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NEW YORK WOMEN PLAN 'LAW DAY' ESSAY CONTEST

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Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, Mar. 3 . . . "The Significance of Law Day in the Trust Territory" is the subject of an essay contest being sponsored by the New York Women's Bar Association among secondary schools in the Territory.

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In commemoration of "Law Day" on May 1, the women's group is sponsoring the contest in conjunction with the Territory's Department of Education and Judiciary. Six prizes will be offered to students who must be enrolled in a senior social studies class in either private or public schools.

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The papers must be in English, may be handwritten or typed, and must not exceed 500 words in length. It is preferred that the essay be an "in-school" activity supervised by the social studies class.

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Local judges and clerks of courts will assist with information on request of any student. A local review committee established by the secondary school principal will forward one or two of the best essays to the Chambers of the Chief Justice in Saipan, provisional Territory, capital, Marianas. All entries must be received by April 7.

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Final selection of the winners will be made by the Chief

Justice and the Associate Justice, assisted by recommendations

of the Department of Education. Results will be announced and

prizes awarded on Law Day-Trust Territory, at the public celebrations
to be held in each administrative district.

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