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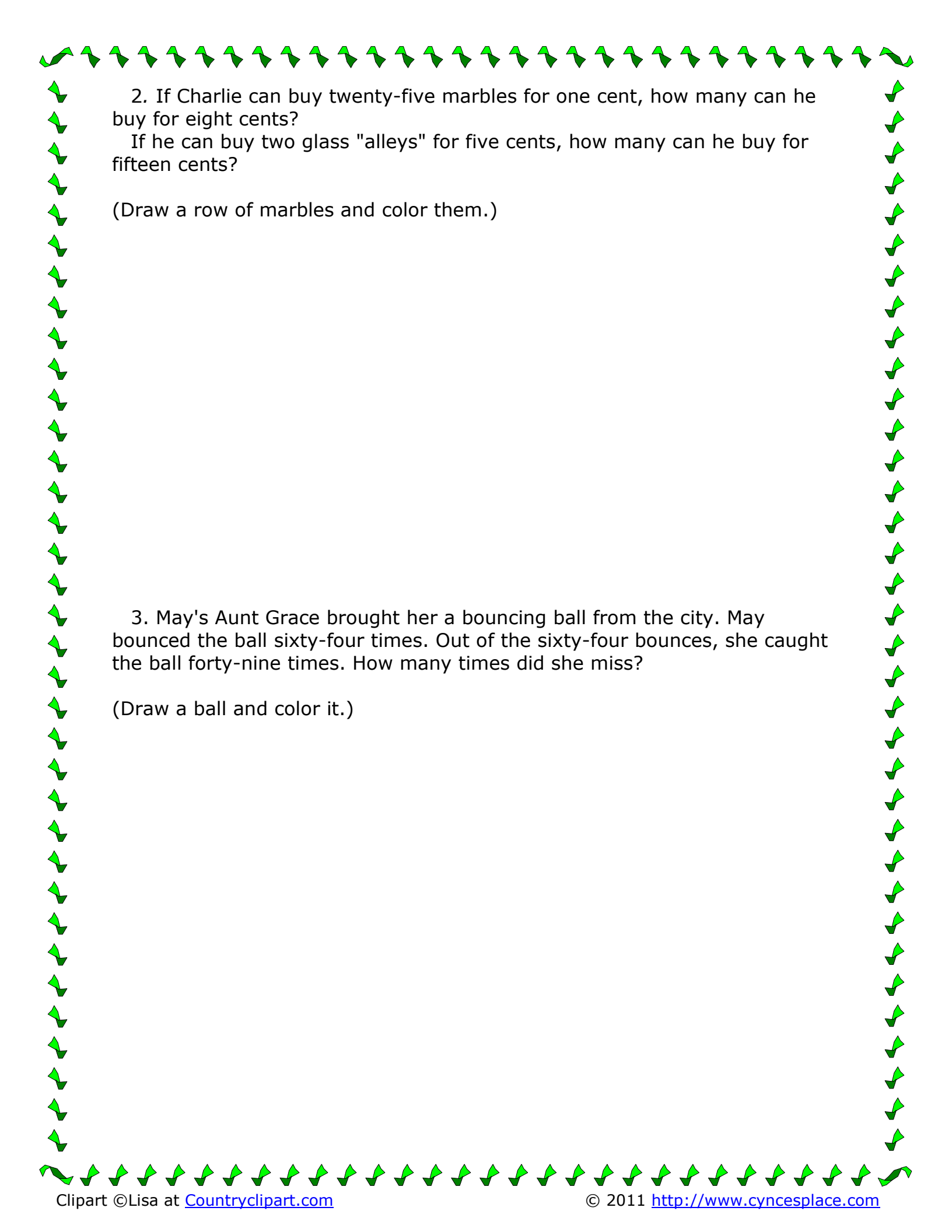
March Word Problems



Directions: Work out the word problems and make the drawings beneath.

1. If Thomas pays two dollars and fifty-five cents for fifteen tops, how much does one of them cost?

(Draw a row of tops.)




2. If Charlie can buy twenty-five marbles for one cent, how many can he buy for eight cents?

If he can buy two glass "alleys" for five cents, how many can he buy for fifteen cents?

(Draw a row of marbles and color them.)

3. May's Aunt Grace brought her a bouncing ball from the city. May bounced the ball sixty-four times. Out of the sixty-four bounces, she caught the ball forty-nine times. How many times did she miss?

(Draw a ball and color it.)




4. Donald has a kite. The string is eight and a half yards long. How many feet in the kite-string?

(Draw a kite with tail and string.)

5. James made a dozen and a half Easter cards. If he painted three lilies on each card, how many lilies did he paint on the whole dozen and a half cards?

(Draw a picture of a lily.)

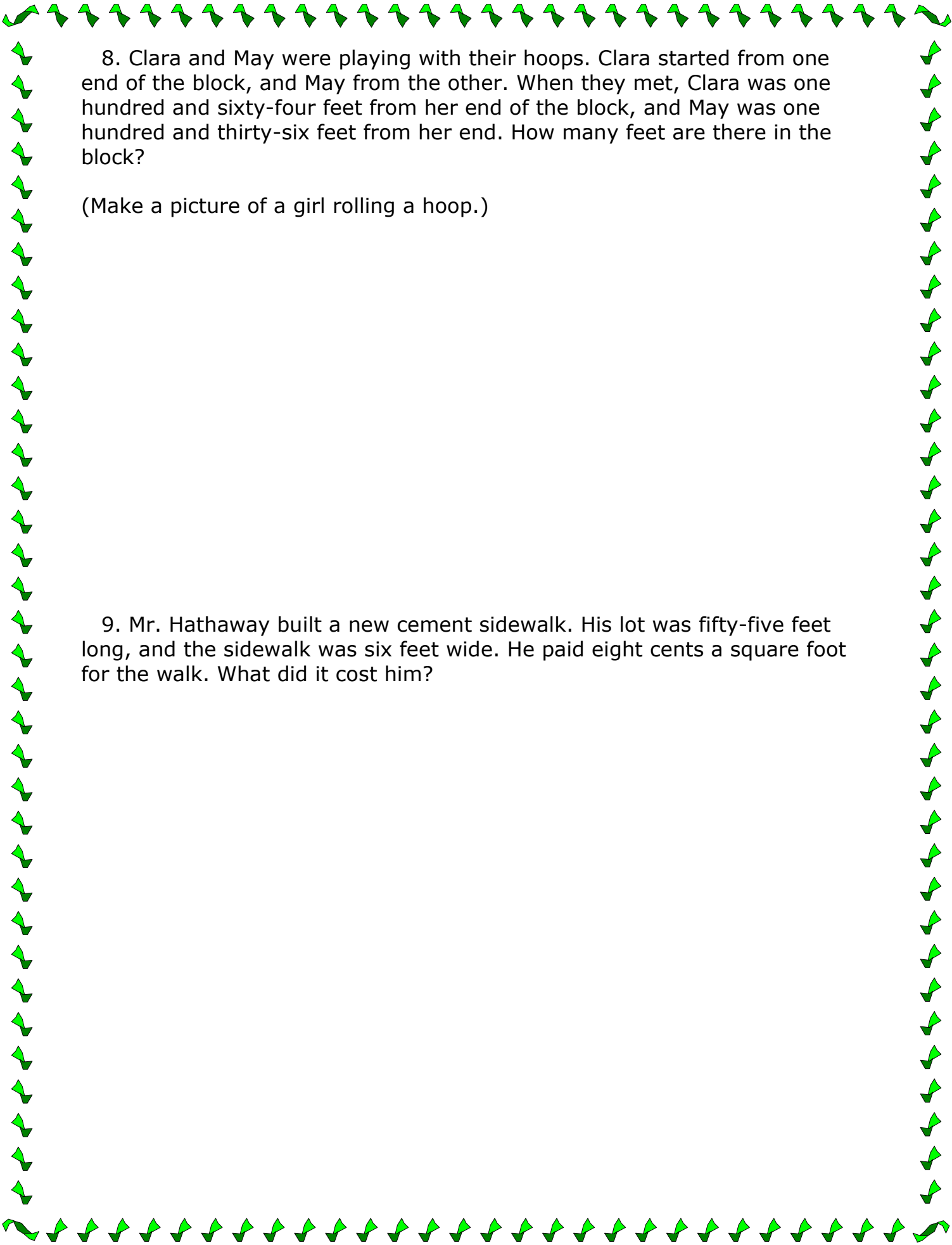


6. Mrs. Hemans bought an Easter lily plant for the church. The florist sold the plants according to the number of blossoms on each. For every blossom he charged twenty cents and for each bud, ten cents. The plant Mrs. Hemans bought had on it five blossoms and two buds. What did she pay for the plant?

(Draw an Easter lily in a pot. Color it.)

7. If one Dutch windmill can grind four hundred and twenty-five bushels of corn in one day, how many bushels can it grind in fifteen days?

(Make a picture of a Dutch windmill.)



8. Clara and May were playing with their hoops. Clara started from one end of the block, and May from the other. When they met, Clara was one hundred and sixty-four feet from her end of the block, and May was one hundred and thirty-six feet from her end. How many feet are there in the block?

(Make a picture of a girl rolling a hoop.)

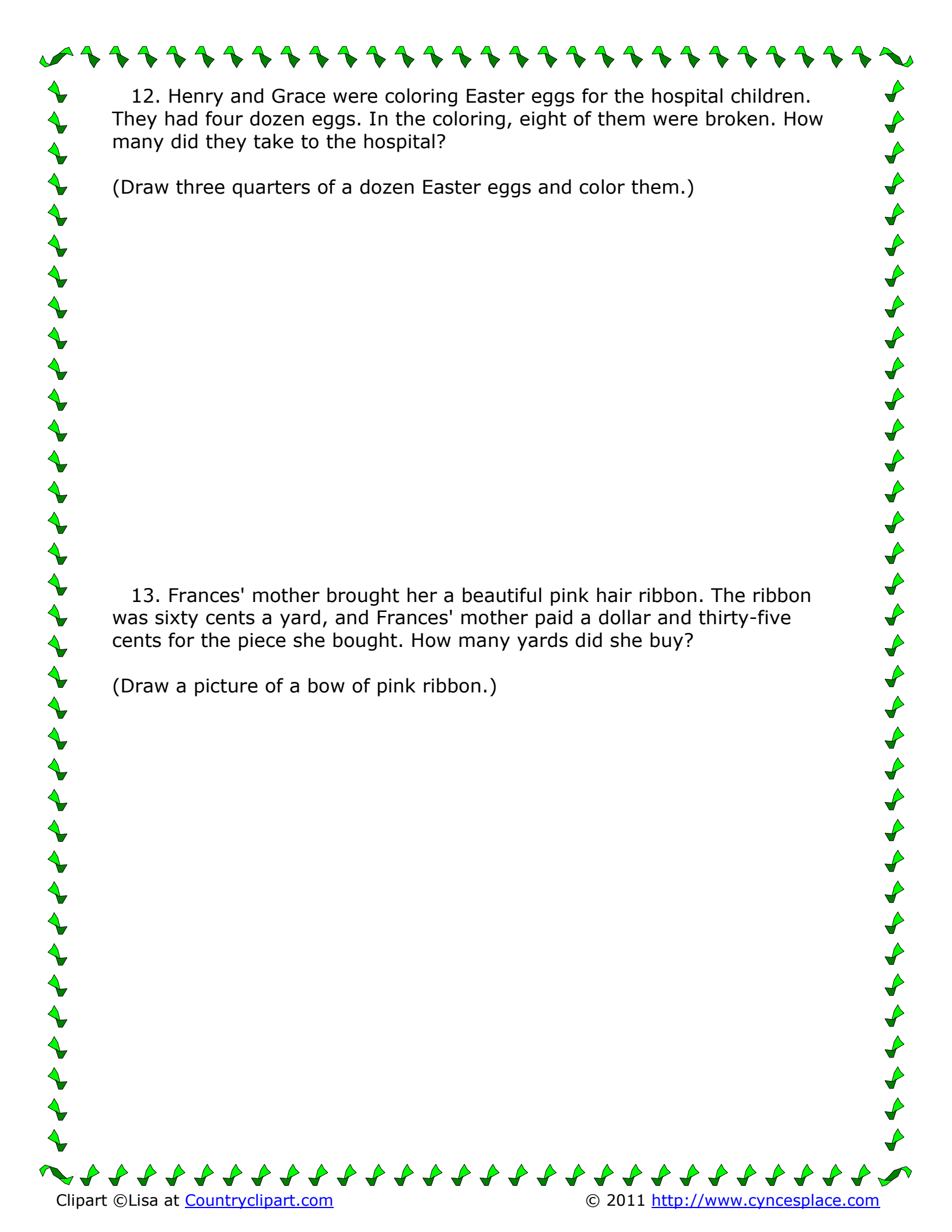
9. Mr. Hathaway built a new cement sidewalk. His lot was fifty-five feet long, and the sidewalk was six feet wide. He paid eight cents a square foot for the walk. What did it cost him?

10. If two dozen oranges will make eighteen jars of marmalade, how many jars of marmalade can be made from six dozen oranges?

(Draw and color a jar of marmalade— orange-yellow.)

11. Emily went to the florist's and bought a pot of hyacinths, two dozen tulips at thirty-five cents a dozen, a bunch of violets for seventy-five cents, and a pot of daffodils for forty cents. She paid two dollars and a quarter for them all. What did the pot of hyacinths cost?

(Draw a picture of one of the spring flowers mentioned in this problem.)

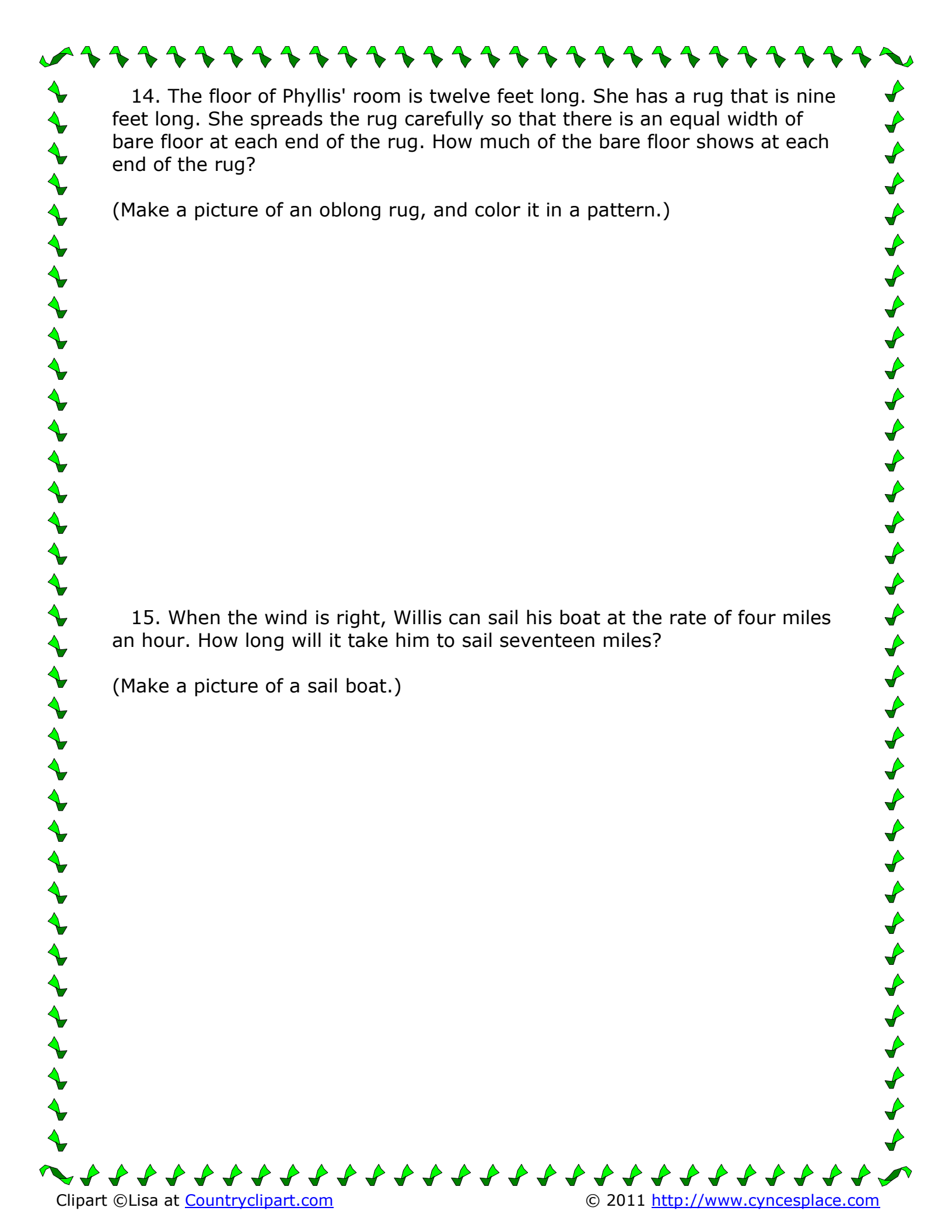


12. Henry and Grace were coloring Easter eggs for the hospital children. They had four dozen eggs. In the coloring, eight of them were broken. How many did they take to the hospital?

(Draw three quarters of a dozen Easter eggs and color them.)

13. Frances' mother brought her a beautiful pink hair ribbon. The ribbon was sixty cents a yard, and Frances' mother paid a dollar and thirty-five cents for the piece she bought. How many yards did she buy?

(Draw a picture of a bow of pink ribbon.)



14. The floor of Phyllis' room is twelve feet long. She has a rug that is nine feet long. She spreads the rug carefully so that there is an equal width of bare floor at each end of the rug. How much of the bare floor shows at each end of the rug?

(Make a picture of an oblong rug, and color it in a pattern.)

15. When the wind is right, Willis can sail his boat at the rate of four miles an hour. How long will it take him to sail seventeen miles?

(Make a picture of a sail boat.)

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Answers

1. $\$2.55/15 = .17\text{¢}$

2. $25 \times 8 = \mathbf{200}$ for 8¢

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \quad \mathbf{6} \\ - \quad - \\ 5\text{¢} \quad 15\text{¢} \end{array}$$

3. $64 - 49 = \mathbf{15}$ missed

4. $3\text{ft} = 1 \text{ yd}$ $.5 \text{ yd} = 1 \frac{1}{2} \text{ ft}$
 $8 \times 3 = 24$

$24 + 1.5 = \mathbf{25.5 \text{ ft} (25 \frac{1}{2} \text{ ft)}$

5. $1 \frac{1}{2} \text{ dozen} = 18$ $18 \times 3 = \mathbf{54}$ lillies

6. blossom - $.20\text{¢}$ bud - $.10 \text{ ¢}$

$$\begin{array}{l} 5 \times .20 = 1.00 \\ 2 \times .10 = .20 \end{array} \qquad 1.00 + .20 = \mathbf{\$1.20}$$

7. $425 \times 15 = \mathbf{6375}$ bushels

8. $164 \text{ ft} + 136 \text{ ft} = \mathbf{300 \text{ ft}}$

9. $55 \times 6 = 330$ $330 \times 8\text{¢} = \mathbf{\$26.40}$

10. $18/2 = 9$ jars a dz $9 \times 6 \text{ dz} = 54$ jars

11. 2 dz tulips @ $.35\text{¢}$ a dz	$.70$	$\$2.25$
Violets	$.75$	$-\$1.85$
Daffodils	$.40$	$\mathbf{.40\text{¢}}$ for hyacinths
	$\$1.85$	

12. $12 \times 4 = 48$ $48 - 8 = \mathbf{40}$

13. $1.35/60 = 2 \frac{15}{60} = \mathbf{2 \frac{1}{4} \text{ yards}}$