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https://www.100test.com/kao_ti2020/501/2021_2022__E6_88_90_E 8_80_83_E4_B8_93_E5_c66_501198.htm 121. He enjoys the liberties hard won over centuries by the alliance of philosophic genius and political heroism, consecrated by the blood of martyrs (烈士); he is provided with comport and leisure by the most productive economy ever known to mankind; science has penetrated the secrets of nature in order to provide him with the marvellous, life like electronic sound and image reproductions he is enjoying. 122. Each highbrow did and does congratulate himself on being unique in his unlikeness to other men; and conversely each lowbrow now congratulate himself on being in some mystical way unique in his likeness-on being, so to say, outstandingly average and extraordinarily ordinary. 123. As for the lowbrows ' claim to be specially "human", I for one have never been able to understand why it should be "inhuman" to use the faculties that distinguish us from pigs and geese and "human" to use those which we share with the lower animals. 124. There is no disputing, says the proverb

, about taste-though , in fact , human beings spend at least half their leisure doing nothing else-and if highbrowism and lowbrowism were exclusively (as it is certain that they are in great part) matters of individual taste , there would be no more to say about them than what I have said in the preceding lines. 125. Thus I desire a great deal less pleasure from jazz and thrillers than from the music , let us say

, of Beethoven (贝多芬) or the novels, for example, of

Dostoievsky ; and the sex appeal of the girls on the covers of magazines seems to me less thrilling than the more complicated appeal to a great variety of feelings made by a Rubens , an El Greco

, a Constable , a Seurat. 126. One need only ask first-year university students what music they listen to , how much of it and what it means to them , in order to discover that the phenomenon is universal in America , that it begins in adolescence or a bit before and continues through the college years. 127. They start , like the pharisee in the parable , by thanking God that the are not as other men are , and proceed to paint a picture of those other men

, hardly more flattering than that which Swift painted of the Yahoos. 128. Each time the dream was a promise out of our ancient articles of faith , phrases from the constitution , lines from the great anthem of the nation , guarantees from the Bill of Rights , all ending with a vision that they might one day all come true 129. For many the day seemed an adventure , a long outing in the late summer sun-part liberation from home , part Sunday school picnic , part political convention , and part fish fry. 130. It may not "look to it" at once

, since it is looking to so many things, but it will be a long time before it forgets the melodious (悦耳的) and melancholy (忧郁 的) voice of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther Jr., crying out his dreams to the multitude (大众)。 131. Above all, they got over Lincoln 's point that " the necessity of being ready increase", for they left no doubt that this was not the climax of their campaign for equality but merely the beginning, that they were going to stay in the streets

until they could get equality in the schools, restaurants, houses

and employment agencies of the nation, and that, as they demonstrated here today, they had found an effective way to demonstrate for changes in the laws without breaking the law themselves. 132. Although we apparently have a need for REM sleep

, judging from the fact that our bodies automatically compensate for a loss of it, what REM sleep actually does for us is not clear. 133. Coming out while you were poised unsteadily on the icy, springy brush they made difficult shooting and I killed two, missed five

, and started back pleased to have found a covey to the house and happy there were so many left to find on another day. 134. More important to them, though, is that it gives them some places where they can borrow money at a cost that is usually a good deal less than at the small-loan agency, or the installment house, or indeed most places. 135. That sex ratio will be favored which maximizes the number of descendants an individual will have and hence the number of gene copies transmitted. 136. Temporary shortages do occur, but Simon and other boomsters (兴旺论者) argue that as long as government doesn't interfere-by mandating (指令) conservation or setting price controls (价格) -people will find alternative (代用品)。 137. He seldom ignores that many potential votes, and it did not escape the notice of congressmen that these Negro organizations, some of which had almost as much trouble getting out a crowd as the Washington Senators several years ago, were now capable of organizing the largest demonstrating throng (群众) ever gathered at one spot in the District of Columbia..... 138. Towards the end of the century there was still

considerable argument over whether books should be used for information or treated respectfully, and over whether the reading of material such as newspapers was in some way mentally weakening. 139. However, whatever its virtues, the old shared literacy culture had gone and was replaced by the printed mass media (宣传工具) on the one hand and by books and magazines for a specialized readership on the other. 140. By the end of the century students were being recommended to adopt attitudes to books and to use skills in reading them which were inappropriate, if not impossible, for the oral reader. 100Test 下载频道开通,各类考试题目直接下载。 详细请访问 www.100test.com