Active And Passive Voice Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate tense form.

1. Rabid dogs by forest rangers in Maine last year.

destroyed

were destroying

were destroyed

2. His racy lifestyle many women.

fascinated

were fascinated

had been fascinated

3. The defeated candidate up and down in a rage.

was stamped

stamped

has stamped

4. All those in favor should their hands.

raise

rise

Either could be used here

5. We all when the judge entered the court.

rose

raised

Either could be used here

6. We to stroll around the neighorhood on sunny afternoons.

like
likes
were liked
are liked

7. The company a large range of products.

produce

produces

produced

8. Buying a boat low on my list of priorities.

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rank

ranks

have ranked

9. His rapacious ways him wealthy but friendless.

made

was made

has been made

10. He rarely, yet he passed every exam.

study

studied

was studied

11. I rate that performance one of the best I

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ever saw

have ever seen

12. Each flood victim with a daily ration.

provided

was provided

has provided

Answers

- 1. Rabid dogs were destroyed by forest rangers in Maine last year.
- 2. His racy lifestyle fascinated many women.
- 3. The defeated candidate stamped up and down in a rage.
- 4. All those in favor should raise their hands.
- 5. We all rose when the judge entered the court.
- 6. We like to stroll around the neighborhood on sunny afternoons.
- 7. The company produces a large range of products.

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- 8. Buying a boat ranks low on my list of priorities.
- 9. His rapacious ways made him wealthy but friendless.
- 10. He rarely studied, yet he passed every exam.
- 11. I rate that performance one of the best I have ever seen.
- 12. Each flood victim was provided with a daily ration.