

# Junior Treasure Chest

## IT'S SPRING! Norma Gleason

Make an egg-shell garden. It's easy! Ask mother to save a dozen egg shells with the carton they come in. Keep the bigger half of each shell and fill them with earth from the garden. (Ask where you can dig for good black dirt.) Plant two or three seeds in each shell, and put them in a sunny window, right in the egg carton. Mother may have some flower seeds for you—pansies, marigolds, or petunias—or just for fun try some orange seeds.

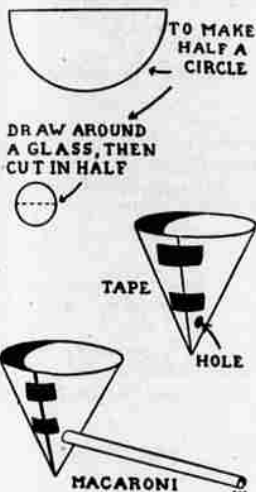
Keep them moist, and after the seeds have sprouted pull out all but the largest plant in each shell. When these are big enough, break the shells slightly and plant them in the garden.



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## Soap Bubble Fun

Margaret O. Hyde and  
Frances W. Keene



Make your own bubble blower—if you can't find your pipe. A pea shooter, soda straw, or a piece of macaroni makes the blower part. Poke it into a hole of a cone of paper you tape together. Now mix a tablespoon of soapflakes in warm water. It is fun to add a few drops of vegetable coloring and a tablespoon of glycerin or oil (for tougher bubbles). Mix well. Dip your blower into the suds and blow gently.

Make up your own game with the bubbles you blow. The one that lasts longest, travels farthest, or is the biggest could get a prize in your bubble contest!

## TRANSFER PICTURES

Margaret O. Hyde and Frances W. Keene

Here is a way to decorate paper plates, make greeting cards, decorate a letter, or just have fun!

Have your tools ready. They are water, turpentine, tincture of green soap, newspaper or magazine pictures (comics?), cleansing tissues, and some plain white paper.

Now mix a teaspoon of turpentine and a teaspoon of green soap in one cup of water. Dip the tissue in this solution and wipe it all over the picture. After two minutes lay the picture, face down, on the plain white paper. Rub gently over the back of the picture with the back of a spoon. Lift the picture gently from the paper and the picture is copied in reverse!

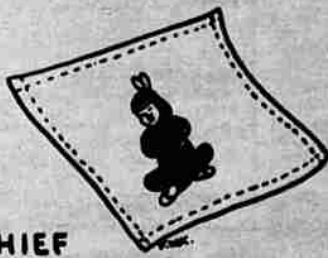
## DECORATE PAPER PLATES



## MAKE GREETING CARDS

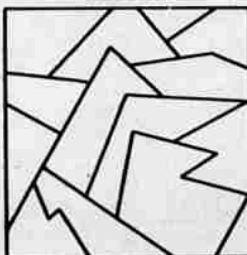


## DECORATE A LETTER OR AN OLD HANDKERCHIEF



## Make a Jigsaw Puzzle!

Tom Jones



Do you have a piece of cardboard from the laundry? Then paste a large colored picture on it and take a pencil and ruler and make some queer shapes (see diagram). Cut them out carefully. You will have a wonderful jigsaw puzzle to keep or give away.

## Toot-Tootle-Do!

Nat Bradford

You need five or more players for this game. All stand in line at one end of a 30-foot yard with the player who is IT standing in the middle. The safety line is at the opposite end of the yard.

Then IT calls one player by name, like this: "Johnny Jenkins, Toot-Tootle-Do! Hurry up, or I'll catch you!" Then IT must catch him.

The player has to run to the safety line. He can dodge this way and that to get there. If he is caught, he has to help IT catch the others. At the end of the game each uncaught player has to try to get back to the starting line when IT calls his name again. The first one caught is IT next game.

## LET'S DRAW A WHALE

Ann Davidow



Whales live in water, breathe in air  
(Of both, the whale must have his share),



So it appears a whale would feel  
Less like a fish than like a seal.



When up, he spouts and shows his nose.  
The sailors then shout, "Thar she blows!"



Watch out, sailors, or he'll flip  
And overturn your whaling ship!



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