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| 12/5/18  NCE Lesson 4 Seeing hands |

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| **Keywords:**  **Words**  1. **solid**  solidarity  consolidate  2. **commission** n.  committee  council  3. **opaque**  transparent  translucent  4. **blindfold**  adj. & adv.  -fold  **Text**  seeing hands  长难句的句式变化：  语序变化  detect  see through  concern v.  vision n.  happen  keep sth. + 宾语补足语  lock sth. away / up  定语从句  the way  do … up = fasten …  in bundles  be brought to sb’s notice / attention  give sb. a test  a series of 一连串的，一系列的，成套的  Ministry(英) / Department(美) 部门  stranger still  “递进”  并列句的省略  make out  indeed  状语从句的省略  cease  the moment  引导状从  wet  moist  damp  humid | **Details:**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | 1) adj. firm; hard; strong结实的，坚固的，固体的 | The villa has solid foundations.  o. flimsy  a flimsy table / excuse | | 2)实心的 | a solid rubber ball  o. hollow | | 3)立体的 | A sphere is a solid figure. | | 4)纯的 | solid gold/silver |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | solidarity un. 团结 | Solidarity means strength / victory.  safeguard national unity and ethnic solidarity | | consolidate v. 巩固 | consolidate and strengthen the bilateral relationship |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | commission | 9/11 commission  National Development and Reform Commission 发改委 | | committee | the Standing Committee of the National People’s Congress 全国人民代表大会常务委员会 | | council | the State Council 国务院  the United Nations Security Council 安理会 |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | 不透明的 | a shower with an opaque glass door | | 捉摸不透的 | God’s reasons, if(让步) He has any, are opaque to us. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | transparent | 透明的 | | translucent | 半透明的 |   I can do that blindfold.  -fold 倍数的 adj. & adv.  twofold / fourfold / tenfold  a tenfold increase  Business has increased tenfold.  定语从句省略  insects eating animals = animals that eat insects  (things) seeing hands = hands that can see things  语序变化，把成分后移   |  |  | | --- | --- | | turn to A for B | turn for protection to dreary clichés about respect of elders | | invest in投资  invest A with B 把B赋予A | invest with significance that which we cannot grasp. 给那些我们无法理解的事物赋予意义 | | elect sth. 选择 |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | = **perceive; discern**  觉察，（费力的）感知 | I detected a hint of irony in her words. | | discard 扔掉  discern 觉察  disperse 分散  disregard 忽视 | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | see through 看穿 | Beijing administration has seen through pan-blues’ tricks. | | see sb. through sth. 帮助sb渡过难关 | Her courage and perseverance毅力 saw her through the hard time. | | see sth. through 坚持做完 | stand by 看热闹，旁观  stand by sb 支持  commitment 信奉信仰；承诺  She promised to stand by him, and once you make that commitment you have to see it through. | | = get it over with |  | | = stick it out |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | = be about sb. or sth. | A recent piece of news concerns Luo Jing, a popular CCTV newscaster, who died of cancer. | | = be concerned with… | a book concerning music  a book concerned with music |  |  | | --- | | have normal vision  have good / perfect / 20-20 vision  have bad / poor / defective vision | | near-sighted / short-sighted  far-sighted / long-sighted | | ophthalmologist 眼科医师  optometrist / optician 验光师，配镜师 |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | sth. happen to(介词) sb. 发生 | The car accident happened to him. | | happen to do 巧了，碰巧发生  = it happen that… | I happened to meet an old friend in town.  It happened that I met an … | | = chance to do  it chance that… | I chanced to meet …  It chanced that I met … | | = as it happen | As it happened, I met an old …  - I don’t imagine you would have time to help me with this.  - As it happens, I would. | | 介词短语/副词 当状语  = by accident  by chance  accidentally | I met an old friend in town by accident / by chance / accidentally. | | = as luck would have it | As luck would have it, there was no one at home.  Well, we still get twenty minutes to **gather our wits**(=calm down) together. |   why he kept so many old newspapers locked away there.  He locked his money away / up in the safe.   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | the way | in which文气的书面语 | they were… | | that 关系副词 | | / |   The conditions of society are such that skills have to be paid for in the same way that goods are paid for at a shop.  One of the strengths of this essay is the way in which it thoughtfully considers the opposing claim.   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | the time | at which文气的书面语 | she was here | | that 关系副词 | | / | | when |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | the day | on which文气的书面语 | she arrived | | that 关系副词 | | / | | when |   He stopped to do up his shoe lace.  All the packages are done up and ready for the post.  Lions often hunt in pairs.  People began to arrive in twos and threes.   |  | | --- | | Vera's curious talent was brought to the notice of a scientific research institute in the town of Ulyanovsk, near where she lives, and in April she was given a series of tests by a special commission of the Ministry of Health of the Russian Federal Republic. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | be brought to sb’s notice / attention | Their working conditions **were** **only** **brought to public notice / attention** last year. | | = come to sb’s notice / attention | Vera’s curious talent **came to the notice / attention of** a scientific research institute in the town of Ulyanovsk. |  |  | | --- | | come to = be brought to | | come to light = be brought to light | | From this the captain was able to piece together all the information that had **come to light**.  New evidence in this case has recently come to light / been brought to light. |  |  | | --- | | a series of lectures / rainy days / math books | | a series of = a train / chain / string / stream / succession / progression(连续的) of |   the **Ministry / Department of** Health / Education / Commerce / Finance   |  | | --- | | During these tests she was able to read a newspaper through an opaque screen and, stranger still, by moving her elbow over a child's game of Lotto she was able to describe the figures and colours printed on it; and, in another instance, wearing stockings and slippers, to make out with her foot the outlines and colours of a picture hidden under a carpet. |  |  | | --- | | stranger still更奇怪的是，  better still  worse still = to make matters / things worse  harder still | | The medical expenses are a massive drain. **Worse still,** Greg may lose his job. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | 更不用说 | | | **let alone …**  后面的部分与前面一致，否定含义的句后面  质疑性的文章 | The baby can’t talk, let alone run.  He can’t run a hundred yards, let alone a mile.  I don’t suspect him of theft, let alone of robbery. | | **not to mention …**  + n. / 宾语从句  肯定句后面 | They own two houses, not to mention a yacht.  The dampness is unpleasant, not to mention the cold. |  |  | | --- | | **let alone 用于质疑性的文章** | | In short, without better evidence that the survey is statistically reliable the chairperson cannot rely on it to draw any firm conclusion about the overall recycling commitment of West Egg residents—**let alone** about how quickly the landfill will reach capacity. | | Moreover, the author has not shown any correlation, **let alone** a cause-and-effect relationship, between the number of hours a person spends watching television and that industry's profits. | | Without ruling out all other possible explanations for the grade-average increase, the dean cannot convince me that by terminating the evaluation procedure Omega would curb its perceived grade inflation, **let alone** help its graduates get jobs. | | In short, without ruling out other possible reasons for the strong sales the vice president cannot convince me that Plainsville residents are exercising regularly, **let alone** that they would be interested in buying the sorts of food and other products that NW sells. |  |  | | --- | | 并列句中，主谓一致可省 | | … (she was) able to make out with her foot the outlines and colors of a picture hidden under a carpet. | | In 1975, the number of students in our school was about five hundred, and in 1981, (the number of students in our school was) over two thousand. |   make out: see or hear sb. or sth. with difficulty  ~ detect / perceive  I could just make out a figure in the darkness.  I couldn’t make out what he was saying.   |  | | --- | | During all these tests Vera was blindfold; and, indeed, except when blindfold she lacked the ability to perceive things with her skin. |   indeed = in fact事实上；certainly 当然，的确  … except when (she was) blindfold she lacked the ability to perceive things with her skin.  状语从句的省略：   |  |  | | --- | --- | | 当状语从句的主语与主句主语一致，且状从后接的为be，可同时省略 | Metals expand when (they are heated) and contract when (they are) cooled.  Francis Preston Blair Jr., although (he was) born in Kentucky, lived and practiced in Missouri. | | 当状从的主语为虚主语it，可省it与be | We’ll resolve the Taiwan issue with peaceful means when (it is) ever possible, with force when (it is) necessary. |  |  | | --- | | It was also found that although she could perceive things with her fingers this ability ceased the moment her hands were wet. |  |  | | --- | | cease to do = cease doing 停止，不再做某事 | | There are instances when patriotism ceases to be an empty slogan. 在一些情况下，爱国主义不再是空洞的口号了。 |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | stop to do | Stop to smell the flowers.  I’m exhausted. Let’s stop to smoke. | | stop doing | Please stop smoking. Smoke really bothers me. |   … the moment |- at which -| her hands were wet.  |- when -|  |- that -|  |- / -|   |  |  | | --- | --- | | wet 湿的 | a wet sponge | | moist & damp 潮的 | Bring me a moist towel. 令人愉快的潮 | | a cold, damp collar 令人不爽的潮 | | humid 空气中水汽，潮湿 | humid atmosphere  humid summer nights | |
| **Today I learned:**  Way to go! | |