

Grammar

C Put the verbs in brackets into the *Past Simple*.

e.g. Darren **sent** (send) a long letter to Laura.

17 Jules Verne (write) <i>Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea.</i>	22 (Dr Watson/help) <i>Sherlock Holmes?</i>
18 Sherlock Holmes (smoke) a pipe.	23 Agatha Christie (create) the Belgian detective, Hercule Poirot.
19 Miss Marple (catch) many criminals.	24 The professor and Axel (find) a mysterious message.
20 (Hercule Poirot/live) in Belgium?	25 Arthur Conan Doyle (be) a famous writer.
21 How (Captain Nemo/travel)?	26 Dr Frankenstein (meet) Captain Walton on the ice.

D Underline the correct item.

e.g. Tom told me the story until/after he read the novel.

27 The cat ran away <u>until/as soon as</u> it saw the dog.	31 Lyn got a job <u>after/until</u> she finished school.
28 Henry <u>used to go/went</u> to Ireland last week.	32 First she made dinner, <u>then/when</u> she watched TV.
29 We <u>used to go/go</u> to the park on Saturdays, but now we go swimming.	33 The children played in the garden <u>until/then</u> it got dark.
30 We were surprised <u>when/until</u> we saw Mum on television.	

Everyday English

E Choose the correct response.

e.g. I had quite a shock.	D	A What? Tell me!
34 You'll never guess what happened to me.	.....	B No, you certainly don't.
35 There was a snake in the fountain.	.....	C Oh my goodness!
36 You look a little upset.	.....	D Really? Why?
37 Well, you don't see that every day, do you?	.....	E Luckily, no.
38 Was anyone hurt?	.....	F Well, I had quite a shock.