

3. What did Thompson do to assure he would have time to explore the sacred well?
- A. He was granted permission from the Mexican government.
 - B. He bought the land surrounding the sacred well.
 - C. He was appointed American consul in Mexico.
 - D. He received permission to dig at the site from Mayan priests.
4. Why did some people have reservations about Thompson's plans?
- A. People thought the Mexican government would reclaim the land.
 - B. People worried about the Mayas becoming angry.
 - C. They thought the project was too expensive.
 - D. They thought the project was too dangerous.
5. According to the story, how was Thompson able to purchase equipment and hire a crew?
- A. He obtained a bank loan.
 - B. He borrowed money from his relatives.
 - C. He asked members of the Peabody Museum to help him.
 - D. He used his own savings.
6. Thompson knew he was on the right track when he found
- A. two small balls of pom.
 - B. some old Mayan pottery.
 - C. human skulls and bones.
 - D. bones of jaguars and deer.