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(54-56)

Six people are being interviewed about the garden on the roof of their building.

Jasmine: I loved the idea when Wilber first told me about it. We had lots of meetings with our neighbors, trying to make them understand why it's good to build a garden on the roof. Now people love coming here, and it's helped many of us become friends!


Wilber: The whole thing wasn't easy at first. But Jasmine helped a lot. And she was really good at making people happy to give money for the roof garden.

David: My kids love going up there. They sit there watching butterflies and birds. The roof garden brings them closer to nature.

Samuel: You want something green? Visit the park! It's only one block away! After the roof garden was built, bugs started flying into my apartment! And the kids leave mud on the stairs when they come down from the roof!

Rosie: Our building is now cooler in the summer. My baby sleeps well even on hot summer days!


Flora: Guess where these tomatoes are from! Not from the supermarket. They're from our roof! Isn't that wonderful?


 roof 屋頂

- (D) 54. What do we know about the six people in the interview?
- (A) They all said good things about the roof garden.
 - (B) Some of them were paid to help build the roof garden.
 - (C) They all talked about the roof garden before it was built.
 - (D) Some of them worked on the plan to build the roof garden.

(33-35)

Do you eat meat? Well, if you do, then you might find our next news interesting. A study says that the world has a 33 need for meat. In 1960, the world ate 64 million tonnes of meat, about 21 kg for each person. In 2007, the number rose to 268 million tonnes, about 40 kg for each person. At the same time, 34. In the 1960s, beef was high on the menu. Of the meat that was eaten, 40% was beef. In 2007, pork became the star. Poultry also became popular, going up from 12% to 32%, thanks to people's worries about their health these years. And 35? You're guessing the U.S.A., right? The answer is Luxembourg! In 2007, each Luxembourger ate about 137 kg of meat! Second to Luxembourgers are Americans. In 2007, each American ate about 126 kg! Now, enough with the numbers. I'm playing you a song called Currywurst. The singer sings about his love for the meat dish of the same name. Enjoy!



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- (C) 33. (A) falling (B) special (C) growing (D) common

(48-50)

G N B NEWS 

Forever Takes a Bow

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- (C) 50. Here are reviews about Nathan Lang's movies. From the reading, which is most likely a review for *Dreams*?

 review 評論 likely 可能

(A)

...nothing new in the story; Nathan Lang clearly didn't do enough homework about his part in the movie. It was no surprise that the movie didn't make it into the top 10 list the first week it was out...

(B)

...it became Nathan Lang's second best-selling movie and also this year's third best-selling movie in the country and may even get him another best actor award...

(C)

...see him not as the actor Nathan Lang anymore but as the poor old man in the movie. However, good acting does not always help with the ticket sales...

(D)


...the story is fresh and interesting, but the acting is not. However, it has been the country's best-selling movie for the past three weeks. Clearly Nathan Lang's fans cared less about his acting than his handsome face....



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- (C) 48. What is this reading mostly about?
- (A) Nathan Lang's love and hate for his family.
 - (B) The good and bad about Nathan Lang's movies.
 - (C) The rise and fall of Nathan Lang in show business.
 - (D) Nathan Lang's life before and after he became an actor.