

The passage below is about the formation of stalagmites in caves.  
The sentences are jumbled up. Unjumble them so that they make sense.

Label the sentences from 1 to 5.

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# STALAGMITES

Sentence order

Over a long period a pillar called a stalagmite is formed.

When the drops evaporate the limestone particles are left on the cave floor.

The rainwater dripping from the ceiling of a cave carries particles of limestone in it.

A mound forms on the cave floor.

When rain falls on a limestone area, it seeps through the soil and becomes slightly acidic.

Join each pair of sentences by using **conjunctions**. Choose from the list.  
A conjunction may be used more than once. Write the new sentence on the line.

**while      that      until      because      whether      but      although**

Example.      The boy did his homework. He was watching television.

The boy did his homework **while** he was watching television.

46 The police were called. There had been a serious accident.

47 The choir boy tried to sing. He had a sore throat.

48 We must stay indoors. The weather improves.

49 Laura ran to the station. The train had just left.

50 I know who did it. I saw what happened.