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前 言

FOREWORD

作战士的要经常练习打靶和进行实战演习；学外语的要经常作题考考自己。常有这样的情况：由于选作的题或作题方法不同，效果也不同。曾有不少人口称试题集作完几本，然而一参加考试还是通不过。究其原因有三：一是本人基础较差；二是试题集选用不当；三是作题时泛泛而作，不得要领，每当遇到一个相似的试题，往往由于题中次要部分变换了几个词就仍觉生疏，甚至被卡住。

近年来，多种答案选择法试题的命题方式在国内外广为流行，各种试题集也应运而生。这些试题集，就编法而言，主要可分成三大类：第一类是按年代、范围，把各种正式考试中用过的试题收编成集（如托福，水平考试及研究生试题集等）；第二类是收入成套习题的各种模拟试题集（如高考练习和托福考试捷径等）；第三类是按语法项目将习题分门别类（如中等英语习题集等）。事实证明，这些试题集学习者使用起来往往抓不住重点，教师在教学中参考也不甚方便。

鉴于上述情况，本书采用了新的编纂法，从每题中选出关键词，按字母顺序加以排列，并把试题直接列于各关键词之下。这些词多是近年来国内外各种英语考试常用的基本词汇。这种编法，对于作题者说来，可以抓住“题眼儿”，从

而能触类旁通，“闻一而知十”，提高作题效率；对于英语教师说来，则可以词查题，以题查惯用法，根据教学内容为学生选编有针对性的练习题。

本书第一部分收集的1000个典型英语试题，在编法上打破常规，分别以托福考试和我国标准的水平考试最常用的“选择填空”和“判定错误”两种形式交替出现。选题时注意常用，有关偏易的语法结构和较冷僻词的用法的试题，本书均未收入。书后附有答案和注释。注释部分提供了判定错误题的参考改法。

为使作题者适应托福考试和水平考试的各种形式，提高快速阅读能力，本书还选编了科技英语短文20篇。形式包括阅读理解和综合填充等，难度不等，题材各异。每篇短文后附有练习题。

本书在编写过程中，得到哈尔滨船舶工程学院第一外语教研室许多同志的热情鼓励和支持，李延海、刘喜武等同志给予了大量的帮助；在本院工作的加拿大专家 Roderick Stewart 和 Sharon Stewart 仔细校阅了本书初稿，并提出许多宝贵意见，在此一并致以衷心的感谢。

本书的编法实属一种尝试。由于水平有限，错误和不妥之处在所难免，尚祈读者指正。

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PART ONE (第一部分)

Verbal Abilities (用词能力)

作题须知 本部分试题分别以两种形式出现：1)选择法填空(如第1题)，要求从每题四个答案中选出最合适的一个，并将该答案前的字母标出；2)判定错误(如第3题)，要求从每句四处划横线部分中，选出错误的那一个，并将该部分横线下的字母标出。

A

able

1. A student should acquire a useful command of science concepts and principles and be able _____ abreast of scientific and technological development.
A. of keeping B. to keep
C. keeping D. kept
2. He was a good swimmer so he _____ swim to the river bank when the boat sank.
A. could B. might

D. was able to

above

3. Situated at an altitude of 7,600 feet over sea level and only 15 degrees north of the equator, Kagnew Station occupies a unique position in the communications world.

absent

4. He has been absent _____ class for quite some time.

B. for

D. in

abstain

5. Anyone who has a sore throat should _____
from alcohol.

B. abstain

D. retain

accident

6. She has been quiet since he was killed in accident a year ago.^①

A B C D

accordance

7. This lift has been examined _____ the Lifts and Escalators (Safety) Ordinance, Chapter 327.

A. in accordance with B. according for

C. in according to D. in accordance to
according

8. _____ Mr. Smith, Susan is to blame for the
mistake.

A. With reference to B. In accordance with
C. According to D. By

accuse

9. Orson accused the man _____ the theft.

A. for B. on
C. of D. in

accustom

10. I am accustomed _____ at seven in the mor-
ning.

A. to rise B. to rising
C. to be rising D. to have risen

acquaint

11. Are you well acquainted _____ John?

A. for B. with
C. about D. at

acquire

12. Mr. Green gradually _____ a knowledge of
the subject.

A. attained B. required
C. acquired D. achieved

adapt

13. One must try his best to _____ the new environment.

- A. adopt to B. adept
C. adapt to D. adapt

address

14. I don't know _____.

- A. what is Mary's address
B. where Mary's address is
C. what Mary's address is
D. where is Mary's address

15. He likes to address to the audience in his
commanding voice.
A B C D

admiration

16. The more we learnt about the ambassador,
the more _____ we have.

- A. increase of his status
B. praise increasing
C. admiration for him
D. respect in him

advance

17. Women have done^A advances^B in reaching^C high^D
positions in business, but there are still few^C women^D in government.⁽²⁾

advantage

18. Your fluency in the language gives you an advantage _____ the other candidate for the job.

- | | |
|---------|---------|
| A. than | B. with |
| C. over | D. for |

19. I'd like to take _____ of this opportunity to thank you all for your co-operation.

- | | |
|------------|--------------|
| A. profit | B. occasion |
| C. benefit | D. advantage |

adverse

20. His proposal is _____ to our interests.

- | | |
|------------|-------------|
| A. adverse | B. diverse |
| C. reverse | D. converse |

advise

21. Passengers are _____ to beware of pickpockets.

- | | |
|-------------|--------------|
| A. informed | B. notified |
| C. advised | D. suggested |

affect

22. Statistics is a discipline _____ all the other sciences.

- | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| A. affected | B. affecting |
| C. to be affected | D. being affected |

afford

23. Who else except a millionaire could _____
to use such an expensive car?
- A. pay B. purchase
C. buy D. afford

afraid

24. They daren't ask, for they _____ .
- A. afraid to be laughed at
B. are afraid of being laughed at
C. are afraid of laughed at
D. are afraid being laughed

age

25. Born and reared in New York, Tatiana Tro-
yanos became interested in music and opera
at a very little age.^③
- A
B
C D

26. He married _____ twenty-eight.
- A. in age of B. at age of
C. in the age of D. at the age of

ago

27. How long ago _____ in London?
- A. has he arrive B. does he arrive
C. could he arrive D. did he arrive

agree

28. We want him to retire but he won't _____

A. accept B. admit
C. agree D. allow

- agreement**

- all**

- ## allocate

- 7

A. allocated

B. distributed

C. sorted

D. registered

allow

35. I will never _____ them to take the child away from me.

A. let

B. tolerate

C. allow

D. admit

alternate

36. Peter and John work on _____ days.

A. altering

B. alternative

C. alternable

D. alternate

although

37. Although DDT was first produced in 1874,
but it was not widely used until the second
B C D
quarter of this century.⑥

among

38. Among the three boys I would judge Tom
to be the more intelligent, especially where
A B C
abstract concepts are concerned.⑧
D

amount

39. He has spent a large _____ of money on his new house.

A. deal

B. amount

C. number

D. piece

40. The amount of endangered species increases
A B C
every year as natural habitats disappear.
D

an

41. I held the opinion that a honest man who
A
married and brought up a large family did
B
more service than one who remained single
C D
and talked only of the population.⑦

and

42. Since a nation's banks provide the support
for its economy, and any hint of insolvency
A B C
causes great concern.⑧
D

another

43. The characters in Mrs. Paley's short stories
are unable to understand anything about them-
A B
selves or to communicate with each another
C
in any but the most primitive and unrevealing
D
fashion.

anxious

44. The mother is anxious _____ her son's health.
A. for B. about

C. in

D. with

anybody

45. Did _____ ring me up just now?

A. the man who

B. who that

C. anybody

D. anybody who

anywhere

46. I couldn't find my English-Chinese dictionary _____.^⑨

A. anywhere

B. everywhere

C. nowhere

D. somewhere

47. If we continue to argue over minor points, we won't get _____ near a solution.

A. somewhere

B. elsewhere

C. nowhere

D. anywhere

apologize

48. I _____ to him for my rudeness.

A. forgave

B. excused

C. apologized

D. pardoned

appear

49. Mr. Green is one of those men who appears^A
to be friendly^B, although it is very hard^C to
deal with^D him.

50. They appear _____ in the accident.

- A. was injured B. to injure
C. to have been injured D. being injured

appointment

51. I've made an _____ for you with the dentist
at 5 o'clock tomorrow.

- A. interview B. opportunity
C. assignation D. appointment

approve

52. I _____ of his course of action, so I told him
to go ahead.

- A. accepted B. agreed
C. approved D. consented

arise

53. A completely new situation will _____ when
the new examination system comes into existence.

- A. rise B. raise
C. arouse D. arise

around

54. _____ the earliest times, men have been interested
_____ understanding the world _____
them.

- A. From/in/near B. In/in/around
C. At/about/around D. From/in/around

arrive