

39. 글의 흐름으로 보아, 주어진 문장이 들어가기에 가장 적절 한 곳은? 제한시간: 1분 30초

The actual manipulation of the bidding takes time and skill.

In the United States the price of almost everything except used cars and real estate is fixed. In Central and South America and the Orient, however, sellers and buyers enjoy a kind of game together when they do business. ( ① ) The seller asks a higher price than he really expects to get for his merchandise, and the buyer offers a much lower price than he expects to pay in the end. ( 2 ) Gradually the seller lowers his asking price, and the buyer raises his offer. (3) Finally a compromise is reached and both parties are happy. ( 4 ) When buying rugs in Juarez, Mexico, an American couple not skilled in the game made too high an opening bid and raised their offer too fast. ( 5) When the final price was agreed upon, the Mexican rug seller was clearly disappointed with the swift and of the game, although she had made more money than she had expected.

