

Test Exercise 6.

The youth happened to owe a large sum of money due to his horse-fever. So, therefore while the father always fleeing from the lawsuits of his creditors, but the creditors pursued him and they did not stop taking vengeance. And so the father and the mother debate:

Father: And you, woman, appear to be to blame for my unhappiness. For who took our son and conversed about horses, if not you; who then, made our son horse-mad, if not you? What am I to do now? How shall I stop the debts?

Mother: You are to blame, husband, for as you are ignorant and boorish, truly the youth does not love you, nor obey. But I am from the city, he loves me above all. But do not worry. For I have a certain plan. I will persuade and teach our son myself, and by persuading I shall stop his horse-madness.

But the teaching and persuading (of the mother?) did not stop the young man, nor did the son stop his being horse mad. In the end the young man went into the school of the Sophists and became a pupil and he saw and heard much wisdom, and the Sophists instructed him in much. When the son learned the laugh and the unjust knowledge (word?), the father spoke:

Father: Hurray! For now the creditors will no longer take the money. For my son will win the lawsuits due to the unjust knowledge (word?), that which is stronger, and so we will escape the creditors.

- ① a) Aorist d) Present g) Aorist
b) Imperfect e) Aorist
c) Imperfect f) Future

- ② a) Masc. Pl. Nom
b) Fem. Sing. Acc
c) Masc. Sing. Acc

- ③ a) voc
b) Genitive.