Directions I: Supply the correct Past Simple or Past Continuous Tense form of verb in parentheses.

Where (you go)_____ when I (see) _____ you last night?

Tom (run) _____ fast when he (fall) _____ down.

Alex (pay) _____ attention while I (speak) _____ .

At six o'clock yesterday, when you (telephone) _____ I (have) _____my supper.

As we (drive) _____to Bath, I (get) _____ sick.

Your letter (come) _____ just as I (leave) _____ my home.

I (study)_____ my English lesson last night while my parents (watch)_____television.

As Caroline (get) _____off the bus, she (slip) _____ and (break) _____ her arm.

She (write) _____ a letter when you (come) _____ in.

We (practice) _____ every morning last month.

Directions II: Past Simple or Continuous? Underline the correct form of the verbs.

I met / was meeting a friend while I shopped / was shopping.

I paid / was paying for my things when I heard / was hearing someone call my name.

I turned / was turning around and saw / was seeing Jo.

She wore / was wearing a bright red coat.

We decided / were deciding to have a cup of coffee.

While we had / were having our coffee, a waiter dropped / was dropping a pile of plates.

We both got / were getting a terrible shock.

While the waiter picked / was picking up the broken plates, he cut / was cutting his finger.

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