

**AUDITION SIDE – Katherine, Romeo, Hazel, Race, Davey, Pigtails
from *Newsies JR.***

KATHERINE

Good morning, everyone.

NEWSIES

(glumly)
Hi. / What's so good about it? / Good morning.

KATHERINE

Would you get a load of these glum mugs? Can these really be the same heroes who made front page of the *New York Sun*?

ROMEO

Front page of what?

(The NEWSIES rush towards KATHERINE and snatch the paper.)

HAZEL

“Newsies Stop The *World*” – now, there's a headline even Albert could sell!

RACE

Would you lookit? Dat's me!

ROMEO

Wait till my old man gets a load of dis. I won't be last in line for the tub tonight.

DAVEY

(to KATHERINE)
You got us in the pape?

KATHERINE

You got yourselves in the pape. Where's Jack? Did they take him to The Refuge?

HAZEL

He got away.

RACE

Can we please just drink in this moment? I'm famous!

PIGTALES

How much does bein' famous pay?

RACE

Ya don't need money when you're famous. They gives ya whatever ya want *gratis*!