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Lesson 27 Nothing to sell and nothing to buy

不卖也不买 修辞疑问句

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philosopher /fə'lɒsəfə(r)/

n. 哲学家

wisdom /'wɪzdəm/ n. 智慧

priest /pri:st/ n. 牧师

spiritual /'spɪrɪtʃuəl/

adj. 精神上的

grudge /grʌdʒ/

v. 不愿给，舍不得给

surgeon /'sɜ:dʒən/ n. 外科大夫

passer-by /'pɑ:sə 'baɪ/

n. 过路人(复数 passers-by)

dignity /'dɪgnəti/ n. 尊严

deliberately /dɪ'lɪbəreɪli/

adv. 故意地

consequence /'kɒnsɪkwəns/

n. 后果，结果

afflict * /ə'flɪkt/ v. 使苦恼，折磨

ease /i:z/ n. 容易

nature * /'neɪtʃə(r)/ n. 大自然

contempt /kən'tempt/ n. 蔑视

envious /'enviəs/ adj. 嫉妒的

论述（一气呵成）

难度：6 级

※ It has been said that everyone lives by selling something. 抛出论点

<p>It is said that ... 据说... 说...</p>	<p>It is said that she lived to be over 100. 据说她活了100多岁。</p>
<p>They say that ... 据说... 说...</p>	<p>They say that if we didn't have a royal family, we would just have a president. 他们说，如果我们没有皇室家族，我们就会有总统。</p>

People say that ... 据说...	Other people say that we should spend the money on teaching science, as this can move a country forward and benefit the economy. 另一些人说，我们应该把钱花在教授科学上，因为这可以推动一个国家前进，有利于经济。
It is reported that ... 据报道...	It is reported that some factories will be shut off soon. 据报道，一些工厂很快就要关闭了。
It is believed that ... 据信...	It is believed that greenhouse gases are the main cause of global warming. 人们相信温室气体是全球变暖的主因。
It is estimated that ... 据估计...	It has been estimated that if the bridge were packed with cars, it would still only be carrying a third of its total capacity.

『 **It + 被动 + that** 引导的主语从句 』

It must be admitted that ... 必 须要承认的是...	It must be admitted that women make superb guinea pigs. 必须承认妇女变成了最理想的豚鼠。
It must be pointed out that ... 必须要指出的是...	It must be pointed out that the statistics are inaccurate. 必须指出的是，那些数据不准确。
It must be stressed that ... 必 须要强调的是...	It must be stressed that this disease is very rare. 必须着重指出，这种病非常罕见。
It can be foreseen that ... 可以 预见的是...	It can be foreseen that the long-distance education will become an important mode for education. 可以预见，远程教育将成为教育模式中的重要一环。

『 **live by doing** 靠某种职业为生 』

- He **lives by** writing.
- He **lives by** sewing.
- The nomads who made these markings **lived by hunting and fishing** during the last Ice Age which began about 35,000 B.C. and ended about 10,000 B.C.

『 **live on sth.** 靠某种食物或生活来源为生 』

- He **lives on** meat and milk.
- He **lives on** salary.
- He **lives on** his parents. 啃老

『 **feed on sth.** 动物以...为主食 』

- Cows **feed on** hay.

『 **prey on sth.** 肉食性动物以别的动物为食 』

- Owls **prey on** mice.

※ In the light of this statement, teachers **live** by selling knowledge, philosophers by selling wisdom **and** priests by selling **spiritual comfort**. 举例
(论据)

『 **in (the) light of sth.** 根据...;鉴于... 』

Reading is thought to be a kind of conversation between the reader and the text. The reader puts questions, as it were, to the text and gets answers. **In the light of** these he puts further questions, and so on.

He explores such problem consciously, articulately, and frankly, first by asking factual questions, then by asking moral questions, finally by suggesting action which seems appropriate **in the light of** the factual and moral information which he has obtained.

according to sth. 根据...	People should pay according to their means. 人们应该按照各自的负担能力来消费。
in accordance with sth. 根据...	Those products have rightly been stopped in accordance with our safety routines. 根据我们的安全惯例，停止使用那些产品是正确的。
considering sth. 考虑到...	I do not think he is considering Emma's welfare. 我认为他没有考虑到艾玛的幸福。
taking into account sth. 考虑到...	I'm not even taking into account compounding interest over the next 30 years! 我甚至没有考虑到在接下来的30年的那些复利息！

『 并列句中重复的谓语动词可省略 』

- Mary **was** happy, **but / and / while / whereas** Jane (was) miserable.
- Mary **was** happy **when** Jane **was** miserable.

『 **parallelism** 排比 (中国排比字数相当、英文排比三个或者以上, 结构相当、谓语相同) 』

Some books **are** to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested. — Francis Bacon

Reading **makes** a full man, conference a ready man, and writing an exact man. — Francis Bacon

It is said that in England **death is** pressing, in Canada (death is) inevitable and in California (death is) optional. **Small wonder**. Americans' life expectancy has nearly doubled over the past century. Failing hips can be replaced, clinical depression can be controlled, cataracts can be removed in a 30-minutes surgical procedure.

※ **Though it may be possible to measure the value of material goods in terms of money, it is extremely difficult to estimate the true value of the services which people perform for us.** 论证 (讲道理)

Possible as it may be to measure the value of material goods in terms of money, ... 让步状语从句的强调

- **Although** she is beautiful, I still don't like her. → **Beautiful as** she is, I still don't like her.

『 **in terms of ...** 以某种方式; 从某个角度 』

- **In terms of** money we're rich, but not **in terms of** happiness.

※ **There are times when we would willingly give everything we possess to save our lives, yet we might grudge paying a surgeon a high fee for offering us precisely this service.** 论证

『 **There be** 固定句型表达时间状语 作文加分项 (比副词严肃庄重) 』

there are times when ... = sometimes

- **There are times when** even the tiger sleeps.
- **There are times when** silence has the loudest voice. 有时候沉默是最响亮的声音。

there was a time when ... = once	There was a time when the owners of shops and businesses in Chicago had to pay large sums of money to gangsters in return for 'protection'.
there are rare instances when ... = occasionally	There are rare instances when justice almost ceases to be an abstract concept.

we might grudge **the high fee we would pay a surgeon** for offering us precisely this service. 替换

『 for 等价交换 』

- She gave me \$30 for my bike.
- She bought my bike for \$30.
- for nothing 免费
- Advertisers discovered years ago that all of us love to get something **for nothing**.

造句：There are times when we would willingly pay tips and compliments to the waiters who serve us, yet we might grudge giving thanks to our mothers for offering us precisely this service. 有时候我们愿意给为我们服务的侍者小费并称赞他们，但是在母亲为我们提供一样的服务的时候我们却吝惜感谢之辞。

※ The conditions of society are such that skills have to be paid for in the same way that goods are paid for at a shop. 感慨

Such are the conditions of society **that** skills have to be paid for in the same way that goods are paid for at a shop. such位于句首引起部分倒装

- **Such is** human nature, **that** a great many people are often willing to sacrifice higher pay for the privilege of becoming white-collar workers.

... in the same way	in which 正式	you build the Hamlet bundle.
	that 关系副词	we like pretty curtain material.
	/	he finally understood and smiled.

造句：The conditions of schools are such that A-students are respected in the same way that achievers are esteemed in society. 学校里的情况就是这样，优等生受到尊敬，正如社会上成功者受人景仰一样。

※ Everyone has something to sell. 最后总结（呼应段首）

It has been said that everyone lives by selling something .	段首
Everyone has something to sell.	段尾

1. topic sentence 主题句
2. supporting sentences 扩展句（论证和论据）
3. concluding sentence 总结句

例外情况 难度：3 级

※ Tramps **seem** to be the only exception to this general rule.

『 **seem to do** 看似... 』

- We **seem to** have hit a problem. 我们似乎遇到了问题。
- Tramps **appear to be** the only exception to this general rule. 写作替换
- It **seems that** tramps are the only exception to this general rule. 写作替换
- It **appears that** tramps are the only exception to this general rule. 写作替换

『 **exception to sth.** 例外情况 』

- There are some **exceptions to** every grammatical rule. 每条语法规则都有例外。

※ Beggars almost **sell** themselves as human beings to arouse the pity of passers-by.

Beggars sell their human dignity **for** the pity of passers-by. 替换

- The moment they **reach** out their hands they **are** beggars spiritually. 他们一伸出手，在精神上就是乞丐。

※ In seeking independence, they **do not sacrifice** their human dignity.

『 **in doing = in the process of doing** 做某事的过程中... 』

- **In** trying to solve one problem, I created another.

『 **on / upon doing** 刚一...马上就... 』

- **On being observed**, it immediately ran away.
- **Upon arriving at the university**, I went straight to the dormitory.

『 **seek** v.寻找；寻求，谋求；请求 』

- **seek** refuge / asylum
- **seek** compensation 寻求赔偿
- **seek** comfort
- **seek** reelection 寻求连任
- Virgo woman **seeks** Scorpio man. 处女座女人追求天蝎座男人。

※ A tramp **may ask you for** money, but he **will never ask you to feel sorry for** him.

『 **feel sorry for ...** 同情，怜悯：指对某人或某事感到难过、心疼或同情。 』

- Even the bull seemed to **feel sorry for him**, for it looked on sympathetically until the drunk was out of the way before once more turning its attention to the matador.

have / feel sympathy for ... 对...表示同情	I feel sympathy for him for not passing his final. 我对他不能通过期终考感到同情。
sympathize with ... 同情，怜悯	I find it very hard to sympathize with him. 我觉得很难去同情他。
take pity on ... 对（某人或动物）表示怜悯并采取行动来帮助	Don't take pity on evil people! 不要怜惜恶人！

※ He **has** deliberately **chosen** to **lead the life he leads** and **is fully aware of the consequences**.

『 **lead the life he leads** 过他过的那种生活 』

- We only **help** those who really need **help**. 帮助真正需要帮助的人
- God **helps** those who **help** themselves. 天道酬勤；皇天不负有心人

be aware of ... 意识到, 知道: 意识到某事或某物的存在或重要性	Advanced students need to be aware of the importance of collocation. 层次较高的学生必须意识到词语搭配的重要性。
be conscious of ... 意识到...; 知道	He was conscious of a clock ticking. 他意识到了时间正在消逝。
be unconscious of ... 无意识的, 未察觉到的: 没有意识到或察觉到某事物或情况	She is unconscious of the effect she has on people. 她没有察觉自己对大众的影响。
be ignorant of ... 不知道, 对.....无知: 缺乏知识或信息, 不了解某事物或某情况	We might be ignorant of possibilities and alternatives. 我们或许没有意识到种种可能和选择。
be unaware of ... 不知道、未意识到、不知晓	They were unaware of the fate that was to befall them. 他们并不知道即将降临到他们头上的厄运。

※ He may never **be sure where the next meal is coming from**, but he **is free from the thousands of anxieties which afflict other people**.

『 **be free from ...** 免受, 免于; 没有...的, 不受...影响的 』

- He has **been free from** care since he retired.
- The composition **is free from** errors.
- Organic produce **is free from** harmful chemicals.

『 **free ... from ...** 使...没有... 』

- ... but he **frees** himself **from** the thousands of anxieties ... 本句替换
- He dedicated his life to **freeing** the world **from** famine and disease. 他一生致力于使世界摆脱饥荒和疾病。

『 **afflict** v. 折磨, 使痛苦 』

- which **distress** other people. 写作替换
- which **torture / rack / torment** other people. 加强感觉
- which other people **suffer** (from). 人做主语的替换

※ His **few material possessions make** it possible for him to move **from place to place** with ease.

『 **make it possible for sb. to do = enable sb. to do** 使某人有可能做某事 』

- They devise hundreds of competitions which will **enable** us **to** win huge sums of money.
- Radio and television have **made it possible** for advertisers **to** capture the attention of millions of people in this way.

『 **from place to place** 四处、四下里... 』

- **here and there** 四下、到处
- **hither and thither** 古语
- **The Cutty Sark rolled from side to side** and it became impossible to steer her.
- **from dawn to dusk** 从早到晚
- **from head to foot** 从头到脚
- **from top to bottom** 从上到下
- **from start to finish** 从头到尾
- **from cradle to grave** 从生到死

A rolling stone gathers no moss. 滚石不生苔。; 户枢不蠹, 流水不腐。; 转业不聚财。

※ By having to sleep in the open, he gets far closer to the world of nature than most of us ever do.

『 **in the open (air)** outdoors 户外 』

- Children need to play out **in the open**. 孩子需要在户外玩耍。

『 **than** 引导比较状语从句的省略 』

- He is taller than **I am**. → He is taller than **I / me**.

※ He may hunt, beg, or steal occasionally to keep himself alive; he may even, in times of real need, do a little work; but he will never sacrifice his freedom.

occasionally 偶尔地	City born and city bred, I have always regarded the country as something you look at through a train window, or something you occasionally visit during the weekend.
once in a while 偶尔	There is no reason why you couldn't live it up once in a while . 没有理由不让你偶尔尽情玩乐一下的。

from time to time 时不

时地：偶尔，不经常地

From time to time he passed on confidential information to him. 他

不时地传送机密情报给他。

『 **in times of happiness / grief / rage / crisis / boredom / war / peace ...** 在幸福/悲伤/愤怒/危机/无聊/战争/和平之时..... 』

- **In times of peace**, when business was bad, Hawkwood and his men would march into a city-state and, after burning down a few farms, would offer to go away if protection money was paid to them.

※ We often **speak** of tramps **with contempt** and **put** them in the same class as beggars, **but** how many of us **can** honestly **say** that we **have not felt a little envious of their simple way of life and their freedom from care?** 答在问中

We often speak **contemptuously** of tramps ... 使用副词替换

『 **put ... in the same class as ...** 把...归到同一类... 』

- classify ... as ... 归类为：将某物或某人划分到某个类别或群体中。
- ... and **classify** them **as** beggars.

『 **rhetorical question** 修辞疑问句（答在问中，往往出现在段落的末尾） 』

是指以疑问句形式出现，但却具有强烈的肯定或否定作用的一种句式。修辞性疑问句不需要对方回答，因为所题出的问题或者是不言自明、无需要回答的，或者是问得对方无言以对、无法回答。修辞性疑问也可以自问自答，以起到强调自己观点正确的作用。

- O, wind, if winter comes, can spring be far behind? 冬天了，春天还会远吗？ 'Ode to the West Wind' — P. B. Shelley
- Who among us has not dreamed of that? 我们当中谁没有梦想过这一个呢？
- What is the use of our studying grammar if we can't put the grammatical rules into practice? 如果我们不能把语法规则付诸实践，学习语法又有什么用呢？
- Could any spectacle, for instance, be more grimly whimsical than that of gunners using science to shatter men's bodies while, close at hand, surgeons use it to restore them? NCE4-22



I said what I said.

我说了我说的：表示说话者坚定地支持他们之前所说的话，不打算改变或解释。

1. The great thing about Mary is that she doesn't hold a grudge. By tomorrow she'll have forgotten all about it. (单选)

- A、 She's quick to forgive people. B、 Her feelings are easily hurt.
C、 She doesn't get angry very often. D、 She has a bad memory.

2. I am afraid that you have to alter your _____ views in light of the tragic news that has just arrived. (单选)

- A、 indifferent B、 distressing C、 optimistic D、 pessimistic

3. Which sport has the most expenses _____ training equipment, players' personal equipment and uniforms? (单选)

- A、 in place of B、 in terms of C、 by means of D、 by way of

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