After a decade of connubial acrimony, the couple decided to consult with a marriage counselor.

Although the lawyer acknowledged that the two cases were hardly analogous, he still felt that he had a good precedent on his side.

As a prelude to his victory speech, the mayor announced that he considered the large vote to be a mandate from the people.

Compensatory education may help minority groups to cope with their plight.

Don Ricardo hoped that his son would perpetuate the family business, but Manuel was too involved with chimerical schemes to want to run a restaurant.

Dr. Meyers prescribed medication to neutralize the acid condition that had incapacitated my uncle.

Ethan Frome soon learned that his querulous wife was susceptible to a variety of ailments.

His profligate son made the parsimonious old crank even more irascible.

If a miner were to ponder over the high morality rate in his occupation, he might want to quit.

If the draconian regulations are to continue unabated, they will have catastrophic results.

In an attempt to show how assiduous he was, the executive spent an inordinate amount of time on his report.

Irritability is one of the salient features of a neurotic personality.

Mr. Ford is proud to be called a teacher, but he demurs at the title of pedagogue.

Our algebra class is a heterogeneous one in which bright students are juxtaposed with slower ones.

Reporters were expecting the candidate to enunciate his policy on the escalation of the war.

Senator Thorpe was perspicacious enough to realize that the scurrilous charge would have little effect upon the voters.

Since Alice is so gregarious it surprised me to learn that she is also an introspective girl.

The Bureau of Child Guidance has been the salvation for some maladjusted children.

The actress ran the gamut of emotions in a poignant performance that thrilled the audience.

There was no paucity of witnesses to describe the phenomenon of the flying saucer.