## WEB COMPANION FOR: BASIC VOCABULARY (ISBN : 978-81-317-2129-2)

Directions: Pick out the most effective word from the given words to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully complete.

1. There is no need of any proof because everything is very $\qquad$ .
(a) obvious
(b) uncertain
(c) definite
(d) regular
(e) essential
2. Onions grow in $\qquad$ in this part and hence they are always very cheap her
(a) demand
(b) abundance
(c) peak
(d) excessive
(e) dearth
3. Normally he is very $\qquad$ in his behaviour, but on that occasion he behaved very aggressively.
(a) rude
(b) obedient
(c) docile
(d) intolerant
4. If you $\qquad$ in advance, you will get some concession.
(a) buy
(b) work
(c) submit
(d) pay
(e) decide
5. I have in my album photographs of someof my very close friends $\qquad$ I can never forget.
(a) that
(c) whom
(b) who
(e) those
6. Are you really desirous visiting Japan?
(a) of
(b) in
(c) to
(d) about
7. When Indiansfrom the south move north, they find certain aspects of life quite $\qquad$ from their own
(b) separate
(c) different
(d) divergent
8. The sky is overcast, we $\qquad$ the storm will soon burst.
(a) expect
(b) hope
(c) trust
(d) suspect
9. Population increase $\qquad$ with depletion of foreign reserves has led to great daily hardships.
(a) joined
(b) mixed
(c) added
(d) coupled
10. The National Anthem is $\qquad$ at every official function.
(a) uttered
(b) sung
(c) whispered
(d) chanted
11. The doctor took out his $\qquad$ to examine the patient.
(a) horoscope
(b) microscope
(c) telescope
(d) stethoscope
12. The candidate's exposition was $\qquad$ for its brevity and clarity.
(a) complimentary
(b) conspicuous
(c) incomprehensible
(d) remarkable
13. The new India that Nehru led called itself a sovereign $\qquad$ Democratic Republic.
(a) capitalist
(b) revisionist
(c) populist
(d) socialist
14. you work hard, you won't be able to clear even the preliminaries.
(a) If
(b) Until
(c) Unless
(d) Lest
15. Last year our company made a $\qquad$ of several lakhs of rupees.
(a) profit
(b) gain
(c) rise
(d) raise
16. If the banks desire to $\qquad$ profit, they should get rid of
(a) lose, concentrate
(b) Increase, populist
(c) earn, unhealthy
(d) maximize, traditional
(e) make, unsteady
17. He was immature in his young age when he became completely $\qquad$ by German . and writing of Shakespeare.
(a) collapsed, army
(b) engrossed, people
(c) captivated, literature
(d) seized, soldiers
(e) broken, rules
18. The man who does not.
that the good of every living creature is him $\qquad$ is a fool.
(a) see, good
(b) know, had
(c) understand, ugly
(d) see, worse
(e) understand, better
19. Being a kind そearted master, he never.....too.... work on his servants.
(a) does much
(b) entrusts, easy
(c) performs, बlittle
(d) imposes, much
(e) assigns, little
20. On account of the $\ldots$ of grass on the arid plains the cattle became....
(a) dearth, emaciated
(b) dearth, flippant
(c) abundance, arrangement
(d) sacrifice, agitated
(e) crisis, jubilant
21. The students were not willing to $\qquad$ the examination.
(a) gave
(b) give
(c) appear
(d) take
22. e entered the river to bathe in but he $\qquad$ There.
(a) drowned
(b) sank
(c) sink
(d) had drowned
23. If I $\qquad$ a parrot, I would fly.
(a) am
(b) were
(c) was
(d) had been
24. Let the book. $\qquad$ where it is.
(a) lay
(b) lie
(c) laid
(d) lain
25. When I reached there I found he had $\qquad$ his shirt on the peg.
(a) hanged
(b) hung
(c) hinged
(d) hangen
26. All my friends have been $\qquad$ to offer Mathematics.
(a) advice
(b) advice
(c) advised
(d) advise
27. The District Magistrate has agreed to $\qquad$ the rule and reduce the amount of tax in such cases.
(a) wave
(b) way
(c) weigh
(d) waive
28. I tried to $\qquad$ him to accept my suggestions but I failed.
(a) persuade
(b) pursuit
(c) pursue
(d) peruse
29. In no case can I $\qquad$ the line you have suggested.
(a) toe
(b) tow
(c) toed
(d) towed
30. It was your brother who
(a) Insighted
(c) Incited


Let us aim $\qquad$ produong something original.
(a) on
(b) at
(c) to

(d) for
32. Inspite of these warnings he persisted. $\qquad$ coming late.
(a) with
(b) at
(c) on
(d) in
33. The strike was called $\qquad$ .the day before yesterday.
(a) 0
(b) of
(c) Tack
(d) up
34. invited all your friends but none of them turned $\qquad$
(a) on
(b) off
(c) up
(d) into
35. I issued an order but the court turned it $\qquad$
(a) up
(b) down
(c) out
(d) away
36. A robber broke $\qquad$ his house last night and took away a lot of valuables.
(a) by
(b) on
(c) into
(d) in
37. The First World War broke $\qquad$ in 1914 and continued for five years.
(a) into
(b) in
(c) up
(d) out
38. He made several attempts but he failed to get. $\qquad$ the examination.
(a) off
(b) through
(c) out
(d) of
39. I listened to him quite carefully but could not make $\qquad$ .what he wanted to say.
(a) out
(b) into
(c) of
(d) off
40. Please see $\qquad$ it that no harm is done to me.
(a) to
(b) into
(c) on
(d) in
41. Gold which is smuggled into India from the Middle-East is not very cheap.
(a) A
(b) An
(c) The
(d) Some
42. This is $\qquad$ European phenomenon, not an Asian one.
(a) a
(b) an
(c) the
(d) few
43. The U.S.A. is $\qquad$ .only super power now.
(a) a
(b) an
(c) the
(d) few
44. Sunil was $\qquad$ asleep and could not be easily awakened.
(a) High
(c) Severe

45. I saw him going escorted two policemen.
(a) With
(b) Against
(c) By
(d) On
46.
(a) Many
(b) Few
(c) Much
(d) Most
47. I amsure neither the house nor its contents $\qquad$ for sale.
(a)
(b) are
(c) nas
(d) were
48. Rlease do not $\qquad$ me now, I am very busy, I will look into it tomorrow.
(a) Demand
(b) Disturb
(c) Expect
(d)Worry
49. Research shows that an organization's $\qquad$ to cater to the customer's changing needs will $\qquad$ its success.
(a) intent-realise
(b) ability-determine
(c) capacity-lead
(d) desire-insure
(e) flexibility- acquire
50. In many rural areas hospitals are $\qquad$ equipped because of the $\qquad$ of funds from the government.
(a) well-dearth
(b) faulty-lacking
(c) optimally-disparity
(d) inadequately-scarcity
(e) ill-surplus
51. A company can $\qquad$ the potential of its employees $\qquad$ various training programmes.
(a) emphasis-for
(b) exploit-from
(c) enhance-through
(d) appraise-by
(e) identify-under
52. The objective of the survey is to $\qquad$ the impact of the rising rupee on a engineering sector.
(a) attribute-profitable
(b) establish-tensed
(c) intensify-volatile
(d) substantiate-reinforced
(e) ascertain-thriving
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53. The country's economic growth has been achieved
$\qquad$ large amounts of foreign direct investments.
(a) on-boosting
(b) despite-estimating
(c) mostly-soliciting
(d) via-attracting
(e) substantial-opposing
54. Every manager gradually. $\qquad$ a style of his own very slowly while managing the department's activities.
(a) create
(b) shows
(c) inhibits
(e) develops
(d) inherits

Parents' divorce has a $\qquad$ impact on ehibdren of a young age.
(a) tremendous
(c) horribly
(e) regressive
56. It is a mistake on our part to ... our mother tongue inferior.
(a) feel
(b) preach
(c) consider
(d) represent
(e) regard
57. He ........to keepup the reputation of his family.
(a) sustainedo
(b) promised
(c) compelled
(d) confirmed
(e) oppressed

Ramesh will be $\qquad$ to accept the offer of the new job given by his uncle.
(a) suspected
(b) believed
(c) assured
(d) obliged
(e) confident
59. Mr. Srinivasan is $\qquad$ to become Chairman of the group $\qquad$ the retirement of his father.
(a) set, following
(b) voted, subsequent
(c) selected, despite
(d) approved, because
(e) decided, after
60. $\qquad$ to your error the $\qquad$ consignment has been delayed by a week.
(a) According, important
(b) Duly, urgent
(c) Owing, entire
(d) Added, crucial
(e) Admitting, special
61. On account of the $\qquad$ in sales the software firm has achieved an eight per cent ___ in net profit.
(a) surge, fall
(b) increase, rise
(c) decline, slope
(d) hike, loss
(e) growth, advance
62. We are proud to say that today $\qquad$ 26 per cent of our total accounts are $\qquad$ by women and senior citizens.
(b) nearly, authorized
(a) approximate, held
(d) above, open
(c) over, maintain
(e) around, operated
63. The company has $\qquad$ special training to employees on $\qquad$ to trade online.
(a) announced, benefits
(b) offered, course
(c) imparted, risks
(d) sanction, skills
(e) provided, how
64. If all the problems that have $\qquad$ humandeings since the beginning of recorded history. perhaps the most significant has been the . $\qquad$ of their own nature.
(a) encountered Importance
(b) perplexed $\qquad$ .value
(c) questioned $\qquad$ scope
(d) confronted riddle
(e) directed $\qquad$ .issue
65. Self-concept and self-esteem are Crucial to personal and professional effectiveness because if they are not fellyw..............., I may act in mystifying and sometimes...........ways.
(a) positive...............destructive
(b) developed............ .....proactive
(c) nurtured..................eactive
(d) nourished........istless
(e) devised..............vulnerable
66. A key factor in............an effective and fulfilling life in our complex society is the ability to ......... .... . control over our actions.
(a) achieving..............exert
(b) obtaißing.....................energize
(c) projecting...................restrain
(d) providing...................admonish
(e) expressing .withhold
67. A theory is $\qquad$ evaluated to the degree that its concepts. $\qquad$ to themselves a verification by independent investigators.
(a) critically $\qquad$ pertain
(b) positively $\qquad$ .lend
(c) obviously yield
(d) alarmingly..................introduce
(e) delightfully.....................submit
68. It is often the $\qquad$ that everyone agrees about objectives; the disagreement .about exactly how they are to be achieved.
(a) view $\qquad$ follows
(b) situation
(c) matter $\qquad$ .talks
(d) happening....................matters
(e) case......................arises
69. Your $\qquad$ will $\qquad$ all the benefits you derived from your hard work.
(a) Patience, delete
(b) possessiveness, enhance
(c) carelessness, nullify
(d) apathy, increase
70. Nine members have $\qquad$ about the decision, but the tenth one view it

71. In case you have $\qquad$ his feelings, you must $\qquad$ to him.
(a) hurt, apologize
(b) evoked, surrender
(c) touched, talk
(d) offended, appeal
(b) consensus, similarly
(a) solution, critically
(d) consensus, sifferently
(c) disagreement, collectively
(d) agreement, differently
2. The recent $\qquad$ in oil-prices has given an unexpected additional $\qquad$ to the cost spiral.
(a) slump, drawback
(b) cut, blow
(c) rise, twist
(d) developmen
73. Transforming $\qquad$ bureaucracies into dyfamic, customer- driven organizations is _ under any circumstances.
(a) ideal, essential
(b) lazy, undesirable
(c) inefficient, challenging
(d) civilized, heffective
74. As he was the century's $\qquad$
$\qquad$ was universally mourned.
(a) wealthiest, experiment
(b) greatest, death
(c) happiest, accepted
(d) oldest, invention
75. The issues could be situation. amicably only because of his $\qquad$ handling of the
(a) dropped, haphazard
(b) raised, careful
(c) discussed enthusiastic
(d) resolved, tactful
76. There are $\qquad$ examples to prove that the PM $\qquad$ warmly with the masses.
(a) various, meeting
(b) several, behaves
(c) illustrious, charms
(d) many, interacts
77.
(a) rain during summer months.
(b) rains
(c) has rain
(d) is raining
78. He lives in the world of $\qquad$
(a) allusions
(b) illusions
(c) conclusions
(d) delusions
79. Can you pay $\qquad$ all these articles
(a) for
(b) of
(c) off
(d) out
80. The workers agitated for a fair $\qquad$ for their work?
(a) reward
(b) price
(c) salary
(d) wage
81. I could $\qquad$ see the sight since it was dark.
(a) clearly
(b) barely
(c) obviously
(d) aptly
82. Satish was $\qquad$ with a natural talent for music.
(a) given
(b) found
(c) endowed
(d) entrusted
83. I have been awake $\qquad$ four o'clock.
(a) for
(b) since
(c) till
(d) until
84. His life consists of $\qquad$ of drinking punctuated by periods of drunken sleep.
(a) barrels
(b) bouts
(c) bowls
(d) pints
85. The $\qquad$ before the Court prayed for $\qquad$ the appointment orders issued by the management.
(a) writ, granting
(b) application, posting
(c) appeal, removing
(d) petition, quashi
(e) jury, dismissing
(d) petition, quashing
86. If $\qquad$ are to prove fruitful, there must not ghly be sincerity of each side, but there must also be $\qquad$ in the sincerity of the other side.
(a) bargains, truth
(b) quarrels, substance
(c) treaties, belief
(d) neortiations, faith
(e) amalgamations, trust

$\qquad$ person is carefuil not to lose his $\qquad$ .
87. Every
(a) quiet, power
(b) cheerful, grief
(c) balanced, temper
(d) thoughtful, anxiety
(e) generous, weal
88. The iron and steel factory workers were not $\qquad$ with their low wages and the nonpayment of wages for last three months $\qquad$ fuel to the flames.
(a) good, put
(b) satisfied, added
(c) joyful, poulred
(d) pleased, sprinkled
(e) unhappy, meant
89. $\qquad$ of industrial products has risen $\qquad$ in the recent years.
(a) output, enormously
(b) outcome, hugely
(c) outlay, paramount
(d) outbreak, tremendously
(e) decline, scarcely
90. Snehalata looked very happy and $\qquad$ when she heard that her proposed scheme was ___ by the committee.
(a) energetic, stalled
(b) satisfied, rejected
(c) elated, accepted
(d) overwhelming, received
(e) disconsolate, approved
91. Due to power failure, the rooms became so $\qquad$ that all of us were $\qquad$ .
(a) dark, frightened
(b) deep, cautious
(c) well-lit, enthusiastic
(d) crowded, isolated
(e) spacious, worried
92. He looked $\qquad$ , but his dynamism was $\qquad$ .
(a) handsome, slow
(b) youthful, quick
(c) fearful, apparent
(d) pleasing, unexpected
(e) aged, praiseworthy
93. Even though you get $\qquad$ by the first example, just try some of the $\qquad$ ones, but don't give up.
(a) enlightened, second
(b) prepared, oncoming
(c) beating, coming
(d) confused, next
(e) threatened, earlier
94. India's outlook on the world is composing of these various elements.
(a) is composed of
(b) is composed by
(c) is composing with
(d) has been composing at

95. He could not give a/an good explanation for his extraordinary behaviuar.
(a) account for
(b) be satisfied with
(c) provide evidence
(d) count on
96. He told us the story in a nutshell.
(a) in the nutshell
(b) putting it in a n
(c) in nutshell
(d) No correction required
97. His suggestions were to so trivial and hence nobody took any cognizance of them.
(a) so trivial that and have
(b) very rivial and hence to
(c) too trivial to and hence
(d) very trivial and hence
98. His brother is working in this factorysince 1970.
(a) was working
(b) Worked
(c) has been working
(d) No correction required
99. I could achieve success through conscious efforts.
(a) efforts made with critical awareness
(b) tremendous efforts
(c) efforts done aftergaining consciousness
(d) efforts done after being awakened
100. If the room had been brighter, I would have been able to read for a while before bed-time.
(a) Itheroom was brighter
(b) If rooms are brighter
(c) Had the room brighter
(d) No correction required
101. How do you expect us to stay in such a $\qquad$ building even if it can be hired on a nominal rent?
(a) scruffy
(b) disparate
(c) fragmented
(d) robust
102. You can mix it with some sugar and eat it.
(a) in some sugar
(b) into some sugar
(c) any sugar
(d) No correction required
103. He stopped to work an hour ago.
(a) to working
(b) to have worked
(c) working
(d) No correction required
104. The tea-estate administration is in such mess there is no leader to set the things right.
(a) in such a mess here
(b) in a such mess that here
(c) in such a mess that there
(d) with such a mess that there
105. The problem of translation are still remain.
(a) are remain
(b) will remained
(c) will still remain
(d) No correction required
106. The drama had many scenes which were so humorous that it was hardly possible to keep a straight face.
(a) hardly possible for keeping
(b) hardly impossible keeping
(c) hardly impossible to keep
(d) No correction required
107. He can't read this, nor can I.
(a) no, I never can
(b) no, I can't
(c) no, I don't
(d) No improvement
108. I brought four dozen of mangoes.
(a) dozens of mango
(b) dozens of mangoes
(c) dozens mangoes
(d) No improvement
109. The master was good at using pleasant names for ynpleasant things in order to hoodwink the laboureres.
(a) euphemisms
(b) euphoria
(c) pleasantries
(d) No improvement
110. They had to put off until later the open-air performance because of heavy rain.
(a) postpone
(c) adjourn
(b) delay
(d) Avo improvement.
111. Dozens of phrases can be offered to describe style but perhaps the best one is : "Style-it is the man."
(a) but the best one is "Style is the man."
(b) but perhaps the bestone is: "Style is the man."
(c) but the best one is: Style is the man."
(d) No improvement.
112. They have bought a new car, isn't it?
(a) haven't they?
(b) don't they?
(c) bave they?
(d) No improvement.
113. Only few persons can stand on entreaties.
(a) against
(b) with
(c) in
(d) No improvement.
114. I had my ears bored so I could wear my diamond ear-rings
(a) holed
(b) pricked
(c) pierced
(d) No improvement.
115. It is interesting to correspond the history of the $19^{\text {th }}$ century with its literature.
(a) corroborate
(b) correlate
(c) command
(d) No improvement.
116. Didn't Mr. Sharma come to the office yet?
(a) Hadn't
(b) Hasn't
(c) Isn't
(d) No improvement.
117. We usual have a meeting of all department heads every Friday.
(a) as usual has
(b) as usually have
(c) usually have
(d) unusually have
(e) No correction required
118. Over fifty per cent of people in the country not have any access to banking services.
(a) have not any
(b) are having not
(c) does not have
(d) do not have any
(e) No correction required
119. Anil's friends have convinced him withdrawn his resignation.
(a) in withdrawing him
(b) for withdrawal of
(c) to withdraw from his
(d) to withdraw his
(e) No correction required
arge number of educated workers than Brazil.
(a) a larger number
(b) the largest number
(c) large numbers
(d) very larger number
(e) No correction required
121. Many accidents at the factory are caused of workers do not read warning signs.
(a) is the cause of
(b) are caused b
(c) are caused because
(d) are a cause
(e) No correction required
122. He is health man, he always uses to gofor anorning walk.
(a) goes
(b) has gone
(c) is going
(e) No correction required
123. I was very tired when I met you because I was moving in my lawn for two hours.
(a) had moved
(b) had been moved
(c) had been moving
(d) was being moved
(e) No correction required
124. We left the place only after we were promised that we would be brought to that place again.
(a) promised that
(b) had promised that
(c) were promised to
(d) was promised that
(e) No correction required
125. Yesterday I could not resist my temptation and out of curiosity, I peep into the room.
(a) peep at the room
(b) peeped at the room
(c) have peeped into the room
(d) peeped into the room
(e) No correction required
126. I met the boy who was my friend's brother and whom name was Shyam.
(a) and whom name is
(b) and who name was
(c) and whose name was
(d) and whose name is
(e) No correction required
127. Indian manufacturing industries after a long period of protection is now at loggerheads with the forces of globalization.
(a) is now at loggerhead
(b) are now in loggerheads
(c) are now at loggerheads
(d) are now in loggerhead
(e) No correction required
128. A decision to this effect has approved by the appointment committee of the cabinet.
(a) have approved
(b) has been approved
(c) have been approved
(d) has been approving
(e) No correction required
129. The statement of the other accused recorded by the agency has no evidenciary value.
(a) has no evidence
(b) have no evidences
(c) has been of no evidence
(d) have been of no evidence
(e) No correction required
130. An earthquake of mild intensity has been felt yesterday at the wee hours in the capital.
(a) was being felt yesterday
(b) was felt yesterday
(c) has felt that day
(d) had felt yesterday
(e) No correction required
131. The constraints of the infrastructure rob the country for sufficient conditions of high growth.
(a) to sufficient
(b) for efficient
(c) of sufficient
(d) of efficient
(e) No correction required
132. Considering the high demand for flights to Gulf tountries airlines can risen prices.
(a) should rise
(b) caused raised
(c) may raise
(C) will raise up
(d) No correction required

133. Without both issue is clarified the Board has kept all other matters before it pending.
(a) Unless both issues are
(b) Until each issue were
(c) Without the issue being
(d) Since both issues
(e) No correction required
134. The incident has clearty highlighted in his knowledge and attentive of detail.
(a) attended to detail
(b) attentively on details
(c) attention to detail
(d) attend for detail
(e) No correction required
135. The bank's accumulated losses have come up for manageable levels this year.
(a) cometa
(b) came into
(c) coming from
(d) came within
(e) Na correction required
136. Improving the educational system, which is one of the worst in the world requires commitment form country's politicians.
(a) among the worse
(b) one of the worse
(c) become the worse
(d) from the worst
(e) No correction required
137. He went to the blast site to save his colleague who was stranding there.
(a) had been stranded
(b) had to strand
(c) was being stranding
(d) was been stranding
(e) No correction required
138. When I receive the letter, the date for the interview was already over.
(a) I received the letter
(b) the letter I had received
(c) I had to receive letter
(d) I was receiving
(e) No correction required
139. Everyone is requested to attend the dinner party hosted by the president.
(a) is requesting to
(b) is requested to
(c) will request to
(d) is to requested to
(e) No correction required
140. The chairman approved the recommendations to the committee with partial modifications
(a) by the committee for
(b) of the committee with
(c) to the committee
(d) at the committee in
(e) No correction required
141. Had the opportunity been given to him he will have proved successful
(a) will have to prove
(b) will be proving
(c) would have proved
(d) would have proven
(e) No correction required
142. It has always been advisable to refrain from smoking.
(a) had always been
(b) was always
(c) would have always be
(d) is always
(e) No correction required
143. These changes have been taken place in the last two years.
(a) has taken
(b) has beentaken
(c) have taken
(d) was take
(e) No correction required
144. He had deliberately kept the matte pending so that people should bribe him.
(a) could be bribed
(b) should have bribed
(c) could be bribing
(d) should be bribed
(e) No correction require
145. There are many newly emergent fields in information technology and electronics.
(a) new emergent
(b) newly emerging
(c) new emergin
(d) newly emergency
(e) No correction required
146. He was foundeabsorbing in his painting work when I reached there.
(a) was found absorbed
(b) had been found absorbing
(c) was to find absorbed
(d) had to be found absorbing

## (e) Na correction required.

147. locome tax is generally associated for one's annual income.
(a) dependent to one's
(b) associated with once
(c) related to one's
(d) depended on one's
(e) No correction required.
148. The consumption of electricity for water pumps was unreasonable high.
(a) unreasonably high
(b) unreasonable higher
(c) unreasonably higher
(d) unreasonably highest
(e) No correction required.
149. In view of delay in rescue operation, had better we prepared for a long, hard day.
(a) we should be prepared
(b) we should better be prepared
(c) we had been better prepared
(d) we had been better preparing
(e) No correction required
150. Because of water storage, the government had appealed people to be extravagant with water.
(a) for being extravagant
(b) to be economical
(c) to be economic
(d) to be saving
(e) No correction required.
151. While praising the painting, the mentioned that he had never come across a painting which did not please him more.
(a) had not pleased him more
(b) would have pleased him
(c) pleased him more
(d) had been pleased him any more
(e) No correction required
152. The newly appointed Chairman has recent visited all our branches
(a) on a recent visit
(b) recently visit to
(c) recently visited
(d) recent to visit
(e) No correction required
153. Sen's colleagues asked him that he planned to do after his retirement.
(a) when he planned
(b) that his plans
(c) what he planned
(d) how he plans
(e) No correction required
154. The Minister denied reports that prices will rose after the budget.
(a) would rise after
(b) with now rise
(c) is rising up
(e) No correction required
(d) are rising from
155. The decided to begin the $m$
actill he arrive.
(a) since he arrives
(b) when he arrived
(c) on arrival
(e) No correction req
(d) that he arrived
156. The employees successfully carried out the manager's instructions.
(a) carried o
(b) carried of
(c) carry
(d) carry away
(e) No correction required
157. Most teenagers these days prefer play cricket to pursuing other hobbies.
(a) preferably played
(b) prefer playing
(c) preferred to playing
(d) prefer to play
(e) No correction required
158. He cordially enquired how was my health.
(a) my health was
(b) my health had
(c) my health is
(d) is my health
(e) No correction required
159. The season being very favourable he seems to have been enjoyed the vacation.
(a) have enjoyed
(b) have been enjoy
(c) be enjoyed
(d) had been enjoyed
(e) No correction required
160. He tried hardly and that led to his success.
(a) Hardly had he tried
(b) Had he tired hardly
(c) He had tried hard
(d) He hard tried
(e) No correction required
161. They had not been sympathetic to the poor.
(a) being sympathetic
(b) been sympathized by
(c) sympathetic
(d) been shown sympathy for
(e) No correction required
162. Problems faced by the common man can be classified by several categories.
(a) will be classified by
(b) can be classified into
(c) will be classified between
(d) can classify into
(e) No correction required
163. The issues were so complicated that they could hardly be resolved in such allimited time.
(a) were hardly to resolve
(b) could resolve hardly
(c) were being hardly resolved
(d) were hardly resolving
(e) No correction required
164. We are quite sure that he will have proved his merit in any forthcoming competition.
(a) will have to prove
(b) will be prove
(c) will prove
(e) No correction required
(d) would be prover
165. He suffered only because his impolitely béhav̂iour.
(a) behaviour was impolite
(b) behaved impoliteness
(c) impolite behaviour
(e) No correction required

166. It has become a fashion to talk about exercise restraint on any thing and everything.
(a) restraining exercise
(b) exercising without restrain
(c) exercise without res
(e) No correction required
(d) exercising restraint
167. The newly appointed Chairman has recent visited all our branches.
(a) on a recent visit
(b) recently visit to
(c) recently visited
(d) recent to visit
(e) No correction required

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168. Mr. Sen's colleagues asked him that he planned to do after his retirement.
(a) when he planned
(b) that his plans
(c) what he planned
(d) how he plans
(e) No correction required
169. The Minister denied reports that prices will rose after the budger.
(a) would rise after
(b) will now rise
(c) is rising up
(d) are rising from
(e) No correction required
170. They decided to begin the meeting till he arrive.
(a) Since he arrives
(b) when he arrived
(c) on arrival
(d) than he arrived
(e) No correction required
171. The employees successfully carried out the manager's instructions.
(a) carried on
(b) carried of
(c) carry
(d) carry away
(e) No correction required
172. We have reliably inform that the new branch will not open till next year.
(a) reliably to inform
(b) reliable information
(c) informed reliability
(d) to be reliably inform
(e) No correction required
173. The appointment to these posts were temporarily so we shall have to apply to other companies.
(a) is temporary
(b) being temporarily
(c) will be temporarily
(d) are temporary
(e) No correction required
174. In anticipation of the transport strike we have decided for delayed our vacation
(a) to delay
(b) on delay
(c) in delaying
(d) delaying
(e) No correction required
175. You cannot dismiss his unless you had a good reason.
(a) until having
(b) without
(c) except you have
(e) No correction required
(d) if there being
176. In our opinion Mr. Dayal's son has carry formand the business well in his absence.
(a) carried through
(b) been carried out
(c) carried on
(e) No correction required.
(d) been cary ying away
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177. Gandhiji had $\qquad$ unique weaporto protest called the satyagraha.
(a) an
(c) a
(b) many
(d) most
178. I cannot ...... meaning of the sentence.
(a) make
(b) make up
(c) make for
(d) make out
179. He was complaining severe chest pain.
(a) against
(b) with
(c) of
(d) from
180. Theproud king turned a deaf ear to the $\ldots .$. of his ministers.
(a) advises
(b) advice
(c) advisor
(d) advices
181. I had a glass of lemon juice to ...... my thirst.
(a) stop
(b) prevent
(c) quench
(d) finish
182. It is certain that human beings $\qquad$ latent power of which they are only $\qquad$ aware.
(a) possess $\qquad$ vaguely
(b) exhibit $\qquad$ little
(c) impose $\qquad$ clearly
(d) inherit $\qquad$ consciously
(e) owns $\qquad$ surely
183. His $\qquad$ to speak an Indian language hadn't $\qquad$ to be a handicap.
(a) eagerness $\qquad$ stopped
(b) desire $\qquad$ made
(c) inability $\qquad$ proved
(d) promise $\qquad$ halted
$\qquad$
(e) knowledge showed
184. The Airline industry is $\qquad$ out. Its survival kit to deal with $\qquad$ losses.
(a) spreading $\qquad$ raising
(b) pulling $\qquad$ mounting
(c) handing $\qquad$ abating
(d) pushing $\qquad$ increasing
(e) floating $\qquad$ diminishing
185. Akbar, one of the $\qquad$ and $\qquad$ emperors of India who made a name for himself is acknowledged even today.
(a) desirous $\qquad$ indolent (b) aspiring $\qquad$ sluggard
(c) slothful $\qquad$ active
(d) simple bold $\qquad$ bold
(e) ambitious $\qquad$ energetic
$\qquad$ and $\qquad$ of their industry and take to a higher
186. Trained employees increase position.
(a) wisdom $\qquad$ development
(b) accomplishment $\qquad$
(c) motivation $\qquad$ upgradation
(d) performance

(e) achievement $\qquad$ presentation
187. She asked him if she can see him later to fix an appointmentfor personal advice.
(a) could see him later.
(b) can saw him later
(d) will see him lastly.
(c) could saw him later.
(e) No correction required.
188. Suresh Singh took of his coat and hung it on a rail in the wall.
(a) take of its coat
(b) took his dobat over
(c) took his coat off
(e) No correction required.
(d) takinghis coat off

189. Despite his poor vision, he
a lye for women.
(a) Though his
(b) Instead of his
(c) Although his
(d) Inspite his
190. It is a natural urge to retain the balance of advantage in his own favour.
(a) for his own favour
(b) in his own favours
(c) from one's own favour
(d) in one's own favour
(e) Nocorrection required.
191. The hews of his father's death came as a bolt of the blue. (a) as if bolt from the sky
(b) as a bolt from the blue
(c) across a bolt from the blue
(d) to a bolt in the blue
(e) No correction required.
192. Long ago, there had no such thing as money and people exchanged the things that they wanted.
(a) was no such thing
(b) have not such things
(c) had been not things like
(d) was no such things
(e) No correction required.
193. While playing cricket, I sprained my foot.
(a) Since playing
(b) Despite played
(c) From playing
(d) When played
(e) No correction required.
194. Mohanlal looking over himself into the mirror of the waiting room at the railway station.
(a) was looked at himself in
(b) looked into himself from
(c) looked at himself in
(d) looks at oneself in
(e) No correction required.
195. The chilly wind hits me the over the face and the rain pounded me.
(a) hit me on face
(b) hit me in the face
(c) has hit me in the face
(d) hit me into my face
(e) No correction required
196. I shall make you realize your mistake.
(a) make you to realize
(b) make you in realizing
(c) made you realize
(d) make you realized
(e) No correction required. by fifty five people.
(a) accepted
(b) voted
(c) carried
(d) opposed
197. His death is a great blow, most terrible to $\qquad$
(a) bear
(b) imagine
(c) accept
(d) sustain
198. The little girl $\qquad$ for the light switch in the dark.
(a) groped
(b) grappled
(c) gripped
(d) grovelled
199. It $\qquad$ to me that She was in curable.
(a) Suggested
(c) happened
(b) flashed
better today.
(a) too (c) very
(b) rather
(d) fairly
$\qquad$
200. I am feeling

201. $\qquad$ an accident, the train will arrive in time.
(a) Besides
(b) Accepting
(c) Despite
(d) Barring
202. 

(a) arose
(c) aroused at Six this morning.
(b) rose
(d) raised
204. Health is too important to be $\qquad$
(a) neglected
(b) detested
(c) despised
(d) discarded
205. The boy was $\qquad$ of cheating in the examination.
(a) condemned
(b) accused
(c) charged
(d) punished
206. We have two telephone operators, $\qquad$ of them do you want?
(a) who
(b) whom
(c) which
(d) what
207. I have no $\qquad$ motive in offering this advice.
(a)posterior
(b) interior
(c) ulterior
(d) exterior
208.
(a) Conscious
(c) Cautious
(b) Conscientious
(d) Carefree politicians are always respected.
(c) Cautious
209. We will have to atone $\qquad$ our misdeeds.
(a) at
(b) on
(c)for
(d) with
210. I got used $\qquad$ on the right when I was in the U.S. for two years.
(a) driving
(b) to drive
(c) to driving
(d) by driving
211. Had you told me earlier I $\qquad$ the meeting.
(a) had attended
(b) have attended
(c) attended
(d) would have attended
212. The climate is not conductive $\qquad$ good health.
(a) with
(b) from
(c) in
(d) to
213. A dog lives in a $\qquad$
(a) burrow
(c) stable
(b) coop

Many things have happened
(a) before
(c) from


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(c) 51 .

(e) 73 .

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| 148. | (x) | 158. | (a) | 168. | (c) | 178. | (d) | 188. | (b) | 198. | (a) | 208. | (a) |
| 149. | (x) | 159. | (a) | 169. | (a) | 179. | (c) | 189. | (e) | 199. | (a) | 209. | (c) |
| 150. | (x) | 160. | (c) | 170. | (b) | 180. | (b) | 190. | (b) | 200. | (d) | 210. | (c) |
| 151. | (x) | 161. | (e) | 171. | (e) | 181. | (c) | 191. | (a) | 201. | (d) | 211. | (d) |
| 152. | (c) | 162. | (b) | 172. | (b) | 182. | (a) | 192. | (c) | 202. | (d) | 212. | (d) |
| 153. | (c) | 163. | (e) | 173. | (a) | 183. | (c) | 193. | (d) | 203. | (b) | 213. | (d) |
| 154. | (a) 164. | (c) | 174. | (a) | 184. | (b) | 194. | (a) | 204. | (a) | 214. | (d) |  |
| 155. | (b) | 165. | (c) | 175. | (b) | 185. | (e) | 195. | (e) | 205. | (b) |  |  |
| 156. | (e) | 166. | (d) | 176. | (a) | 186. | (d) | 196. | (d) | 206. | (c) |  |  |
| 157. | (b) | 167. | (c) | 177. | (c) | 187. | (c) | 197. | (c) | 207. | (c) |  |  |

