RWUEA OFFICIAL WEB SITE

www.westernunionretirees.com

Our site is open to members and non-members alike to browse the site and learn about our association and its activities and also view the current *Newsletter*.

Our member search section has been modified to ptotect the privacy of our members. At this time, we are only displaying the member's name and state of residence. For more information, including the street and city address and the e-mail address, if we have it, please e-mail us at rwuea_news@hotmail.com and we will furnish more complete information. We regret this action but it has become apparent that outsiders were obtaining our member list and using it to send scam messages to our members, including messages purportedly from Western Union that looked pretty authentic. We will be reviewing this situation again in the future. All address changes and e-mail address additions should continue to be sent to Loanne Carroll at doxbury@aol.com with a copy to Mike Brown at mikemon@frontiernet.net. Please also send a copy to Richard Utz at richardutz@netpass.com.

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This site, which is updated frequently, has, among many categories:

- Links to MIT's collection of all WU Technical Reviews
- Availability of a CD containing all the Technical Reviews that can be purchased for \$5.00
- Several links to various photo albums
- Several links to historical WU documents
- Stories from retirees and a request for more such historical stories

Recently, this site has posted photographs of all but one of Western Union's former reperforator locations. Harold Smith, the web-master, is missing photographs of the Richmond, Virginia location. If you have or know of anyone that has a photograph of this location, please contact Harold by e-mail at: Harold@comcenter.net. The photographs can either be sent to him by e-mail or mailed to him at 153 Mason St., Rochester, NY 14626. Harold will scan any photos sent to him and then return them.

A QUIZ – DO WE KNOW EVERYTHING?

The following was submitted by **Ralph Hatke** of Pinckney, Michigan, a western suburb of Detroit. The article appeared in the publication, *Senior Living Maccomb* (a Michigan County) and was attributed to a Robert Bork of County Line. (Your editor didn't do too well; see how you do, and maybe learn something you didn't know before.)

This is a quiz for people who know everything! I found out in a hurry that I don't. These are not trick questions. They are straight questions with straight answers.

- 1. Name the one sport in which neither the spectators nor the participants know the score or the leader until the contest ends.
- 2. What famous North American landmark is constantly moving backward?
- 3. Of all vegetables, only two can live to produce on their own for several growing seasons. All other vegetables must be replanted every year. What are the only two perennial vegetables?
- 4. What fruit has its seeds on the outside?
- 5. In many liquor stores you can buy pear brandy with a real pear inside the bottle. The pear is whole and ripe and the bottle is genuine: it hasn't been cut in any way. How did the pear get inside the bottle?
- 6. Only three words in standard English begin with the letters "dw" and they are all common words. Name two of them.
- 7. There are 14 punctuation marks in English grammar. Can you name at least half of them?
- 8. Name the only vegetable that is never sold frozen, canned, processed, cooked or in any other form except fresh.
- 9. Name six or more things that you can wear on your feet beginning with the letter "S".

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