Misplaced Modifiers: practice

In class practice 1: <https://www.quia.com/quiz/3598730.html>

Practice 2: <https://www.quia.com/quiz/2111413.html>

Practice 3: <https://webapps.towson.edu/ows/SelfTeachingUnits/Misplaced%20Modifiers%20-%20Exercise01.aspx>

Practice 4: <https://www.proprofs.com/quiz-school/topic/dangling-modifier>

Practice 5: problems with revisions and explanations: <https://leo.stcloudstate.edu/grammar/modifiers.html>

Practice 6: <https://pennstatelaw.psu.edu/current-students/online-legal-writing-center/writing-tools/misplaced-modifiers-exercises>

PRACTICE 7: *See answers below*.

**DIRECTIONS:** Each sentence contains an error with a modifier. Fix the problems! (See answers below.)

1. Burned to a cinder, I could not eat the toast.

2. Do not apply the paint until thoroughly stirred.

3. While sleeping, the covers were kicked off the bed.

4. After barking at the moon past midnight, the Nortons decided to complain to the dog's owners.

5. To appreciate D. W. Griffith's films, the period in which they were produced must be understood.

6. Concerned by the international news, Washington was the best place for the President.

7. She wore a ribbon in her hair which was a light pink.

8. He wrote his book on gambling in Iowa.

9. The rain began to fall immediately after planting the grass.

ANSWERS:

1. Burned to a cinder, I could not eat the toast.

Burned to a cinder, the toast was inedible.

2. Do not apply the paint until thoroughly stirred.

Do not apply the paint until you have thoroughly stirred it.

3. While sleeping, the covers were kicked off the bed.

While sleeping, I kicked the covers off the bed.

4. After barking at the moon past midnight, the Nortons decided to complain to the dog's owners.

After barking at the moon past midnight, the dog annoyed the Nortons so much that they contacted the mutt’s

owners.

5. To appreciate D. W. Griffith's films, the period in which they were produced must be understood.

To appreciate D.W. Giffith’s films, one must understand the time period in which they were produced.

6. Concerned by the international news, Washington was the best place for the President.

Concerned by the international news, the President decided that Washington was the best place for him now.

7. She wore a ribbon in her hair which was a light pink.

She wore a light pink ribbon on her hair.

8. He wrote his book on gambling in Iowa.

While in Iowa, he wrote his book on gambling.

9. The rain began to fall immediately after planting the grass.

The rain began to fall immediately after I planted the grass.