

**Part A** *Short Conversations*

**Directions:** You will hear short conversations between two people. After each conversation, you will hear a question. Read the four possible answers and choose the best answer to the question.

1. *What kind of film will the man stop seeing?*

- (A) About murder.
- (B) About love.
- (C) About humanity.
- (D) About music.



2. *Where does this conversation most probably take place?*

- (A) In an office.
- (B) In a restaurant.
- (C) In a theater.
- (D) In a cafe.

3. *What did the woman do?*

- (A) Making a purchase.
- (B) Running.
- (C) Studying.
- (D) Investigating.

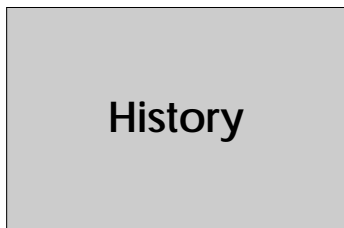
4. *How much does one chair cost?*

- (A) \$ 35.
- (B) \$ 65.
- (C) \$ 20.
- (D) \$ 55.

**Directions:** Look at the pictures as you listen to the academic lecture. After the lecture, read the questions below and choose the best answer(s) to the question.

► Listen to a lecture in a history class. The professor is talking about a balloon journey.

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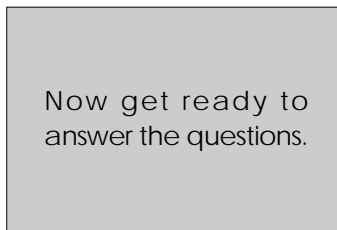
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5. *When was the event held?*
  - (A) On July 1, 1815.
  - (B) On July 1, 1859.
  - (C) On June 1, 1915.
  - (D) On August 1, 1950.
6. *When were the cords cut?*
  - (A) At 7:30.
  - (B) At 7:50.
  - (C) At 7:15.
  - (D) At 7:00.
7. *Where did the balloon sink toward in the hurricane?*
  - (A) Lake Erie.
  - (B) Lake Ontario.
  - (C) The Atlantic Ocean.
  - (D) Niagara Falls.
8. *How fast was the balloon traveling during the trip?*
  - (A) 50 miles an hour.
  - (B) 90 miles an hour.
  - (C) 1,200 miles a day.
  - (D) 60 miles an hour.
9. *What did Mr. Wise believe after the trip?*
  - (A) He believed that to cross the U. S. would be possible.
  - (B) He believed that the rate of 90 miles an hour was possible.
  - (C) He believed that it would be possible to cross the Atlantic Ocean.
  - (D) He believed that to cross the ocean is difficult in such a balloon.

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