

# A Hamper

#PHR

- if it ain't broken ,don't fix it
- to be sitting on a lot of money , to have money laying around
- You can take a mortgage on a property or (rarely though, if you're sitting on hundreds of thousands of dollars ) you can buy a property outright
- I can't afford an expensive car , I don't have money laying around .
- A laundry bag == a hamper
- a shoe horn
- a neckless for wearing an ID card or keys is called a ***lanyard***
- Quicksilver is the liquid form of mercury , very toxic and they used to use it in old fashion thermometers
- I got a lump in my throat
- Don't split the pole

- all in all

— All in all , it's been a good year .

- a weed cutting machine is called :
  - a weed eater
  - a weed whacker
  - a weed trimmer

- bleary , blearily

— Her vision is bleary from crying .

— Who are you ? , asked Tom staring at me blearily .

- flying saucers

— I don't believe in flying saucers and the one world government .

- To track mud / snow in the house /car

— Take you shoes off ! You're tracking mud in the house .

- to get a / the jump on something ( traffic , competition) or someone ( one's opponents)

— If we hit the road early in the morning we get a jump on traffic .

— We weren't prepared and the rival team got a jump on us .

- figurehead

— Put the figurehead of Lenin back on the table .

- A triage centre

— The patient was transferred to triage centre where he was evaluated and sent home to be monitored remotely .

- an entourage / 'ɒntʊrɑːʒ , 'ɒtʊrɑːʒ /

— Celebrities usually travel with an entourage

- to tense up

— Everybody tensed up when she entered the room .

- to lie down = to lay down

— to lie on a bed = to lay on a bed

Pr. Tense	Past Tense
to lie	laid
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