

Q. Change the narration from direct into indirect speech.

1. "I must go to the dentist tomorrow," he said. "I have an appointment."

A. ~~He said~~ <sup>to</sup> that he had an appointment and he ~~would~~ <sup>not</sup> go to the dentist the next day.

2. "What a nuisance! Now I'll have to do it all over again," he exclaimed.

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A. He exclaimed that it was a nuisance and that he would have to do it all over again ~~then~~.

3. He said, I mustn't mind if the first one wasn't any good.

A. He said that he ~~must~~ not mind if the first one had not been any good.

4. He wanted to know if I was going to concert and suggested that we should make up a party and go together.

A. He wanted to know ~~that~~ if I had been going to concert and suggested ~~that~~ they should make up a party and go together.

5. She told me to look where I was going as the road was full of holes and very badly lit.

6. She asked me to look where I had been going as the road had holes and badly lit.

7. Do you know anybody in this area as could you get a reference from your landlady?

8. He asked me that if I knew anybody in this area ~~and~~ if he could get a reference from my landlady.

9. "How far is it?" I said, "and how long will take me to get there?"

10. I asked that how far was it and how long would ~~it~~ take me to get there.

11. "If I had spoken to my father as you speak to me he'd have beaten me," he said to me.

12. He said that if I had ~~been~~ spoken to my father as he spoke to me he'd had beaten me.