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to put togs on
worn in public
gad\ adj
to one place or
on <mix ~> 3
nd work ~> 4
into harmony or
group : JOINTLY
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ociation with
wo options esp.
ated by pushing
: clothes for a
: long fatiguing
toil-some adj
r to make dirty,
grind, fr. tudi-
tudes hammer]
d with great ef-
tela cloth on a
ught in the ~s
of dressing and
fixture for use
onsisting essen-
toilet vb
ing or cleaning
or preparation
su. used in pl.
mal attire; also
a child to con-
o use the toilet
e effects of toil
m Hungary
una cigarette or
: SYMBOL, EM-
mall part repre-
a coin issued as
specified terms
p. in partial ful-
ing only a sym-
or practice of
gregate)
to-lar-jev 'tō-
nit of Slovenia
e for use in do-
being borne or
— tol-er-ably
practice of tol-
for beliefs or
e allowable de-
e body's capac-
something (as
— tol-er-ant-ly
1 : to exhibit
: to allow to be
onyms ABIDE,
-tion 'tā-lā-'rā-
(as for passing
(as for a long
fe, health, loss,
ding of (a bell)

esp. by pulling a rope 2 : to give signal of : SOUND 3
: to sound with slow measured strokes 4 : to announce
by tolling
toll n : the sound of a tolling bell
toll-booth 'tōl-būth\ n : a booth where tolls are paid
toll-gate 'gāt\ n : a point where vehicles stop to pay a
toll
toll-house 'hauz\ n : a house or booth where tolls are
paid
tol-u-ene 'tāl-yə-wēn\ n : a liquid hydrocarbon used esp.
as a solvent
tom 'tām\ n : the male of various animals (as a cat or
turkey)
tom-a-hawk 'tā-mə-'hók\ n : a light ax used as a missile
and as a hand weapon esp. by No. American Indians
tomahawk vb : to strike or kill with a tomahawk
to-ma-ti-lō 'tō-mā-'tē-(,)yō\ n, pl -los : a small round
usu. pale green edible fruit of a Mexican herb related to
the tomato; also : this herb
to-ma-to 'tā-mā-tō, -'mā-\ n, pl -toes [alter. of earlier to-
mate, fr. Sp, fr. Nahuatl tomatl] : a usu. large, rounded,
and red or yellow pulpy edible berry of a widely grown
tropical herb related to the potato; also : this herb
tomb 'tūm\ n 1 : a place of burial : GRAVE 2 : a house,
chamber, or vault for the dead — tomb vb
tom-boy 'tām-bōi\ n : a girl who behaves in a manner
usu. considered boyish — tom-boy-ish adj
tomb-stone 'tūm-stōn\ n : a stone marking a grave
tom-cat 'tām-'kat\ n : a male domestic cat
Tom Col-lins 'tām-'kāl-lənz\ n : a tall iced drink with a
base of gin
tome 'tōm\ n : BOOK; esp : a large or weighty one
tom-fool-ery 'tām-'fū-lə-rē\ n : playful or foolish behavior
tom-my gun 'tā-mē-gən\ n : SUBMACHINE GUN —
tommy-gun vb
to-mog-ra-phy 'tō-'mā-grə-fē\ n : a method of produc-
ing a three-dimensional image of the internal structures
of a solid object (as the human body or the earth) —
to-mo-graph-ic 'tō-mā-'grā-fik\ adj
to-mor-row 'tā-'mār-ō\ adv : on or for the day after today
— tomorrow n
tom-tom 'tām-tām\ n : a small-headed drum beaten with
the hands
ton 'tān\ n, pl tons also ton 1 — see WEIGHT table 2
: a unit equal to the volume of a long ton weight of sea-
water used in reckoning the displacement of ships and
equal to 35 cubic feet
to-nal-i-ty 'tō-'nā-lə-tē\ n, pl -ties : tonal quality
tone 'tōn\ n [ME, fr. L. tonus tension, tone, fr. Gk tonos,
lit., act of stretching; fr. the dependence of the pitch
of a musical string on its tension] 1 : vocal or musical
sound; esp : sound quality 2 : a sound of definite
pitch 3 : WHOLE STEP 4 : accent or inflection expres-
sive of an emotion 5 : the pitch of a word often used
to express differences of meaning 6 : style or manner of
expression 7 : color quality; also : SHADE, TINT 8 : the
effect in painting of light and shade together with color
9 : healthy and vigorous condition of a living body or
bodily part; also : the state of partial contraction charac-
teristic of normal muscle 10 : general character, quality,
or trend ♦ **Synonyms** ATMOSPHERE, FEELING, MOOD,
VEIN — ton-al 'tō-nəl\ adj
tone vb toned; ton-ing 1 : to give a particular intona-
tion or inflection to 2 : to impart tone to 3 : SOFTEN,
MELLOW (<~ down your language>) 4 : to harmonize in
color : BLEND
tone-arm n : the movable part of a record player that car-
ries the pickup and the needle
toney var of TONY
tong 'tān, 'tōn\ n : a Chinese secret society in the U.S.
tongs 'tānz, 'tōnz\ n pl : a grasping device consisting of
two pieces joined at one end by a pivot or hinged like
scissors — tong vb
tongue 'təŋ\ n 1 : a fleshy movable process of the floor
of the mouth used in tasting and in taking and swallow-
ing food and in humans as a speech organ 2 : the flesh
of a tongue (as of the ox) used as food 3 : the power of
communication 4 : LANGUAGE 1 5 : manner or quality
of utterance; also : intended meaning 6 : ecstatic usu.
unintelligible utterance accompanying religious excita-
tion — usu. used in pl. 7 : something resembling an ani-

mal's tongue esp. in being elongated and fastened at one
end only — tongued 'təŋd\ adj — tongue-less adj
tongue vb tongued; tongu-ing 1 : to touch or lick with
the tongue 2 : to articulate notes on a wind instrument
tongue-in-cheek adj : characterized by insincerity, irony,
or whimsical exaggeration — tongue in cheek adv
tongue-lash 'təŋ-'lash\ vb : CHIDE, REPROVE —
tongue-lash-ing 'təŋ-'iŋ\ n
tongue-tied 'təŋ-'tīd\ adj : unable or disinclined to speak
clearly or freely (as from shyness or a tongue impairment)
tongue twister n : an utterance that is difficult to articu-
late because of a succession of similar consonants
ton-ic 'tā-nik\ adj 1 : of, relating to, or producing a
healthy physical or mental condition : INVIGORATING 2
: relating to or based on the 1st tone of a scale — to-nic-
i-ty 'tō-'ni-sə-tē\ n
tonic n 1 : the 1st degree of a musical scale 2 : some-
thing that invigorates, restores, or refreshes
tonic water n : a carbonated beverage flavored with a bit
of quinine, lemon, and lime
to-night 'tō-'nīt\ adv : on this present night or the com-
ing night
tonight n : the present or the coming night
ton-nage 'tā-nij\ n 1 : a duty on ships based on tons
carried 2 : ships in terms of the number of tons regis-
tered or carried 3 : total weight in tons shipped, carried,
or mined
ton-sil 'tān-səl\ n : either of a pair of oval masses of lym-
phoid tissue that lie one on each side of the throat at the
back of the mouth
ton-sil-lec-to-my 'tān-sə-'lek-tə-mē\ n, pl -mies : the sur-
gical removal of the tonsils
ton-sil-li-tis 'tān-'li-tis\ n : inflammation of the tonsils
ton-so-ri-al 'tān-'sō-rē-əl\ adj : of or relating to a barber
or a barber's work
ton-sure 'tān-ʃər\ n [ME, fr. AF, ML tonsura, fr. L, act
of shearing, fr. tonsus, pp. of tondere to shear] 1 : the
rite of admission to the clerical state by the clipping or
shaving of the head 2 : the shaven crown or patch worn
by clerics (as monks) — tonsure vb
tony also ton-ey 'tō-nē\ adj ton-i-er; -est : marked by an
aristocratic manner or style
too 'tū\ adv 1 : in addition : ALSO 2 : EXCESSIVELY
<the music is ~ loud> 3 : to such a degree as to be re-
grettable 4 : VERY <didn't seem ~ interested>
took past of TAKE
tool 'tūl\ n 1 : a hand instrument that aids in accom-
plishing a task 2 : the cutting or shaping part in a ma-
chine; also : a machine for shaping metal in any way 3
: something used in doing a job <a scholar's books are
his ~s>; also : a means to an end 4 : a person used by
another : DUPE 5 pl : natural ability
tool vb 1 : to shape, form, or finish with a tool; esp : to
letter or decorate (as a book cover) by means of hand
tools 2 : to equip a plant or industry with machines and
tools for production 3 : DRIVE, RIDE (<~ing along at 60
miles per hour>)
tool bar n : a strip of icons on a computer display provid-
ing quick access to the pictured functions
toot 'tūt\ vb 1 : to sound or cause to sound in short
blasts 2 : to blow an instrument (as a horn) — toot-er n
toot n : a short blast (as on a horn)
tooth 'tūth\ n, pl teeth 'tēth\ 1 : one of the hard bony
structures borne esp. on the jaws of vertebrates and used
for seizing and chewing food and as weapons; also : a hard
sharp structure esp. around the mouth of an invertebrate
2 : something resembling an animal's tooth 3 : any of the
projections on the edge of a wheel that fits into correspond-
ing projections on another wheel 4 pl : effective means of
enforcement — toothed 'tūtht\ adj — tooth-less adj
tooth-ache 'tūth-'āk\ n : pain in or about a tooth
tooth-brush 'tūth-brəʃ\ n : a brush for cleaning the teeth
tooth-paste 'tūth-päst\ n : a paste for cleaning the teeth
tooth-pick 'tūth-pik\ n : a pointed instrument for removing
food particles caught between the teeth
tooth powder n : a powder for cleaning the teeth
tooth-some 'tūth-səm\ adj 1 : AGREEABLE, ATTRACTIVE
2 : pleasing to the taste : DELICIOUS ♦ **Synonyms** PAL-
ATABLE, APPETIZING, SAVORY, TASTY
toothy 'tū-thē\ adj tooth-i-er; -est : having or showing
prominent teeth