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1. Tourism is ----- leading source of income for many coastal communities.  
(A) a  
(B) at  
(C) then  
(D) none
2. Although thunder and lightning are produced at the same time, light waves travel faster -----, so we see the lightning before we hear the thunder.  
(A) than sound waves do  
(B) than sound waves are  
(C) do sound waves  
(D) sound waves
3. Beef cattle ----- of all livestock for economic growth in the North American economy.  
(A) the most are important  
(B) are the most important  
(C) the most important are  
(D) that are the most important
4. The discovery of the halftone process in photography in 1881 made it ----- photographs in books and newspapers.  
(A) the possible reproduction  
(B) possible to reproduce  
(C) the possibility of reproducing  
(D) possibly reproduced
5. Flag Day is a legal holiday only in the state of Pennsylvania, -----, according to tradition, Betsy Ross sewed the first American flag.  
(A) which  
(B) where  
(C) that  
(D) has
6. ----- vastness of the Grand Canyon, it is difficult to capture it in a single photograph.  
(A) While the  
(B) The  
(C) For the  
(D) Because of the
7. Speciation, -----, results when an animal population becomes isolated by some factor, usually geographic.  
(A) form biological species  
(B) biological species are formed  
(C) which forming biological species  
(D) the formation of biological species
8. In its pure state antimony has no important uses, but ----- with other substances, it is an extremely useful metal.  
(A) when combined physically or chemically  
(B) combined when physically or chemically  
(C) the physical and chemical combination  
(D) it is combined physically and chemically

9. The dawn redwood appears ----- some 100 million years ago in northern forests around the world.
- (A) was flourished
  - (B) having to flourish
  - (C) to have flourished
  - (D) have flourished
10. Beginning in the Middle Ages, composers of Western music used a system of notating their compositions ----- be performed by musicians.
- (A) will
  - (B) that
  - (C) and when to
  - (D) so they could
11. Civil rights are the freedoms and rights ----- as a member of a community, state, or nation.
- (A) may have a person
  - (B) may have a person who
  - (C) a person may have
  - (D) and a person may have
12. Richard Wright enjoyed success and influence ----- among Black American writers of his era.
- (A) were unparalleled
  - (B) are unparalleled
  - (C) unparalleled
  - (D) the unparalleled
13. ----- of large mammals once dominated the North American prairies: the American bison and the pronghorn antelope.
- (A) There are two species
  - (B) With two species
  - (C) Two species are
  - (D) Two species
14. Franklin D. Roosevelt was ----- the great force of radio and the opportunity it provided for taking government policies directly to the people.
- (A) as the first president he understood fully
  - (B) the first President that, to fully understand
  - (C) the first President fully understood
  - (D) the first President to understand fully
15. During the late fifteenth century, ----- of the native societies of America had professions in the fields of arts and crafts.
- (A) only a few
  - (B) a few but
  - (C) few, but only
  - (D) a few only