Questions 186-190 refer to the following Web site and e-mails.

Tallahassee Auto Expo

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Welcome to the Tallahassee Auto Expo! This year our event will be held at the Sherman Center on Sunset Boulevard from the 5th until the 8th of April. With the wider space available at the Sherman Center, we will be able to feature 50 more personal vehicles than we have in previous years! As in previous years, some of the events in the expo will include:

- Upcoming floor models from primary global manufacturers
- Independent engineers showcasing personal modifications
- Speech from renowned physicist Wilhelmina Hershberger on how engines can be modified to optimize their performance while using alternative fuels
- Race track experience with professional driver Danielle Jacobs (spaces limited, must register in advance)

Still need more details? Click below to e-mail us with any questions you may have!

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e-mail

To: Herman Poole <hpoole@autotoday.com>
From: Samantha West <swest@autotoday.com>
Subject: Re: Auto Expo Update Request

Dear Mr. Poole,

This is a really exciting expo! There are so many models that haven't gone into mainstream production yet, and also so many more personal vehicles here than I've ever seen in previous years. I was hoping to catch the speech, but I got so caught up in showcases of independent engineers that I completely lost track of time and missed it. I did, however, get to enjoy a ride with the famous pro driving champion Danielle Jacobs! Not only that, I managed to get a brief interview with the third place winner of the most recent semi-pro stock car race. Did you know he was born legally blind? Thanks to an operation he had when he was young and special goggles, he was able to become a race car driver! I think that the interview we did would be a great thing to add to our blog. Let me know if you have any special requests for my last day at the event.

Sincerely,

Samantha West, AutoToday.com

To: Billy Harmon <bharmon@dmail.com>
From: Samantha West <swest@autotoday.com>
Subject: Interview Follow-up

Dear Mr. Harmon,

It was an honor getting a chance to interview you earlier. When I told my chief editor about it, he was ecstatic! He wanted to know if you would allow us to get a few video clips of you and what the world looks like through your specially designed goggles. I'm only in town for two more days, but if you give me a call, I'll drop everything to meet you at your convenience. Thanks in advance!

Samantha West, AutoToday.com

186. What is indicated about the auto expo?

(A) Members will be able to test drive certain models.
(B) Attendees can get their vehicles personally modified.
(C) More people can show off their cars this year.
(D) A scientist will explain the benefits of renewable energy.

187. What can be inferred about Ms. West?

(A) She made an advance registration.
(B) She has experience modifying cars.
(C) She majored in physics in university.
(D) She took part in a driving competition.

188. What event did NOT Ms. West attend?

(A) A car exhibition
(B) Wilhelmina Hershberger's presentation
(C) An independent engineers' showcase
(D) Race track experience

189. What is mentioned about Mr. Harmon?

(A) He started driving at a young age.
(B) He is a famous engineer.
(C) He has posted articles on his blog.
(D) He finished third in a race.

190. In the second e-mail, the word "drop" in paragraph 1, line 4, is closest in meaning to

(A) cancel
(B) place
(C) lose
(D) fall

Questions 191-195 refer to the following e-mail, Web site, and article.

Date: November 12

To: Delilah Worrell <dworrell@omail.net>

From: Charles Foster <cfoster@cmail.com>

Subject: Feedback Request

Hi Delilah,

I've been looking into which oven would be best for our business and found this great Web site to compare various products in a list: www.List'o'Matic.com. As you can see, it lists some of the benefits of each oven. Our first store location will definitely have more space than the food truck we have been operating out of, but I don't want to take up all of our kitchen space with an oven. Even though our baked pasta dishes sell well, we need to conserve space for the sandwiches and wraps that first made us famous in this area. Take a look at these reviews, and let's talk it over tomorrow.

Regards,

Charles Foster, Chef

List'o'Matic.com – Your best site for comparing reviews

Pro Bake 2016
Rating: ★★★★★
This industrial-sized oven features two compartments with ten moveable racks each. Each compartment can be set to separate temperatures to facilitate baking foods that require temperature changes. Ideal for baking pies.

Cookie Master 9
Rating: ★★★★★
With advanced oven-cook technology, this massive oven maintains the exact same temperature at all points within it. It is perfect for baking huge batches of cookies. It even comes with separate cooling shelves for goods to cool off.

Bake & Break 4
Rating: ★★★★☆
Three compartments stack so that there is a baking unit at the bottom, a warming unit on top of it, and a cooling unit on top of that. Thanks to that, this model takes up considerably less space than others and facilitates baking pasta dishes.

Dual Bake Silver
Rating: ★★★★☆
This oven has two side-by-side compartments that can be set to separate temperatures. Although it can be used for cookies or pies, this model is normally recommended for pasta dishes.

Derby, KS (December 7)—More and more local restaurants are forming a bridge between mobile and stationary eating establishments. The success of food trucks in major cities in recent years has encouraged some local eateries such as Pie in the Sky, to add delivery service to their menus. Others, such as Crumbling Cookie, have added a truck that drives around the downtown area after peak meal times to sell desserts. Several food truck chefs, however, are interested in setting up permanent locations. Royal Ricotta and Ciabatta Chefs are two such establishments. Many locals look forward to being able to sit down and enjoy the baked pasta dishes that are Royal Ricotta's claim to fame, while others look forward to taking a popular sandwich to go from Ciabatta Chefs.

191. What is indicated about Ms. Worrell and Mr. Foster's business in the e-mail?

(A) It specializes in baked pasta dishes.
(B) It plans to expand into a bakery.
(C) It started as a mobile restaurant.
(D) It provides a spacious dining area.

192. What do all four reviewed ovens have in common?

(A) They all have multiple compartments.
(B) They are recommended for making cookies.
(C) They cook food at multiple temperatures.
(D) They take up the same amount of space.

193. Which oven will Ms. Worrell and Mr. Foster most likely purchase?

(A) Pro Bake 2016
(B) Cookie Master 9
(C) Bake & Break 4
(D) Dual Bake Silver

194. In the article, the word "bridge" in paragraph 1, line 1, is closest in meaning to

(A) overpass
(B) link
(C) partnership
(D) establishment

195. Which eatery do Ms. Worrell and Mr. Foster most likely work for?

(A) Ciabatta Chefs
(B) Crumbling Cookie
(C) Pie in the Sky
(D) Royal Ricotta

Questions 196-200 refer to the following e-mails and newsletter.

e-mail

Date: December 9
From: Scott Gunther
To: support@stocktrends.org
Subject: Faster Distribution

To whom may it concern,

I have been an investment banker for over a decade now. When I first started in this line of work, the person who trained me strongly recommended your magazine as a good reference. I have become accustomed to looking through the articles published in your magazine and often rely on them to make business decisions. However, as the Internet has become more widespread, I have found that your monthly magazine has trouble keeping up to date. Although downloading your digital publication is convenient, the problem is that sometimes your information is out of date by the time you release it. My suggestion is that you switch to a more frequent publication. I urge you to strongly consider my suggestion. I enjoy reading the work of your writers and would like to continue my subscription.

Sincerely,

Scott Gunther

E-mail

Date	December 28
From	Rosemary Everett <reverett@stocktrends.org>
To	Stock Trends Magazine Staff Writers
Subject	Monthly Meeting Minutes

The first item addressed was the drop in subscribers over the last quarter. In exit surveys, many of them stated that they want to read articles more frequently and that by the time our magazine is released, several of the article topics are already out of date. Since making this change would require altering staffing and schedules, it will probably not be possible until the summer. The tentative expectation is to go weekly as of June.

As for upcoming topics, they have been selected as this holiday season's biggest surprise successes, international trade trends, and next quarter's expected buyouts. The writers assigned to each story will be Tony, Loretta, and Frank, respectively. Jacquie will submit her topic when she returns from her special assignment in Hong Kong.

Regards,

Rosemary Everett

Stock Trends Magazine Company Newsletter – February

In an attempt to keep up with the digital age, we have decided to switch our digital publication to a weekly schedule starting next month. The print publication will continue to go out monthly and contain the same stories. Each staff writer has been sent a revised schedule that must be adhered to. By splitting the stories of each monthly issue, we will be taking some pressure off of the editing staff just before release deadlines. As for the writers, you are still expected to produce approximately five pages, the same amount of material as before.

Maria Lee, Chief Editor

196. Why did Mr. Gunther write an e-mail?

(A) To cancel his magazine subscription
(B) To apologize for a delay
(C) To recommend a magazine
(D) To point out a problem

197. Which writer was assigned to cover company acquisitions?

(A) Tony
(B) Loretta
(C) Frank
(D) Jacquie

198. What is suggested about Jacquie?

(A) She missed the December meeting due to a business trip.
(B) She will help create the schedule for the publication change.
(C) She specializes in covering domestic events and stories.
(D) She uploads her work directly to the magazine's Web site.

199. What is indicated about Stock Trends Magazine?

(A) It will start a publication change ahead of schedule.
(B) Most of its profits are from online publications.
(C) Its number of subscribers has been increasing lately.
(D) Each monthly issue features five main articles.

200. What is true about Mr. Gunther?

(A) He refers trainees to Stock Trends Magazine.
(B) His recommendation will be put into effect.
(C) He is a newcomer to the business field.
(D) He has clients who subscribe to Stock Trends Magazine.

This is the end of the test. You may review PART 5, 6, and 7 if you finish the test early.