Past Progressive Practice

Complete the following sentences using the correct form of the past progressive tense of the verbs provided.

Ex. They were standing (stand) on the corner when I saw them.

1. The sun _____ (shine) when I woke up this morning.

2. It _____(rain) when I left the office.

3. I _____ (eat) dinner when you called me.

4. She got very sick while she _____ (travel) overseas.

5. Martin _____ (work) in the garden when it started to rain.

6. I _____(cook) dinner when the phone rang.

7. Mr. Johnson cut himself while he _____(shave).

8. She fell asleep while she _____ (watch) the movie.

9. Andrea broke her ankle when she _____(skate).

10. I saw a bad accident while I _____(drive) home.

11. She found a ten dollar bill while she _____ (walk) home.

12. They _____ (speed) when the accident happened.

13. The baby _____(sleep) when we got home from the party.

14. She broke a plate while she _____(do) the dishes.

15. When you called, I _____(take) a shower.

16. David met his neighbors while he _____(move) into his new apartment.

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