Ex. 9. **Choose the appropriate past tense form.**

1. She *slept/slipped* her arm under his and *gave/given* him a gentle nudge
2. The host's strange behaviour *arose/aroused* our suspicion.
3. Michael walked up to the penalty spot and *struck/stroked* the ball firmly into the back of the net.
4. He startled her and she *spilt/split* her hot chocolate drink.
5. Newspaper editors all *strove/strode* to be first with the story.
6. The whale *dived/drove* as the harpoon *stroked/struck* it.
7. A smell of freshly made bread *flowed/floated* up from the kitchen.
8. He read the letter attentively and then *hit/hid* it in a drawer.
9. It was obvious that the money *floated/flowed* freely in the family.
10. The children *fell/felt* asleep an hour ago.
11. Yesterday Janet *died/dyed* her hair blonde.
12. Smoke *felt/filled* the room and it was difficult to breathe.
13. He had lost weight and his suit *hanged/hung* loosely on him.
14. She *laid/lied* about her age. She was much older.
15. Sheila *wrung/rang* out her wet clothes.
16. The boy *thrust/trusted* his hands deep into the bag.
17. The workmen *sawed/sewed* and hammered all day long.

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18. The wrecked ship *shrank/sank* to the bottom of the sea.
19. The travellers *split/slid* down the grassy slope.
20. He *trusted/thrust* her ability to make sensible decisions.
21. Mrs. Folley *sewed/sowed* all her own clothes.
22. The boat *sailed/sold* smoothly across the lake.
23. A storm *arose/aroused* during the night.
24. He *bit/beat* his friend at chess.
25. She *cast/cost* a welcoming smile in his direction.
26. Bob *failed/fell* to get into Art College.
27. After leaving school Tom *founded/found* it difficult to find a job.
28. Hillary *bent/blended* forward to pick up a newspaper.
29. The plane *landed/lent* safely.
30. The wounded man slowly *blended/bled* to death.
31. Catherine gasped and her hand *flowed/flew* to her mouth.
32. Mary *lay/laid* the baby gently on the bed.
33. When Tony *saw/sawed* me he *rose/raised* his right hand in greeting.
34. The baby girl took a mouthful of porridge and then suddenly *spilt/spat* it out.
35. She *swilled/swelled* the glasses with clean water.
36. The dwelling room *spelt/smelt* damp. Obviously it hadn't been lived in for a long time.
37. The Romans *found/founded* many cities and towns in ancient England.
38. The Battens *sailed/sold* their business at a profit of $5000.
39. Jane *heated/hit* the oil and added some onions.
40. Last year Mary *sat/set* a new world record for the high jump.

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Ex. 12. **Translate the fragments given in brackets.**

1. Lily was heartbroken when her husband *(оставил)* her and bitterly *(оплакивала)* her fate.
2. My brother completely *(забыл)* my birthday and neither *(пришел)* to the party nor *(прислал)* a birthday card.
3. Ann *(пела)* beautifully in the town hall yesterday and the public went wild with applause.
4. At first I *(обращала мало внимания)* but then my interest *(проснулся)*.
5. The rope *(порвалась)* as the mountaineer was climbing the rock.
6. John *(спрятал)* the letter in a drawer and locked it.
7. Alfred *(почувствовал)* somebody's hand on his right shoulder and *(оглянулся)*.
8. Sir Charles Tennant *(имел)* two wives who *(родили)* him sixteen children, ten boys and six girls
9. Virginia *(купила)* a lot of fresh vegetables in the market yesterday.
10. I *(вырезала)* the picture out of a glossy fashion magazine and pinned it up onto the wall.
11. He *(проехал на машине)* sixty miles that day.
12. It was such a boring film that I nearly *(уснул)*.
13. The fishermen were lucky that day and *(поймали)* a lot of fish.
14. Yesterday they certainly *(выбрали)* the right person for the job.
15. The sun *(взошло)* after five o'clock.
16. Sheila's lip *(опухла)* because a wasp had stung her.
17. Rosemary's parents *(запретили)* her to go out with Erick.
18. Denis *(погладил)* Helen's hand to try and calm her down.
19. The elderly man flew into a rage and *(ударил)* the table with his fist.
20. When we reached the shops we *(увидели)* that they were all closed.
21. Lucy *(открыла)* the refrigerator and *(взяла)* two bottles of fresh milk.
22. The kid *(упал)* on the floor and *(сильно ударился)*.
23. Last year Felicity *(выиграла)* a car on the lottery.
24. Marina *(выбрала)* to study foreign languages because she wanted to be a language teacher.

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25. It was very cold last night and the water at the edge of the lake *(замерзла)*.
26. Paul *(дал)* me two books on the history of Great Britain which I *(нашла)* both interesting and useful.
27. An insect *(укусило)* him on the right leg and it *(опухла)*.
28. The plane *(приземлился)* safely in spite of bad weather.
29. Janet *(смешала)* the flour with the milk to make a smooth paste.
30. Eliza *(порезала)* her finger when she was carving the meat.
31. The child *(нарисовал)* a circle in the sand with a stick.
32. At first the researchers *(не предвидели)* any problems but later the situation *(изменилась)* greatly.
33. The witch *(предсказала)* that the girl would marry a prince.
34. I clean *(забыл)* to ask for his address.
35. Smoke *(висел)* in the air above the city.
36. The little girl *(держала)* her father's hand tightly.
37. The little boy *(перескочил)* over the narrow stream and *(продолжил)* his way.
38. When Donald Layton was a schoolboy he always *(оставлял)* everything till the last moment.
39. Betty *(зажгла)* a candle and *(поставила)* it on the kitchen table.
40. Alice *(потеряла)* sight of her husband in the crowd.
41. The hostess *(приготовила)* coffee for all of us.
42. Ray deliberately *(ввел в заблуждение)* everybody about the nature of their relationship.
43. Helen *(наклонилась)* forward to pick up a newspaper.
44. Last summer the gardener *(косил)* the lawn every week.
45. In a fit of anger Pete *(ударил)* the table with his fist.
46. Stephan *(имел обыкновение)* to smoke fifty cigarettes a day till he finally *(бросил)* smoking.
47. Jack *(упал)* off the ladder when he *(красил)* the ceiling.
48. I *(пошел)* to sleep at 3 o'clock in the morning and *(проснулся)* an hour later at 4 o'clock.
49. As Emily *(выходила)* out of the boat her right foot *(поскользнулась)* and she *(упала)* into the river.
50. Bobby *(всегда извинялся)* for being late when he *(учился)* at school.

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