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On Fri, 16 Jul 2004 23:21:30 +0000 (UTC), Aaron J. Dinkin <dinkin@babel.ling.upenn.edu> wrote:
> *Didn't someone in a.u.e and sci.lang propose this phonemic constrast for*
> *his own accent several weeks ago, on the basis of "writer" and "rider"*
> *(rather than have to interpret [*] as /t/ in one word and /d/ in the other).*

Yes, I did. I don't have the distinction among the -ire words, though (they're all roughly [AjR] or [AijR]).

-Scott