

# True or False

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Here are 50 true or false questions to answer.

1. The steam shovel on Gulf Road was not used to dig the Panama Canal.
2. The five-story cement silo on the east side of Asbury Road in Pavilion was used in airplane races.
3. The Creekside Restaurant was once a hat factory.
4. Jell-O once produced root beer flavored gelatin.
5. Oatka Creek was named Allen's Creek.
6. All the streets in Presidential Acres are named for U.S. presidents.
7. Clay Street is named for the clay deposits used to make brick.
8. Amelia Earhart did not fly into the Donald Woodward Airport.
9. Bacon Street is named for a man who had a butcher shop that made home-made sausage and smoked bacon.
10. Lapp Insulator manufactured porcelain dinnerware.
11. The islands south of the Clay Street bridge are man-made.
12. Sellinger on Myrtle Street manufactured beer.
13. Men were allowed to enroll in Ingham University.
14. An oil well was drilled in LeRoy.
15. Jacob LeRoy's sister was married to Noah Webster.
16. Donald Woodward died of a tick bite.
17. Wolcott Street was known as River Street.
18. The old fire hall on Bank Street burned down in a fire.
19. The LeRoy Ibexes were a track team.
20. The Village of LeRoy celebrated its bicentennial in 2012.
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22. Orator Woodward manufactured a cereal named "It."
23. One of the railroad lines through LeRoy was known as the "peanut line."
24. Henry Ford was arrested for speeding in LeRoy.
25. There was a cemetery near the Wolcott Street School.
26. German prisoners worked at the LeRoy Canning Company.
27. There are two huge cannons



*This wasn't an ordinary silo. What was it used for?*

28. The Baptist Church building has been physically moved twice.
29. Rough on Rats poison was manufactured in LeRoy.
30. The tower on the Municipal building was used to dry fire hose.
31. The Village of LeRoy had a president instead of a mayor.
32. Airplanes were assembled at the airport on Asbury Road.
33. There was a paper factory in LeRoy ..
34. Lake Street is named for Lake Ontario
35. The Mt. Morris Dam was built of stone quarried in LeRoy.
36. The building where the Jell-O Gallery is located was part of Ingham University.
37. The stuffed giraffe that was at Pontillo's Pizza is in the Jell-O Museum.
38. The Little League field was a football field.
39. LeRoy was once named for the goddess of war, Bellona.
40. The Lent family cemetery is

- buried near the Soldiers Monument on Trigon Park.
41. There were three railroad bridges across the creek in the village.
42. During the Civil War, soldiers were billeted in the stone factory on Church Street.
43. The Underground Railroad historic marker on Keeney Road is in the wrong place and will be moved soon.
44. Calvin Keeney of LeRoy developed the string bean.
45. LeRoy Bottling Works on Mill Street made a drink called "Zowie."
46. Jacob LeRoy grew giant broccoli.
47. Donald Woodward's third wife, Adelaide, was a famous private detective who worked on the Lindbergh baby kidnapping.
48. Jell-O is now owned by Heinz Foods of Pittsburgh.
49. LeRoy Plow Company made buzz saws and manure spreaders.
50. The Jell-O Gallery is open seven days a week.



*Was this steam shovel used to dig the Panama Canal?*



*Did Lapp Insulator make dishes? These tent tie downs at the Oatka Festival are an interesting use of old Lapp Insulators.*

45. Jell-O made Zowie.
44. He developed the string-less of the Union Free School.
36. It was the high school win.
- WW II for scrap.
27. They were dug up during its bicentennial until 2034.
20. The Village won't celebrate team.
19. The Ibexes were a baseball bite.
16. No he didn't die of a tick Webster.
15. She was married to Daniel a foundry on Bacon Street.
9. Bacon manufactured stoves in ry Clay of Kentucky.
7. Clay Street is named for Henry president.
6. Benjamin Franklin was not a atin for a while.
4. Jell-O sold cola flavored gelatin.

## ANSWERS

Most of the questions are true.