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1. Besides rain, _____ is seldom pure.

   Ⓐ water naturally
   Ⓑ natural water
   Ⓒ water of nature
   Ⓓ the nature's water

2. Anyone reproducing (A) copyrighted works without the permission of the holders of the copyrights are (B) breaking (C) the law (D).

3. Nitrogen must be combine (A) with another element (B) such as (C) hydrogen or oxygen to be useful (D) in agriculture or industry.

4. In the sixteenth century (A), François Vieta, a French mathematician, used (B) the vowels *a, e, i, o, u* to represent (C) a (D) unknown number.

5. Burrowing animals provide paths for water in soil, and so do the roots of plants _____.

   Ⓐ decaying and they dying
   Ⓑ when they die and decay
   Ⓒ they die and decay
   Ⓓ when they will die and decay

6. _____ a busy city, Pompeii was virtually destroyed by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius in 79 A.D.

   Ⓐ Once
   Ⓑ It was once
   Ⓒ Once it was
   Ⓓ That once

7. The FDA was set up in 1940 _____ that maintain standards for the sale of food and drugs.

   Ⓐ to enforce the laws
   Ⓑ to enforcing laws
   Ⓒ enforcing laws
   Ⓓ enforced the laws

8. Vasco da Gama, accompanied by a large crew (A) and a fleet of twenty ships, were (B) trying to establish (C) Portuguese domination in Africa and India (D) during the sixteenth century.

9. The bridge at Niagara Falls (A) spans the longer (B) unguarded border in the history of the world, symbolizing the peace and goodwill that exist between (C) Canada and the United States (D).

23. In (A) 1776 to 1800, the population (B) of the U.S. continued to rise (C), reaching (D) five million citizens by the turn of the century.

24. Not until a student has mastered algebra _____ the principles of geometry, trigonometry, and physics.

   Ⓐ he can begin to understand
   Ⓑ can he begin to understand
   Ⓒ he begins to understand
   Ⓓ begins to understand

25. From space (A), astronauts are able (B) to clearly see (C) the outline of (D) the whole Earth.

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