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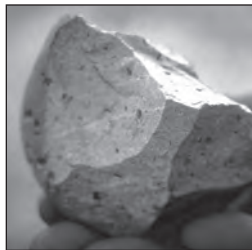
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“Example is the school of mankind, and they will learn at no other.”

-- Edmund Burke, 1796

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