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question  
numbering!

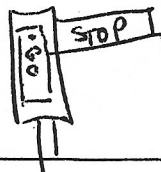
## AA Inventors and Scientists

1. Who invented the overhead conducting system for electric railway

- W a. Granville T. Woods
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Answer: a. Granville T. Woods

Woods  
old Wood-en signals  
~~train~~  
~~cars~~



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"Hint:  
Just" wait  
until you see  
what I've seen!

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Hint  
I've spilled on the  
floor. ✓ "Steward!"  
call the for the

35. What former heavyweight champion has a patent for a wrench?

- ☒ a. Joe Lewis
- ☐ b. Muhammad Ali
- ☐ c. George Forman
- ☐ d. Jack Johnson

Answer: d. Jack Johnson

"Jack" is a tool.  
He created a tool  
for his "jack"

36. Who invented and patented improvements to the fountain pen?

- ☒ a. William Purvis
- ☐ b. Thomas Stewart
- ☐ c. Willis Johnson
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"Pur" - fast writing  
with fountain pen



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- ☒ c. Sarah Boone
- ☒ d. G.E. Becket

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Dick & Son  
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- ☒ c. John L. Love
- ☒ d. Maurice W. Lee

Answer: d. Maurice W. Lee

Hint:  
Ooh, Lee! (after explosion)  
(Ooh wee!)

31. Who invented lubricators for steam engines?

- ☒ a. Jan Matzeliger
- ☒ b. Elijah McCoy
- ☒ c. John L. Love
- ☒ d. Maurice W. Lee

Answer: b. Elijah McCoy

Hint:  
Eli-Jah, Eli-Jah  
Steam  
Engine  
Is it the "Real McCoy?"

1. Who invented a process to refine sugar?

- 3 a James Adams
- x b Charles Brooks
- ✓ c Norbert Rillieux
- 2 d William Purvis

Answer: c. Norbert Rillieux

Hint:  
Franklin

3. Who received a patent for an improved rotary lawn mower in 1899?

- w a. Charles Banks
- x b. John Albert Burr
- ✓ c. Andre Reboucas
- 2 d. Bertram Baker

Answer: b. John Albert Burr

Hint  
"Burr" of engine blades



9. Who invented the stainless steel scouring pad in 1962?

- ☒ a. John Thomas White
- ☒ b. Adolph Shamms
- ☒ c. Alfred Benjamin
- ☒ d. Tom Marshal

Answer: c. Alfred Benjamin

*Benjamin  
"All about  
the benjamins"*

10. Who invented the coin changer?

- ☒ a. L.C. Bailey
- ☒ b. James Bauer
- ☒ c. Andrew Beard
- ☒ d. Charles Brooks

Answer: b. James Bauer

*Bauer  
Bauer*



4. Who invented a method of manufacturing ice cream in 1832?

- ☒ a. Augustus Jackson
- ☐ b. Thomas Jennings
- ☐ c. Frederick Jones
- ☐ d. Sarah Goode

Answer: a. Augustus Jackson

Hint:  
Best month  
to eat ice cream  
"August"

21. Who invented a doorknob and doorstop?

- ☒ a. O. Dorsey
- ☐ b. Henry Blair
- ☐ c. Geo. F. Grant
- ☐ d. Nathaniel Alexander

Answer: a. O. Dorsey

Hint:  
"Door-see"  
(door related)

19. Who received a patent for a biscuit cutter in 1875?

- W a. Granville T. Woods
- X b. James Adams
- Y c. Alexander Ashbourne
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Answer: c. Alexander Ashbourne

Hint:  
"Bor'n" - biscuit ~~cutter~~ cutter

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Baker  
Cashier

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