

**Lesson 412**

## Mechanics - Punctuation - Apostrophes

Do not confuse the *contractions* (it's, who's, they're, you're) with the *possessive pronouns* (its, whose, their, your).

**Instructions:** Choose the correct forms from the words in parentheses in the following sentences.

1. (It's, Its) about time you started looking for (your, you're) shoes.
2. (They're, their) coming at about nine for (they're, their) children.
3. (It's, Its) mouth was sore because (it's, its) chewing all the time.
4. (Whose, who's) briefcase will you be using for (your, you're) papers?
5. (Your, You're) going to be late, but (whose, who's) going to be on time?