

- ❖ Consider the case of Jaycee Chan, the son of the martial arts movie star Jackie Chan. He was detained for possession of marijuana in Beijing on July 14, 2014. Police recovered more than 100 grams of marijuana at his house in Beijing. He and a long list of celebrities who had been recently arrested for drugs remind us of one of the serious problem facing China: illegal drug use, which exploded in recent decades.
- ❖ 关键词: Jaycee Chan marijuana
- ❖ 适合题目: 4

Man's indecent act costs him his job



❖ A recent example is the scandal of a 38-year-old man sexually harrassing a yong woman on a Metro Line 9 train in Shanghai on June 29, 2014. The indecent act was videoed by a passenger and uploaded on the Internet. The man was tracked down as an executive at the state-owned Jinjiang Travel Agency. The scandal has since sparked outrage at sexual harrassment. The man was later expelled from the Party and dismissed from his job. The scandal should deter perverts from molesting women in public places.

关键词: sexually harrass molest

适合题目: 4



- ❖ Consider Guo Meimei, one of China's most high-profile social media celebrities, who was detained by police last month for operating an illegal gambling den. She first gained notoriety in 2011 after she posted photos of herself posing with luxury sports cars and designer bags on a Weibo account that identified her as a commercial general manager for the Chinese Red Cross. The photos sparked widespread outrage about how a charity worker could sustain such a lavish lifestyle, leading to a public cry for overhauling the state-backed charity.

关键词：celebrity

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Shanghai Husi Food Co Ltd accused of selling expired meat



- ❖ A recent example is the food safety scandal of Shanghai Husi Food. It was accused by a TV documentary of mixing expired meat with fresh produce and forging production dates. The scandal prompted OSI Group, its parent company, to withdraw from the marketplace all products made by Shanghai Husi. The scandal alerted the authorities to address public concerns over food safety in China. Regulators has since toughened supervision over food production.
- ❖ 关键词： Shanghai Husi Food OSI
- ❖ 适合题目： 4

Percy Spencer (1894 – 1970)



- ❖ For instance, the microwave oven did not come about as a result of someone trying to find a better and faster way to cook. It is an accidental by-product of military research. In 1946, while working on the magnetron, a vacuum tube that produces microwaves, Dr. Percy Spencer noticed that radar waves had melted a candy bar in his pocket. Experiments showed that microwave heating could raise the internal temperature of many foods far more rapidly than a conventional oven. This accidental discovery led to the invention of microwave oven.
- ❖ 关键词： Dr. Percy Spencer magnetron
- ❖ 适合题目： 36, 56

Jane Goodall (1934.4.3 --)

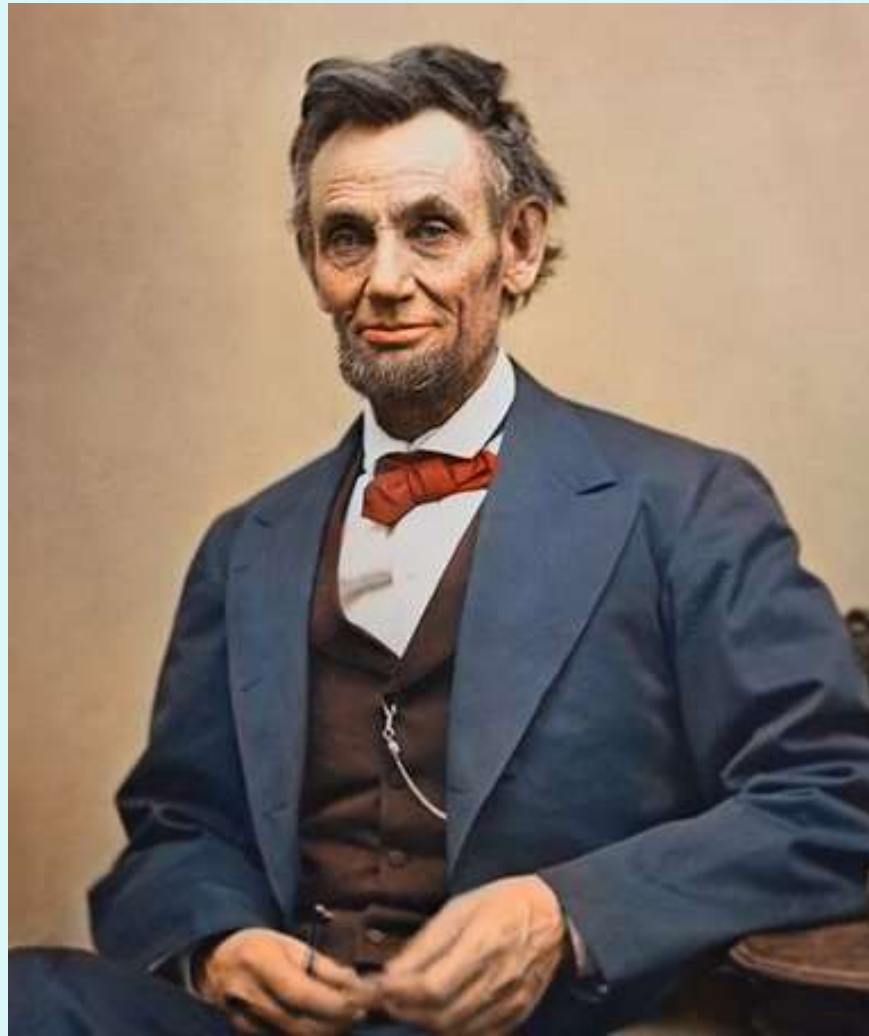


- ❖ Take Jane Goodall, the British primatologist and anthropologist, who is considered to be the world's foremost expert on chimpanzees. Goodall dedicated 38 years to the study of social and family life of wild chimpanzees in Africa. Her decades-long observation sheds new light on chimpanzees and challenged two long-standing beliefs: that only humans could construct and use tools, and that chimpanzees were vegetarians. Today, Goodall devotes virtually all of her time to advocacy on behalf of chimpanzees and the environment, travelling nearly 300 days a year.

关键词: Jane Goodall chimpanzee

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Abraham Lincoln (1809.2.12—1865.4.15)





❖ A good example is Abraham Lincoln, the 16th president of the United States, who led the country through its Civil War. His will to win the war never flagged despite enormous battle casualties and much political opposition, a substantial amount of it coming from members of his cabinet and from among the Radical Republicans. Unswerving in his goal of restoring the Union, he eventually defeated the secessionists, reunited the nation, abolished slavery and strengthened the federal government.

❖ 关键词: Abraham Lincoln

❖ 适合题目: 62

Ludwig van Beethoven (1770 - 1827)



- ❖ A prime example is Ludwig van Beethoven, the greatest German composer. He began to lose his hearing when he was only 26, which brought him to the brink of despair. But he came to terms with his deafness in a positive way. In a letter to his friend, he wrote, “I will seize fate by the throat. It will not wholly conquer me!” Relying on his memory of sounds, he finished his most enduring and beautiful works, including the monumental Ninth Symphony.
- ❖ 关键词： Ludwig van Beethoven Ninth Symphony
- ❖ 适合题目： 62

Jane Goodall



❖ Consider Jane Goodall, who began her study of chimpanzee social and family life in Africa, in 1960. Without collegiate training directing her research, Goodall observed things that strict scientific doctrines may have overlooked. Instead of numbering the chimpanzees she observed, she gave them names such as Fifi and David Greybeard. She observed them to have unique and individual personalities, an unconventional idea at the time. Based on her observation, she challenged two long-standing beliefs: that only humans could construct and use tools, and that chimpanzees were vegetarians.

❖ 适合题目： 27,108,110

Luciano Pavarotti (1935-2007)



❖ Interest should be the first consideration when one chooses his field of study. When Luciano Pavarotti was young, he loved singing, but his parents desired that he find something more financially secure than a singing career. So he entered a teachers' college and became a teacher after graduation. But Pavarotti didn't excel at teaching and gradually grew bored with the vocation. At the same time music was calling to him. Two years later he gave up teaching and chose to be a singer and eventually became the greatest opera singer of his generation. God may have kissed Pavarotti's vocal cord, but it is interest that led him to the top in opera singing.

❖ 关键词: Luciano Pavarotti

❖ 适合题目: 39, 15, 20, 32, 35, 98, 129, 135, 136, 137

Bruce Lee (1940 - 1973)



- ❖ Consider Bruce Lee, the late king of kung fu. In the long history of martial arts, what most martial artists did was to follow and imitate. Bruce Lee, however, didn't follow his predecessors blindly but did something new --- he added philosophy, western boxing and fencing to create a new form of martial arts: Jeet Kune Do, which is seen as his greatest contribution to martial arts.
- ❖ 关键词: Bruce Lee martial arts Jeet Kune Do
- ❖ 适合题目: 9, 143

Isadora Duncan (1878 - 1927)



- ❖ Another example is Isadora Duncan. She moved away from rigid ballet technique and towards what she perceived as natural movement. She took inspiration from ancient Greece art and combined it with an American love of freedom. This is exemplified in her revolutionary costume of a white Grecian tunic and bare feet. It was this philosophy and new dance technique that earned her the title of the creator of modern dance.
- ❖ 关键词： Isadora Duncan
- ❖ 适合题目： 9, 143

Coco Chanel (1883-1971)

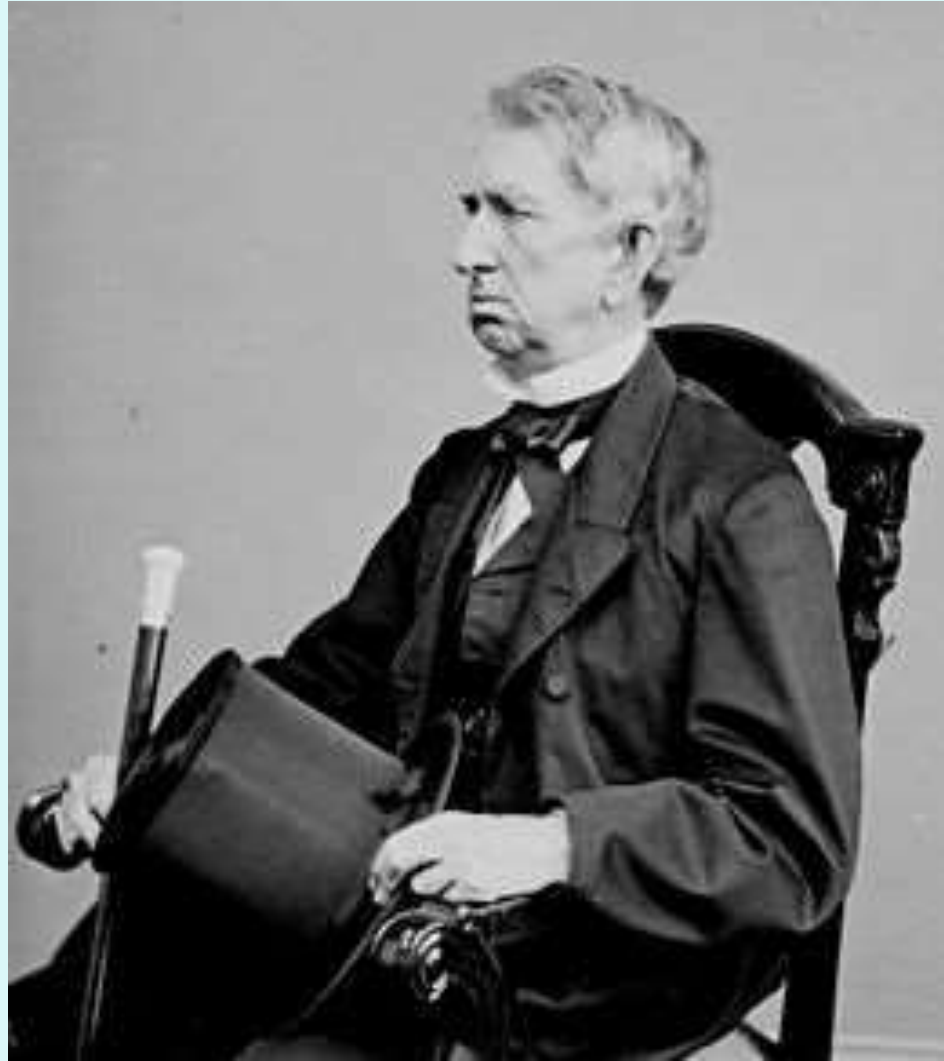


❖ One must always be different to make considerable contribution in any field. Consider the success of Coco Chanel, the French fashion designer and founder of the Chanel brand. In 1909, she opened her first business, a hat shop. The shop sold simple, streamlined hats that were the complete opposite of the big, elaborate headdresses then in fashion. It turned out that her instinct was right. Ladies in Paris were ready for a change and Chanel's hats became an instant success.

❖ 关键词：Coco Chanel

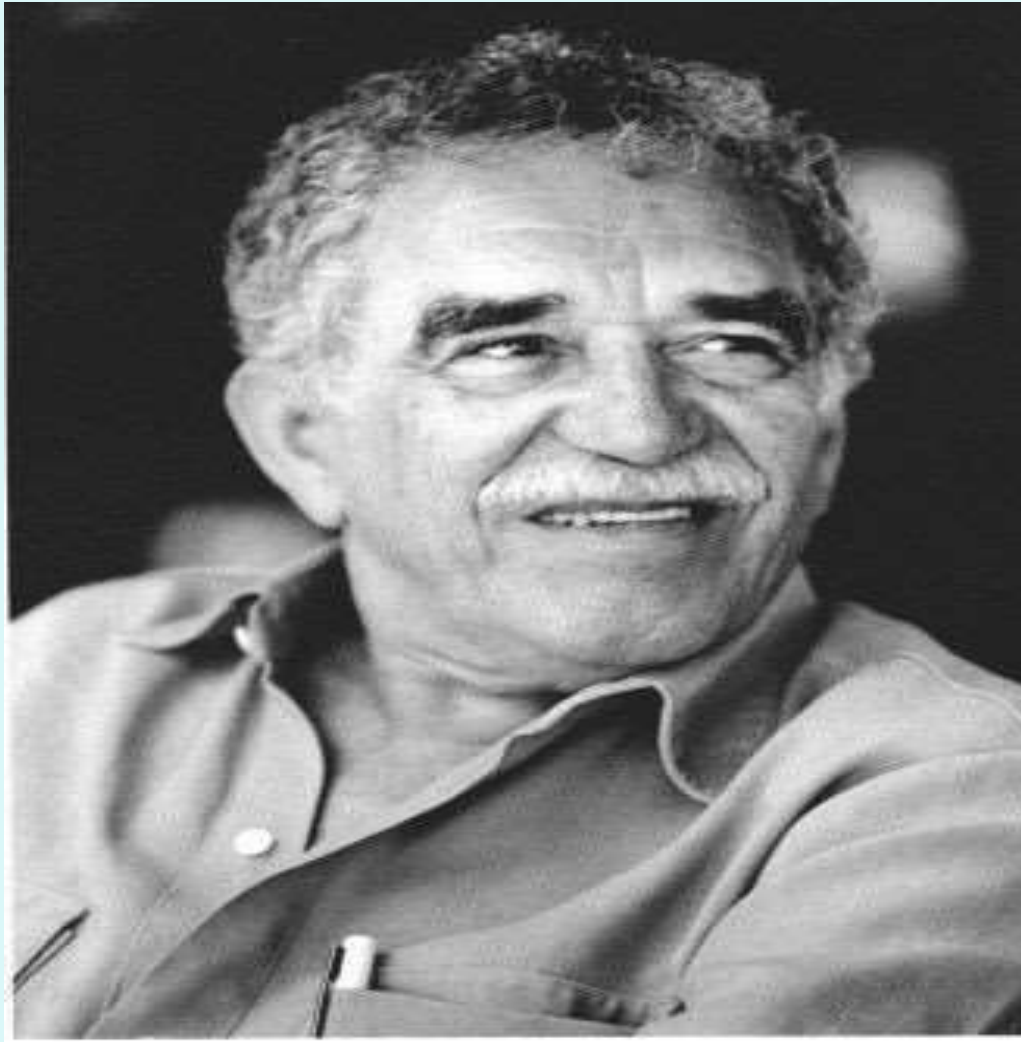
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William Henry Seward (1801 - 1872)



- ❖ William Henry Seward, the U.S. Secretary of State, is a good example. On March 30, 1867, he completed negotiations with Russia, which involved the purchase of Alaska for \$7.2 million, or approximately two cents per acre. The purchase was mocked by the public as “Seward’s Folly”, “Seward’s Icebox”, and Andrew Johnson’s “polar bear garden”. When asked what he considered to be his greatest achievement as Secretary of State, Seward replied “The purchase of Alaska --- but it will take the people a generation to find it out.”
- ❖ 关键词： William Henry Seward
- ❖ the purchase of Alaska
- ❖ 适合题目： 41, 50, 86, 139

Márquez



- ❖ Take Gabriel García Márquez, the most popular Spanish-language author in the world. His *One Hundred Years of Solitude* has been acclaimed as a masterpiece since its release in 1967. The novel became an instant bestseller in Latin America and was equally successful in English. He was awarded the Nobel Prize in literature in 1982.
- ❖ 关键词: Gabriel García Márquez
- ❖ *One Hundred Years of Solitude*
- ❖ 适合题目: 41

Franz Peter Schubert (1797 - 1828)



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