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初二英语学业水平评估试卷（第19周）

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There was once an elephant who wanted to be a photographer. How his friends would laugh when they heard him talk about it!

“How \_\_\_\_21\_\_\_\_,” said some, “there aren’t any cameras for elephants!”

“What a waste of time,” others would say, “there’s nothing to photograph here anyway...”

But the elephant kept following his \_\_\_\_22\_\_\_\_, and, piece by piece, he succeeded in cobbling together some small old junk and spare parts, and finally made a so-called camera. To make the camera work, the elephant had to \_\_\_\_23\_\_\_\_ everything himself, from a button he pressed with the end of his trunk—the long nose, to a large amount of iron used for making a frame to tie the camera to his head.

When it was all finished, he could \_\_\_\_24\_\_\_\_ take his first photos. However, the elephant camera was so large and \_\_\_\_25\_\_\_\_ that it seemed like a huge foolish mask. So many animals laughed as he went by that the elephant began to think of \_\_\_\_26\_\_\_\_ his dream. Even worse, it was beginning to look like those who had said there was nothing to photograph there had been right...

But things worked out \_\_\_\_27\_\_\_\_. The elephant walked around with the camera on his \_\_\_\_28\_\_\_\_. It was so funny that no one could stop \_\_\_\_29\_\_\_\_ when they saw him. And, using a great deal of good humour, the elephant managed to take some really humorous, amazing pictures of the animals. In his photos they always looked joyful, even the moody bear! So the elephant became the official photographer, and the animals would come from every direction to have some \_\_\_\_30\_\_\_\_ photos taken for their passports to the zoo.

21．A．terrible B．boring C．silly D．simple

22．A．friends B．dream C．photos D．camera

23．A．decide B．buy C．design D．discover

24．A．finally B．suddenly C．usually D．recently

25．A．common B．serious C．interesting D．strange

26．A．keeping on B．giving up C．fighting against D．putting up

27．A．easily B．luckily C．differently D．sadly

28．A．hand B．eye C．trunk D．head

29．A．laughing B．shouting C．thinking D．working

30．A．cheap B．famous C．nice D．expensive