RNE Training

Grammar

Task 1508

19-24. *Прочитайте приведённый ниже текст. Преобразуйте, если необходимо, слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в конце строк, обозначенных номерами* ***19-24,*** *так чтобы они грамматически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами. Каждый пропуск соответствует отдельному заданию из группы. (ПЕЧАТНЫМИ ЗАГЛАВНЫМИ БУКВАМИ, без пробелов и знаков препинания!)*

THE BEST DOG	
"We must be quick," said Holmes. "I want you to go to this address. Ask for Mr. Sherman. He has an old dog called Toby. I want you to bring Toby here." I took a cab and went to the address which Holmes (just) _____ **19** me.	**GIVE**
Soon I arrived in Pinchin Lane. I _____**20** house number three and knocked on the door. After some time, a face looked out from a window above.	**FIND**
"Who are you?" said the face angrily. "What do you want?"	
"My friend, Mr. Sherlock Holmes…" I began.	
At these words, the window suddenly shut and a few moments _____**21** the door opened.	**LATE**
An old man stood in the doorway, _____**22** a candle in his hand. "Come in, sir," he said. "I'm Mr. Sherman." I went into the small dirty house and stopped in surprise.	**HOLD**
There were cages everywhere. Different kinds of animals _____ **23** in them.	**KEEP**
"What does Mr. Holmes want?" asked the old man.	
"A dog called Toby," I answered.	
"Toby is my dog," said Mr. Sherman." He loves to follow strong smells. Wait here. I_____ **24** him."	**GET**
The old man came back, pulling a dog on a lead. I put some money into his hand and he gave me Toby's lead. When I got back home, Sherlock Holmes was standing outside the door.	
"Excellent, Watson!" he cried. "You have done well."	

25-29. *Прочитайте приведенный ниже текст. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами после номеров* ***25 - 29*** *так, чтобы они грамматически и лексически соответствовали содержании) текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами. Каждый пропуск соответствует отдельному заданию из группы* ***25-29.***

TO THE NORTH POLE	
When Matthew Henson was young, he was a sailor. One day he got acquainted with a naval officer and _____**25** named Robert Peary.	**EXPLORE**
He told Peary about his navigating skills. Peary was impressed with Henson's _____ **26** and invited the sailor to join him as his _____ **27** assistants.	**KNOW** **PERSON**
In 1908 their team left Greenland for the North Pole. During the last part of the expedition, Henson moved out front. In April 6, 1909 Henson arrived at the North Pole.	
Peary was upset that Henson arrived there before he did. On the way home, Peary was moody and _____**28** and he told Henson not to speak publicly about their adventures. When they returned, Peary was honoured, while Henson was ignored.	**FRIEND**
But Henson started to give lectures, and people recognized him as an	

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important traveller. In 1947 he wrote a book which helped bring more attention to his _____ **29** achievements. After his death people honoured Henson as co-discoverer of the North Pole.	**REMARK**

***30–36**. Прочитайте текст с пропусками, обозначенными номерами **30–36**. Эти номера соответствуют заданиям **30–36**, в которых представлены возможные варианты ответов.*

BUSY DAY

Let me tell you what happened once when my dear Uncle Podger decided to hang a picture on the wall. He told us not to **30** _____ and just watch him do it. He said he would do it by himself. Well, he came up to the picture which was waiting to be put up in the dining room and took it. But suddenly it fell down and the glass **31**_____ into pieces and he cut his finger. He started to **32** _____ his handkerchief but couldn't find it because he had put it in his coat and none of us knew where his coat was.

"Six of you!" Uncle Podger exclaimed, "and you cannot find the coat that I put down only five minutes ago!" But then he got up from his chair and found that he had been sitting on his coat the whole time. "Oh, you can stop your **33** _____. I've found it myself!"

Then after an hour was spent in tying up his finger Uncle Podger wondered where the hammer had disappeared to. And while everybody was trying to get the hammer, he was standing on the chair saying: "Well, I want to know if you are going to **34**_____ me here all evening!"

Finally, the hammer was found, but we noticed that the nail which he had prepared was lost. And, of course, Uncle Podger didn't keep **35** _____ while he was waiting for another nail to be brought. We heard all he had to say about our habit of losing all the things he needed.

When the picture was hanging on the wall at last, everybody looked very **36** _____, all except Uncle Podger, who was lively as ever. Aunt Maria remarked that if Uncle Podger wanted to do a job like that again, she would spend a week with her mother until it was over.

30. 1) scare	2) worry	3) disturb	4) fear
31. 1) failed	2) ruined	3) broke	4) fell
32. 1) look for	2) look to	3) look after	4) look at
33. 1) exploration	2) investigation	3) search	4) study
34. 1) stay	2) put	3) take	4) keep
35. 1) silent	2) cool	3) still	4) dumb
36. 1) dull	2) fresh	3) tired	4) boring

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