Sequence of Tenses

Fill in the correct form of the verb in brackets.

1. I knew they _____ (wait) for me at the metro station and I decided to hurry.

2. I was afraid that the little girl _____ (not be) able to unlock the front door and _____ (go) upstairs to help her.

3. He says that he _____ (know) the laws of the country.

4. Sarie understood why Lanny _____ (not come) the previous evening.

5. She asked me whether I _____ (remember) the legend about a faithful lion.

6. He understood that the soldiers _____ (arrest) him.

7. He couldn't understand why people _____ (not want) to take water from that well.

8. I suppose they _____ (send) a dog after the burglar immediately.

9. He said he _____ (leave) tomorrow morning.

10. She said she _____ (not can) tell the right time, her watch (be) wrong.

11. I asked my friend if he _____ (ever travel) by air before.

12. I didn't know that you _____ (already wind) up the clock.

13. The policeman asked George where he _____ (run) so early.

14. The delegates were told that the guide _____ (just go) out and _____ (be) back in ten minutes.

15. Yesterday I was ashamed when I met my classmate in the street. I _____(tell) him wrong homework the previous week and he got a bad mark in his test!

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