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《新英语语法练习册》是配合《新英语语法》(A New English Grammar)(张克礼编著)而编写的练习册。全书共24章,约2000道练习题。为避免单项、机械练习,各章练习题与语法书各章讲解的内容相呼应,使练习起到巩固已学知识的作用。

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前言

《新英语语法练习册》是配合《新英语语法》(A New English Grammar)(张克礼编著)而编写的,因此和语法书一样,也采用了最新的当代英语语法的理论、观点和术语。

本书紧扣《新英语语法》的讲授内容, 使练习起到巩固已学知识的作用。练习难度有难有易, 适合不同水平的使用者。题型多样, 量大面广。有客观试题, 如多项选择和辨认错误等, 也有主观试题, 如英文释义、歧义分析、短语连句等。除使用性较强的试题外, 还有很多理论性较强的试题, 如辨认完全/部分同位、严格/微弱同位、限制/非限制同位, 说出附加状语、下加状语和连加状语的特点等。本书的很多练习配合《新英语语法》初稿的讲授, 已在教学中试用多年, 深受广大师生的欢迎。

本书共24章,约140个练习,3000道题。本练习册可作为高等院校英语专业学生和硕士研究生语法教材,也可供考研、考级、考托福者和英语教师参考。

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CHAPTER 1

Grammar, Structure and Meaning

- I. Answer the questions in brackets as to the italicized parts according to contemporary grammar:
 - Some women have a dislike of snakes.
 (Count or noncount noun? Abstract or concrete noun?)
 - I enjoyed every hour of my holiday.
 (It is a determiner, and not an adjective. What's the difference between them?)
 - 3. Since *my coming here*, life has become more comfortable for my parents.

(Phrase or clause? What kind?)

- 4. I didn't expect it to be this full. (What word class?)
- 5. I like his bicycle more than mine. (What word class?)
- 6. I enjoy teaching undergraduates. (Phrase or clause? Why?)
- 7. They are busy *preparing a barbecue*. (What's the grammatical function?)
- 8. David's comments are like Peter's. (What case?)
- 9. Who do you think he is? (What kind of question?)
- 10. While flying over the Channel, the pilot saw what he thought to be a meteorite. (Phrase or clause? What kind?)
- 11. "You're late," whispered Tom. (What's the grammatical function?)
- 12. She kept very quiet. (Why isn't it an adverbial?)
- 13. He has two head of cattle. (What's the number?)
- 14. Poor as he was, he was honest. (Inversion or fronting? Why?)
- 15. I suggest that he go. (Simple form of the verb or bare infinitive?)
- 16. He has lost *looks* since he has been so ill. (Abstract or concrete noun?)
- 17. He regretted having picked Jones as captain of the team.
 (Why is it called as -ing clause? What's the difference between a nonfinite clause and a phrase?)
- 18. He arrived at the conclusion.

(Prepositional object or prepositional complement? Why?)

19. He arrived at the station.

(Prepositional object or prepositional complement? Why?)

20. James is tall, and Alice is short.

(Does it consist of two simple sentences or two clauses?)

II. The sentences are ambiguous. Give each a paraphrase in different ways:

- 1. John is a suspicious character.
- 2. This is an old man's bicycle.
- 3. He had a book stolen from the library.
- 4. They took in the stranger.
- 5. This room is three times larger than that one.
- 6. He is not speaking loudly and clearly.
- 7. The son of Pharaoh's daughter was the daughter of Pharaoh's son.
- 8. The swimming pool is not as wide as it is long.
- 9. Is this a girl's hat?
- 10. She is not much of a dancer.
- 11. Henry can drive my car now.
- 12. No one liked the portrait he had painted.
- 13. He wrote long articles and books.
- 14. The street lights went out.
- 15. What do you want to read?
- 16. That prim grandmother detests smoking cigars.
- 17. Kissing neighbors can be fun.
- 18. He is too selfish to help.
- 19. He watched the fugitive as he moved forward.
- 20. Harold read the note you gave him on the bus.

III. Replace the underlined part of each sentence with its synonymous structure if possible:

- 1. The boy asked his mother for a ten-minute rest.
- 2. How many dozens of eggs do you require?.
- 3. He could pay only one-third what he owed.
- 4. It rained the whole day without stopping.
- 5. As for <u>him</u>, there was little he could do but await the inevitable bullet in his back.

- 6. He bought only two pairs of trousers.
- 7. Write to who(m) you want.
- 8. I don't think that any of the cakes are left.
- 9. We are assembled here to discuss a difficult question.
- 10. Should you desire an interview, I shall not refuse to meet you.
- 11. It wouldn't be any good my talking to him.
- 12. They decided to postpone their departure.
- 13. The older we are, the wiser we become.
- 14. The delegation met with the warmest reception.
- 15. The Dutch like to be with their families at Christmas.

CHAPTER 2 Nouns

Choose the correct item in brackets:

- 1. He is demanding \$2 000 (damages / damage).
- 2. The engine developed well over 2 000 (horsepowers / horsepower).
- 3. He bought three (hundredweights / hundredweight) of coat.
- 4. My children are a great (help / helper) to me.
- 5. Considering the size of the site, there is simply too (much house / many houses) on it.
- 6. They don't receive (much / many) wages.
- 7. Measles (is / are) in most cases a relatively harmless disease.
- 8. His politics (is / are) clearly right-wing.
- 9. He has worked out a scheme for an (economic / economics) lifeline by purchasing land.
- 10. Macbeth did not direct his battles from a remote (headquarters / headquarter).
- 11. Alms (are / is) given to the poor.
- 12. A gallows (was / were) erected near the city.
- 13. He gained a (two-third / two-thirds) majority in the election.
- 14. Eighty odd (craft / crafts) made up their fleet.
- 15. This is (that picture of Turner's / that Turner's picture) that he is always talking about.

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- 16. I hope you have (a lovely time / lovely time).
- 17. We had (a lamb / lamb) for dinner.
- 18. The wall is made of (stones / stone).
- 19. (Stones / Stone) fell down from the edge of the cliff.
- 20. They had (a hard winter / hard winter).
- 21. This area had too (much winter / many winters).
- 22. After breakfast the baby had (eggs / egg) all over his face.
- 23. I see that your house is built of (wood / a wood).
- 24. The escaping prisoner camped in (a wood / wood).
- 25. The crops need (a rain / rain).
- 26. (A heavy rain / Heavy rain) began to fall.
- 27. The soup tastes of (onion / onions).
- 28. This area has (a very heavy rainfall / very heavy rainfall).
- 29. He has taken three (TOEFLs / TOEFL) since his graduation from college.
- 30. This is (a better bread / better bread) than the one I bought last.

II. Indicate by the letter a, b, c, d, or e whether each underlined noun is

- a. singular invariable
- b. plural invariable
- c. variable
- d. zero plural
- e. equivocal in number
- 1. Where are your slacks?
- 2. He behaved in a strange manner.
- 3. Don't spill our cigarette ash on the carpet.
- 4. Their wages are too low.
- 5. Tidings have come that the enemy barracks was stormed by our troops.
- 6. We saw a great many antelope.
- 7. He covered 20 li in an hour.
- 8. Their sufferings are beyond description.
- 9. In Britain, tea is usually drunk with sugar in it.
- 10. I'd like a famous tea.
- 11. Their headquarters was / were in Paris.
- 12. A steel works has just been opened.
- 13. The harbour was full of all kinds of craft.
- 14. These are fine species of cloth.

- 15. John is in good health.
- 16. Peter runs a small business.
- 17. I need an inch of pencil.
- 18. She has lost her looks since she has been so ill.
- 19. After the cremation, his ashes were thrown into the sea.
- 20. That barracks was stormed by our troops.

III. Replace the underlined part of each sentence with its synonymous structure if possible:

- 1. A bellows is an apparatus for blowing air into a fire.
- 2. The farmer raises many quail and chickens.
- 3. He has been there several dozens of times.
- 4. I know the two Mr. Smiths who work in the company.
- 5. I happened to meet her at the Joneses'.
- 6. Give my best regards to your parents.
- 7. Woolworths are opening a new branch in High Street.
- 8. He has done me many kindnesses.
- 9. The boy bought the medicine at the druggist.
- 10. He works at the Scientists' Institute for Public Information.
- 11. They have ten head of cattle.
- 12. How many yoke of oxen are ploughing in the field?

IV.	Complete the sentences with a compound noun (formed
	by the two italicized nouns) and a derived noun (formed
	by adding the endings to the italicized or bracketed word):

1.	He deposited the <i>mail</i> in the <i>box</i> . He put the letters in the
2.	The man holding the door is the
3.	He went into the <i>store</i> to buy some <i>shoes</i> . He went into the
4.	She drank some <i>tea</i> from the <i>cup</i> . She drank from the
5.	Just throw any waste paper in this basket. It's a
6.	The man has the highest sales record. He's the best in the
	company.
7.	Mary bought a shade for the lamp. She bought a
8.	He likes to go sailing in his boat. He has a
9.	The lecture hall was almost empty. The speaker was disappointed at
	the poor (attend)
10.	I introduced them to my family. After the, we sat down to

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	have dinner.
11.	He attends to the needs of the patients. He is a hospital
12.	Does he <i>study</i> at the university? Is he an honor?
13.	He has been studying \textit{music} for years. He hopes to become a
	professional
14.	My wife and I went to the art exhibit. The was not well-
	known, but was very talented.
15.	We asked him to perform some of his <i>magic</i> tricks. He is a brilliant
16.	Don't <i>omit</i> any of the questions on the exam. Every will be
	counted as an error.
17.	The doctor will examine you this afternoon. The results of the
	will be mailed to you on Tuesday.
18.	I hope the committee will settle the dispute soon. Until they agree on a
	, the dock workers will remain on strike.
19.	At the age of sixty-five, he retired from the business world. He is now
	receiving pay.
20.	The scientist refused to be discouraged. His resulted in the
	discovery of a new vaccine. (persist)
21.	The driver of the speeding car was given warning that any
	of such a traffic violation would result in the loss of his driver's license.
	(recur)
22.	Are you immune to smallpox? If not, you must be vaccinated to acquire
	an
23.	He was a <i>loyal</i> employee. His was rewarded with a raise in salary.
24.	Winston Churchill was the leader of the British government during World
	War II. His is acknowledged by all historians. (great)
25.	The student made numerous errors in his homework. The teacher was
	annoyed at his (careless)

V. Paraphrase the following sentences:

- 1. He is more of a teacher than she is.
- 2. He is less of a fool than I thought.
- 3. She is less of a coward than she used to.
- 4. He is not much of a linguist.
- 5. I'm not much of a cinema-goer.
- 6. Is she much of a tennis-player?
- 7. He is enough of a scholar.

- 8. She is a little of a liar.
- 9. She is little of a doctor.
- 10. She is nothing of a doctor.
- 11. He's too much of a coward to tell the truth.
- 12. It is as much of a success as I expected.
- 13. There are such a lot of people at Louis's party.
- 14. That's too much of a bother to think about.
- 15. Quite a few of us are getting worried.
- 16. He is something of a stamp collector.
- 17. He is something of a liar.
- 18. He is as much of a fool as she is.
- 19. He is as much of a teacher as she is.
- 20. He is more of a scholar than she is.

VI. Correct the errors of the genitives if any:

- 1. Where's the dictionary of Cathy's?
- 2. Could you tell me where the director on duty's office is?
- 3. I don't know whether this is a lady or gentleman's wrist-watch.
- 4. Her love of a child took the fancy of all of us.
- 5. He wrote a five pages' summary of this month's work of his.
- 6. This is Betty, the plumber's daughter's, room.
- 7. I called at Charles', the doctor's, clinic.
- 8. My father and my mother's birthdays both fall in June, two days apart.
- 9. The poem of Shelly's he recited a hundred times was *Ode to the West Wind*.
- 10. This is the young man's mobile phone who left a moment ago.
- 11. I am fond of pictorials of children.
- 12. His speech aroused each of them's interest.

CHAPTER 3

Determiners

Correct the italicized part of each sentence if it is wrong:

1. For him, the stage was just a way of earning a living.

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- 2. Australia is the home of the kangaroos.
- 3. These arteries supply a heart with blood.
- 4. A computer can only do what you programme it to do.
- 5. They are either asleep or entirely absorbed in play or another activity.
- 6. It has *enough room* to store all the information.
- 7. Denis held his cocoa in two hands.
- 8. They stood on every side of the street.
- 9. Almost each chair is broken.
- 10. I have given very much attention to this problem.
- 11. Very many women have made their mark on industry.
- 12. I see advertisements for jobs with the double pay I'm getting now.
- 13. They hang on his every word.
- 14. The few friends of mine often came to me.
- 15. A child though she was, she had more sense than a grown-up.
- 16. We have fewer free days than we used to have.
- 17. We are welcome to what little coffee there is.
- 18. The room has the least space.
- 19. All salt water stings when it gets in your eyes.
- 20. I'm sorry to have given you the much trouble.

II. In each sentence, decide which of the four choices given would most suitably complete the sentence if inserted at the place marked:

	•		
1.	I am interested in he h	as	made.
	a. all what plans	b.	all of what plans
	c. all what plan	d.	all of what plan
2.	The phone would ring twice _		
	a. each five minutes	b.	five every minutes
	c. every five minute	d.	every five minutes
3.	has ever happened.		
	a. No such a thing	b.	No such thing
	c. Such no thing	d.	No such things
4.	It is not to see that you	ur p	oupils study their lessons.
	a. your whole business	b.	whole your business
	c. your all business	d.	all of your whole business
5.	We have this year than	las	st year.
	a. many more apples	b.	much more apples

c. much more apple	d. more many apples
Take some medicine	
 a. every second day 	
c. every two days	d. each other day
7 has its own physical	and psychological characteristics.
a. Every sex	b. Each sex
c. Every man and woman	d. Each man and woman
8. He sat in the car with a police	ceman on of him.
a. either side	b. each side
c. both sides	d. every side
9. I've got holiday.	
 a. another three day 	b. more three days
 c. another three days 	d. three other days
10 you have!	
 a. What strange ideas 	b. How strange ideas
 c. What strange idea 	d. How strange idea
11. I gave him I had.	
 a. what book 	b. what a book
c. what books	d. how book
12. Most workmen are paid by	·
a. the week	b. a week
c. every week	d. each week
13. I know, but not the	
a. a com =	b. a Lennon
c. a certain Lennon	d. Lennon
14. I don't like	
 a. such musics 	b. such a music
c. such music	d. such kind of music
15. There is always bei	ng held in the village.
 a. some meeting or other 	b. some meetings or other
	her d. some meetings or the other
16. There is left, so we s	
a. little food	b. a little food
c. little foods	d. a little foods
17. There was left, so v	
a. little food	b. a little food
c. little foods	d. a little foods
19. Those of us who wear ala	sses should have eyes examined at

5. I am afraid we shall be late for dinner.

6. The dinner last Sunday was a very frugal one.

- 7. He plays the piano (the flute, the violin, etc.).
- 8. The deep-freeze has made life easier for housewives.
- 9. We went on camel rides to the Pyramids.
- 10. If oil supplies run out, man may have to fall back on the horse.
- 11. A bus stopped close to me, and I climbed to the top of it.
- 12. Students are asked to pay their fees before the beginning of term.
- 13. Father isn't back from town yet.
- 14. A Mr. Johnson came to see you when you were out.
- 15. Birds fly in the air.
- 16. How long does it take on the train?
- 17. Are there any jobs that men can do that women can't.
- 18. The major is a sixty-year-old former labourer.
- 19. Teachers should read stories to children.
- 20. A weak sun shines on the promenade.

IV. In the following sentences supply the definite article, indefinite article or zero article:

1.	He was fool enough to marry her.
2.	Smith is more of teacher than his brother.
3.	He looked at me, and heavy and strong man as he was, he thought
	it wiser to speak me fair.
4.	Under such strokes a courageous heart may turn coward.
5.	Please give me cup of coffee with cream and
	sugar.
6.	big books on table are for my history class.
7.	No one in Spanish class knew correct answer to Mrs.
	Perez's question.
	My car is four years old and it still runs well.
9.	When you go to store, please buy bottle of chocolate
	milk and dozen oranges.
10.	There are only few seats left for tonight's musical at
	university.
11.	John and Marcy went school yesterday and then studied in
	library before returning home.
12.	Lake Erie is one of five Great Lakes in North America.
	On our trip to Spain, we crossed Atlantic Ocean.
14.	Mount Rushmore is the site of magnificent tribute to
	four great American presidents.

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	15.	What did you eat for breakfast this morning?
		Louie played basketball and baseball at Boys' this
		year.
	17.	Rita plays violin and her sister plays guitar.
	18.	While we were in Alaska, we saw Eskimo village.
	19.	Phil can't go to movies tonight because he has to write
		essay.
	20.	David attended Princeton University.
	21.	This is rather too much of bother to think about.
	22.	panda is on the verge of becoming extinct.
	23.	I have never seen any such film before.
	24.	pianist is person who plays the piano, esp. with skill.
	25.	Do you like this jewel of cup?
V.	In	"other () than" construction, other functions as
	C	omparative element, and in "such / the same () as"
	C	onstruction, such or the same functions as antecedent
	O	r part of the antecedent. Now paraphrase the sentences:
	1.	We need a plan other than the one we have just been discussing.
	2.	I don't have any other cups / cups other than those in the sink.
	3.	She can hardly be other than grateful.
	4.	It was impossible for her to speak other than kindly.
	5.	No explanation could be given other than given by him.
	6.	We are moved by other than by pure motives.
	7.	I do not wish you other than she is.
	8.	I have never heard other than laudable things said of him.
		I've never known the Buckners to entertain other than lavishly.
	10	. The new arrival was none other than the President.
	11	. Have you no other suit than that?
		. We have no problems other than expense.
	_	. I can do no other than smile.
		. I have no time to read the books other than cursorily.
	15	. You can't get there other than by swimming.