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- 1) I paid for the tickets and you bought dinner, so we're quits, I \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 2) Their twins are \_\_\_\_\_ identical.
  - 3) Foreign investment has been a \_\_\_\_\_ to the industry.
  - 4) These measures are designed to \_\_\_\_\_ public fears about the product's safety.
  - 5) The department faces either a budget cut or \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 6) There was a big \_\_\_\_\_ surrounding/over the use of drugs in athletics.
  - 7) He \_\_\_\_\_ a story about working late at the office.
  - 8) The story is convoluted and opaque, often to the point of total \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 9) Be good, or the \_\_\_\_\_ will come and get you!
  - 10) The Central Bank \_\_\_\_\_ in the currency markets today to try to stabilize the exchange rate.
  - 11) We almost \_\_\_\_\_ in the heat of the city.
  - 12) He enjoyed the \_\_\_\_\_ of power, such as a chauffeur-driven car and bodyguards.
  - 13) The motivation was to create a \$70 billion \_\_\_\_\_ out of two embattled phone-equipment companies.
  - 14) If every member of the top management team doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ this project, it's never going to work.
  - 15) She \_\_\_\_\_ **with** her mortgage and the house was repossessed.
  - 16) There are many ways of \_\_\_\_\_ this problem.
  - 17) Bioluminescence is the \_\_\_\_\_ of light from living organisms.
  - 18) In order to turn the deserts into \_\_\_\_\_ and productive land, engineers built an 800-mile canal.
  - 19) I tried to \_\_\_\_\_ most of the spilled milk with a dishcloth.
  - 20) He had a \_\_\_\_\_ for the dramas of the Clinton years.
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