

PASSIVE VOICE

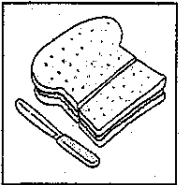
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1 GRAMMAR passive

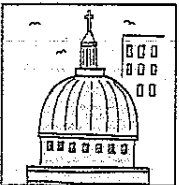
a Order the words to make sentences.



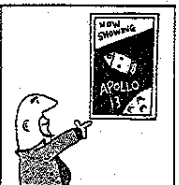
1 relieve pain / used / is / Aspirin / to
Aspirin is used to relieve pain.



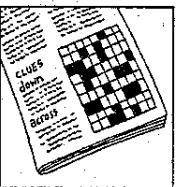
2 named / The sandwich / after / was /
the Earl of Sandwich



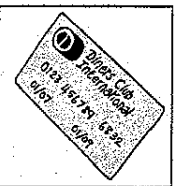
3 designed / Christopher Wren /
St Paul's Cathedral / was / by



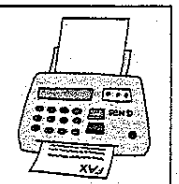
4 based / This film / a true story /
is / on



5 published / The first crossword
puzzle / in 1913 / was



6 the Diner's Club / issued / The first
credit card / by / was



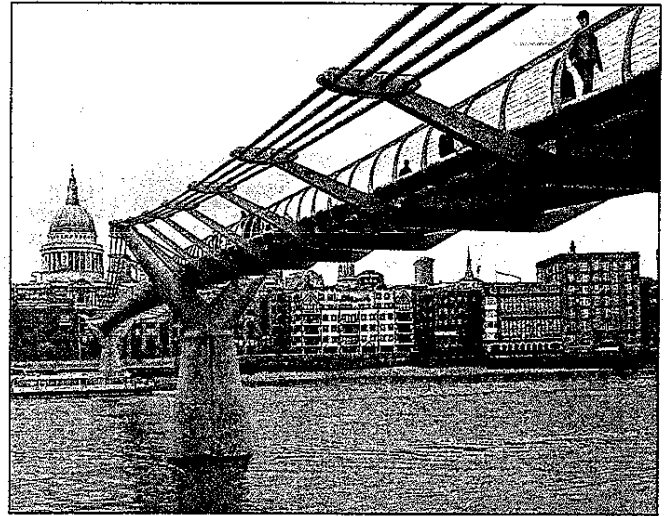
7 very often / not used / The fax
machine / these days / is



8 discovered / was / by / Alexander
Fleming / Penicillin

Complete the sentences with the past participle of these verbs.

name create write ~~design~~ record
use invent make base discover



- The Millennium Bridge in London was designed by the architect Sir Norman Foster.
- I was _____ after my grandmother.
- Gold was _____ in California in 1848.
- Copper and tin are _____ to make bronze.
- Many different characters were _____ by Shakespeare.
- Telephones weren't _____ until the late 1800s.
- Most cakes are _____ from flour, eggs, sugar, and butter.
- Many of the Beatles' songs were _____ at Abbey Road Studios in London.
- The Lord of the Rings* was _____ by JRR Tolkien.
- Many characters in books are _____ on real people.

c Rewrite the sentences in the passive.

- The police stopped me last night.
I was stopped by the police last night.
- Elton John sang *Crocodile Rock*.
Crocodile Rock _____.
- My cousin took all the photographs at our wedding.
All the photographs _____.
- A computer controls the heating.
The heating _____.
- Uruguay won the first World Cup.
The first World Cup _____.