

GEORGE H. BALAZS  
ENGLISH  
1956  
YUCCA VALLEY  
CALIFORNIA

**Belmont**



*Du-O-Ring*  
**COMPOSITION  
BOOK**

WIDE AND MARGINAL RULED

Leaves turn free and  
fast . . . . Lie flat in  
perfect alignment.

15¢

..... The **Rexall** Store .....

S-1062

## Weekly Expenses

Amusements	\$2.00
Lunch	1.75
Savings	.50
Miscellaneous	.75
Christmas Fund	1.00
Total	<u>\$8.00</u>

## Hobby Expenses

Stamp Album	\$5.00
Stamp Hinges	.25
Stamps	2.00
Magnifying Glass	.50
Tweezers	.15
Total	<u>\$7.90</u>

## School Wardrobe

4 Pair Pants	5 Flannel Shirts
2 Pair Shoes	10 Pair Socks
1 Leather Jacket	5 T-Shirts

## Record Case List

1. Be-Bop-A-Lula / Woman Love	by Gene Vincent
2. My Prayer / Heaven on Earth	by The Platters
3. Rip It Up / Ready Teddy	by Little Richard
4. Picnic / Delilah Jones	by The McGuire Sisters

Principal: Mr. Jones

Student: Bill

Bill: Good afternoon Mr. Jones.

Mr. Jones: Good afternoon Bill, please sit down.

Bill: Mr. Jones, I am here on behalf of the boys athletic club, to ask you if we may borrow the schools slide projector on October 26, between the hours of 7:30 and 9:00 P.M. We are going to point out the highlights of the 1955 Rose Bowl Game.

Mr. Jones: It would be perfectly all right with me to loan you the projector for your reason. Under the circumstances that you take very good care of it and pay for any damages your club may do to it.

Bill: Thank you Mr. Jones it has been nice talking to you. Our club will take good care of the projector.

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Post Office Box 403  
Yucca Valley, California  
November 9, 1956

Brenner & Company  
815 Browder Street  
Dallas 1, Texas

Dear Sirs:

Please send me the following articles from  
your grocery department:

6 cans of beans @ \$.15	\$ .90
2 cans of beef stew @ \$.60	1.20
4 cans of peas @ \$.20	.80
7 cans of carrots @ \$.12	.84
	<u>\$3.74</u>

I am enclosing a check for \$3.74 to cover  
payment in full.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

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Post Office Box 403  
Yucca Valley, California  
November 9, 1956

Alexander Blake & Company  
333 North Michigan Boulevard  
Chicago 1, Illinois

Gentlemen:

Please send me the following articles from your  
clothing department:

1 Leather Jacket, Size 34	\$30.00
5 Pair Socks, Size 11 @ \$.30	1.50
2 Pair Pants, Size 31 X 29 @ \$4.50	9.00
15 Shirts, Size 15 X 32 @ \$5.00	-75.00
	<u>\$115.50</u>

I am enclosing money order for \$115.50 to cover  
payment in full for same.

Sincerely,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

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203 Apple Street  
Lincoln Park, Michigan  
November 9, 1956

Coronet Subscription Department  
Coronet Building  
Chicago 1, Illinois

Dear Sir:

On December 12th, of this year I will move from  
Box 403, Yucca Valley, California to the address on  
the letter heading.

Please forward my subscription of Coronet  
Magazine to that address.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

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Post Office Box 405  
Yucca Valley, California  
November 9, 1956

Popular Mechanics Magazine  
200 East Ontario Street  
Chicago 11, Illinois

Dear Sir:

Please send me a one year subscription to  
Popular Mechanics Magazine. Enclosed is a check for  
\$2.50 to cover full payment.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

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Post Office Box 408  
Yucca Valley, California  
October 30, 1956

Chrysler Corporation  
Los Angeles, California

Dear Sir:

I am a student in High School. When I graduate, I would like to apply for a position as a Purchasing Agent in your company. Will you please inform me if a good background in English is needed for that position.

Thank you for any information you can send me.

Sincerely yours,

*George Harvey Balazs*  
George Harvey Balazs



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332 Bush Street  
Bush City, Idaho  
November 28, 1956

Bureau of Highways  
4286 Main Street  
Bush City, Idaho

Dear Sir:

For some time there has been a hole about 6 inches deep in the road in front of my house. Every time I pull my car in the driveway I hit the hole. I would appreciate it very much if you would repair it.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

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Post Office Box 405  
Yucca Valley, California  
November 1, 1956

Dear Mr. Hayes,

Will you please excuse George for being absent on  
October 28, 29, 30 and 31. He was sick in bed with  
the flu.

I am sorry that he was unable to be present.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

Mrs. George Balazs Jr.

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Post Office Box 403  
Yucca Valley, California  
October 4, 1956

Dear Miss Smith,

Will you please excuse me from turning in my essay today? I was not ready to turn it in because I had to go to the doctor to see about a pain in my chest. It was 11:00 at night when we got home, and I was too tired to finish it.

I will turn in my essay tomorrow if you allow me to do so.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

Box 403  
Yucca Valley, California  
October 19, 1956

Robert Q. Lewis Show  
R.K.O. Building  
Los Angeles 6, California

Dear Mr. Lewis:

Every night at 6:45 I hear your show. I like it very much. ~~Keep~~ up the music and good comedy it's the best. I would appreciate it very much if you would have the band play "Green Door".

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*

George H. Balazs

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Box 403  
Yucca Valley, California  
November 9, 1956

Radio Station KFI  
Los Angeles 9, California

Dear Sir:

Please send me the set of steak knives offered  
over your radio program. Enclosed is a check for  
\$8.00 to cover full payment.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balass*

George H. Balass

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Box 405  
Yucca Valley, California  
October 18, 1956

Curtis Publishing Company  
Independence Square  
Philadelphia 5, Pennsylvania

Dear Sir:

For my birthday I received a one-year and a  
two-year subscription for Holiday magazine.  
Will you please send me one copy of the magazine for  
three years.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

*George H. Balazs*  
George H. Balazs

### NUMERATION

Units .....	1
Tens .....	12
Hundreds .....	123
Thousands .....	1,234
Tens of Thousands .....	12,345
Hundreds of Thousands .....	123,456
Millions .....	1,234,567
Tens of Millions .....	12,345,678
Hundreds of Millions .....	123,456,789

### MULTIPLICATION TABLE

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144

### FEDERAL MONEY

10 cents (¢) make 1 dime
10 dimes " 1 dollar (\$)
10 dollars " 1 eagle

### ENGLISH MONEY

4 farthings make 1 penny (d)
12 pence " 1 shilling (s)
20 shillings " 1 pound (£)
21 " " 1 guinea

### FRENCH MONEY

100 centimes make 1 franc

### GERMAN MONEY

100 pfennig make 1 mark

### AVOIRDUPOIS WEIGHT

16 drams (dr.) make 1 ounce marked (oz)
16 ounces " 1 pound " (lb)
25 pounds " 1 quarter " (qr)
4 quarters or 100 lb " 1 hund. wt. " (cwt)
20 hundred weight " 1 ton " (T)

### APOTHECARIES WEIGHT

20 grains (gr.) make 1 scruple marked (ʒ)
3 scruples " 1 dram " (ʒ)
8 drams " 1 ounce " (ʒ)
12 ounces " 1 pound " (lb)

### TROY WEIGHT

24 grains (gr.) make 1 pennyweight (dwt.)
20 pennyweights " 1 ounce (oz.)
12 ounces " 1 pound (lb)

### PAPER MEASURE

24 sheets (sh.) make 1 quire
20 quires (qu.) " 1 ream
10 reams (r) " 1 bale (ba.)

### LONG MEASURE

12 inches make 1 foot
3 feet " 1 yard
6 feet " 1 fathom
5 1/2 yards " 1 pole or rod
40 poles " 1 furlong
8 furlongs " 1 mile
3 miles " 1 league
69 1/2 miles " 1 degree

### SQUARE MEASURE

144 square inches make 1 sq. foot
9 " feet " 1 sq. yard
36 " yards " 1 sq. pole
40 " poles " 1 rod
4 rods " 1 acre
640 acres " 1 sq. mile

### SOLID OR CUBIC MEASURE

1728 cubic inches make 1 cubic foot
27 " feet " 1 " yard
128 " " " 1 cord of wood
248 " " " 1 perch of stone

Note.—A cord of wood is a pile 8 feet long, 4 feet wide and 4 feet high, there-fore 8 x 4 x 4 equals 128.  
A perch of stone or brick is 16 1/2 feet long, 1 1/2 feet wide and 1 foot high.

### DRY MEASURE

2 pints (pt.) make 1 quart
8 quarts (qt.) " 1 peck
4 pecks (pk.) " 1 bushel
80 bushels (bu.) make 1 chaldron (ch.)

### LIQUID MEASURE

4 gills make 1 pint
2 pints " 1 quart
4 quarts " 1 gallon
31 1/2 gallons " 1 barrel
2 bbl. = 63 gals " 1 hogshead (hd)

### TIME MEASURE

60 seconds make 1 minute
60 minutes " 1 hour
24 hours " 1 day
7 days " 1 week
365 days " 1 common year
366 days " 1 leap year
100 years " 1 century

### MISCELLANEOUS DENOMINATIONS

12 units make 1 dozen	155 lbs. make 1 bbl. of flour
12 dozen " 1 gross	250 lbs. " 1 bbl. of beef, pork or fish
12 gross " 1 great gross	200 lbs. " 1 bbl. of salt at the N. Y. State Salt Works
20 units " 1 score	32 lbs. " 1 bushel of oats
56 lbs. " 1 firkin of butter	48 lbs. " 1 bushel of barley
100 lbs. " 1 quintal. Grind salt fish	56 lbs. " 1 bushel of corn or rye
100 lbs. " 1 cask of raisins	60 lbs. " 1 bushel of wheat