

A great number do not always argue strength.
The council was not unanimous, and it separated without coming to any determination.

RULE V.

They which seek wisdom will certainly find her.
I do not think that any person should incur censure, for being tender of their reputation.

Thou who hast been a witness of the fact, can give an account of it.

RULE VI.

If he will not hear his best friend, whom shall be sent to admonish him?

The person, who conscience and virtue support, may smile at the caprices of fortune.

From the character of those who you associate with, your own will be estimated.

RULE VII.

Thou art the friend that has often relieved me, and that has not deserted me now in the time of peculiar need.

I perceive that thou art a pupil who possesses bright parts, but who hast cultivated them but little.

RULE VIII.

These kind of indulgences soften and injure the mind.

Instead of improving yourselves, you have been playing this two hours.

Those sort of favours did real injury under the appearance of kindness.