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SUPPORTING OPINIONS WITH FACTS

Directions: Read an editorial or op-ed from today's New York Times. Select one opinion and one related fact stated in the article to write on the blanks below. Then, develop a counter-argument that someone could pose in opposition to the opinion expressed in the Times article.

Headline of editorial or op-ed:

Statement of opinion from the editorial or op-ed:

Statement of fact that supports the opinion:

What could someone say in opposition to this opinion? What fact or type of facts could support this opposing view?

