APPOSITIVES

Rewrite each pair of sentences below so that part of the second sentence becomes a properly punctuated appositive in the first.

EXAMPLE: The maple tree does not produce enough sugar for the whole country. The maple is a valuable tree. The maple, a valuable tree, does not produce enough sugar for the whole country.

1. Tony’s aged aunt has included him in her will. 
   She is a widow.

2. Pirate’s Cave attracts tourists even in January. 
   It is a grotto in a picturesque inlet.

3. The third plan has been adopted. 
   It is to abandon Mr. Hardy’s land.

4. Susan’s new purchase seems quite chic. 
   She bought a designer dress.

5. The McKay clan rules local politics. 
   The clan is a group of fifteen individualists.

   The new model is a well-engineered machine.

7. The teacher’s suggestion drew applause from the class. 
   She suggested a twenty-minute passing period.

8. Any serious angler will want this new reel. 
   It is an unbreakable piece of equipment.

9. Ms. Garcia won the promotion easily. 
   She was the best of the three candidates.

10. Christopher logged more word-processing hours than anyone else in the class this term. 
    He is a computer-science major.