



THE DOZENAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA

THE NUMBER RHYME

1	One is the first; it's a single straight line;
2	Two is a couple, the sole even prime;
3	Three is a few, and a quarter of twelve;
4	Four is a third, and twice two if you delve;
5	Five is the fifth, 'tween a third and a half;
6	Six's a half-dozen! We're well on our path!
7	Seven's just less than two-thirds, through the door;
8	Eight is two-thirds and two cubed and twice four;
9	Nine is three-quarters, three threes, and three squared;
7	Ten is twice five; nearly through have we dared!
ε	Eleven is prime, and it's one less than done;
10	Then twelve, unqua, dozen, as bright as as the sun! Twice six, three fours, four threes, and six twos, A dozen has factors that we all can use; The lowest abundant, the dozen's so grand, Let everyone learn it, throughout all the land!