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There are great impediments to the general use of a standard in pronunciation comparable to that existing in spelling (orthography). One is the fact that pronunciation is learnt ‘ naturally ’ and unconsciously, and orthography \_\_1\_\_ is learnt deliberately and consciously. Large numbers of us, in fact, remain throughout our lives quite unconscious with what our speech sounds \_\_2\_\_ like when we speak out, and it often comes as a shock when we \_\_3\_\_ firstly hear a recording of ourselves. It is not a voice we recognize at once, \_\_4\_\_ whereas our own handwriting is something which we almost always know. We \_\_5\_\_ begin the ‘ natural ’ learning of pronunciation long before we start learning to read or write, and in our early years we went on unconsciously imitating and \_\_6\_\_ practicing the pronunciation of those around us for many more hours per every \_\_7\_\_ day than we ever have to spend learning even our difficult English spelling. This is ‘ natural ’, therefore, that our speech-sounds should be those of our im-\_\_8\_\_ mediate circle. after all, as we have seen, speech operates a means of holding a community and to give a sense of ‘ belonging ’. We learn quite early to recognize a \_\_9\_\_ ‘ stranger ’, someone who speaks with an accent of a different community perhaps only a few miles far. \_\_10\_\_

参考答案及解析:1. 将and改为whereas/but/yet2. 将with改为ofunconscious of 是固定搭配。3. 删掉outspeak out 意思为“大胆地说”，“大声地说”，与此

处意思不符。4. 将firstly改为first5. 将which改为that或者将which删掉。限制性定语从句前面的先行词是something，因此要用that引导定语从句。也可以将which删掉，不用任何引导词。6. 将went改为go7. 删掉per或者every8. 将This改为ItIt在此处做形式主语，后面的that从句是真正的主语。9. 在community后面加together此处的大意为“语音是把社区团结在一起的工具”。10. 将far改为away“只有几英里远”应是 a few miles away。100Test 下载频道开通，各类考试题目直接下载。详细请访问 [www.100test.com](http://www.100test.com)