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7/12 からの週の長文

25 分後に解答を写して提出

A major problem that faces modern cities is how to deal with the increasing amount of garbage that people produce. Cairo, the capital of Egypt, has a population of 15 million people. This leads to an enormous amount of garbage. Yet, until recently, the city had no official system for collecting garbage. Instead, a group of people known as the Zabbaleen collected and recycled the garbage in order to make a living for themselves. Now, many people are saving that the Zabbaleen's methods were more efficient than those used in most of the world. The Zabbaleen are mainly the descendants of poor farmers who first settled in Cairo during the 1950s. Traditionally, the men went from house house collecting garbage with a cart pulled by a donkey. Meanwhile, the Zabbaleen women stayed at home and sorted through the garbage that the men brought back. Any food that was collected was fed to their pigs and chickens, while other materials were used to make cloth and other goods. In this way, over 80 percent of the garbage was recycled. Life was not easy for the Zabbaleen. Their housing was bad, and they 16 often suffered from poor health. Over time, however, both their housing conditions and their lifestyles have improved. A school, clinic, and park were built by the government for the Zabbaleen, and the children started receive a better education. More and more of the younger generation are able to receive university degrees. At the same time, they began to focus recycling high-tech materials, such as computer parts, which has allowed them to make more money. From the 1980s, Cairo began to produce more garbage than the 24 Zabbaleen could collect. Then, in 2003, the city decided to employ two European companies to help handle some of the garbage. Many people

- were not pleased with the new system. One problem was that it cost more
- 28 money. Another was that far less was recycled, leaving more garbage to be
- buried in the ground. Hoping to reduce costs and improve the environment,
- many people would now like to expand the traditional method of collecting
- 31 garbage.

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A Until recently, the city of Cairo had

- 1 hired a group of people to collect and recycle garbage.
- 2 asked its population to make efforts to reduce the amount of garbage.
- 3 not provided an official service for dealing with garbage.
- 4 not had enough money to pay the people who removed garbage.

B What did the Zabbaleen do with most of the garbage they collected?

- 1 They used it as food for their animals or turned it into new products.
- 2 They took it to garbage collection facilities using their donkeys and carts.
- 3 The women sorted it and the men took it back to where it came from.
- 4 The men used it to produce the materials they needed to build their farms.

C What problem did the Zabbaleen face?

- 1 They had poor living conditions and often became sick.
- 2 They were unable to make enough money to feed their families.
- 3 The government did not allow them to get an education.
- 4 The government did not provide them with computers.

D Why do many people want to expand the old style of garbage collection?

- 1 They want to find a way to support other developing countries.
- 2 They think that it is cleaner and safer to bury garbage in the ground.
- 3 They believe that it is cheaper and better for the environment.
- 4 They hope that it will provide more jobs for people in the city.
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