Prepositions Quiz

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate preposition.

1. The sergeant deserved his elevation ......................... lieutenant.
   - to
   - of
   - for

2. He is about to embark ......................... a new business venture.
   - with
   - on
   - to

3. The actor is famous ......................... his elocution.
4. The old mansion was furnished ................................ great elegance.

5. She is an elegant lady ............................. her seventies.
6. The mother was embarrassed ...................... her child’s bad behavior.

7. The explosive situation was handled .................... extraordinary restraint.
8. The emission of radio signals was interrupted ............... a power failure.

with
by
of

9. Most visitors to London are enamored ..................... the city.

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10. The meeting ended ............................... 10 o’clock.

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Answers

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The meeting ended at 10 o'clock.
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