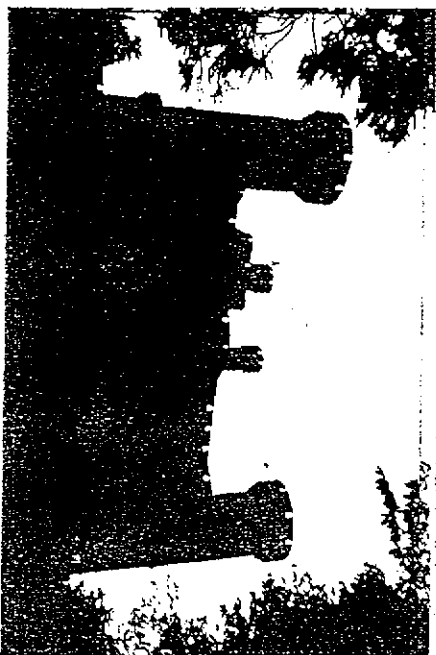


Word formation:

Fill in the gaps with the correct words derived from the words in bold.



One cold and **1)** night, a **STORM** group of ghost- **2)** **HUNT** went on a trip to Dark Towers, which is a **3)** castle in a remote part **HAUNT** of Scotland. They walked **4)** **SLOW** into the **5)** castle and began **MYSTERY** to look around. There were no lights, so they used torches as they searched. The **6)** of the castle was **SILENT** very **7)**, so they stayed **FRIGHTEN** together for safety. Suddenly, they saw a **8)** figure on the stairs. **GHOST** Through the **9)** they could **DARK** see that it was a woman in a long dress. She was crying **10)** The ghost **QUIET** was so **11)** that the ghost- **SCARE** hunters all screamed **12)** **LOUD** and ran out of the castle. They never went back again.

Cloze test: read the text below and think of the word which best fits each space. Use only one word in each space. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Example:

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How television was invented

Television owes (0) origins to many inventors. But it was the single-minded determination of an amateur inventor, John Logie Baird, that led (1) the first live television broadcast.

Born in Scotland in 1888 and educated in Glasgow, John Logie Baird earned a living (2) a razor-blade salesman. In the 1890s Guglielmo Marconi showed that sound could (3) sent by radio waves. Baird became convinced that a similar system could transmit a picture. He spent most of (4) spare time working on his ideas in his tiny workshop without (5) commercial support. He (6) to use his (7) earnings to continue his research.

In 1924, Baird successfully transmitted the general outline of a figure over more (8) 3 metres. He continued to experiment and (9) October 25, 1925 transmitted a recognisable image of a doll. He ran (10) to the office on the ground floor and persuaded one of the office boys to come upstairs. (11) boy became the first living image transmitted by television. Overnight, Baird became famous and the money (12) he needed to continue his research was at (13) made available. In 1927 he made a transmission from London to Glasgow and in 1928 he made (14) from London to New York. He continued experimenting (15) spent his last years exploring the possibility of colour television.