food	61⅞	61⅞	61⅞	+ ⅝
U. S. Indust. Al.	86⅞	85½	86½	+ ½
U. S. Rubber	106	101½	101⅞	— ½
U. S. Smelters	65½	65½	65½	+ ½
U. S. Steel	99⅞	98½	99⅞	+ ½
U. S. Steel pf.	111⅞	111½	111⅞	+ ½
Va. Caro. Chem.	65⅞	65⅞	65⅞	— ⅝
Velasco	10	9½	10	
Wabash pf. A	29⅞	28	28½	
West Maryland	12⅞	11⅞	11⅞	— ½
West Pac. Corp.	27	26	26½	— ½
Westinghouse	51⅞	51	51⅞	+ ⅝
Wheeling	14	13½	13⅞	+ ⅝
Willys-Overland	25	24½	25	
White Motors	55½	55	55	— ⅝
Worthington	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞	— ½

TO-DAY'S PRICES

It was shown by the statement of condition of the Federal Reserve Bank issued at the close of stock market to-day that efforts of directors of the bank to strengthen its condition have thus far been fruitless. In spite of the enforced contraction of borrowing for purposes of stock speculation the reserve ratio of the bank at the close of business last night was only 37.1 per cent. a new low record. A week ago it was at 38.9 per cent. and a year ago at 55 per cent.

Also, the statement of condition of Clearing House member banks made a very poor showing. Surplus reserve decreased $15,090,000, and the reserve in excess of legal requirements now stands at only $8,071,000.

The statements of these banks would seem to foreshadow further drastic measures by the Reserve Bank to curtail borrowing. A further increase in the bank's discount rate is not considered unlikely.

The stock market to-day was purely professional and most changes resulted from traders evening up contracts prior to the double holiday. Steel, oil and equipment stocks closed practically unchanged.

However, low priced steel shares were conspicuously firm in late trading on the same sort of buying that has made them prominent features in the market since the provisions of the railroad bill became known.

DANISH SUGAR COMING.

America Is Negotiating for 20,000,000 Pounds There.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 21.—Negotiations for shipping 20,000,000 pounds of Danish sugar to the United States are under way, according to the National Tidende.

George F. Hill, Banker, Dies.

HARTFORD, Feb. 21.—George F. Hill, President of the State Bank and Trust Company and in the banking business sixty-six years, died yesterday, aged eighty-two. He was a native of Springfield, Mass. His wife and one son, George C. Hill of Garden City, L. I., survive him.

Sues Equitable Trust.

Mortimer Delano of Massapequa, L. I., sued yesterday in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, to recover $350,000 from the Equitable Trust Company, charging the concern ruined his prospects by refusal

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HON. THOMAS R. MARSHALL, Vice President of the U. S.
HON. ALFRED E. SMITH, Governor of the State of New York
REV. DR. JOSEPH SILVERMAN, Rabbi, Temple Emanu-El
VERY REV. JOHN J. DUNN, Chancellor, Diocese of New York.
COL. H. M. BANKHEAD, U. S. A. Director, Educational and Vocational Training.
HON. OGDEN L. MILLS, Senator, State of New York.

And Other Eminent Speakers Have Been Invited and Are Expected to Address the Meeting.

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COMPLETE CURB QUOTATIONS

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last.
MISCELLANEOUS.			
300 Acme Coal	2½	2	2½
500 Am Maroon	5	5	5
700 Am Safety Razor	11	10⅞	10⅞
100 British Am Tob rcp	19½	19½	19½
1700 Gen Asphalt	85	85	80
1500 Gen Motors	26	25⅞	26
800 Grape Ola	1⅝	1½	1½
100 Heyden Chem	5	5	5
500 Indian Packing	14⅞	14	14⅞
200 Lima Locomotive	78	77	78
800 Nor Am Paper	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
1900 Orpheum Circuit	21½	21	21⅞
400 Porto Rican Tire	4½	4½	4½
300 Radio Corp	2½	2½	2½
200 Radio Corp pf	2½	2½	2½
500 Rep Tire Rub	2½	2½	2½
400 Submarine Boat	13½	13	13½
1000 Triangle Film	⅝	⅝	⅝
200 U S High Speed Tool	23½	23½	23½
1000 U S Stone	3	2⅞	3
1400 Un Pict Prod	12⅞	11½	12½
500 Un Profit Sharing	2½	2½	2½
300 United Ret Candy	13	13	13
STANDARD OILS.			
15 Ohio Oil	347	347	347
10 S Oil of Cal	315	315	315
30 S Oil of N Y	200	199	200
INDEPENDENT OILS.			
1000 Allen Oil	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1000 Allied Oil	½	½	½
2000 Asso Royalty	⅞	⅞	⅞
500 Bell Pete	1½	1	1½
1500 Carib Syndi	34	31	32½
200 Cities Service "B" ctf	39½	39½	39½
1900 Dominion Oil	12½	12	12½
100 Elk Basin Pet	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
2500 Engineers Petroleum	1⅝	1½	1⅝
900 Ertel Oil	1⅝	1½	1⅝
2600 Federal Oil	4½	4	4½
100 Gilliland Oil pf	92	92	92
200 Glenrock Oil	2⅞	2½	2⅞
100 Home Oil	3	3	3
700 Home Petroleum	3⅞	3⅞	3
2500 Hudson Oil	¾	⅝	¾
200 Int Petrol	68	67	67
1000 Island Oil	5½	5½	5½
1200 King Petroleum	3½	3½	3½
500 *Lance Creek	60	60	60
1100 Lexington	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
100 Marsuma Oil	17½	17½	17½
100 Merrit Oil	13½	13½	13½
100 Metropolitan Pet	5⅞	5	5
200 Mex Pan	15	15	15
200 Midwest Ref	154	153	54
400 Molien Pete	2⅞	2½	2⅞
1100 Nat. Ar. Oil	4	3½	4
100 Omar Oil	5½	5½	5½
100 Pennok Oil	7½	7½	7½
400 Ryan Oil	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
1100 Sapulpo Refining	⅝	½	½
1300 Simms Pet	30⅞	30½	30⅞
300 Sligh Oil	11½	11	11½
800 Spencer Pet	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
100 Steiner Oil	12	12	12
500 Texas Ranger	1½	1½	1½
2800 United Texas Oil	1½	1	1½
300 Victoria Oil new	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
100 White Oil	29½	29½	29½
200 Woodburn	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
MINING			
1000 Alas-Br. Gold	½	½	½
1500 Big Ledge	½	½	½
6700 *Boston & Montana	69	67	69
3000 *Bon Alaska	75	72	75
100 Canada Copper	1½	1½	1½
2200 Candelaria *M	⅝	½	⅝
400 Con Virginia	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝
2100 Crescent McNamara	½	½	½
700 De Beers Mines	41½	41½	41½
700 El Salvador	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
1800 Eureka Croesus	1½	1½	1½
1000 Eureka Holly	¾	¾	¾
300 Gadsen Copper	1⅝	1½	1⅝
500 Golden Gate	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
10000 *Gold Silver Pick	20	19	20
1000 *Gold Zone	31	31	31
500 Hecla Mining	4½	4½	4½
1200 Howe Sound	4⅝	4	4⅝
700 Louisiana Co	⅝	½	⅝
500 *Mines Holding	72	72	72
1500 McNamara	⅝	⅝	⅝
1000 Motherlode	57	57	57
100 Mother Lode new	5	5	5
500 *Murray Morgdge	76	76	76
500 Nipissing	10⅝	10½	10⅝
500 Ophir Silver	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
525 Prince Con	⅞	¾	⅞
8300 Red Warrior	⅞	½	⅞
1 00 Rex Goal	8	8	8
9900 Ridge Group	¾	½	¾
200 Sonora Copper	15	15	15
5000 Silver King of Ariz	⅝	⅝	⅝
1000 S Silver Lead	½	½	½
500 *Sorrows Min	6½	6½	6½
2400 Tonopah Divide	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
500 Tonopah Min	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
200 United Eastern	34½	34½	34½
100 Utah Apex	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
BONDS.			
1000 Allied Packer 6s	77	76	76
10000 Gen Elec 4s	98⅝	98	98⅝
2000 Inter R T 7s	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝

NICKELS MIGHT BUY ROAD.

Comptroller Gives Staten Islanders Novel Rebate Fare Plan.

If a suggestion is adopted which was offered yesterday by Comptroller Craig at the conference between a delegation of Staten Islanders and the Board of Estimate that Receiver Brenner of the Midland Railway be advised to give to passengers receiver's certificates for five cents each after collecting ten cents as tentative fare, the Staten Islanders have a fair chance of owning the line if enough certificates were issued and not redeemed.

The delegation appealed for help in getting the line to resume operations and was headed by Alderman O'Rourke. To the plea of C. J. Chambers of Midland Beach Mayor Hylan said:

"Let the Supreme Court give us the receiver and the city will run the road. I'm not going to be bamboozled."

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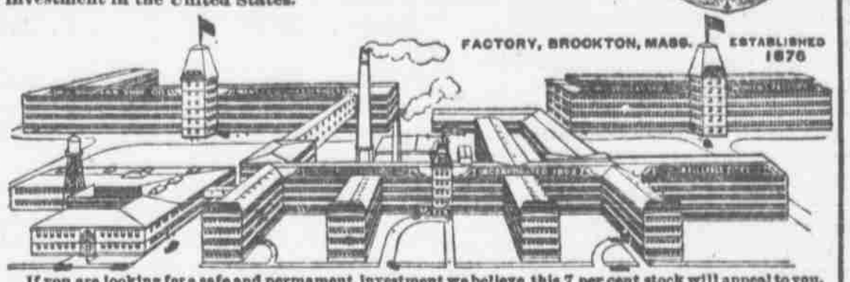

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