Subordinating Conjunctions

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate subordinating conjunction.

1. I don’t know ……………………… he is innocent.
   
   that
   weather
   whether

2. ……………………… she will come I am not sure at the moment.
   
   Whether
   If
   That

3. I asked ……………………… she had met me before.
   
   whether
   if
   Either could be used here

4. This is the closet ……………………… she keeps her things.
   
   where
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that
which

5. The consequence of his stupidity was ................................ he soon lost his money.

that
which
what

6. She is beautiful. She is equally intelligent. That means she is as beautiful as .....................

intelligent
is intelligent
she is intelligent

7. A cottager and his wife had a hen ........................ laid a golden egg every day.

which
that
Either could be used here
8. He ran so quickly ……………………… he soon overtook me.

that  
when  
for

9. He spoke in ……………………… a low voice that nobody could hear him.

so  
very  
such

10. Tell me what ……………………… done?

have you  
you have

11. ……………………… you are drunk aggravates your offence.

Fact  
The fact  
The fact that
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12. They paid no attention to the fact that she was depressed.

Answers

1. I don’t know whether he is innocent.
2. Whether she will come I am not sure at the moment.
3. I asked whether / if she had met me before.
4. This is the closet where she keeps her things.
5. The consequence of his stupidity was that he soon lost his money.
6. She is beautiful. She is equally intelligent. That means she is as beautiful as she is intelligent.
7. A cottager and his wife had a hen which / that laid a golden egg every day.
8. He ran so quickly that he soon overtook me.
9. He spoke in such a low voice that nobody could hear him.
10. Tell me what you have done?
11. The fact that you are drunk aggravates your offence.
12. They paid no attention to the fact that she was depressed.