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The Three Quiz, KEY

Instructions: Match each explanation or definition on the right with the word or phrase with a reference to the number three on the left.

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| 1. _D_ 3 on the tree | A. any elaborate public affair |
| 2. _G_ 3 leaves, let it be. | B. and you're out. Baseball, co-opted by the justice sys. |
| 3. _A_ 3-ring circus | C. often followed by, "Me too." |
| 4. _H_ 3-D | D. stick shift on the steering column. 4 in the flo.' |
| 5. _J_ 3 score and 10 | E. one more than the ideal number which is 2, a couple |
| 6. _I_ 3 R's | F. inebriated; sheets are the ropes that secure the sails or the sails |
| 7. _E_ 3's a crowd | G. poison ivy, sumac, oak; But Va. creeper? |
| 8. _F_ 3 sheets in the wind | H. length, width, and depth; 3 dimensions; 4D=time; Fort Ti cannons |
| 9. _C_ "Me 3." | I. readin,' rittin,' and 'rithmatic |
| 10. _B_ 3 strikes | J. Bible's life span, 70 years; US avg. 76.4 and declining, '23 |

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| 1. _G_ triathlon | A. Athos, Portos, Aramis [d'Artagnan 4th] Alexandre Dumas, 1844 |
| 2. _J_ 3 parts of the atom | B. hat trick; ice hockey, soccer; fm. custom of giving cricketeer a new hat |
| 3. _B_ 3 goals in 1 game | C. Larry, Moe, Shemp; film comedy team; see below |
| 4. _H_ trifecta | D. <i>Lord of the Rings</i> , by JRR Tolkien, 1954-55, <i>The Hobbit</i> , 1937 |
| 5. _I_ Triple Crown | E. Neapolitan: vanilla, chocolate, strawberry; Naples, middle often gone |
| 6. _C_ 3 Stooges | F. Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; 3-in-One Oil? |
| 7. _A_ 3 <i>Musketeers</i> | G. a swim, bike, run competition; Iron Man, Hawaii; see below |
| 8. _D_ 3-volume fantasy | H. betting on 3 horses to win 1 st , place 2 nd , and show 3 rd ; any top prize |
| 9. _E_ 3-flavor ice cream | I. Kentucky Derby, Preakness, Belmont Stakes. Louisville, Baltimore, L. Is. NY |
| 10. _F_ Trinity | J. the electron, proton, and neutron. Nucleus? P, N, & the subatomic zoo |

Ironman distances involve a 2.4-mile swim, 112-mile bike, and 26.2-mile run.

3 Stooges: The film trio [1922-1970, made 190 short films] was originally composed of Moe Howard, brother Shemp Howard and longtime friend Larry Fine. Curly Howard replaced brother Shemp, who later returned when Curly suffered a debilitating stroke in 1946.

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