



12. All of the following were mentioned in the passage as detriments to women in the business world EXCEPT
- (A) women were required to stay at home with their families
  - (B) women lacked ability to work in business
  - (C) women faced discrimination in business
  - (D) women were not trained in business
13. In line 14, "that" refers to
- (A) a woman becomes chairman of the board
  - (B) women working hard
  - (C) women achieving advanced degrees
  - (D) women believing that business is a place for them
14. According to the passage, Charlotte Taylor believes that women in the 1970s
- (A) were unrealistic about their opportunities in business management
  - (B) were still more interested in education than business opportunities
  - (C) had fewer obstacles in business than they do today
  - (D) were unable to work hard enough to succeed in business
15. The author mentions the "shoebox under the bed" in the third paragraph in order to
- (A) show the frugality of women in business
  - (B) show the resourcefulness of Sandra Kurtzig
  - (C) point out that initially the financial resources of Sandra Kurtzig's business were limited
  - (D) suggest that the company needed to expand
16. In line 16, the word "this" refers to
- (A) women becoming entrepreneurs
  - (B) women buying cosmetics and clothing
  - (C) women working in "women's fields"
  - (D) women staying at home
17. The expression "keep tabs on" in line 20 is closest in meaning to
- (A) recognize the appearance of
  - (B) keep records of
  - (C) provide transportation for
  - (D) pay the salaries of
18. The word "hurdles" in line 27 can be best replaced by
- (A) fences
  - (B) obstacles
  - (C) questions
  - (D) small groups
19. It can be inferred from the passage that the author believes that businesses operated by women are small because
- (A) women prefer a small intimate setting
  - (B) women can't deal with money
  - (C) women are not able to borrow money easily
  - (D) many women fail at large businesses
20. The author's attitude about the future of women in business is
- (A) skeptical
  - (B) optimistic
  - (C) frustrated
  - (D) negative

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