

# Market House Museum's "I Didn't Know That!" Quiz

*(Answers are on the bottom of page two.)*



1. The beautiful stained glass windows at the Market House Museum came from the List Drug Store, which stood at 412-414 Broadway, built in 1877. How long had the windows been missing after they were removed from the drug store, before the Museum located, restored, and added them to the museum's fantastic List Drugstore display? A) 12 years B) 32 years, C) 92 years.



2. The 1913 La France Fire truck, seen at the Museum in all its shiny red glory, was not purchased firsthand from a dealer. It was bought second hand when it was just a few years old! In 1968, it came to reside at the Museum, when it was driven into the spot it now claims as home. What city was the fire truck purchased from about 1920? A) Louisville B) St Louis C) Indianapolis.



3. There is a very rare quilt at the Museum, made by Mrs. Robert E. Lee. It was made in 1867 and contains blue Confederate soldier's jean cloth uniform material. For what purpose was it made? A) a wedding gift to the son of the man who helped Robert E Lee get the president's position at a college, B) a Christmas gift for her husband to keep him warm from drafts, C) an item to be raffled off to help sustain destitute Southern widows.



4. A special piano resides at the Market House Museum, which once was housed at Whitehaven. The piano is a circa 1860 square grand. It has been restored and still has a lovely melody. Given by a lady who bought it at auction and then donated it to the Museum 30 years later, what catastrophe did it barely miss? A) a horrendous hurricane in New Orleans, B) a terrible house fire C) being destroyed by a demolition crew in the 1930s.



5. Paducah was known as a patent drug producer back in the late 1800's. Several of the medicines made by the E E Sutherland Company gained world wide recognition for their supposed ability to relieve sufferers afflicted with several complaints, including malaria. What was one of the most famous medicines ever patented by the Sutherland Company? A) Lemon Chill Cure Tonic B) Indian Kickapoo Pills C) Little Early Riser Pills.



6. A prima ballerina, Elizabeth Boswell Fisher Dodds, studied dance under a Russian danseuse and taught ballet at the Astaire School. She ran a dance studio of her own in Chicago, and married Dr Ralph Dodds, a concert pianist. Later, she embarked on a second career at Mid-Western. What was this career? A) ear specialist B) prominent author C) a gifted painter.



7. The Museum has in its collections a lamp that was once owned by the grandmother of John T. Scopes of Paducah. It has a pigeon's blood round glass globe and a very ornate brass and pot metal banquet base, manufactured by Bradley and Hubbard, ca. 1888. What did Mr. Scopes make the headlines with in 1925? A) Racing a car on the sand flats B) Scopes Monkey trial in Dayton, Tennessee C) Helping find a cure for diabetes.



8. The Illinois Central Gulf Railroad Shops were located in Paducah. They employed a thousand workers in its heyday. A famous song was written and sung about an Illinois Central train that travelled from Chicago to New Orleans. What was the name of the song? A) The Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe B) The City of New Orleans C) The Chattanooga Choo Choo.



9. The Museum has an entire parlor set in red velvet, with horsehair stuffing, that was made about 1850. It stood in what was later to be, the Adah Brazelton home. She was a beloved educator in Paducah for years. Who were the illustrious two persons who sat upon this set during the Civil War in Paducah? A) Lew Wallace and US Grant B) General Tilghman and US Grant C) Phineas T Barnum and US Grant.



10. A tall street light from 1900 stands within the Museum. Donated by a long time supporter of the Museum, it is quite beautiful and impressive in its stature. Paducah once had many more of this style of street lights, but they are all gone now except for ours. How tall is this graceful, cast iron lamp? A) 13 feet tall B) 10 feet tall C) 22 feet tall.



11. A drug store, who for years has stood close to Western Baptist Hospital, has been known for its delicious plate lunches. Their hamburgers are hard to beat! What is the name of this celebrated drug store, where you can get your prescription refilled and lunch served as well? A) G & O Drugs B) Hugg the Druggist C) Katterjohn's Drugs.



12. A drive in, located on Hwy 45 in Lone Oak, Kentucky, was called the Paducah Drive In. It was distinctive because of the large Indian in a headdress painted on its front by an artist named Mr. Hargrove. What style, however, was the well known structure known by? A) Beaux Arts B) Art Deco C) Victorian.

**Answers:** 1-C; 2-B; 3-A, 4-A; 5-A; 6-A; 7-B; 8-B; 9-A; 10-A; 11-A; 12-B.