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1. The cause of the disease is fairly simple and has been understood for over a century. by contrast, its symptoms and effects are _____. A straightforward B illuminating C severe D well researched E perplexing 参考答案：E 由by contrast可推论出空格内容与simple相反，因而正确选项为E。 考试大收集整理 参考译文：该疾病的病因非常明了，一个多世纪以来一直为人们所了解，而其症状和效应却令人困惑。

2. Throughout the artist ' s work there runs a thread of psychic darkness strong enough to unnerve the most added sensibility: even her drawings from the comparatively ____ months of her visit to Rome ____ violence, secrecy, and despair. A tranquil...emanate B morbid...convey C languid...eschew D disturbed...express E felicitous...shun 参考答案：A 由冒号后内容对之前内容（在该艺术家的作品中弥漫着一丝心灵上的阴暗，足以让最为理性的人失控）起解释作用可推论空格1应为正评价，即对应于sensibility，从而可排除BCD（反义），而E的选项1含义并不对应，因而正确选项为A。 参考译文：在该艺术家的作品中弥漫着一丝心灵上的阴暗，足以让最为理性的人失控：即便在她到罗马旅游那段相对平静的日子中的画作也弥漫着暴力，秘密与绝望。

百考试题收集 3. Even among the staid, unemotional denominations of the 1830s and 1840s, the renewal of religious fervor and the necessity of competing with more ____ clerics inevitably led to a greater ____ ministerial showmanship. A

charismatic...cultivation of B reserved...attraction to C well-known
...disdain for D conservative...appeal for E empathetic...distrust of
参考答案：A 可由renewal of religious fervor所在的并列结构推
论出空格1应为正评价，因而排除BDE；而由主句内容（宗教
热情的复萌以及与更为有魅力的牧师的必然竞争不可避免地
加剧了）可推论出空格2亦为正评价，因而排除C。 考试大整
理 参考译文：即便在1830和1840年代那些沉着而无感情的教
派中，宗教热情的复萌以及与更为有魅力的牧师的必然竞争
不可避免地加剧了对于执政中表演技巧的培养。 4.

Tuberculosis has long been ____ and ____ disease: for thousands of
tears, it has continued to afflict humankind without regard for sex,
class, occupation, or race. A an unremitting...0selective B an
unpredictable...limitable C a sporadic...capricious D a relentless
...egalitarian E a virulent...preventable 参考答案：C 由冒号后内
容对之前内容起解释作用，可由冒号后内容（不分性别、阶
层、职业和种族）排除ABDE；或由空格1与空格2的并列结构
亦可排除DE。 参考译文：肺结核长久以来都是散发而多变
的：几千年来，它不分性别、阶层、职业和种族折磨着人类

。 5. He found his new acquaintance to be ____: trying to understand
her personality was like peering into an unknown dimension. A
puerile B imperturbable C cosmopolitan D inscrutable E obdurate
参考答案：D 冒号后内容对之前的内容起解释作用，可由冒
号后内容（了解她的性格就如同窥视未知的领域）排除ABCDE
。 参考译文：他发现他的新相识的朋友难于了解：试图了解
她的性格就如同窥视位置的领域。 6. The writer has gained such
popularity with his readers that even his inanities are now considered

_____. A vacuous B tedious C speculative D allusive E trenchant 参考答案：E 可由主句（作家在读者中如此受欢迎）推论出为空格内容应为正评价，且与inanities（空洞，无意义）含义相反，因而正确答案为E。参考译文：该作家在读者中如此受欢迎，甚至连他的空洞之言都被认为是一针见血的。

7. The biographer's intense emotional involvement with his subject did not ____ objectivity, since the passionate engagement fostered deep knowledge that was ultimately necessary for truly ____ judgment. A preclude...disinterested B encourage...fair C impede...partisan D advance...pragmatic E admit...reasonable 参考答案：A 可由since后内容（全情投入能带来深刻的知识，而此等知识对于判断终是必需的）可推断出对主句内容关于objectivity（客观性）应为正评价，因而did not后面内容应表否定，可排除BDE；而truly后内容应为正评价，因而正确答案为A。参考译文：传记作家对于其题材强烈的情感投入并不妨碍客观，因为全情投入能带来深刻的知识，而此等知识对于真正客观的判断终是必需的。

8. DISK:FLAT:: A liquid: viscous B angle: wide C orb: spherical D mineral: valuable E vapor: noxious 参考答案：C 圆盘：平的=球：球状的（事物及其特点）

9. PROPOSAL:ADOPT:: A request: grant B legislation: amend C rebuff: conciliate D authorization: control E license: revoke 参考答案：A 建议：采纳=请求：授予（动作及其目的，且均为被动含义）词汇释义：request: 《Webster》 to ask as a favor or privilege grant: 《Webster》 to permit as a right, privilege, or favor

10. FRIGHTEN:TERRIFY:: A lure: entice B refuse: deny C conceal: hide D forgive: pardon E anger: infuriate 参考答案：E 使害怕：使

惊恐=使生气：使极为愤怒（动作程度）词汇释义：anger:《Webster》 to make angry ACD均为同义；B中refuse为拒绝，而deny为拒绝给予 11.VACCINATE:DISEASE:: A operate: recovery B suture: healing C diagnose: treatment D anesthetize: sensation E amputate: therapy 参考答案：D 使免疫：疾病=使麻醉：感觉（消除关系） 12.LOCK:SECURE:: A drapery: suspend B hinge: tighten C door: close D cable: coil E tarpaulin: protect 参考答案：E 锁：确保安全=油布：保护（事物及其作用） 13.GROUNDLESS:SUBLIMATION:: A incredible: plausibility B germane: cogency C artless: ingenuousness D grave: sobriety E forthright: truthfulness 参考答案：A 无根据的：证明=难以置信的/不可信的：似乎合理性（缺乏关系） 14.THRONG:DENSENESS:: A caricature: exaggeration B travesty: acclaim C morsel: bulk D emulsion: purity E morass: unity 参考答案：A 人群：密集=讽刺画：夸张（事物及其特点） 15.GRUFFNESS:CONVIVIAL:: A compliancy: unwary B truculence: vicious C flippancy: earnest D erudition: urbane E despondency: hopeless 参考答案：C 粗鲁：友善=轻浮：认真（反义关系） 词汇释义：convivial: 《Webster》 relating to, occupied with, or fond of feasting, drinking, and good company
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