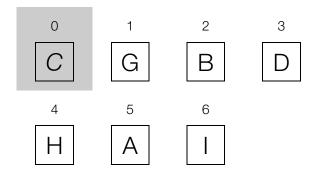
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Will bookshops survive?



Begründungen

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The sentence is about the consequences of selling books on the internet. The text says: "Dozens of bookshops across the county have closed over the last decade as a result of the impact of online sales."

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The sentence is about the recent formation of a group to counter e-books. The text says: "Now <u>a new national pressure group has been formed</u> to do battle with the latest threat to the second-hand bookshop - the growing popularity of the e-book."

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The sentence is about the decline of second-hand bookshops in Britain and the increase in e-books. The text says: "The number of second-hand bookshops in Britain has halved over the last ten years and fears have been raised that the trend will continue if <u>sales of electronic books outstrip sales of the printed word</u> and schools, colleges, universities, and public libraries rely more on the new technology."

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The sentence is about the advantages that charity shops have over second-hand bookshops. The text says: "Andy Vidion, of Church Street Books in Diss, who has become one of the first 100 members of Cambo, said it was difficult to compete with the charity shops, which benefited from reduced rents and business rates and donations that could sell books for 75p."

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The sentence is about yet another threat for second-hand bookshops; the e-book. The text says: "We not only have to compete with the unfair advantages given to charity shops, now we have to contend with the e-book."

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The sentence is about the disadvantages of e-books. The text says: "Cambo says that the <u>e-book is costly, impractical, and cannot be shared</u> between family and friends."

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The paragraph is about what Cambo intends to do to help those who work with books. The text says: "Cambo says that more than 100,000 people in Britain make a living through the book industry and it will campaign against library closures and fight to ensure paper books do not play second fiddle to e-books."