Rational cloze : Exercise 2

Choose the **best** answer from the options **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**.

Years ago, as a newly-qualified teacher, I was posted to a school in a small village. There was only one coffee shop, ___1___ sundry shop and a bicycle repair shop. The village had piped water ___2___ no electricity supply. There ___3___ no public transport at night. ___4___, the lack of amenities in the village did not bother me much. The students ___5___ hardworking and eager to learn. There were no discipline ___6___. I had to ___7___ a set of living quarters with two others and we had to cook our own meals. In the evenings and during weekends we went fishing or ___9___ round the many surrounds villages. At weddings we and festivals, we were showered with food. ___9___ village folk respected ___10___ and made us feel wanted. I'll never forget their warmth and kindness.

1. (A) a
   (B) an
   (C) the
   (D) --

2. (A) and
   (B) but
   (C) or
   (D) both

3. (A) is
   (B) are
   (C) was
   (D) were

4. (A) Moreover
   (B) Therefore
   (C) Since
   (D) However

5. (A) is
   (B) are
   (C) was
   (D) were

6. (A) problems
   (B) difficulties
   (C) challenges
   (D) attitudes

7. (A) live
   (B) make
   (C) share
   (D) divide

8. (A) cycle
   (B) cycles
   (C) cycled
   (D) cycling

9. (A) A
   (B) An
   (C) The
   (D) --

10. (A) us
    (B) we
    (C) me
    (D) you