Extracts from *The report of Zargon, a space explorer, a year 2050*.

Choose the right tense form Simple Past or Past Perfect

1. When I was a child, I often dreamed / had often dreamt of being a space explorer.
2. When I was 25, I applied / had applied for a place at the space training academy.
3. I will never forget the day when the Principal told / had told me that I passed / had passed my final exams.
4. On my first mission, I went / had gone to visit a small planet in star system 18B.
5. The planet stopped / had stopped sending out radio signals some months before, and my orders were to find out what happened / had happened.
6. It was early morning when I landed. As soon as I found / had found somewhere to leave the space-ship, I started / had started to explore the surrounding countryside.

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7. There was no sight of animal life, and I wondered / had wondered what had happened / happened to the people.
8. I found / had found several kinds of plants that I never saw / had never seen before.
9. Not far from my landing place, I discovered / had discovered a small house.
11. It was in a very poor condition; obviously, nobody lived / had lived there for years.
12. Suddenly I had heard / heard a footstep, and a woman appeared / had appeared from behind the house.
13. I asked her what happened / had happened, but she just looked / had looked at me with a strange smile.

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