

*V. Complete each sentence with a suitable preposition.*

*Task 2:*

1. He didn't tell the truth. He lied \_\_\_\_\_ it.
2. The patient was very ill indeed. The doctors were working \_\_\_\_\_ time.
3. The sun disappeared \_\_\_\_\_ the cloud.
4. The boxer lost the fight because he hit his opponent \_\_\_\_\_ the belt.
5. I will arrive sometime \_\_\_\_\_ three and four in the afternoon.
6. He was so ill, he was \_\_\_\_\_ the help of the doctors.
7. The weather didn't improve. It went \_\_\_\_\_ bad to worse.
8. I couldn't buy the book because the shop didn't have it \_\_\_\_\_ stock.
9. I felt pleased I no longer had the responsibility. It was a weight \_\_\_\_\_ my shoulders.
10. This is the better product. It has many advantages \_\_\_\_\_ its competitors.
11. The floods were serious. There were ten thousand square kilometres \_\_\_\_\_ water.
12. The bank wants to be sure you can pay back the money. It lends money only \_\_\_\_\_ good security.