SUBJECTS AND PREDICATES

Identify the subjects and verbs in the following sentences by putting one line under the subject and two lines under the verb or verbs.

EXAMPLE: After the storm, a rainbow appeared.

1. Beside the red barn stood a rusty old tractor.
2. Are you sure of the loyalty of the king’s guards?
3. As a freshman, Dwayne engaged in campus politics.
4. One of the reasons for his success is his courage.
5. The spire of the old church could be seen in the distance.
6. Pamela had never realized the importance of good manners and grooming.
7. The old town, once a thriving community, is now a desolate ghost town.
8. I would classify that car’s style as classic.
9. There are various reasons for his unorthodox conduct.
10. Without any warning, the horse reared and galloped away.
11. Have you noticed the change in temperature?
12. Many different brands of coffee are now available.
13. After waiting for ten minutes, we met the famous professor.
14. Some of the new students are traveling from neighboring states.
15. With a hearty laugh, Tom turned and disappeared.
16. Are you certain of the source of the rumor?
17. None of the speakers made a good impression.
18. What did Whitney and Ted say about the opera?
19. To some people, opera can be dull.
20. Grace and Bob stayed and talked for hours.