



Insert the nouns in the appropriate phrases.

air	fog	ice	weather
clouds	heaven	shadow	whirl
earth	hell	skies	wind

1. You may reprimand Steven several times a day, but it will **cut no** .....  
**with** him. He's more obstinate than any other child.
2. Judging by the way the reporter **praised the English tennis player to the**  
....., he must have been his great fan.
3. I have never done a roller coaster ride. It might be enjoyable, so next time I am  
in the amusement park, I will **give it a/an** .....
4. Once he ruled the corporation with an iron hand. But when he was dismissed for  
affairs he lost his sense in life. Now, he's **a/an** ..... **of his former self**.
5. It's rather unlikely that Hugh will work out any practical scheme. **He's got his head**  
**in the** ..... all the time. He's more of a dreamer than a realist.
6. As a security officer, you must **keep a/an** ..... **eye open for** any  
sign of danger during the presidential visit.
7. When the confidential files disappeared from the cabinet, we were prepared to  
**move** ..... **and earth** to find them and never let the information  
be leaked to the press.
8. The recent report of how real the danger of a terrorist attack may be has **put the**  
..... **up** the country citizens.
9. One of the neighbours has **given us** ..... for playing football in the  
garden although it doesn't even belong to him.
10. We've been on the road for over two days. I haven't slept well and haven't had  
a shower for all this time. I must look **like nothing on** .....
11. When he came round in hospital, he was **in a/an** ..... He had no  
idea what had happened to him.
12. 'The price he gave for the flat seems rather exaggerated. How did he get it?'  
'He must have **plucked it out of the** ....., unreasonable as it is.'