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- No. 1** ☆ : Hello, sir. Welcome to Minnie's Motors. Are you looking for a new car?
 ★ : Yes, actually, I am. My wife and I just had another baby, so we need a bigger one than we have now.
 ☆ : Well, we have several family-sized cars in the showroom. Would you like to see some?
 ★ : Sure. Please show me the way.
Question: What do we learn about the man?
- No. 2** ☆ : Thank you for taking my dog out for a walk, Timmy.
 ★ : You're welcome, Mrs. Flanders. I love dogs. I wish my parents would move into an apartment big enough for a dog.
 ☆ : Well, my dog doesn't like most people, but it really likes you.
 ★ : Yeah, I get along well with dogs. They seem to know I like them.
Question: What do we learn about the woman's dog?
- No. 3** ☆ : David, I think there's something wrong with my computer.
 ★ : Can you get it to start?
 ☆ : I could yesterday, but it won't start today. Luckily, I saved all my data to a disc last weekend while the computer was still working.
 ★ : That's good. Hopefully you can get it fixed. It might be easier to just buy a new computer if it's a hardware problem, though.
Question: What is the woman's problem?

- No. 4** ☆ : Do you want to go to the Falcons game tonight, Dan? I have an extra ticket.
 ★ : No, thanks. I don't like watching baseball at the ballpark.
 ☆ : Why? I thought you were a big Falcons fan.
 ★ : I am, but I'd rather watch their games on TV. When I go to the ballpark, it's hard for me to see the game. It's easier to see what's happening on TV at home.
Question: Why won't the man go to the baseball game?
- No. 5** ☆ : Berkshire History Museum.
 ★ : Hello. What are the advantages of getting a year-long membership to the museum?
 ☆ : Well, you get free admission to the museum for one year and a discount at the gift shop.
 ★ : OK. That sounds pretty good. Can I buy a membership on the phone?
 ☆ : I'm sorry, but you'll need to come down to the museum office. We have to take your picture for the membership card.
Question: What is one advantage of becoming a member at the museum?
- No. 6** ★ : Hello. I'm Benjamin. Today's my first day of work here. I was told to speak to Betty Bernard.
 ☆ : That's me. I'll be training you today, Benjamin. I'm going to show you how to arrange the customer files.
 ★ : OK. What do we have to do with them?
 ☆ : First, we arrange them by country. Once we've done that, we're going to make photocopies of each file.
Question: What will the man do first?
- No. 7** ☆ : Excuse me, sir. I have a package for Ms. Hardy. Could

you tell me where her office is?

★ : Sure. Ms. Hardy's office is on the third floor, Room 305. You'll need to write down your name and phone number at the security desk before you can go upstairs, though.

☆ : No problem. Where do I do that?

★ : Right over there, ma'am.

Question: What will the woman do next?

No. 8 ☆ : Larry, where's this month's sales report? Did you forget to do it again?

★ : No, Ms. Brown. The San Francisco office still hasn't sent me their sales data for this month. I can't complete the report until I get those numbers.

☆ : OK. I'll call them later this morning and see if I can get them to send the data today.

★ : Thanks, Ms. Brown. That would be a big help.

Question: Why hasn't the man finished the sales report?

No. 9 ★ : Alice, do you know anything about laser eye surgery? I'm considering getting it done.

☆ : Really? I didn't know you had poor eyesight. I've never seen you wearing glasses.

★ : I normally wear contact lenses. But I don't like them because they hurt my eyes.

☆ : Oh, I see. Well, I don't know anything about laser surgery. You should talk to an eye doctor.

Question: What is one thing the man says?

No. 10 ☆ : Dad, you'll be 67 years old next month. Do you ever think about retiring?

★ : No, not really. I love my job. And if I stop working, I'll need to find a hobby to keep me active, like gardening.

I hate having nothing to do.

☆ : Well, it's good that you like your work. I hope I feel that way someday, too.

★ : Don't worry, Linda. I'm sure you'll find a job you enjoy.

Question: What is one thing we learn about the man?

No. 11 ☆ : Welcome to the Salas Mountain Visitors' Center. How can I help you?

★ : I'm planning on hiking up the mountain. I was wondering if you have any trail maps.

☆ : Yes, we do. Unfortunately though, all the trails on Salas Mountain are closed today. We're expecting a thunderstorm this afternoon, and conditions could become dangerous.

★ : I see. I guess I'll have to try another time, then.

Question: Why can't the man climb to the top of Salas Mountain?

No. 12 ☆ : Hello.

★ : Mom, it's Eddie. I'm using my computer to call you. How are you?

☆ : Eddie? Speak up, I can hardly hear you.

★ : Hold on. There, is that better? I said I'm using my computer to call you. I downloaded some new computer software, and I'm testing it out.

☆ : Oh, that's much better. You sound like you're sitting right here.

Question: What is the man doing?

No. 13 ☆ : Wow, what a summer this is! I never thought backpacking through Europe would be so much fun. Let's go to France tomorrow.

★ : Actually, I'd really like to stay here in Berlin for a

couple more days.

☆ : Really? Well, I guess we could each travel alone for a while and then meet up again later.

★ : Yeah, good idea. Let's meet up in Paris sometime next week.

Question: What do the man and woman decide to do next?

No. 14 ★ : I hate going to the mall on Saturdays. There are never any parking spots. We should have stayed home and watched the football game.

☆ : Relax, honey. Keep driving around and we'll find a place to park. Look—a car's pulling out just ahead of us.

★ : Finally. I thought we'd have to drive around looking all morning.

☆ : See, I told you we'd find a spot. You just need to be more patient.

Question: What was the couple trying to find?

No. 15 ★ : Excuse me. Your T-shirt says "Save the Eggs." What does that mean?

☆ : Sea turtles lay their eggs on this beach. But a company is planning to build condominiums here. The beach and the turtles need to be protected.

★ : Condominiums? Here? That's terrible! Actually, if you had some more information, I'd be interested in helping out, too.

☆ : That's great! Please read this pamphlet, and be sure to visit our website.

Question: What is the man interested in doing?

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No. 16 Neil is a college student, and he lives in a different city from his parents. Last week, he called his mother to tell her some news. He said that he would not be coming home during his summer vacation because he found a job at a bookstore near his college. Neil is going to work there until school starts again in September.

Question: What is one thing Neil told his mother last week?

No. 17 Last year, Oliver and Polly bought an old house and did a lot of repair work on it. They were also thinking about buying new carpets. When they took out the old ones, though, they were surprised to discover wooden floors under them. The floors were so beautiful that they decided they did not need carpets.

Question: What did Oliver and Polly discover about the house they bought?

No. 18 Good afternoon, students. My name is Peter Morton, and I'll be your professor for this European-history class. I look forward to getting to know each of you. I'd like to ask that you use the same seat during every lecture. That will help me remember your names. Thank you. Now, let's begin today's lecture.

Question: What does the professor ask the students to do?

No. 19 Robert Ballard is famous for being the man who discovered the *Titanic* under the sea in 1985. Nowadays, when he searches for ships on the bottom of the ocean, he uses underwater cameras connected to the Internet to send

live videos to viewers in many different places. This helps him share new discoveries with people around the world very quickly.

Question: Why does Robert Ballard use underwater cameras connected to the Internet?

No. 20 Nancy is a photographer. One day, she got a call from an organic restaurant in her town. They wanted her to take some pictures of their food for a newspaper advertisement. While she was taking photos, she tasted some of the food. It was delicious, so she started going to the restaurant to eat. It has become her favorite, and she has taken several of her friends there as well.

Question: How did Nancy find her favorite restaurant?

No. 21 Attention, everyone. I know you're all busy getting ready for our presentation at EPS Computers, but I just received a telephone call from its company president, Paul Nixon. He wants us to give the presentation two days earlier than we expected. That means you have to be ready by Monday, not Wednesday. If you can't finish everything by Monday, please talk to me.

Question: What does the speaker say?

No. 22 In the past, travelers had to plan their trips by themselves. In 1841, however, an Englishman named Thomas Cook had the idea of organizing a train trip and having people pay to join it. He offered them a package tour that included train tickets and food. Later, he started a travel agency, and it became very successful. Many people say it was the first one

in the world.

Question: What do many people say about Thomas Cook?

No. 23 Norman is a member of his college's tennis team. He has a strong serve, and he plays very well in practice. In actual matches, however, he often gets so nervous that he plays very poorly. His coach has told him many times that if he learned to relax, he could be the best player on the team.

Question: Why does Norman often play poorly during actual matches?

No. 24 Yesterday, Sarah bought some new clothes. After she left the store, she looked at the receipt. She thought the price seemed too high, so she went back in and asked the clerk if the receipt was correct. The store had charged her too much for one of the blouses she bought. Sarah was glad she checked the receipt carefully.

Question: What happened to Sarah at the store?

No. 25 Good morning, and thank you for visiting the Green Vista Building today. We have three types of apartments, and each one is a different size. Although this is a brand-new building, a few people have already moved in, so please be quiet in the hallways. We hope you'll enjoy your visit and think about moving into the Green Vista Building.

Question: What is one thing we learn about the Green Vista Building?

No. 26 Before many traditional wedding ceremonies in India, the

hands and feet of the bride are decorated with beautiful designs called mehndi. The designs are symbols of love and happiness. Usually, the bride's female family members and friends gather together, and mehndi are drawn on the skin of the bride.

Question: What is one thing that happens before many traditional Indian wedding ceremonies?

No. 27 Stanley works full time at his parents' shoe store, but he wants to go back to school to learn to be a web designer. Stanley's parents want him to take over the family business, but Stanley is not interested in working in a store. He has decided to work for his parents for a few more months until they can find someone to take over his job.

Question: What has Stanley decided to do?

No. 28 Buffalo wings are a kind of food that is popular in the United States, but they are not made from buffalo meat. They are actually chicken wings served with a sauce called Buffalo sauce. Buffalo wings got their name because they were first made in the city of Buffalo.

Question: What is one thing that we learn about Buffalo wings?

No. 29 Tricia likes her job, but she has one co-worker named Mike who never stops talking. She knows he is trying to be friendly, but he often comes to chat with her when she is busy. She does not want to tell Mike to go away because she thinks it might hurt his feelings. She plans to ask her boss for advice about her problem.

Question: What problem does Tricia have?

No. 30 Max is an American high school student. He studied abroad in England for six months, and he learned to play rugby there. When he got home, he decided to start his own rugby team. When looking for players, he was surprised to learn that there was another team in a nearby town. After he found enough players, he scheduled a match with the other team.

Question: Why was Max surprised?

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