I. Choose the most appropriate answer for each question. (50%)

1. I have a ________ sister.
   (A) seven years old    (B) seven-years-old    (C) seven-year-old.    (D) seven year olds

2. The chemistry book ________ was a little expensive.
   (A) I bought    (B) I bought that    (C) what I bought    (D) that I bought it

3. He asked me where ________.
   (A) did I live    (B) I lived    (C) do you live    (D) that I lived

4. After the race ________, the celebration began.
   (A) is won    (B) has been won    (C) had been won    (D) will be won

5. We can finally afford to trade in the old car for a new one ________ I’ve gotten the raise I’ve been waiting for.
   (A) so that    (B) now that    (C) so    (D) consequently

6. Our village had ________ money available for education that the schools had to close.
   (A) so little    (B) such little    (C) so much    (D) such much

7. Some people like cream and sugar in their coffee, while ________
   (A) others drink hot coffee    (B) others like it black    (C) milk is good in coffee, too.
   (D) sugar can cause cavities

8. We went on a picnic in such ________ fine weather.
   (A) the    (B) a    (C) an    (D) X

9. How ________ does the train start?
   (A) fast    (B) quickly    (C).soon    (D) rapidly

10. On my last visit to Taipei I enjoyed ________ very much.
    (A) time    (B) me    (C) there    (D) myself

11. “What time is it now?” “It’s ten o’clock ________.”
    (A) just    (B) sharp    (C) on time    (D) punctually

12. He was too tired to go ________ farther.
    (A) any    (B) more    (C) no    (D) still

13. ________ knows what he can do till he has tried.
    (A) Nobody    (B) Few    (C) A little    (D) People seldom
14. If I had had enough money, I would have paid what I ________ him.
   (A) owed   (B) owed to   (C) had owed   (D) had owed to

15. The fierce dog ________ the leg.
   (A) bit me at   (B) bit me by   (C) bit me in   (D) bitten me in

16. I ________ two hours when he came.
   (A) have read   (B) had read   (C) was reading   (D) will have read

17. The painting ________ to his uncle has been sold at a high price.
   (A) belonging   (B) belonged   (C) that belonging   (D) which was belonged

18. A fire ________ in our neighborhood last night.
   (A) break out   (B) broke out   (C) brought about   (D) was broken out

19. Humor ________ his works.
   (A) is combined by   (B) is characteristic of   (C) becomes truly in   (D) on every side, is

20. You should insure your car ________ stolen.
   (A) if it is   (B) in case it is   (C) if it will be   (D) in case it will be

21. I thought I had done the best think I could ________.
   (A) to help her   (B) help her   (C) helping her   (D) not but help her.

22. With the exertions of the police the murder will ________.
   (A) clear   (B) appear   (C) speak   (D) out

23. The woman was carrying a ________ bag.
   (A) black small plastic   (B) small and black plastic   (C) small black plastic   (D) plastic small black

24. ________, William Shakespeare is the most widely known.
   (A) With all writers in English   (B) All writers in English   (C) All of the writers in English
   (D) Of all writers in English

25. Few of the people who live on the cooperatives ________ than they were as laborers.
   (A) is well off financial   (B) financially well off   (C) are better off financially   (D) financial better off

II. Choose the correct sentence for each question. (50%)

26. (A) He’s a selfish, greedy man and not at all sympathetic.
   (B) He’s a selfish, greedy man and not at all likeable.

27. (A) Unfortunately my studies take up a lot of time.
   (B) Unfortunately my studies take a lot of time.

28. (A) I did little progress at the start of the course.
   (B) I made little progress at the start of the course.

29. (A) She not only made her own dresses but also her own hats.
   (B) She made not only her own dresses but also her own hats.

30. (A) I wrote him a notice saying that the package had arrived.
   (B) I wrote him a note saying that the package had arrived.

31. (A) His name is not familiar with me.
   (B) His name is not familiar to me.
32. (A) From the distance we could hear a fire engine.
   (B) In the distance we could hear a fire engine.
33. (A) The wages in China are very low.
   (B) The wages in China are very cheap.
34. (A) He had managed to save a lot of money by over working.
   (B) He had managed to save a lot of money by working overtime.
35. (A) The car was moving too fast for me to see the number plate.
   (B) The car was running too fast for me to see the number plate.
36. (A) It is one of the rarest pieces of architecture in Spain.
   (B) It is one of the most unique pieces of architecture in Spain.
37. (A) The poem consists of just tow short verses.
   (B) The poem includes just tow short verses.
38. (A) The number of accidents is steadily increasing.
   (B) The amount of accidents is steadily increasing.
39. (A) I used to eat at any time, but now I have my meals at certain times.
   (B) I used to eat at any time, but now I have my meals at regular times.
40. (A) You can open a checking account tomorrow. On the other hand, I will give you a check book.
   (B) You can open a checking account tomorrow. And I will give you a check book.
41. (A) On a long journey I usually feel bored.
   (B) On a long journey I usually feel dull.
42. (A) I think the price of your computer is out of my budget.
   (B) I think the price of your computer is beyond of my budget.
43. (A) I was very frightened by his appearance.
   (B) I was very frightened from his appearance.
44. (A) Nowadays young people want to be independent from their parents.
   (B) Nowadays young people want to be independent of their parents.
45. (A) I didn’t feel suited to a career in medicine.
   (B) I didn’t feel suitable to a career in medicine.
46. (A) The woman was so unpleasant that not one of us could tolerate her.
   (B) The woman was so unpleasant that not one of us could suffer her.
47. (A) Only the driver was wounded in the accident.
   (B) Only the driver was injured in the accident.
48. (A) Hardly he had begun to speak when someone interrupted him.
   (B) Hardly had he begun to speak when someone interrupted him.
49. (A) Finally I asked him not to keep disturbing me, but it had no influence.
   (B) Finally I asked him not to keep disturbing me, but it had no effect.
50. (A) I have sent you the magazine so you can see for yourself how beautiful our country is.
   (B) I have sent you the magazine so you can see by yourself how beautiful our country is.