PRACTICE TEST 11

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation.***

1. A. watched B. matched C. washed D. returned

2. A. sandcastle B. entrance C. understand D. banyan

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress.***

3. A. attach B. burden C. sector D. tailor

4. A. breathtaking B. imitate C. attendance D. operate

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction.***

5. Anyone interested in join the club should contact us at the address below.

A. interested B. join C. should contact D. below

6. Her features were classically beautiful, with perfect structured high cheekbones.

A. features B. classically C. perfect D. high cheekbones

7. The prime minister is understood to have been extremely angry on the report.

A. The B. understood C. extremely D. on

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer.***

8. I have to save this coupon \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I come back to the store tomorrow.

A. though B. in case C. instead D. in the way

9. Pete won’t get used to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the night shift. He needs his sleep.

A. work B. worked C. working D. to work

10. I strongly suggest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ personal and business accounts separate.

A. keeping B. to keep C. kept D. keeps

11. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the English Channel every summer until 1997.

A. swims B. had swum C. swam D. has swum

12. He made \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the property to his eldest son.

A. over B. out C. off D. into

13. Since then the situation has changed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. drama B. dramatic C. dramatics D. dramatically

14. She was good at physics \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the fact that she found it boring.

A. although B because C. despite D. in spite

15. If I won the lottery, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a big house.

A. would buy B. will buy C. am buying D. bought

16. Can I have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ drop of water in my whisky, please?

A. a B. an C. the D. x

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

17. Minh: “I promise I will study harder from now on.” - Hoa “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”

A. I hope so B. Good idea C. No thanks D. Sorry, I can’t

18. John: “Thank you for your help, Jane.” – Jane: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”

A. Don’t say my name B. Forget it C. No problem D. It’s my pleasure

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underline word(s).***

19. We’ve found a great new restaurant near the office.

A. let down B. look for C. bring about D. take into

20. I met Daisy accidently at the airport this afternoon.

A. in no way B. by all means C. by chance D. by no means

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underline word(s).***

21. He thanked Patricia for being such a hospitable hostess.

A. cold B. hot C. warm D. cool

22. She is always polite an considerate towards her employees.

A. careful B. thoughtless C. selfish D. concerned

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

 The history of Australia begins here. In 1788 Captain Arthur Philips (23) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_in Sydney with 11 ships and 1624 passengers from Britain (including 770 prisoners). Today there are about 3.6 million people (24) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Sydney. It is the biggest city in Australia, the busiest port in the South Pacific and one of the most beautiful cities in the word. In Sydney, the buildings (25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ higher, the colors are brighter and the nightlife is more exciting.

 There are over 20 excellent beaches close to Sydney and its warm climate and cool winter have (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it a favorite city for immigrants from overseas. There are two things that make Sydney famous; its beautiful harbor, Sydney Harbor Bridge, (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was built in 1932 and Sydney Opera House. It was opened in 1973.

23. A. arrive B. arrival C. arriving D. arrived

24. A. on B. in C. at D. with

25. A. is B. was C. are D. be

26. A. made B. make C. making D. to make

27. A. that B. which C. who D. whose

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer.***

 I had never seen a house on fire before, so, one evening when I heard fire engines with loud alarm bells rushing pass my house. I quickly ran out and, a few streets always, joined a large crowd of people. We could see the fire only from a distance because the police would not allow any one near the building on fire.

 What a **terrible** scene I saw that day! Huge flames of fire were coming out of each floor, and black and thick smoke spread all around. Four fire engines were engaged and the firemen in their uniform were playing the hose on various parts of the building. Then the tall ladders of the fire engine were stretched upwards. Some firemen climbed up with hoses in **their** hands. The continuous flooding brought the fire under control but the building was completely destroyed.

28. What did the writer hear that night?

A. fire B. fire engines C. alarm bells D. B & C

29. Where was the building on fire located?

A. near his house B. a few streets away C. near police station D.so far that he couldn’t see

30. The word “**terrible**” can best be replaced by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. horrifying B. interesting C. amazing D. nervous

31. The firemen were wearing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. shirt B. T-shirt C. uniforms D. suits

32. What does the word “**their**” refer to?

A. engines’ B. firemen’s C. hands’ D. hoses’

***Finish the second sentence so that it has similar meaning to the first one.***

33. It was such a good wine that I drank 3 glasses in a row.

→ The wine

34. They are excited about going to London on holiday.

→ They are looking

35. I can’t understand her because she speaks so softly.

→ If she didn’t

36. In spite of eating a lot of pizza, he was still hungry.

→ Although

***Combine two sentences into a new one using the given words in bracket. Do not change the given words in any way.***

37. They cancelled the trip to Van Mieu. It was too hot. (**because**)

38. The man is trying hard. He wants to finish the work early. (**order**)

39. I know the man. He is standing near the door. (**who**)

40. Minh is 1.65 meter. Hoa is 1.60 meter. (**taller**)