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Heroes Happy Holiday Hangover Hassle

January 1st, 1976

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Chicago is the rail center of the United States, and is probably the busiest railroad area in the world. No connoisseur of this wunnerful city can say that his education is complete without a good working knowledge of this industry and its history in Chicago. The questions below will test your knowledge in this area. The answers to some questions do not directly relate to railroads, but in order to determine what the correct answers are, you will have to go rummaging around railroad locations. This alone should provide you with an extra bucketful of trivia for the coming year. Other questions may require ingenuity, boldness, and/or a helpful oldtimer to find the correct answer. Remember, nobody ever promised you that you actually had a chance of winning this thing!

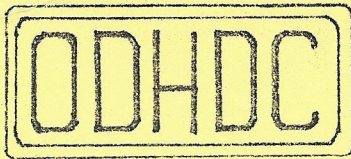
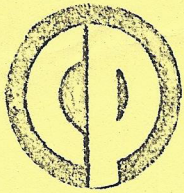
Questions are assigned point values. You gain points for each correct answer. We will even give you a super hint this year: HIGH SCORE WINS!

All cars will start at 1:00 PM. In order to be considered a finisher, you must turn in your scorecard at the finish point, the Seven Oaks Restaurant, 7501 W. Roosevelt Road, Forest Park, Illinois, no later than 5:00 PM (four hours after your official start time).

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1. 24 points (1 point each) -- Twentytwo years ago there were still twentyfour different railroads operating passenger trains in and out of Chicago, not counting the Chicago Transit Authority. What were the names of these railroads? (you must give either the full name or the "common name"; initials alone are unacceptable. Example: Northwestern or Chicago and Northwestern will count, but CNW will not).
 2. 9 points (1 point each) -- Using the same rules as for question #1, what were the names of the nine other railroads that provided service within Chicago only for freight, transfer, and/or switching?
 3. 10 points -- If you were to catch the next train out of Chicago (after 1:00 PM) that stopped at the town of Lake Park, what time would you be due to arrive there? 7:47
 4. 10 points -- A train is due to arrive at Northwestern Station at 5:10 PM today. What is the number of the coach closest to the locomotive on this train?
 5. 10 points -- Heading east from the intersection of Washington Blvd. and Clinton St., Washington splits into two parts for one block. What is located between these two parts of Washington (between—not above)?
 6. 3 points -- A Burlington Northern train is due to stop at a commuter station near 16th and Western at 2:22 PM today. What is the number of the locomotive pulling this train?

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7. 3 points -- There is a railroad yard at about 2000 north, running from approximately 5400 west to 6400 west. What is the name of this yard? GALEWOOD
8. 3 points -- There is a commuter train stop near 130th St. and the Calumet River. Two signs are attached to the north side of the shelter at this stop; what is printed on these signs?
9. 3 points -- If you were to board a passenger train that terminated in Valparaiso, Indiana (not necessarily today), what railroad would you be riding on? Penn Central 372-6700
10. The Chicago and Northwestern operates locomotive #4072C in suburban commuter service.
 - a. 3 points -- What is the rated horsepower of this locomotive? 1500
 - b. 3 points -- Where was this locomotive built? LAGRANGE IL
11. 3 points -- There is a pay phone on the eastbound platform of the Northwestern station near Argyle and Long. What is the number of this phone? 500N 5400W 283-9897
12. 2 points -- 71st Street crosses the Baltimore and Ohio tracks and the Penn Central tracks at grade level at about 2200 west. How many tracks does 71st cross in total at this crossing? 20
13. 2 points -- There is a sign on a post between the tracks at the elevated station at Kinzie and Wells. What does this sign read?
14. 2 points -- There are signs at the commuter station near Kinzie and Devon that will give you the answer to this one. What is the cost for seven nights at Club Mediterranee? 3432 W 235
15. 2 points -- There are two pedestrian overpasses above the tracks at the elevated station near Adams and Wabash. How many steps are there in both of these overpasses (add them all up -- but top, bottom, and landings do not count as steps)? 48
16. 2 points -- There is a pay phone on the platform of the commuter station near 107th & Hale. What is the number of this phone?
17. 2 points -- At the Washington stop of the Dearborn Street Subway, there are steps leading up to a door in the east wall of the north-bound train tube. What is printed on this door? Pump Room
18. 2 points -- There is a yellow triangular sign alongside the tracks at the commuter station at 121st and State. What is printed on this sign?
19. 2 points -- Along the west side of Ravenswood, between Lunt and Greenleaf is a sign, near the commuter station there, that reads in part, "PARKING FOR TELEPHONE". What are the remaining words on this sign?
20. 0 points (tie-breaker) -- There once was a terminal for intercity trains on the elevated structure above Roosevelt between State and Wabash. What was the date on which the last intercity passenger train departed from this terminal? (closest guess breaks ties) Jan. 19 1963



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One word of caution - this just MIGHT be a real rally; then again it might not. Therefore, the Committee Odious suggests that you bring everything you can find relating to the City Beautiful, Brand "X", the Care & Feeding of Mesopotamian House Plants & Tasmanian Devils, and your Citizenship Papers and/or Deportment Papers, Parole Papers, Union Papers, Newspapers or Toilet Paper.

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Eager and/or late types may call John Smiskol (eve) 858-3717 or Mike Fernandez (eve) 256-56 or 411 for preferential treatment. Take advantage of our special services by calling WE 6-1212 or CA 8-8000 and say ODHDC sent you.

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Be sure to come out and join us, so we aren't the only ones freezing our ----- off.

ENTRY FOR CPRT/ODHDC HEROES' HAPPY HOLIDAY HANGOVER HASSLE XX, JANUARY 1, 1976

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