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Topic: wanna add the next word?

Subject: Re: wanna add the next word?

Posted by: glotynn

Posted on: 2007/3/27 15:49:22

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futari wrote:

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geoette wrote:

Allow me ...

TASS indeed is an abbreviation for "Telegraph Agency of The Soviet Union"

But it is also a noun that has two meanings.

1. 'Tass' is the name of a Russian Daily.
2. 'Tass' is also a glass of wine (more popularly referred to by the Scots.

geoette, thanks for your info.

I've looked it up again in other big dictionaries and these are my findings:

1. a heap/pile/stack/rick/mow [Obsolete English]
2. a pouch/purse/pocket/chest [Foreign Root]
3. a drinking cup or its contents; a small draught of liquor as contained in a wine glass (As in French, "une tasse")
4. = "tash"

Thanks again.

Thanks, Futari and Geo.

I didn't need a big dictionary to look up the word *tass*. Yahoo online dictionary has it.

<http://tw.dictionary.yahoo.com/search?ei=UTF-8&p=tass>