

(14, imagine) ..... himself performing brilliantly at the interview and being offered the job immediately. But now he (15. be) ..... feeling terrible. He (16. cannot remember) ..... all those things he (17. plan) ..... to say. At that moment, he (18. almost decide) ..... to get up and leave.

But no - he (19. have to do) ..... this. He (20. spend) ..... so much time thinking about it that he (21. cannot give up) ..... like that. His hands (22. be) ..... hot and sticky and his mouth (23. feel) ..... dry. Finally, the door of the office (24. open) ..... The woman who (25. go in) ..... an hour earlier (26. come out) ..... looking very pleased with herself. She (27. smile) ..... sympathetically at James. At that moment James (28 hate) ..... her. The managing director then (29. appear) ..... at the office door. "Would you like to come in now, Mr Davis? I'm sorry to have kept you waiting." James suddenly (30. wish) ..... that he (31. go) ..... home after all. He (32 get up) ..... , legs shaking and forehead sweating and (33. wonder) ..... whether he (34. look) ..... as terrified as he (35. feel) .....

## 12. Choose the correct answer.

1. I wish I ..... the answer.  
A. was knowing    B. know    C. knew    D. would know
2. I'm glad you remembered ..... some tea because I haven't got any.  
A. to bring    B. bringing    C. to have brought D. bring
3. By the end of the month the estate agent ..... twenty houses.  
A. will sell    B. will have sold C. will be selling D. is going to sell
4. Swansea, ..... my father was brought up, is a beautiful town.  
A. who    B. where    C. that    D. which
5. "Why hasn't your company moved yet?" "They ..... to find new offices for months."  
A. have tried    B. had tried  
C. have been trying    D. were trying
6. You may leave the classroom when you ..... writing.  
A. will finish    B. are finishing    C. have finished D. had finished
7. The foreign guests ..... here almost a week.  
A. have arrived    B. have been    C. have reached D. have got
8. ..... a noise just then?  
A. Have you heard    C. Did you hear  
B. Were you hearing    D. Are you hearing

9. I'm sure I.....her four years ago.  
A. have seen      B. saw      C. had seen      D. will see

10. She.....her lessons from seven to nine last night.  
A. did      B. had done      C. was doing      D. has been doing

11. My brother..... the Youth League since 1955  
A. joined      B. has taken part      C. is in      D. has been in

12. I wonder if he..... the job.  
A. takes      B. will take      C. would take      D. has taken

13. Oh, you had been here yesterday. I ..... you. ..... until tomorrow.  
A. thought / were coming      C. think/ was coming  
B. didn't think/ were coming      D. don't think/ was coming

14. As soon as Martina saw the fire, she..... the fire department.  
A. was telephoning      C. had telephoned  
B. telephoned      D. has telephoned

15. Before Jennifer won the lottery, she .....any kind of contest,  
A. hasn't entered      C. wasn't entering  
B. doesn't enter      D. hadn't entered

16. Every time Prakash sees a movie made in India, he..... homesick.  
A. will have felt B. felt      C. feels      D. is feeling

17. Since I left Venezuela six years ago, I.....to visit friends and family several times.  
A. return      C. am returning  
B. will have returned      D. have returned

18. While he was washing his new car, Mr. Brown.....a small dent in the rear fender.  
A. has discovered      C. is discovering  
B. was discovering      D. discovered

19. Yesterday while I was attending a sales meeting, Matthew ..... on the company's annual report.  
A. was working      C. has worked  
B. had been working      D. works

20. After the horse threw her to the ground for the third time, Jennifer picked herself up and said, "I.....on another as long as I live."  
A. never ride      C. will never ride  
B. have never ridden      D. do not ride

21. Ever since Maurice arrived, he.....quietly in the corner.  
Is something wrong?

