

**ĐỀ 20 HSG 9**

**SECTION II: LEXICO – GRAMMAR (7.0 points)**

**Part 1: Questions from 16 to 36. (3.0 points - 0.15/ each)**

**Choose the best answer to each question.**

16. The information-office at the station \_\_\_\_\_ that all trains were running about one hour behind time.

- A. advertised                  B. decided                  C. explained                  D. promised

17. The house was sold for £60000, which was far more than its real \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. cost                          B. value                          C. price                          D. expense

18. Although I spoke to him many times, he never took any \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. notice                          B. remark                          C. warning                          D. observation

19. When he was a student, his father gave him a monthly \_\_\_\_\_ towards his expenses.

- A. salary                          B. permission                          C. allowance                          D. wage

20. He was a much older tennis player but he had the great \_\_\_\_\_ of experience.

- A. advantage                          B. deal                          C. help                          D. value

21. To get my travelers' cheques I had to \_\_\_\_\_ a special cheque to the Bank for the total amount.

- A. make for                          B. make off                          C. make out                          D. make over

22. Well-mannered children have usually been properly \_\_\_\_\_ by their parents.

- A. raised up                          B. borne up                          C. brought up                          D. put up

23. He said he had every \_\_\_\_\_ in his secretary; she would do the right thing.

- A. confidence                          B. dependence                          C. thought                          D. knowledge

24. I am sorry that I can't \_\_\_\_\_ your invitation.  
A. take                      B. except                      C. agree                      D. accept
25. I forgot to \_\_\_\_\_ him to buy some bread.  
A. remember                      B. repeat                      C. remind                      D. let
26. \_\_\_\_\_ what he says, he wasn't even there when the crime was committed.  
A. Following                      B. Listening to                      C. According to                      D. Fearing
27. There is \_\_\_\_\_ that I may have to go into hospital next week.  
A. an opportunity                      B. bad luck                      C. a possibility                      D. fate
28. This young tree could not have been damaged by accident. I believe it was done  
\_\_\_\_\_.  
A. in fact                      B. on purpose                      C. by appointment                      D. by understanding
29. How much would you \_\_\_\_\_ for repairing my watch?  
A. charge                      B. cost                      C. pay                      D. demand
30. After the battle, the \_\_\_\_\_ soldiers were helped by those who could walk.  
A. damaged                      B. wounded                      C. broken                      D. blessed
31. He hoped the appointment would enable him to gain greater \_\_\_\_\_ in publishing.  
A. experience                      B. work                      C. jobs                      D. employment
32. \_\_\_\_\_ up children properly is mainly their parents' duty.  
A. growing                      B. rearing                      C. breeding                      D. bringing
33. Science has made great \_\_\_\_\_ during the past 30 years.  
A. increases                      B. motions                      C. advances                      D. advantages
34. Her shoes \_\_\_\_\_ her gloves; they look very well together.  
A. suit                      B. match                      C. fit                      D. compare

35. If you have a \_\_\_\_\_ to make about the food, I am willing to listen.

A. dislike

B. trouble

C. complaint

D. discontent