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Each of the following sentences is correct or exemplifies a megablunder. Possible megablunders include ROS, FRAG, AGREE, PR, CASE, PAR, MM, and DM. In the space to the left of the sentence, write either C for correct or the abbreviation for the megablunder. For sentences containing an error, write a <u>complete</u> corrected sentence version in the space below.

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1. The 11-year-old Shakespeare may have witnessed the Queen's visit to nearby Kenilworth in 1575; there is, however, no documentary evidence.
2. I barely saw ten geese on the banks of a pond where they used to come by the thousands.
3. No matter how rough and daunting the path may appear, one should never hesitate to follow their dreams.
4. The package went unclaimed because the student who it was addressed to never received notification.
5. According to the regulations, permission to carry a nail clipper on board can be granted by either the gate attendant or by the captain.
6. Homer attempted to dispose of his lighted firecracker in the dishwasher; this caused a catastrophic flood in the kitchen of Flanders's summer cottage.
7. Jules reaches a bold conclusion, he can keep Kathe only by sharing her with Jim.
8. The computer, which required thousands of vacuum tubes, were so big that the company had to construct a special building.
9. Sauteed in a mixture of goose fat and butter, Mme. Reynaud admitted that her potato dish was not for people who needed to lose weight.

10. Because the sum that the president initially promised was equal to the amount spent every five hours on the

war in Iraq.