

INSTRUCTIONS: Write in the correct phrasal verbs.

1. There used to be lots of shops on the market place but many of them _____ because they could not compete with the new shopping centre and online shopping trends.
2. The department store manager took the derision to _____ that brand because it just wasn't selling well enough. At least that way we could recuperate some of the money we spent on stock.
3. We tried to _____ the saleswoman on price but she wouldn't budge. But even though we paid full price, at the end of the day we are satisfied.
4. My daughter _____ at least 15 pairs of shoes before she decided which pair she wanted to buy.
5. She went to the corner shop to buy some bread but they had _____. In the end she had to take the car and drive to the supermarket on the outskirts.
6. "Excuse me. I'm _____ a USB cable for this device. Do you have any in stock?"
7. "May I help you, sir?"
'No thank you. I am just _____
8. They decided to _____ with bread and milk because all the shops would be closed for the holidays.
9. The customers had _____ all the bread and milk because of the approaching holidays.
10. We paid nearly a thousand pounds for this PC but it stopped working after only two days and after it was repaired it continued to give us problems. I think we were _____.
11. When they launched the latest games console, the customers _____ all night to buy them.
12. We decided to _____ on a really good TV and bought the most expensive in the shop.
13. She looked at several different coffeemakers but in the end _____ the cheapest
14. We spent the day _____ for a new sofa but in the end decided to get one from the furniture store at the end of our street.
15. He family-run corner shop at the end of the road has been there for at least 50 years. It's a shame that large chain of grocery stores is going to _____ them _____. It was nice to go shopping in a place with a little individual character.
16. "How much did that new car _____ you _____?"
17. They were not happy with the microwave oven that they bought and decided to _____ it to the shop and ask for a refund.
18. She asked for a refund but they wouldn't _____ her _____ the money without a receipt.