**Practice Exercise**

**Due 6/26/25**

**Directions: Circle the correct form of the word.**

1. It is the (leased, least) desirable of all of the alternatives that we have been offered this case.
2. It was wedged into the corner at the side of the (jam, jamb).
3. He is (loath, loathe) to get involved under the circumstances.
4. It will be sent to the full (legislator, legislature) for approval.
5. It has become a (naughty, knotty) problem to solve.
6. The miner discovered the (load, lode) near the entrance to the abandoned cave that he had been exploring.
7. We were (lead, led) down the primrose path.
8. His departure did nothing to (lesson, lessen) her burden.
9. The witness insisted that there was a 9loan, lone) assailant involved.
10. She had (kneed, knead, need) him during her escape attempt
11. The (lean, lien) on the house will have to be paid before the sale can be processed through our company.
12. Her therapist was concerned with (lightning, lightening) her stressful workload on the job as well as at home.
13. We have (laid, lain) on the beach for hours.
14. There seemed to be (not, naught, knot) to do but wait.
15. The movie ended as the (loan, lone) rider disappeared into the desert.
16. She was (loath, loathed) her new job since the first day.
17. The tyrannical monarch continued to (levy, levee) the unreasonable sum.
18. The teenagers said that they would be (liable, likely, libel) for the damages sustained to the car.
19. He who owns the property for rent is the (lessee, lessor, lesser).
20. The (last, latest) issue of the magazine arrived with the first serialization of a feature novel.
21. He had (laid, lain) there in wait for her to return.