

1. She never \_\_\_\_ to eat soup.  
A) didn't like      B) like      C) had liked  
D) would not like      E) liked
2. "I'll drink tea from this tin mug."  
"Where \_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_ it?"  
A) did/find      B) do/find      C) did/found  
D) were/found      E) are/found
3. It was dark and cold. At one moment he thought that he \_\_\_\_ his way.  
A) lost      B) will lose      C) had lost  
D) was lost      E) loses
4. I didn't know anyone in the city where I \_\_\_\_ to get.  
A) did try      B) was trying      C) would try  
D) have tried      E) shall try
5. -Why \_\_\_\_ you go to the plant?  
-I \_\_\_\_ no time.  
A) do/had      B) will/have      C) did/hadn't  
D) didn't/hadn't      E) didn't/had
6. A policeman \_\_\_\_ me crossing the street yesterday.  
A) seen      B) saw      C) has seen  
D) will see      E) had seen
7. Arthur \_\_\_\_ all his exams by 5 o'clock yesterday.  
A) passed      B) passes      C) has passed  
D) has been passed      E) had passed
8. He evidently \_\_\_\_ his shoes for a very long time. They were worn-out.  
A) were wearing      B) are wearing  
C) had been wearing      D) was wearing  
E) had been worn
9. So, the invisible man \_\_\_\_ into the shop and \_\_\_\_ down.  
A) comes/walked      B) didn't come/walk      C) came/walked  
D) will come/walked      E) comes/would walk
10. -We were at the theatre 2 days ago. The performance was excellent.  
-Who \_\_\_\_ the leading part?  
A) did play      B) play      C) played  
D) would play      E) has played
11. One day the boys found a man in the forest. He \_\_\_\_  
A) will die      B) had been dying      C) had died  
D) was dying      E) die
12. His father \_\_\_\_ a doctor and he \_\_\_\_ to make his son a doctor, too.  
A) was/wants      B) were/wanted  
C) will be/would want      D) was/wanted  
E) were/wanted
13. During his school years Cronin \_\_\_\_ great interest in literature.  
A) take      B) took      C) has taken  
D) had taken      E) would take
14. He \_\_\_\_ the box yesterday, because he had to do it.  
A) would open      B) had opening      C) have opened  
D) opens      E) opened
15. While the gentlemen \_\_\_\_ the recent events, the ladies \_\_\_\_ about the weather.  
A) discuss/talk  
B) are discussing/was talking  
C) being discussed/being talked  
D) were discussing/were talking  
E) have discussed/have talked
16. She \_\_\_\_ you a letter three weeks ago.  
A) had sent      B) has sent      C) sent  
D) send      E) was sending
17. When he \_\_\_\_ home I \_\_\_\_ him the book.  
A) came /shall show      B) comes/showed  
C) has come/has shown      D) came/showed  
E) was coming/shall show
18. They \_\_\_\_ breakfast at 7 and \_\_\_\_ home at eight.  
A) have/left      B) had/left      C) had/leave  
D) have/leaves      E) had/had left
19. Long ago people \_\_\_\_ little about those minerals.  
A) had known      B) knowed      C) will know  
D) knew      E) have known
20. The dentist \_\_\_\_ two of his teeth. One of them \_\_\_\_ quite good.  
A) pulls out/are      B) pull out/was  
C) pulled out/was      D) pull out/was  
E) pulled out/were
21. I couldn't imagine what \_\_\_\_ to her.  
A) had happened      B) has been happened  
C) will happen      D) has been happening  
E) happens
22. He felt that he \_\_\_\_ it wrong.  
A) has made      B) made      C) will make  
D) was made      E) had made
23. I \_\_\_\_ my homework when my mother came.  
A) already did      B) have already done  
C) had already done      D) has already done  
E) already do
24. Turning I found my father sitting beside me on the sofa. I said "How \_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_ here?"  
A) do/get      B) did/get      C) does/get  
D) was/getting      E) has/been getting
25. Last summer we \_\_\_\_ a trip to Houston.  
A) made      B) has made      C) are making  
D) shall make      E) will be making
26. He \_\_\_\_ barely \_\_\_\_ of him until that evening.  
A) had/heard      B) has/heard      C) was/heard  
D) did/hear      E) didn't/hear
27. She \_\_\_\_ in Tashkent five years ago.  
A) had lived      B) lived      C) has lived  
D) live      E) have lived
28. We \_\_\_\_ English, so I know it a little.  
A) were learning      B) learned      C) learns  
D) should learn      E) were learning
29. Yesterday at this time it \_\_\_\_ .  
A) had snowed      B) snows      C) snowed  
D) was snowing      E) had been snowing
30. We \_\_\_\_ he \_\_\_\_ ill.  
A) did not know/was      B) knew/am ill      C) knew/will be  
D) had known/is      E) were known/be
31. The plane \_\_\_\_ at 4 and it \_\_\_\_ us 20 minutes to get there.  
A) was landing/was taking      B) was landing/took  
C) landed/took      D) lands/was taken  
E) has landed/is taking
32. We \_\_\_\_ the station by 5 o'clock yesterday.  
A) shall reach      B) were reaching      C) had reached  
D) reached      E) would reach

33. The Browns \_\_\_\_ out of town last Sunday and \_\_\_\_ a good time there.  
 A) were going/had B) went/are having C) went/had D) are going/were having E) goes/has
34. Before answering the telephone he \_\_\_\_ down the table.  
 A) laid B) was lying C) had laid D) lay E) has laid
35. Who \_\_\_\_ at the meeting yesterday?  
 A) speak B) speaks C) spoke D) had spoken E) will speak
36. He met me with the bird in his hand. It \_\_\_\_ curiously at me.  
 A) looks B) was looking C) has been looking D) would look E) should look
37. Nick \_\_\_\_ yesterday.  
 A) will not come B) hadn't come C) didn't come D) hasn't come E) came not
38. I knew that he \_\_\_\_ the same paper each morning.  
 A) was bought B) buys C) is buying D) bought E) had bought
39. He asked the children who \_\_\_\_ the book.  
 A) tore B) tear C) tears D) had torn E) will tear
40. Who \_\_\_\_ on a hike yesterday?  
 A) did go B) will go C) has gone D) went E) had went
41. I \_\_\_\_ to do it but I \_\_\_\_ no time. I was very busy.  
 A) wanted/has B) want/had have C) wanted/had D) would want/have E) have wanted/shall have
42. - What a luck. I haven't seen you for ages.  
 - When \_\_\_\_ we \_\_\_\_ last time?  
 A) did / meet B) have / met C) had / met D) did / met E) will / meet
43. In the summer of 1868, Melville Bell \_\_\_\_ on a lecture tour in the USA and Canada.  
 A) goes B) had gone C) went D) have gone E) has gone
44. He \_\_\_\_ his work before you came.  
 A) finished B) finishes C) has finished D) had finished E) finish
45. Why \_\_\_\_ he go to Great Britain last month?  
 A) did B) was C) will D) had E) has
46. Did you \_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_ the potatoes?  
 A) mince/peeled B) minced/peeled C) minced/peeling D) peels/minced E) mince/peel
47. When she \_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_ and he left the house.  
 A) had come/quarreled B) came/quarreled C) has come/quarreled D) comes/would quarrel E) came/had quarreled
48. - Who had left the room by the time I came yesterday?  
 A) Tom did B) Tom does C) Tom had D) Tom has E) Tom was
49. Neither your parents nor I \_\_\_\_ very glad of the fact that you failed your Math exam.  
 A) has been B) have been C) were D) was E) are
50. What \_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_ at 5 p.m. yesterday?  
 A) did/do B) have/been doing C) would/do D) were/doing E) will/do
51. Who \_\_\_\_ to see me last week?  
 A) comes B) will come C) came D) has come E) have come
52. They didn't believe him and \_\_\_\_ to laugh.  
 A) begin B) begins C) began D) had begun E) have begun
53. Children didn't \_\_\_\_ to school because it \_\_\_\_ Sunday.  
 A) went/was B) go/were C) have gone/was D) gone/was E) go/was
54. The train \_\_\_\_ at 8.30 p.m. today, but as a rule it \_\_\_\_ at 8.00 p.m. sharp.  
 A) has left / starts B) left / started C) left / has started D) has left / has started E) have left / starts
55. The moon \_\_\_\_ and it \_\_\_\_ surprisingly light at night yesterday.  
 A) is rising / is B) rose / was C) had risen / was D) was rising / were E) rose / had been
56. Who \_\_\_\_ him yesterday?  
 A) has seen B) did see C) saw D) have seen E) sees
57. He \_\_\_\_ nobody about his secret that day.  
 A) don't tell B) tell C) didn't tell D) told E) doesn't tell