24. When Siti _____ to contact Rose, she _____ already.
A tried, left
B had tried, had left
C tried, had left
D tries, was leaving

25. Our school will play host _____ the delegates in conjunction _____ its golden anniversary.
A for, of
B to, with
C for, to
D to, of

26. We hope that the police will take _____ and solve the problem _____ and for all.
A action, one
B effect, once
C effort, one
D action, once

27. Try not to be rude, _____ Ms Lily will be _____ with you.
A otherwise, cross
B or else, crossed
C as, crossing
D so, cross

28. It's _____ hot day, _____ let's have some cold drink.
A a, then
B the, so
C a, so
D –, therefore

29. I have _____ pet dog that likes to catch _____ birds.
A –, –
B a, –
C a, the
D –, –

30. One of the boys _____ still missing, so the rangers are working _____ the clock.
A was, at
B was, on
C is, around
D is, round

31. The lady with the dog _____ my neighbour. She _____ as a newscaster.
A are, is working
B is, work
C is, works
D was, work

32. Everyone _____ feeling happy, _____?
A is, aren't they
B was, didn't they
C is, isn't it
D was, wasn't it

33. Neither John nor you _____ around to help me when I was _____.
A are, busy
B was, down
C were, up
D were, down

34. Whenever he is _____ town, he always makes it _____ point to visit us.
A in, the
B in, a
C at, the
D at, a

35. Choose the incorrect pair.
A able – enable
B justice – justify
C beauty – beautify
D peace – peaceful

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36. We all sympathise _____ the victims _____ the fire.
A with, in
B at, in
C with, of
D over, of

37. It's too _____. There is _____ that we can do at the moment.
A late, nothing
B lately, nothing
C late, something
D late, something

38. If I _____ better, I _____ you at the party.
A am feeling, would join
B feel, will join
C felt, would have joined
D was feeling, would join

39. _____ on earth are you doing there? It's a _____ area.
A What, prohibitive
B Who, prohibited
C What, prohibited
D Whom, prohibitive

40. If I _____, I _____ the seminar conducted by the professor.
A knew, would have attended
B had known, would attend
C know, would attend
D had known, would have attended

41. Jenny _____ her application form yesterday, so _____ Haslam.
A had posted, had
B posted, did
C posted, was
D had posted, did

42. Andrew _____ the whole morning before we _____ him.
A slept, had called
B was sleeping, were calling
C had been sleeping, called
D slept, called

43. Pick out the incorrect pair.
A energy – energetic
B gloom – gloomy
C real – realistic
D unite – unity

44. The boys shouted _____ joy when the sweets were distributed _____ themselves.
A with, among
B like, among
C in, over
D with, over

45. There was _____ loud applause as each participating contingent _____ by.
A a, past
B the, passed
C –, past
D –, passed

46. It was _____ unforgettable occasion not only for the locals, _____ the foreigners.
A an, but also
B a, but also
C the, as well as
D an, including

47. If no effort is taken to _____ the tradition, it will die a _____ death.
A popularising, quick
B popular, sudden
C popularise, natural
D popularity, slow

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