

## The Town of Pompeii

*Read pages 43–47 in your textbook and answer the following:*

- 1 What was Pompeii built upon? How far away was it from Mt. Vesuvius?
- 2 What types of people were attracted to this Campanian area?
- 3 Give two reasons why they were attracted to this area.
- 4 How large was Pompeii? What protected the town?
- 5 Give the modern names for the two wide main streets of Pompeii.
- 6 Give four details describing Pompeian streets.
- 7 What were the two main shopping areas in the city?
- 8 How were different types of stores indicated?
- 9 Describe how advertisements and public notices were handled.
- 10 The forum was the center for many aspects of Pompeian life. Give three of them.
- 11 Write down one thing you learned about each of the following:  
a) large theater    b) small theater    c) amphitheater
- 12 List six nationalities you might have met in Pompeii.
- 13 From where did Pompeii get its water? How was the water stored?
- 14 Explain the different ways in which people obtained water.
- 15 How did Rome ensure peace and stable government?
- 16 Give the two methods of travel and transport used throughout the Empire.