

**Contractions and Root Words—Laubach 3 #17**

**Put a line under the first word. You can see all of it. Write that word on the first line. Now look at what is left. What word got squished? Write that word on the second line.**

**couldn't** \_\_\_\_\_

**wasn't** \_\_\_\_\_

**it's** \_\_\_\_\_

**didn't** \_\_\_\_\_

**I'll** \_\_\_\_\_

**doesn't** \_\_\_\_\_

**you'll** \_\_\_\_\_

**don't** \_\_\_\_\_

**he's** \_\_\_\_\_

**I'm** \_\_\_\_\_

**Write the root word**

**angriest** \_\_\_\_\_

**hottest** \_\_\_\_\_

**easier** \_\_\_\_\_

**richest** \_\_\_\_\_