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## **CARNIVAL TUESDAY**

Carnival Tuesday is very different from the Monday. The day opens like any other. Some businesses are opened as usual, although very trade is done except in restaurants and rum-shops. Most assistants are either late for work or getting ready for the day's celebrations, although neither of these two days is an official holiday. By 11 o'clock the bands begin to *emerge* and one sees resplendent costumes and gorgeous colours, *depicting* various periods of history. They range from pre-biblical times to the Victorian era, and include representation of present-day happenings in other parts of the world. Bands comprise from four hundred to as many as one thousand members, and here in our beautiful island can be seen Egyptians, Red Indians, Aztecs, Greek, Romans and the more modern Spacemen and Cubans. They are all *vying* with each other for popularity in the eyes of thousands of spectators.

Harold La Borde

Select the most appropriate answer.

