TEST 26

I. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY: Choose the best answer from A, B, C or D.

1. It was the longest film I have ever seen. It …….three hours

A. lasted B. stayed C. finished D. completed

2. No one was able to think …….the noise was going on.

A. during B. while C. since D. on account of

3. Everyone in the world ……..to lead a happy life.

A. wants B. want C. is wanting D. are wanting

4. In the newspaper there …….a lot of news about the earthquake

A. was B. are C. is D. be

5. We went to his town but there ……nothing interesting to see.

A. are B. is C. were D. was

6. The doctor wants to know what…….yesterday.

A. did you eat B. were you eating C. have you eaten D. you ate

7. Please call me when……to go out.

A. you ready B. you are ready C. are you ready D. ready

8. I advised him ……..too much about the result of the test.

A. not to worrying B. not worrying C. not to worry D. don't worry

9. She allowed them……..to the cinema yesterday.

A. to go B. from going C. went D. did not go

10. Did you understand……..?

A. what he said B. what did he say C. what has he said D. what he is saying

11. Sometimes I wonder why ……a new car.

A. doesn't he buy B. he not buy C. he doesn't buy D. won't he buy

12. He told us that many people ……..homeless by the fire last week.

A. made B. having been made C. had made D. were made

13. London is…….as the capital of great Britain.

A. knows B. know C. known D. knew

14. The man…….. we met on the train was the headmaster.

A. who B. whom C. which D. whose

15. Someone is knocking ……the door.

A. in B. at C. over D. out

16. His friend……. ..he would be back in an hour.

A. spoke B. told C. said D. announced

17. He is ……a busy man that he really needs a helper.

A. so B. such C. very D. so that

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18. People usually .....early for the show.

A. arrive B. arrives C. arriving D. have arrived

20. The weather is.....today than yesterday.

A. much better B. very better C. too better D. best

21. The artist .....painting you like is very young.

A. who B. whom C. which D. whose

22. We have to wait .....tomorrow.

A. which B. until C. before D. when

23. His father hasn't seen him.....five years.

A. for B. since C. during D. while

24. The selling price of that house and.....is $24,000.

A. many furniture B. some furnitures C. some furniture D. many furnitures

25. My brother can't play tomorrow and.....

A. either I can B. neither can I C. neither I can D. I can't, too

26. I didn't dare.....him about the damage to his car.

A. to tell B. telling C. for telling D. have tell

27. Peter .....my bicycle since eight o'clock yesterday morning.

A. was having B. is having C. has had D. has been had

28. He won't lend it to you unless you.....to return it punctually .

A. would promise B. promising C. are promised D. promise

29. If you went to see him, you ..... out the truth.

A. find B. would find C. will find D. would have found

30. My uncle says that that shop .....down tomorrow.

A. is being pulled B. will be pulled C. has been pulled D. is going to pull

II. READING COMPREHENSION

Choose the best answer from A, B, C or D to complete the text.

John lay in hospital bed and look around. (31).....beds in the ward, and each one had a patient in it. He wondered if the other patients had broken their legs (32)..... ,or whether they were suffering from something (33) ..... The man in the next bed smiled at John.

"What are you in for?" he asked.

"Broken leg", said John. " (34) ....."

" Same thing. Everybody here has a broken leg except for Fred over there"

"What's wrong with Fred?" John asked curiously. He looked across at Fred, and realised (35)..... Fred was completely wrapped in bandages with only his nose showing!

31. A. There were several other B. Looking at all the other

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C. He could see all the D. There weren't any other

32. A. then B. after all C. either D. too

33. A. just the same B. other C. else D. that he was

34. A. Are you? B. What for? C. What about you? D. What's it about?

35. A. there was a big problem for him B. what a silly question it was

C. he didn't know the answer D. what the question was for

III. USE OF ENGLISH

Choose the underlined word or phrase in each sentence that needs correcting.

36. (A)When there are (B) low sales, companies often decide (C) developing new (D) products.

37. Sorry, (A) could you say (B) that again? I (C) haven't listened (D) for you.

38. The (A) old house were (B) pulled down to (C) make room for (D) block of flats.

39. The students (A) were (B) interested (C) in take a trip to the National History Museum, but they (D) were not able to raise enough money.

40. After she (A) had bought (B) himself a new motorbike, (C) she sold (D) her bicycle.

41. (A) Those homework that your teacher (B) assigned is due (C) on Tuesday unless you (D) have made prior arrangements to turn it in late.

42. (A) The president went (B) fishing (C) after he (D) has finished with the conference.

43. Please (A) give me (B) a few coffee and (C) some sugar (D) if you have any left.

44. When I (A) arrived at her house, I found she (B) has been out with her (C) new friend without (D) leaving me a note.

45. I (A) had not to work yesterday (B) because it was my day (C) off, so I was going (D) to see my friend instead.

45. (A) Could you mind (B) telling me the way(C) to the (D) nearest restaurant?

IV. STRUCTURES

Choose the correct sentence which has the same meaning as the given one.

46. She was so busy that she couldn't answer the phone.

A. She was very busy that she couldn't answer the phone.

B. She was too busy to answer the phone.

C. She was too busy not to answer the phone.

D. She was very busy so that she couldn't answer the phone.

47. Paul is employed by Sony, isn't he?

A. Paul works for Sony, didn't he? B. Paul works for Sony, did he?

C. Paul works for Sony, doesn't he? D. Paul works for Sony, does he?

48. "Can I borrow your pen please, Sam?" said Gillian.

A. Gillian asked Sam if she can borrow his pen.

B. Gillian asked Sam if she could borrow his pen.

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C. Gillian asked Sam she can borrow his pen.

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49. I went to school with Madeline when we lived near each other.

A. I used to go to school with Madeline when we lived near each other.

B. Madeline and I lived near the school.

C. I went to school nearby with Madeline.

D. Madeline's school was mine and we lived with each other.

50. He prefers typing to writing by hand.

A. He doesn't like to write by hand at all.

B. He likes typing better.

C. He'd rather type than write by hand.

D. He doesn't like typing.

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