

Use the words in the right-hand column to form one word that fits into the same numbered space in the text.

### WEDDING OF STRANGERS

A wedding between two strangers who met for the first time when they exchanged marital vows during a peak-time radio broadcast has come in for widespread (1) ..... . Carla Germaine and Greg Cordell were married after winning each other in a 'lonely hearts' competition organized by BRMB radio station. The service, perhaps (2) ....., attracted the highest ratings figures of the year.

The model and the salesman were (3) ..... of their critics and say they have made a serious (4) ..... to make their marriage work. 'Everyone seems to have the (5) ..... that we will split up, but we're going to prove them wrong,' Cordell said (6) ..... . The couple were selected from 200 (7) ..... candidates by a panel including (8) ..... counsellors and an astrologer. As well as each other, they won a free honeymoon in the Bahamas, a sports car and a luxury two-bedroom apartment.

CRITIC

SURPRISE

DISMISS

COMMIT

EXPECT

DEFY

HOPE

RELATE

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