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| **问题 1** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508459_1','1')) |
|  | The Philadelphia Public Ledger regarded the rebirth of St. Valentine’s Day a \_\_\_ sign. |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 1 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | quixotic | |  | B. | disappointing | |  | C. | positive | |  | D. | commercial | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 2 文本**问题 2** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508460_1','2')) |
|  | “A Yale student spoke of a ‘general mania’ for valentines in New Haven already in 1842, though he himself tried to affect dispassion about the hubbub” (ll. 95-97) .What was Yale students' attitude towards St. Valentine's Day? |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 2 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | They regarded it as a loss of “soul-play”. | |  | B. | They believed the mania would fade rapidly. | |  | C. | They liked it and observed it with great passion. | |  | D. | They thought it a good chance to make money. | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 3 文本**问题 3** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508461_1','3')) |
|  | “… these salespeople were actually ‘forced, in a majority of cases, to explain … the use to be made of the curious missives, and to make a minute of the particular season for which they were prepared’” (ll. 42-45). In the 1840s, salespeople \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 3 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | made great efforts to introduce valentines to Americans | |  | B. | were excited about the sale of valentines in America | |  | C. | were busy making valentine cards and gifts in February | |  | D. | tried hard to make the missives as curious as possible | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 4 文本**问题 4** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508462_1','4')) |
|  | “The transatlantic crossing had diluted most British saints’ days, and there was no reason to think that St. Valentine would not fade with other champions of the faith who had likewise become notable mostly for folk divination, love charms, or doling ─ St. Agnes, St. Anne, St. Faith, St. Simon, and St. Thomas” (ll. 4-9). It can be inferred from the above sentence that \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 4 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | just like some other saint's days, St. Valentine's Day was officially banned in America | |  | B. | it was natural for St. Valentine's Day to fade after the immigrants came to the New World | |  | C. | just like other saints' days, it was necessary for St. Valentine's Day to change if it wanted to be accepted by Americans | |  | D. | all saints' days were related to religions different from the American official religion | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 5 文本**问题 5** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508463_1','5')) |
|  | American valentine dealers\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ around 1840s. |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 5 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | liked to write love poems on Valentine's Day | |  | B. | made great contributions to American popular culture | |  | C. | made a lot of money from selling their product | |  | D. | had great difficulty in selling their product | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 6 文本**问题 6** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508464_1','6')) |
|  | The Boston Daily Evening Transcript regretted that \_\_\_\_. (ll. 79-82) |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 6 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | Americans had been cheated by the British valentine dealers | |  | B. | Americans had relied heavily on British advanced technology | |  | C. | the American way of observing St. Valentine's Day was too commercialized | |  | D. | American businessmen could have earned more from the valentine business | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 7 文本**问题 7** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508465_1','7')) |
|  | The ironic aspect of the rebirth of St. Valentine’s Day in the U.S.A. lies in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 7 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | Americans' amazing accepting and adapting ability | |  | B. | Americans' quixotic attitude towards the Day | |  | C. | people's too much calculation on commercial profits | |  | D. | the combination of commerce and romance | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 8 文本**问题 8** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508466_1','8')) |
|  | St. Patrick’s Day didn’t disappear from the American calendar due to \_\_\_\_ reasons. |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 8 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | ethnical | |  | B. | political | |  | C. | religious | |  | D. | commercial | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 9 文本**问题 9** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508467_1','9')) |
|  | Which of the following statement is true according to the fifth paragraph? |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 9 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | The passion for Valentine's Day cooled down in 1840. | |  | B. | The press overestimated the dimensions of valentine vogue in the United States. | |  | C. | The post office contributed to making valentines an enduring American holiday custom. | |  | D. | Sending valentines became extremely fashionable after 1840. | |  |  |  |  |

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| 问题 10 文本**问题 10** | **1 分** | | | | [保存](javascript:saveItem('_5508468_1','10')) |
|  | The phrase “head-work” (L.63) probably refers to \_\_\_. |  |  |  |  |
| 问题 10 答案   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | A. | rational thinking | |  | B. | conventional concepts | |  | C. | emotional developments | |  | D. | religious belief | |  |  |  |  |