

Practice

① Boys said, "It has been raining since morning. We cannot play today."

Boys told that it had been raining since morning. They ~~can~~^{could not} play today, ~~that day~~.

② She said to him, "I am leaving now and shall return after two hours."

She told him that she was leaving now and ~~will~~^{then} ~~would~~ return after two hours.

③ The girl has said to me, "My father ~~went~~ to the market and brought toys for me."

The girl has told me that her father ~~want~~^{went} to the market and brought toys for her.

④ Her husband said to her, "I shall not go to the office today as I am not feeling well."

Her husband told her that he would not go to the office ~~today~~^{that day} as he was not feeling well.

⑤ My father said to me, "I fear that you have caught cold again."

My father told me that he ~~fears~~^{feared} that I ~~have~~^{had} caught cold again.

⑥ His brother said to me, "I am not going to attend the meeting today."

His brother told me that he was not going to attend the meeting today.

⑦ The Inspector has said to the people, "We have caught the thief and he will be brought to book soon."

The Inspector has told the people that they have caught the thief and he would be brought to book soon.

⑧ The lady said to her husband, "Whether you agree with me or not, I am not going to change my decision."

The lady told her husband that whether he ~~agreed with her or not~~^{agreed}, she ~~would not~~^{was} not going to change her decision.



(9) The landlord said to the young man, "If you do not pay your rent by evening today, you will have to leave the house immediately."

The landlord told the young man that if he ~~does~~ ^{did} not pay his rent by evening today, he would have to leave the house immediately.

(10) His wife said to him, "Do you know that my servant stole our ~~at~~ money?"
His wife asked him if he ^{knew} that her servant stole their money.

(11) Her friend said to her, "Can you spare your book for me for a week?"

Her friend asked her if she could spare her book for her for a week.

(12) She said to him, "Can I ~~do~~ do anything for you? Would you mind my extending help to you?"

She asked him if she ^{could} do anything for him and whether he would mind her extending help to him.

