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## How To Build "Sweat Equity" In Your Home

Homeowners usually have a mental list of projects and improvements they would like to make.

Some are still in the dream stage. Others would be possible if the costs weren't out of reach right now. There might be one or two under serious consideration, projects that would improve the value of your home.

Sweat equity is a term usually used when you help with the finishing of a new home. It works just as well for a home improvement and could save up to 75 percent of total costs. On some projects, you can assume labor cost would be about equal to material cost. On others, labor could be up to twice material cost.

A few vacation days would give you the time you'll need. You also need tools. Once you have them, they can be used for other projects.

Say you want to remove a wall between the kitchen and dining room. You'll need a circular saw to cut through wood and wallboard. You could work on a sawhorse, but a Black & Decker Workmate, \$95, would be better.

A rotary cutter is a palm-size tool that uses a spinning bit to slice ceramic tile, wallboard, or laminate flooring. It can cut a notch or a curve. Rotozip at \$60 is a good choice.



The great pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do.

-- *Walter Bagehot*

Take the first step in faith. You don't have to see the whole staircase, just the first step.

-- *Martin Luther King, Jr*

If you can't excel with talent, triumph with effort.

-- *Dave Weinbaum*



"Just curious, Lenny. How come you never participate in 'Casual Friday?'"

# More fun than should be humanly possible!

## Trivia Teaser: On Broadway

- Who played Eliza Doolittle in the original Broadway production of *My Fair Lady*? a-Mary Martin, b-Audrey Hepburn, c-Julie Andrews, d-Wendy Hiller.
- Which composer's last original Broadway production was *Silk Stockings*? a-Cole Porter, b-George Gershwin, c-Eubie Blake, d-Irving Berlin.
- In 1997, *Cats* became the longest-running show on Broadway, surpassing the previous record set by what show? a-A Chorus Line, b-The Fantasticks, c-Oh Calcutta, d-Hair.
- Which Broadway musical featured the songs "You Can't Get A Man With A Gun," "Anything You Can Do" and "Show Business"? a-Kismet, b-Gypsy, c-Calamity Jane, d-Annie Get Your Gun
- What Pulitzer-Prize winning play, satirizing big business and the U.S. government, ran for 837 performances on Broadway in the 1930s? a-Annie, b-You Can't Take It With You, c-The More the Merrier, d-Of Thee I Sing.
- Which 1994 Broadway play was the first live stage production by Disney? a-Aida, b-Aladdin, c-The Lion King, d-Beauty and the Beast.
- Anthony Rapp, Idina Menzel, Taye Diggs and Adam Pascal were among the original cast members of which Tony-winning Broadway musical? a-The Producers, b-Rent, c-Gypsy, d-Chicago.
- Which playwright's first work to appear on Broadway was *Come Blow Your Horn* in 1961? a-Christopher Durang, b-Cole Porter, c-Neil Simon, d-Sid Caesar.
- Which actress starred on Broadway in the one-woman show *I'm Still Here...Damn It!?* a-Lily Tomlin, b-Sandra Bernhard, c-Patti LuPone, d-Elaine Stritch.
- Who played Willy Loman in the Broadway debut of *Death of a Salesman*? a-Humphrey Bogart, b-Lee J. Cobb, c-Marlon Brando, d-E.G. Marshall.

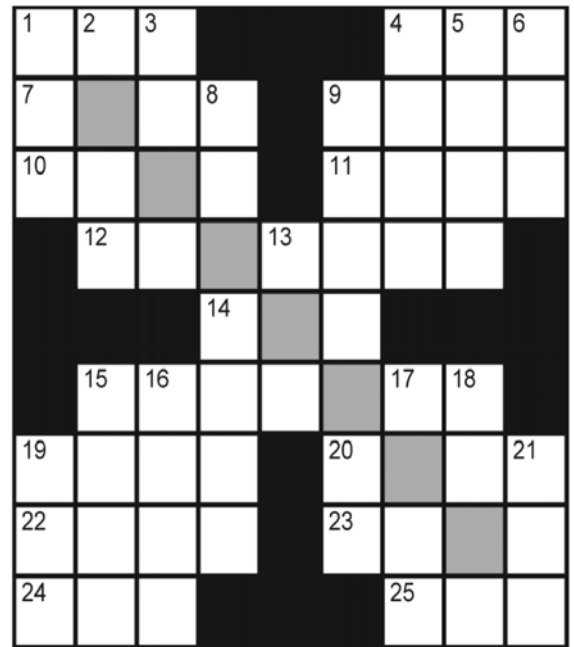
## Sixteenth President

### Across

- Mire
- Buddy
- Alliance
- Radio operators
- History Muse
- Battery contents
- Ticked off
- TV agency
- Stem the flow of
- "Ah, me!"
- Attired
- Strengthen, with "up"
- Giving
- "Yikes!"
- Rover, for one

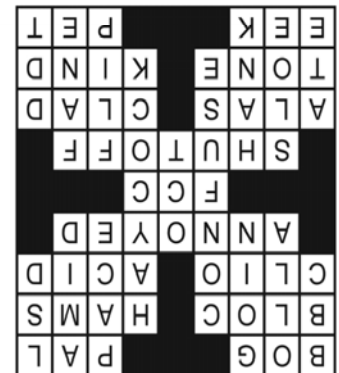
### Down

- "Monty Python" aier
- Earthen pot
- Enter
- Rate
- During
- "Acid"
- Befuddle
- Found in a farmer's field
- Columbus Day mo.



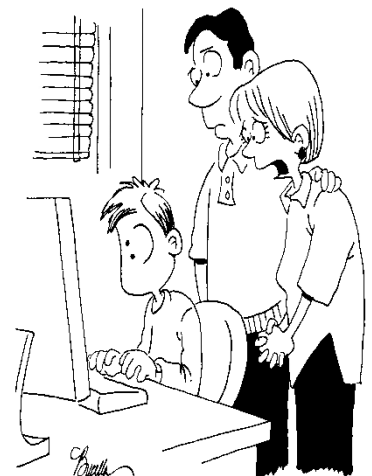
- \_\_\_ gin fizz
- Aaron or Williams
- Gymnast's feat
- Temple: Arch.
- Did lunch
- Banned pesticide

The headline is a clue to the answer in the diagonal.



## ANSWERS TO ON BROADWAY

- c, Julie Andrews
- a, Cole Porter
- a, A Chorus Line
- d, Annie Get Your Gun
- b, You Can't Take It With You
- d, Beauty and the Beast
- b, Rent
- c, Neil Simon
- b, Sandra Bernhard
- b, Lee J. Cobb



"We know it makes you happy, but your father and I think you're spending too much time on the computer."

# This news is all about you...

## NEW CLIENTS WE WANT TO WELCOME...

I'd like to welcome the following people and organizations to my rapidly expanding client family...

WATER DYNAMICS -  
DUBBO

AQUADUCT TRADING

POWER PROVING  
SERVICES

R & P FRANCIS P/L

It's great to have new customers  
joining us.

## And Our Client Of The Month Is....

### **JC & FM SIMS**

Thanks to Garry, Graeme and the rest of the gang at JC & FM Sims. We have been proud to have such a well respected driller as one of our clients. They are easy to get along with specially Nicole in the office

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR REFERRALS

There's no question that I have the BEST customers on the entire planet.

My business is built on word of mouth advertising and I like to thank the following people who were kind enough to recommend my services to their friends.

Thank you soooo much!

### **COMPLETE IRRIGATION**

## COMMUNITY LIFE

### ONE VOTE ONE COUNT

*How many of us think or say it's only one vote mine will not back any difference, the USA citizens are very happy about their vote counting and electing Barack Obama. There is a strong thread going through their country believing that this will make an incredible change sweep through a economic savaged country. There are people who are alive today who have been recorded making racial slurs and are today in power somewhere in America under the leadership of the first Black American. His vision for America was epitomized by his slogan "Change We can believe in" By standing up making a change in your business may also bring a massive economic upturn in your business, so do not underestimate what you can do with the people under you supporting you.*

## YOUR HOROSCOPE

**ARIES:** The mundane details of life must be handled, and no one can do it for you. Tending to tedious tasks will clear the way for progress in other areas and your daily life will become more effective.

**TAURUS:** History doesn't have to repeat itself. Recognize the pattern of events and just walk away if you have to. You have great potential in all areas of your life, so move on to something else.

**GEMINI:** When you wake up feeling tense, do something about it. Gaze out the window, take deep breaths, and be glad you're alive another day.

**CANCER:** You are poised for success now, though you may not realize it. Focus on an immediate goal or one for the future. Be sure to get enough rest.

**LEO:** Go slow with that romance so you don't overpower your prospective love. Make your interest clear but take one step at a time. Your prospects at work are good.

**VIRGO:** Watch out for Valentine's Day. It could be exciting or disappointing. Either way, you can handle it because your world does not revolve around just one person.

**LIBRA:** Your health should be an area of prime concern now. It's not yet too late to turn around conditions that could take hold. Busy is no excuse for jeopardizing your future health. You know what to do.

**SCORPIO:** Your talent for expressing yourself with confidence and conviction will take you far. Just make sure you have your ducks in a row and know which facts are important to the topic at hand.

**SAGITTARIUS:** Take a closer look at your financial situation. You must take control instead of just letting it happen. A plan doesn't mean depriving yourself of things you like.

**CAPRICORN:** The Presidents Day break comes at the perfect time for you. Working too hard for too long can wear down your creativity. It's time to get away from it all at least for a couple of days.

**AQUARIUS:** Neglected friends will soon fall out of your circle. Visit or send a postcard or an email. A far-away friend could be important in the future.

**PISCES:** Whether it's a job, a house or a big bank account you want, don't be jealous of someone who has it. Your time will come if you keep your goal in mind and work toward it. Visualize but be patient.

## The back page...

### The Lighter Side... "Flat Tire"

Two students had a few beers instead of studying on the night before an exam. In the morning, they discovered they had slept through it.

They told the professor they had a flat tire. He said they could take the test at 5 p.m. They were delighted and called classmates to find out the questions and answers.

The professor gave them the test in separate rooms. A second page was attached. It said: For 50 percent of your grade, which tire was flat?



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### This Frame Can Pick Up Photos From Your Phone

Here's a digital picture frame that does something new. It can receive and display photos you send from your cell phone.

The Cameo by T-Mobile USA is not very expensive, selling at about \$100. It has a 7-inch diagonal screen with 720 by 480 pixels.

It's much easier than the usual way to send photos to a digital frame, which first had to be on your computer. Then you had to copy them to a memory card and insert the card into the frame.

With direct deposit of photos using the Cameo, you can take a picture on your camera phone in Atlanta and send it to a frame in Los Angeles or Paris. Or the other way around.

The unit has a built-in cellular modem, which talks to T-Mobile's wireless network. It has a phone number.

You can send photos to any frame that allows it.