Fill in the blanks.

1. I did nothing but ........................................
   - laugh
   - laughing
   - to laugh

2. The whole of London ................................. talking about his affairs.
   - was
   - were
   - Either could be used here

3. He objected ................................. sitting there.
   - my
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4. Which country ……………………………… to?
   - he belongs
   - does he belong
   - he belong

5. …………………………… a foolish boy you are!
   - What
   - How
   - Either could be used here
6. He wants to ……………………… down for a while.

lie
lay
lain

7. We went for ………………………………..

riding
a ride

8. You had better …………………………… another application.

send
to send
9. If you had stepped on the snake, it
…………………………………… you.

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10. If I ....................... a bird, I could fly home.

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11. If you ………………………… him, he will get angry.

- disturb
- disturbs
- disturbed
- had disturbed

12. If they ………………………….. me earlier, I could have attended the function.

- informed
- had informed
- inform
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Answers

I did nothing but laugh.
The whole of London was talking about his affairs.
He objected to my sitting there.
Which country does he belong to?
What a foolish boy you are!
He wants to lie down for a while.
We went for a ride.
You had better send another application.
If you had stepped on the snake, it would have bitten you.
If I were/was a bird, I could fly home.
If you disturb him, he will get angry.
If they had informed me earlier, I could have attended the function.