

Re-write these sentences with the words in *italic* at the beginning.

1. He rarely made mistakes like that.

Rarely mistakes like that.

2. They had hardly set out when they had a flat tyre.

Hardly when they had a flat tyre.

3. Their panic was such that many were trampled underfoot in the rush to leave the building.

Such many were trampled underfoot in the rush to leave the building.

4. Jack realises only now how much Jane loved him.

Only now how much Jane loved him.

5. This species of butterfly is seldom found in Britain.

Seldom in Britain.

6. The traffic police had never seen such an unusual accident.

Never such an unusual accident.

7. I will only agree to marry her on one condition.

Only on one condition to marry her.

8. Mason would not betray his country under any circumstances.

Under no circumstances his country.

9. The ski-jumper shot up into the air like a giant bird.

Up into the air like a giant bird.

10. Jill was so happy that she started dancing round the room.

So happy that she started dancing round the room.

11. The Spitfires had no sooner climbed into the air than they spotted the enemy bombers approaching.

No sooner into the air **than** they spotted bombers approaching.

12. The cork came out with a loud pop.

Out with a loud pop.

ANSWERS:

1. He **rarely** made mistakes like that.
_____ **Rarely did he make** mistakes like that _____
2. They had **hardly** set out when they had a flat tyre.
_____ **Hardly had they set out** when they had a flat tyre _____
3. Their panic was **such** that many were trampled underfoot in the rush to leave the building.
_____ **Such was their panic that** many were trampled underfoot in the rush to leave the building _____
4. Jack realises **only** now how much Jane loved him.
_____ **Only** now **does Jack realise** how much Jane loved him _____
5. This species of butterfly is **seldom** found in Britain.
_____ **Seldom is this species of butterfly found** in Britain _____
6. The traffic police had **never** seen such an unusual accident.
_____ **Never had the traffic police seen** such an unusual accident _____
7. I will only agree to marry her on one condition.
_____ **Only on one condition will I agree** to marry her. _____
8. Mason would not betray his country under any circumstances.
_____ **Under no circumstances would Mason betray** his country. _____
9. The ski-jumper shot up into the air like a giant bird.
_____ **Up into the air shot the ski-jumper** like a giant bird. _____
10. Jill was so happy that she started dancing round the room.
_____ **So happy was Jill** that she started dancing round the room. _____
11. The Spitfires had no sooner climbed into the air than they spotted the enemy bombers approaching.
_____ **No sooner had the Spitfires climb** into the air **than** they spotted bombers approaching. _____
12. The cork came out with a loud pop.
_____ **Out came the cork** with a loud pop. _____