

 Help the Cowboy

 get to his boots.

Can you work these out?

Question 1: What bird is that whose name represents nothing, twice yourself, and fifty? (Hint: Think letters.)

Question2 : What is lengthened by being cut at both ends?

Question 3: My first is a color; my second is an agreeable exercise; my third is an article of clothing; my whole is a celebrated character.

(What is the phrase? Here are clues to each word!)

Question 4: My first, if you do, you won't hit it; my next, if you do, you won't leave it; my whole, if you do, you won't guess it. (What's the word? Each clue is a syllable!) (Answers below)

Free Masks

Lavelle Ford and Barbara Spencer are still making masks. Masks are free to all members and to all TMRC residents and staff.

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Rodeo is a competitive equestrian sport that arose out of the working practices of cattle herding in Spain and Mexico, expanding throughout the Americas and to other nations. It was based on the skills required of the working vaqueros and later, cowboys, in what today is the western United States, western Canada, and northern Mexico.

Today, it is a sporting event that involves horses and other livestock, designed to test the skill and speed of the cowboys and cowgirls.

American style professional rodeos generally comprise the following events: tie-down roping, team roping, steer wrestling, saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, bull riding and barrel racing.

Fort Worth Stock Show and Rodeo

The oldest continuously running livestock show and rodeo is the legendary Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo. The 23-day extravaganza offers a unique atmosphere rich in tradition and history. In addition to the various livestock shows and professional rodeo thrills, stock show patrons can enjoy the All Western Parade in downtown Fort Worth, Cowboys of Color Rodeo, unique shopping opportunities, scrumptious food, live music and an exciting carnival. More than 30,000 animals are typically exhibited in 3,770 classes for horses, livestock, poultry, rabbits and ag mechanics in addition to approximately 2,300 participants in the art contest, judging contests, rodeos and many other competitions and exhibitions. Each event and competition - from the FWSSR **PRORODEO** Tournament to the Youth Poultry Show, Carnival Midway and all others.

The Stock Show & Rodeo was cancelled this year due Covid 19. The only other time a Stock Show was cancelled was 1943 near the height of World War II.

- Some Wisdom shared by Lavelle

GREAT TRUTHS

 In my many years I have come to a conclusion that one useless man is a shame, two is a law firm, and three or more is a congress.
 -- John Adams

2. If you don't read the newspaper you are uninformed, if you do read the newspaper you are misinformed.-- Mark Twain

3. Suppose you were an idiot.
And suppose you were

a member of Congress.

But then I repeat myself.

-- Mark Twain

4. I contend that for a nation to try to tax itself into prosperity is like a man standing in a bucket and trying to lift himself up by the handle. --Winston Churchill

5. A government which robs Peter to pay Paul can always depend on the support of Paul. -- George Bernard Shaw

6. A liberal is someone who feels a great debt to his fellow man, which debt he proposes to pay off with your money.
-- G. Gordon Liddy

7. Giving money and power to government is like giving whiskey and car keys to teenage boys. -- P.J. O'Rourke, Civil Libertarian

8. Government's view of the economy could be summed up in a few short phrases:
If it moves, tax it.
If it keeps moving, regulate it.
And if it stops moving, subsidize it.
--Ronald Reagan (1986)

9. I don't make jokes. I just watch the government and report the facts. -- Will Rogers

10. If you think health care is expensive now, wait until you see what it costs when it's free! -- P. J. O'Rourke

11. No man's life, liberty, or property is safe while the legislature is in session. -- Mark Twain (1866) 12. Talk is cheap, except when Congress does it. -- Anonymous

13. The inherent vice of capitalism is the unequal sharing of the blessings. The inherent blessing of socialism is the equal sharing of misery. -- Winston Churchill

14. The only difference between a tax man and a taxidermist is that the taxidermist leaves the skin. -- Mark Twain

15. There is no distinctly Native American criminal class, save Congress. -- Mark Twain

16. What this country needs are more unemployed politicians --Edward Langley, Artist (1928-1995)

17. A government big enough to give you everything you want, is strong enough to take everything you have. -- Thomas Jefferson

FIVE BEST SENTENCES

1. You cannot legislate the poor into prosperity, by legislating the wealthy out of prosperity.

2. What one person receives without working for, another person must work for without receiving.

3. The government cannot give to anybody anything that the government does not first take from somebody else.

4. You cannot multiply wealth by dividing it.

5. When half of the people get the idea that they do not have to work, because the other half is going to take care of them, and when the other half gets the idea that it does no good to work, because somebody else is going to get what they work for, that is the beginning of the end of any nation!