Grammar and Vocabulary Exercise

Complete the following sentences.

1. A cock and bull story is

a foolish, unbelievable story

a dead letter

an epic

2. Training is to a doctor.

inseparable

indispensable

irrefutable

that

whose

of whom

4. When I asked them who took the money, the boys ignorance.

affected

effected

acted

5. A good manager should from criticizing his subordinates.

abstain

refrain

avoid

6. He was an in the murder.

accomplice

accessary

accessory

7. When people ill, they consult their doctor hoping to get the best medical care.

turn	
go	
fall	

8. This is Mrs. Seth they say is the best pianist in the town.

who

whom

which

that

9. It is high time she the dues.

рау

pays

paid

has paid

10. He tiptoed into the room lest he the baby.

wake up

should wake up

Either could be used here

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Answers

- 1. A foolish, unbelievable story
- 2. Training is indispensable to a doctor.
- 3. This is a website for students whose mother language is not English.
- 4. When I asked them who took the money, the boys affected ignorance.
- 5. A good manager should refrain from criticizing his subordinates.
- 6. He was an accomplice in the murder.
- 7. When people fall ill, they consult their doctor hoping to get the best medical care.

8. This is Mrs. Seth whom they say is the best pianist in the town. (Who is possible in an informal style.)

- 9. It is high time she paid the dues.
- 10. He tiptoed into the room lest he wake up / should wake up the baby.