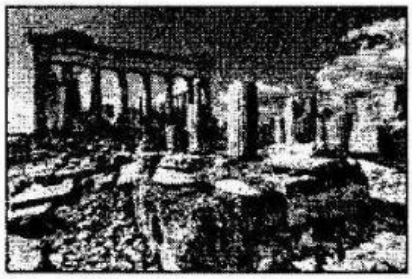
Read the texts below. Match choices (A-H) to (27-32). There are two choices you do not need to use.

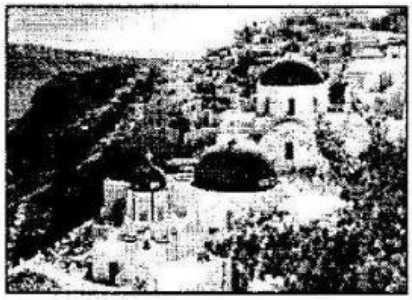
TOURIST ATTRACTIONS IN GREECE

27. Acropolis, Athens



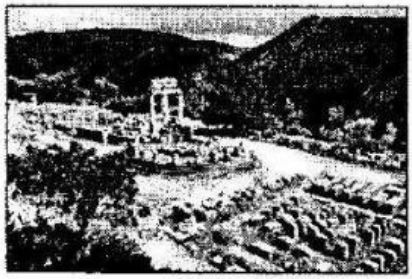
Considered the symbol of Athens and Greece, the Acropolis is a rocky mound rising in the heart of modern Athens, crowned by three magnificent temples dating from the 5th century BC. The best known and most distinctive is the Parthenon.

28. Santorini



Stunning Santorini is the most dramatic of all the Greek isles. It is best known for the west coast cliff-top towns of Fira and Oia, which appear to hang over a deep, blue sea-filled caldera. Made up of typical Cycladic whitewashed cubic buildings, many of which have been converted into boutique hotels with infinity pools, both Fira and Oia are popular for weddings and honeymoons.

29. Delphi



On the Greek mainland, Delphi is a UNESCO World Heritage site. Built on the lower slopes of Mount Parnassus, overlooking a dramatic ravine, the site was sacred to the ancients, who came here on pilgrimages to worship Apollo (god of light, music, and healing) and to ask advice from the mythical Oracle.

30. Corfu



Beautiful Corfu, the most northerly of the Ionian Islands, is easy on the eyes. Filled with natural beauty, the island boasts rolling green hills in its south, and rugged limestone rock formations in its north. It also has a mild climate, lush Mediterranean vegetation, and some stunning beaches and underwater caves and tunnels.

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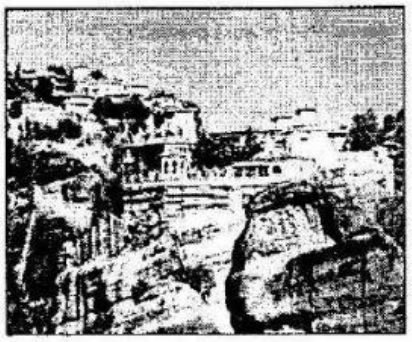
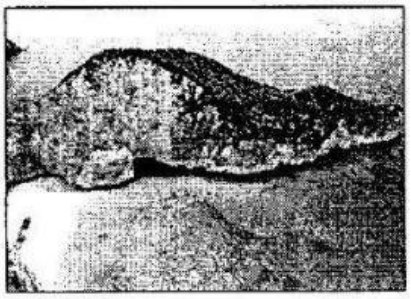
31. Metéora Monasteries



One of the most unusual things to see in Greece has to be the Thessaly Plain, where bizarre rocky outcrops are capped by the centuries-old monasteries of Metéora. On the UNESCO World Heritage list, six of the monasteries are open to the public. You need to climb up several flights of stone steps carved into the rocks to reach each monastery.

32. Zákynthos



Zákynthos (Zante) island truly offers something for everyone when it comes to things to do. The mix of beautiful scenery, good beaches, and access to an equally stunning underwater world, filled with hidden caves and colorful fish, which is perfect for snorkeling and scuba diving, has made Zákynthos one of the top tourist destinations in Greece.

Which of the sights is ...?

A *the paradise of many watery attractions*
B *the sanctuary and the shrine of prophecy*
C *an ancient citadel located on a stony outcrop above the city*
D *a popular weekend destination for wealthy Athenians*
E *a perfect romantic destination*
F *a collection of deep bays and pebble beaches stretching into a clear blue sea*
G *a place for touring the sacred places*
H *an airport and the best resort*

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