Future in the past.

Read the questions below and decide which answer best fits each space.

- 1. Peter decided he ... to France on holidays.
- a) will go
- b) would go
- c) went
- 2. When I got to the station, the train ...
- a) would leave
- b) was to leave
- c) was about to leave
- 3. I ... this letter yesterday, but I didn't have enough time.
- a) would send
- b) was supposed to send
- c) was about to
- 4. I was sure that after midnight I ...
- a) would be sleeping
- b) would sleep
- c) was sleeping
- 5. I ... to the party, but Peter made me come.
- a) wouldn't go
- b) wasn't going
- c) wasn't going to go
- 6. All the problems ... be solved during yesterday's meeting.
- a) would
- b) were to
- c) were about to
- 7. He was almost sure he ... his exam.
- a) was passing
- b) was to pass
- c) would pass
- 8. We ... with them, but they finally convinced us.
- a) weren't going to travel
- b) wouldn't travel
- c) weren't to travel
- 9. I was sure that Kate ... by the time I arrived.

- a) would leave
- b) would be leaving
- c) would have left
- 10. I knew his aunt ... him any money.
- a) wouldn't be lending
- b) wouldn't lend
- c) didn't lend
- 11. I ... the report when I noticed some alarming details.
- a) was to sign
- b) was about to sign
- c) would sign
- 12. The concert ... at 5 p.m. but in fact it started 3 hours later.
- a) would start
- b) had to start
- c) was due to start
- 13. After many days of suffering, he ...
- a) was supposed to break down
- b) would break down
- c) was on the verge of breakdown
- 14. We couldn't be at that party, because we ... abroad the following day.
- a) would go
- b) were going
- c) went
- 15. I thought she ... everything by our arrival, but I was wrong.
- a) would have prepared
- b) would be preparing
- c) would prepare