DOING THE SHOPPING

Task 1. DOING THE SHOPPING. Choose the right answer.

1. Alice often. . her mother to the shops.

a) accompanies b) bargains c) encourages d) follows

2. There are pictures of all the new models in our sales . . . . . .

a) album b) catalogue c) page d) tract

3. Linda has bought some attractive . . . . . paper for her Christmas presents.

a) covering b) envelope c) packing d) wrapping

4. . . . . .-order shopping is popular among housewives.

a) Letter b) Package c) Post d) Mail

5. Mrs Forgetful couldn't remember what she had to buy for the weekend as she had lost her shopping .. . . . .

a) code b) form c) list d) record

6. I was . . . . . by the wording of the advertisement.

a) misguided b) misled c) mistaken d) misunderstood

7. To get your map of Scotland just fill in the . . . . . and send it with $ I to the Tourist Board.

a) bill b) cheque c) coupon d) note

8. We regret that it is impossible to meet the . . . . . dates for the goods you recently ordered from us.

a) arrival b) carriage c) delivery d) service

9. We . . . . . to inform you that we cannot exchange articles once they have left the store.

a) regret b) respect c) sense d) sorry

10. The goods they have on offer today are certainly . . . . . .

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a) good value b) invaluable c) priceless d) worthy

11. Everything in the supermarket is marked with a price . . . . . .

a) mark b) notice c) sign d) tag

12. Mrs Thrifty came to the market hoping to . . . . . a cheap coat.

a) pick on b) pick out c) pick through d) pick up

13. Do you want to . . . . . on these shoes to see if they're the right size?

a) fit b) fix c) stand d) try

14. The girl in the shop was . . . . . how to use a new kind of electric cooker.

a) demonstrating b) exposing c) proving d) teaching

15. It's a good area for shopping. All the shops are within easy . . . . .

a) approach b) arrival c) neighborhood d) reach

16. Buy the new . . . . . of soap now on sale: it is softer than all others!

a) brand b) manufacture c) mark d) model

17. Small shops can't hope to . . . . . the wide choice available in supermarkets.

a) compete b) level c) match d) overcome

18. The cafe . . . . . at midnight. except on Saturdays.

a) closes b) ends c) finishes d) stops

19. " . . . . . are welcome. Come in and look around. No obligation to buy."

a) Browsers b) Observers c) Viewers d) Watchers

20. Woolworths have a very wide . . . . . of domestic goods.

a) circulation b) class c) number d) range

21. Can you . . . . . to us exactly how the machine works?

a) convince b) explain c) say d) tell

21. We found some real . . . . . at the sale.

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a) bargains b) goods c) items d) prizes

22. I wonder if you would help me to . . . . . up this present for father?

a) bind b) cover c) put d) wrap

23. The goods were displayed so well that you couldn't . . . . . the temptation to buy.

a) deny b) miss c) resist d) win

24. The price of this radio is not listed in the . . . . .

a) catalogue b) directory c) guidebook d) schedule

25. Take your . . . . . . There are plenty of dresses.

a) best b) choice c) selection d) pick

26. In a greengrocer's shop there is a lot of . . . . . if fruit and vegetables are not sold.

a) rest b) rot c) ruin d) wastage

27. They are old customers of ours. We've been . . . . . with them for many years.

a) competing b) dealing c) shopping d) treating

28. Imported coffee is one of the shop's best-selling . . . . . .

a) angles b) areas c) directions d) lines

29. The police decided to . . . . . the department store after they had received a bomb warning.

a) abandon b) evacuate c) evict d) expel

30. The auctioneer brought down his . . . . . before Mr Gambler had had time to raise his bid.

a) arm b) fist c) hammer d) price

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31. Mr Gambler gave a . . . . . to indicate to the auctioneer that he was still in the bidding.

a) card b) nod c) sigh d) smile

32. Mrs Bigshopper asked the shopkeeper to put the vegetables in a . . .

a) bag b) handbag c) satchel d) suitcase

33. The assistant . . . . . nervously while I made up my mind.

a) drifted b) floated c) hovered d) orbited

34. I'd like to buy the radio, but I haven't got any money on me at the moment. Could you . . . . . for me for a day or two?

a) bring it round b) lay it in c) put it on one side d) take it in

35. The big new supermarket on the outskirts of town does a . . . . . trade.

a) crying b) roaring c) screaming d) shouting

36. The shopkeeper . . . . , his first year's profits back into the business.

a) dug b) harvested c) ploughed d) sowed

37. Her shopping bag broke, ... its contents all over the pavement.

a) dispersing b) distributing c) overflowing d) scattering

38. There are consumer protection laws that affect every . . . . .

a) buy b) patron c) purchase d) retailer

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