

Homework 11

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This homework is due on Dec 3 at 11:59pm. Please submit as a PDF or HTML file on Canvas. Before submission, please re-run all cells by clicking "Kernel" and selecting "Restart & Run All."

Problem 1 The following presents you with several real-world strings. Your task is to use regular expressions in python to match (and return) the requested parts in each.

NOTE: these examples are taken in part from a regex game <http://play.inginf.units.it/#/level/1>
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I would strongly encourage you to try and play the game first; adapting it to python is as easy as putting your working regex in `re.findall()`

Problem 1a (2 pts): Using `re.findall()` , match all numbers and pull them from the following string (string1). Your results should look like this.

```
['12',  
'47',  
'48',  
'189',  
'2036',  
'314',  
'125',  
'789',  
'1450',  
'564',  
'90456',  
'7890']
```

In [1]: `import re`

```
string1="We have to extract these numbers 12, 47, 48 The integers numbers are  
also interesting: 189 2036 314\',' is a separator, so please extract these n  
umbers 125,789,1450 and also these 564,90456 We like to offer you 7890$ per mo  
nth in order to complete this task... we are joking"  
print(string1)  
  
re.findall(r"\d+", string1)
```

We have to extract these numbers 12, 47, 48 The integers numbers are also interesting: 189 2036 314', ' is a separator, so please extract these numbers 125,789,1450 and also these 564,90456 We like to offer you 7890\$ per month in order to complete this task... we are joking

Out[1]: ['12',
'47',
'48',
'189',
'2036',
'314',
'125',
'789',
'1450',
'564',
'90456',
'7890']

Problem 1b (2 pts): Using `re.findall()`, match all IP addresses in this string (string2). Your results should look like this:

```
['213.92.153.167',  
'69.43.107.219',  
'69.43.112.233',  
'217.70.100.113',  
'74.125.186.208',  
'74.125.186.208',  
'140.105.63.158',  
'172.45.240.237',  
'217.70.177.60',  
'216.34.90.16',  
'69.43.85.253',  
'213.121.184.130',  
'213.121.184.130',  
'140.105.63.164']
```

```
In [2]: string2="Jan 13 00:48:59: DROP service 68->67(udp) from 213.92.153.167 to 69.4
3.107.219, prefix: \"spoof iana-0/8\" \
(in: eth0 69.43.112.233(38:f8:b7:90:45:92):68 -> 217.70.100.113(00:21:87:79:9
c:d9):67 UDP len:576 ttl:64) \
Jan 13 12:02:48: ACCEPT service dns from 74.125.186.208 to firewall(pub-nic-dn
s), prefix: \"none\" \
(in: eth0 74.125.186.208(00:1a:e3:52:5d:8e):36008 -> 140.105.63.158(00:1a:9a:8
6:2e:62):53 UDP len:82 ttl:38) \
Jan 13 17:44:52: DROP service 68->67(udp) from 172.45.240.237 to 217.70.177.6
0, prefix: \"spoof iana-0/8\" \
(in: eth0 216.34.90.16(00:21:91:fe:a2:6f):68 -> 69.43.85.253(00:07:e1:7c:53:d
b):67 UDP len:328 ttl:64) \
Jan 13 17:52:08: ACCEPT service http from 213.121.184.130 to firewall(pub-ni
c), prefix: \"none\" \
(in: eth0 213.121.184.130(00:05:2e:6a:a4:14):8504 -> 140.105.63.164(00:60:11:9
2:ed:1b):80 TCP flags: ****S* len:52 ttl:109)\"

re.findall(r"(?:\d{1,3}\.){3}\d{1,3}",string2)
```

```
Out[2]: ['213.92.153.167',
'69.43.107.219',
'69.43.112.233',
'217.70.100.113',
'74.125.186.208',
'74.125.186.208',
'140.105.63.158',
'172.45.240.237',
'217.70.177.60',
'216.34.90.16',
'69.43.85.253',
'213.121.184.130',
'213.121.184.130',
'140.105.63.164']
```

Problem 1c (2 pts): Using `re.findall()` , match all MAC addresses in the same string (`string2`). Your results should look like this:

```
['38:f8:b7:90:45:92',
'00:21:87:79:9c:d9',
'00:1a:e3:52:5d:8e',
'00:1a:9a:86:2e:62',
'00:21:91:fe:a2:6f',
'00:07:e1:7c:53:db',
'00:05:2e:6a:a4:14',
'00:60:11:92:ed:1b']
```

```
In [3]: re.findall(r"[\w/]{17}|[\w/]{12}",string2)
```

```
Out[3]: ['38:f8:b7:90:45:92',  
        '00:21:87:79:9c:d9',  
        '00:1a:e3:52:5d:8e',  
        '00:1a:9a:86:2e:62',  
        '00:21:91:fe:a2:6f',  
        '00:07:e1:7c:53:db',  
        '00:05:2e:6a:a4:14',  
        '00:60:11:92:ed:1b']
```

Problem 1d (2 pts): Using `re.findall()` , match all ftp addresses in the string below (string3). Your results should look like this:

```
['ftp://ftp7.br.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp3.de.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp.is.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp4.jp.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp.no.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp3.no.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp.pt.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp1.ro.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp3.es.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp2.tw.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp6.uk.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',  
 'ftp://ftp6.us.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/']
```

```
In [4]: string3=r"Fedora Core      ftp      \
Fedora Extras  http      ftp      rsync\
            ftp://ftp7.br.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp)\
            ftp://ftp3.de.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp)\
            ftp://ftp.is.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp / rsync)\
            ftp://ftp4.jp.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp)\
            ftp://ftp.no.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp / rsync)\
            *\
            ftp://ftp3.no.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp)\
            ftp://ftp.pt.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp)\
            ftp://ftp1.ro.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp / ftpv6)\
            ftp://ftp3.es.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp)\
            ftp://ftp2.tw.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp / ftpv6 / http / httpv6
            / rsync / rsyncv6)\
            ftp://ftp6.uk.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp)\
            ftp://ftp6.us.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/ (ftp / http)"

re.findall(r"ftp://\S*/FreeBSD/", string3)
```

```
Out[4]: ['ftp://ftp7.br.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp3.de.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp.is.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp4.jp.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp.no.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp3.no.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp.pt.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp1.ro.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp3.es.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp2.tw.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp6.uk.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/',
'ftp://ftp6.us.FreeBSD.org/pub/FreeBSD/']
```

Problem 1e (2 pts): Using `re.findall()`, match all latex math-mode text (anything wrapped in `$`, including the `$` s) in the string below (string4). Your results should look like this:

```
['$\mu_{A_T}$',
'$\sigma_{A_T}$',
'$A_T$',
'$\rho_{\text{filler}}$',
'$\rho_{\text{filler}}=\frac{\sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}} A_T}{A}$',
'$A$',
'$\mu_{C_T}$',
'$C_T$',
'$C_T = \sigma_R + \sigma_G + \sigma_B$',
'$\sigma_R$',
'$\sigma_G$',
'$\sigma_B$',
'$T$',
'$P$',
'$R$',
'$C$']
```

```
In [5]: string4=r"We try to quantitatively capture these characteristics by defining a
set of indexes,\
which can be computed using the mosaic image and the corresponding ground truth
h: \
\begin{itemize} \
    \item  $\mu_{A_T}$  and  $\sigma_{A_T}$ , the mean and standard deviation of the
tiles area  $A_T$ , respectively; \
    \item  $\rho_{\text{filler}}$ , the ratio between the filler area and the over
all mosaic area, computed as \
 $\rho_{\text{filler}} = \frac{\sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}} A_T}{A}$ , being  $A$  the area
of the mosaic; \
    \item \todo{does it worth?}; \
    \item \todo{does it worth?}; \
    \item  $\mu_{C_T}$ , the mean of the tiles \emph{color dispersion}  $C_T$ , \
being  $C_T = \sigma_R + \sigma_G + \sigma_B$ , where  $\sigma_R$ ,  $\sigma_G$  and  $\sigma_B$ 
are the \
standard deviation of the red, green and blue channel values of the pixels with
in the tile  $T$ . \
After applying a method to an image, we compare the segmented image (i.e., the
result) \
against the ground truth and assess the performance according to the following
three metrics: \
\begin{itemize} \
    \item average tile precision  $P$  \
    \item average tile recall  $R$  \
    \item tile count error  $C$ "

re.findall(r'\$.+?\$', string4)
```

```
Out[5]: ['$\mu_{A_T}$',
'$\sigma_{A_T}$',
'$A_T$',
'$\rho_{\text{filler}}$',
'$\rho_{\text{filler}} = \frac{\sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}} A_T}{A}$',
'$A$',
'$\mu_{C_T}$',
'$C_T$',
'$C_T = \sigma_R + \sigma_G + \sigma_B$',
'$\sigma_R$',
'$\sigma_G$',
'$\sigma_B$',
'$T$',
'$P$',
'$R$',
'$C$']
```

Problem 1f (2 pts): Using `re.findall()` , match all text of the form `href="..."` in the string below (`string5`). Your results should look like this:

```
['href="javascript:openurl(\'/Xplore/accessinfo.jsp\')"',  
 'href="/iel5/4235/4079606/04079617.pdf?tp=&arnumber=4079617&isnumber=4079606"',  
 'href="/xpl/RecentCon.jsp?punumber=10417"',  
 'href="/xplorehelp/Help_start.html#Help_searchresults.html"',  
 'href="/xpl/contactus.jsp"',  
 'href="http://search.epnet.com/login.asp?profile=web&defaultdb=geh"',  
 'href="http://iimpft.chadwyck.com/"',  
 'href="standartlar.html#tse"',  
 'href="http://www.gutenberg.org/"',  
 'href="http://proquestcombo.safaribooksonline.com/?  
portal=proquestcombo&uicode=istanbultek"',  
 'href="http://www.scitation.org"',  
 'href="/online/aip.html"',  
 'href="http://www3.interscience.wiley.com/journalfinder.html"',  
 'href="/xpl/periodicals.jsp"',  
 'href="http://www.ieee.org/products/onlinepubs/resources/XploreTutorial.pdf"']
```

[illegible]

```
Out[6]: ['javascript:openurl(\'/Xplore/accessinfo.jsp\')"',
'href="/iel5/4235/4079606/04079617.pdf?tp=&arnumber=4079617&isnumber=4079606"',
'href="/xpl/RecentCon.jsp?punumber=10417"',
'href="/xplorehelp/Help_start.html#Help_searchresults.html"',
'href="/xpl/contactus.jsp"',
'href="http://search.epnet.com/login.asp?profile=web&defaultdb=geh"',
'href="http://iimpft.chadwyck.com/"',
'href="standartlar.html#tse"',
'href="http://www.gutenberg.org/"',
'href="http://proquestcombo.safaribooksonline.com/?portal=proquestcombo&unicode=istanbultek"',
'href="http://www.scitation.org"',
'href="/online/aip.html"',
'href="http://www3.interscience.wiley.com/journalfinder.html"',
'href="/xpl/periodicals.jsp"',
'href="http://www.ieee.org/products/onlinepubs/resources/XploreTutorial.pdf"']
```


Problem 1g (2 pts): Using `re.findall()`, match all urls in the string below (string6). Your results should look like this:

```
['http://www.classmates.com/go/e/200988231/CC123101BT/CM00',  
'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif',  
'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/sp',  
'http://itcapps.corp.enron.com/srrs/auth/emailLink.asp?ID=000000000053239&Page=Approval',  
'http://www.enrononline.com',  
'http://www.classmates.com/go/e/200988231/CC122401BC/CM00',  
'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif',  
'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/sphttp://www.btinternet.com/~pir8/arnie/n,',  
'http://zzz1.net/rd/rd.asp?ZXU=562&ZXD=1471085&UID=1471085',  
'http://www.egroups.com',  
'http://isc.enron.com/site/doclibrary/user/',  
'http://esource.enron.com/worldmarket.asp',  
'http://esource.enron.com/worldmarket_CountryAnalysis.asp',  
'http://ad.doubleclick.net/clk;3549492;6600300;c?',  
http://www.sportingbetusa.com/english/casino/casinonew-fr.asp?isLogged=notlogged',  
'http://ad.doubleclick.net/clk;3549492;6600300;c?http://www.sportingbetusa.c',  
'http://isc.enron.com/site/']
```

In [7]: string6="<http://www.classmates.com/go/e/200988231/CC123101BT/CM00> <http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif> <http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif> \

You have received this email because the requester specified you as their Manager. Please click <http://itcapps.corp.enron.com/srrs/auth/emailLink.asp?ID=0000000053239&Page=Approval> to review and act upon this request. Request ID : 00000000053239 Request Create Date \

ronOnline. The following User ID and Password will give you access to live prices on the web-site <http://www.enrononline.com>. User ID: ADM40601 Password: WELCOME! (note these are case sensitive) Please keep your User ID \

<<http://www.classmates.com/go/e/200988231/CC122401BC/CM00>> <<http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif>> <<http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif>> \

<http://www.btinternet.com/~pir8/arnie/> \

n, just click on the following hyperlink and complete the order form by Tuesday February 12, 2002. <http://zzz1.net/rd/rd.asp?ZXU=562&ZXD=1471085&UID=1471085> If you cannot link directly to the web site, simply cut and paste the address listed above into your browser \

been successful getting in the group. To access the group should go to your web browser and type in <http://www.egroups.com> The screen should show that you are a member of smu-betas group. When you replied to the original \

member and password. For more details on how to log-on to eHRonline, see step-by-step instructions at <http://isc.enron.com/site/doclibrary/user/> 2. Navigate to the pay advice using the following navigation menus: ? Pay Information ? Pay check I \

In addition to World Markets Energy information <<http://esource.enron.com/worldmarket.asp>> and Country Analysis and Forecasting, <http://esource.enron.com/worldmarket_CountryAnalysis.asp> \

<<http://ad.doubleclick.net/clk;3549492;6600300;c?http://www.sportingbetusa.com/english/casino/casinonew-fr.asp?isLogged=notlogged>> A WEEKEND PAIR-A-DICE <<http://ad.doubleclick.net/clk;3549492;6600300;c?http://www.sportingbetusa.com/english/casino/casinonew-fr.asp?isLogged=notlogged>> \

Mr. Skilling: Your P number is P00500599. For your convenience, you can also go to <http://isc.enron.com/site/> under"

```
re.findall(r'http://[\S*]+[\w/]', string6)
```

```
Out[7]: ['http://www.classmates.com/go/e/200988231/CC123101BT/CM00',
        'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif',
        'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/sp',
        'http://itcapps.corp.enron.com/srrs/auth/emailLink.asp?ID=000000000053239&Pa
ge=Approval',
        'http://www.enrononline.com',
        'http://www.classmates.com/go/e/200988231/CC122401BC/CM00',
        'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/spacer.gif',
        'http://graphics.classmates.com/graphics/sphttp://www.btinternet.com/~pir8/a
nie/n',
        'http://zzz1.net/rd/rd.asp?ZXU=562&ZXD=1471085&UID=1471085',
        'http://www.egroups.com',
        'http://isc.enron.com/site/doclibrary/user/',
        'http://esource.enron.com/worldmarket.asp',
        'http://esource.enron.com/worldmarket_CountryAnalysis.asp',
        'http://ad.doubleclick.net/clk;3549492;6600300;c?http://www.sportingbetusa.c
om/english/casino/casinonew-fr.asp?isLogged=notlogged',
        'http://ad.doubleclick.net/clk;3549492;6600300;c?http://www.sportingbetusa.
c',
        'http://isc.enron.com/site/']
```

Question 2 (3 pts): In the following string (string7), using `re.findall()`, match restriction enzyme binding sites ANTAAT and GCRWTG.

Note that per the IUPAC nucleotide code, N is any base, R is A or G, W is A or T

How many cuts total in the sequence do you expect if you digest with both of these restriction enzymes? How many fragments do you expect?

```
In [8]: string7="ATGGCAATAACCCCCCGTTTCTACTTCTAGAGGAGAAAAAGTATTGACATGAGCGCTCCCGGCACAAGGG
CAAAGAAGTCTCCAATTTCTTATTTCCGAATGACATGCGTCTCCTTGCGGGTAAATCACCGACCGCAATTCATAGAA
GCCTGGGGGAACAGATAGGTCTAATTAGCTTAAGAGAGTAAATCCTGGGATCATTAGTAGTAACCATAAACTTACGC
TGGGGCTTCTTCGGCGGATTTTACAGTTACCAACCAGGAGATTTGAAGTAAATCAGTTGAGGATTTAGCCGCGCTAT
CCGGAATCTCCAAATTAACACATACCGTTCATGAAGGCTAGAATTACTTACCGGCCTTTTCCATGCCTGCGCTATA
CCCCCCTCTCCCGCTTATCCGTCCGAGCGGAGGCAGTGCGATCCTCCGTTAAGATATTCTTACGTGTGACGTAGC
TATGTATTTTGAGAGCTGGCGAACGCGTTGAACACTTCACAGATGGTAGGGATTTCGGGTAAAGGGCGTATAATTGGG
GACTAACATAGGCGTAGACTACGATGGCGCCAACCTCAATCGCAGCTCGAGCGCCCTGAATAACGTACTCATCTCAACT
CATTCTCGGCAATCTACCGAGCGACTCGATTATCAACGGCTGTCTAGCAGTTCTAATCTTTTGCCAGCATCGTAATAG
CCTCCAAGAGATTGATGATAGCTATCGGCACAGAAGTGAAGACGGCGCCGATGGATAGCGGACTTTTCGGTCAACCACAA
TTCCCCACGGGACAGGTCTGCGGTGCGCATCACTCTGAATGTACAAGCAACCAAGTGGGCCGAGCCTGGACTCAGC
TGGTTCCTGCGTGAGCTCGAGACTCGGGATGACAGCTCTTTAAACATAGAGCGGGGCGTGAACGGTCGAGAAAAGTC
ATAGTACCTCGGGTACCAACTTACTCAGTTATTGCTTGAAGCTGTACTATTTAGGGGGGAGCGCTGAAGGTCTCT
TCTTCTCATGACTGAACTCGCGAGGGTCGTGAAGTCGGTTCCTTCAATGGTTAAAAAACAAAGGCTTACTGTGCGCAG
AGGAACGCCCATCTAGCGGTGGCGTCTTGAATGCTCGGTCCCTTTGTCAATCCGGATTAATCCATTTCCCTCATTC
ACGAGCTTGCGAAGTCTACATTGGTATATGAATGCGACCTAGAAGAGGGCGCTTAAAATTGGCAGTGTTGATGCTCT
AAACTCCATTTGGTTTACTCGTGCATCACCGCGATAGGCTGACAAAGGTTTAAACATTGAATAGCAAGGCACTTCCGGT
CTCAATGAACGGCCGGGAAAGGTACGCGCGCGGTATGGGAGGATCAAGGGGCAATAGAGAGGCTCCTCTCTCACTCG
CTAGGAGGCAAATGTAAACAATGGTTACTGCATCGATACATAAAACATGTCCATCGTTGCCAAAGTGTAAAGTGT
CTATACCCCTAGGGCCGTTTCCCGCATATAAACGCCAGGTTGTATCCGCATTTGATGCTACCGTGGATGAGTCTGCG
TCGAGCGCGCCGCACGAATGTTGCAATGTATTGCATGAGTAGGGTTGACTAAGAGCCGTTAGATGCGTCGCTGTACTA
ATAGTTGTCGACAGACCGTCGAGATTAGAAAATGGTACCAGCATTTTCGGAGGTTCTCTAACTAGTATGGATTGCGGT
GTCTTCACTGTGCTGCGGTACCCATCGCTGAAATCCAGCTGGTGTCAAGCCATCCCTCTCCGGGACGCCGCATGT
AGTGAAACATATACGTTGCACGGGTTACCGCGGTCCGTTCTGAGTCGACCAAGGACACAATCGAGCTCCGATCCGTA
CCCTCGACAAACTTGTACCCGACCCCGGAGCTTGCCAGCTCCTCGGGTATCATGGAGCCTGTGGTTCATCGCGTCCG
ATATCAAACCTTCGTATGATAAAGTCCCCCCTCGGGAGTACCAGAGAAGATGACTACTGAGTTGTGCGAT"
```

```
re.findall(r"(A.TAAT)|(GC(?:A|G)(?:A|T)TG)",string7)
```

```
Out[8]: [(' ', 'GCGTTG'), ('ATTAAT', ' '), (' ', 'GCAATG'), ('ACTAAT', ' ')]
```

There should be 8 cuts with these restriction enzyme and 4 fragments.

Question 2-OPTIONAL BONUS (2 pts): This one will be difficult, so save it for the end! Note that I will not be giving help on the bonus: you are on your own if you attempt it!

Assume the restriction enzymes cut the sequence (string7, above) at the midpoint of the binding site \, so ANT\ATT and GCR\WTG. Using `re.split()`, cut the sequence at the cut points to digest the sequence, yielding the correct fragments. You might find that two separate `re.split()` commands is the easier way to go, but this may require a loop. Once you have the correct fragments, then use the `count_chars()` function from class to count the number of each base in each fragment. Modify it to additionally report the total length of each fragment.

```
In [9]: # your code here
```

Question 3 (3 pts)

Take the following paragraph (string8) and remove punctuation marks [.- ; '] with `re.sub()` . That is, replace them with " " .

Split resulting string into a list of words with `re.split()` (split at any whitespace character)

Loop through the resulting list and make every word lower-case with `.lower()` . You can do this in several ways: create an empty list outside of your loop and then use `.append()` inside, for example.

Apply the `count_chars()` function from class to the resulting lower-case list: notice that it counts the words for you!

```
In [10]: string8="Call me Ishmael. Some years ago – never mind how long precisely – hav  
ing little or no money in my purse, and nothing particular to interest me on s  
hore, I thought I would sail about a little and see the watery part of the wor  
ld. It is a way I have of driving off the spleen, and regulating the circulati  
on. Whenever I find myself growing grim about the mouth; whenever it is a dam  
p, drizzly November in my soul; whenever I find myself involuntarily pausing b  
efore coffin warehouses, and bringing up the rear of every funeral I meet; and  
especially whenever my hypos get such an upper hand of me, that it requires a  
strong moral principle to prevent me from deliberately stepping into the stre  
et, and methodically knocking people’s hats off – then, I account it high time  
to get to sea as soon as I can. This is my substitute for pistol and ball. Wit  
h a philosophical flourish Cato throws himself upon his sword; I quietly take  
to the ship. There is nothing surprising in this. If they but knew it, almost  
all men in their degree, some time or other, cherish very nearly the same feel  
ings towards the ocean with me."  
  
string9=re.sub(r'^\w\s','"',string8)  
string10=re.split('\s+', string9)  
string11=[x.lower() for x in string10]  
  
def count_chars(sentence):  
    counts = {} #new dict  
    for c in sentence: #for each character in sentence  
        if c in counts: #have we see it before in this sentence?  
            counts[c]+=1 #if yes, increase count by 1  
        else:  
            counts[c]=1 #otherwise, set count  
    for c in counts:  
        print(c, "appears", counts[c],"times")  
  
count_chars(string11)
```

call appears 1 times
me appears 3 times
ishmael"" appears 1 times
some appears 2 times
years appears 1 times
ago appears 1 times
"" appears 3 times
never appears 1 times
mind appears 1 times
how appears 1 times
long appears 1 times
precisely appears 1 times
having appears 1 times
little appears 2 times
or appears 2 times
no appears 1 times
money appears 1 times
in appears 4 times
my appears 4 times
purse"" appears 1 times
and appears 7 times
nothing appears 2 times
particular appears 1 times
to appears 5 times
interest appears 1 times
on appears 1 times
shore"" appears 1 times
i appears 9 times
thought appears 1 times
would appears 1 times
sail appears 1 times
about appears 2 times
a appears 5 times
see appears 1 times
the appears 10 times
watery appears 1 times
part appears 1 times
of appears 4 times
world"" appears 1 times
it appears 4 times
is appears 4 times
way appears 1 times
have appears 1 times
driving appears 1 times
off appears 2 times
spleen"" appears 1 times
regulating appears 1 times
circulation"" appears 1 times
whenever appears 4 times
find appears 2 times
myself appears 2 times
growing appears 1 times
grim appears 1 times
mouth"" appears 1 times
damp"" appears 1 times
drizzly appears 1 times
november appears 1 times

soul"" appears 1 times
involuntarily appears 1 times
pausing appears 1 times
before appears 1 times
coffin appears 1 times
warehouses"" appears 1 times
bringing appears 1 times
up appears 1 times
rear appears 1 times
every appears 1 times
funeral appears 1 times
meet"" appears 1 times
especially appears 1 times
hypos appears 1 times
get appears 2 times
such appears 1 times
an appears 1 times
upper appears 1 times
hand appears 1 times
me"" appears 2 times
that appears 1 times
requires appears 1 times
strong appears 1 times
moral appears 1 times
principle appears 1 times
prevent appears 1 times
from appears 1 times
deliberately appears 1 times
stepping appears 1 times
into appears 1 times
street"" appears 1 times
methodically appears 1 times
knocking appears 1 times
people""s appears 1 times
hats appears 1 times
then"" appears 1 times
account appears 1 times
high appears 1 times
time appears 2 times
sea appears 1 times
as appears 2 times
soon appears 1 times
can"" appears 1 times
this appears 1 times
substitute appears 1 times
for appears 1 times
pistol appears 1 times
ball"" appears 1 times
with appears 2 times
philosophical appears 1 times
flourish appears 1 times
cato appears 1 times
throws appears 1 times
himself appears 1 times
upon appears 1 times
his appears 1 times
sword"" appears 1 times

quietly appears 1 times
take appears 1 times
ship"" appears 1 times
there appears 1 times
surprising appears 1 times
this"" appears 1 times
if appears 1 times
they appears 1 times
but appears 1 times
knew appears 1 times
it"" appears 1 times
almost appears 1 times
all appears 1 times
men appears 1 times
their appears 1 times
degree"" appears 1 times
other"" appears 1 times
cherish appears 1 times
very appears 1 times
nearly appears 1 times
same appears 1 times
feelings appears 1 times
towards appears 1 times
ocean appears 1 times