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PATIENT WENT TO THE BACK

Cook Had Her Orders, and Disobedience Evidently Was Not a Failing in Her Makeup.

Several of our departed handmaids stand out in our memory, surrounded by a veritable halo of smiles and laughter in spite of their faults and shortcomings.

One fat Swedish cook who substituted for the parlor maid on the latter's day "out" received explicit instructions to admit no patients coming to see the doctor through the private entrance; they should be asked to go to the doctor's entrance, instead of being led through the family's private rooms as had frequently occurred in the past.

Mathilda solemnly nodded her comprehension and proceeded to carry out instructions in the following masterly fashion:

A gentleman hurried up to the family's door, and Mathilda ponderously advanced to answer his ring.

Gentleman—Is the doctor in?

Mathilda—Please go 'round te odder door.

Gentleman—Never mind that; is the doctor in?

Mathilda (firmly)—Please go 'round te odder door.

Gentleman (very mad, loudly and distinctly)—Is the doctor-at-home?

Mathilda (saddy)—Please go 'round te odder door.

The gentleman, snorting his disgust, stamped down the steps, went around to the physician's entrance and rang hopefully.

Mathilda looking at him as if she had never seen him before, soon opened the door crack.

Gentleman—Well? Is the doctor in?

Mathilda—No, he iss oud!—Exchange.

THERE WITH AN EXPLANATION

One Suspects That Bald-Headed Barber Had Been in That Tight Situation Before.

A western senator complimented an actor on his fine head of hair and said he would like to know the actor's secret.

Smoothing his glossy locks, the actor replied:

"The secret of a good head of hair is still unknown. The number of bald-headed barbers one sees is proof of this, because a bald head is a serious drawback to a barber's trade. How many bald barbers, offering hair growers to customers, are asked why they don't use the tonic themselves?"

Laughing, the actor continued:

"I know a bald barber in New York, though, who has a ready, if not altogether convincing, answer for questions of that sort.

"A friend of mine, on being offered a bottle of tonic one day at this fellow's shop, exclaimed:

"What a nerve you have! So bald yourself, yet recommending a hair tonic!"

"Ah," the barber replied, "it is on my assistant, whose fine head of hair you see, that we use the hair tonic. I, on the other hand, am experimenting with a new depilatory cream. Just look at my skull—smooth as a billiard ball!"

Had to Be Fashionable.

Lottie was black, and "kinder settled" as to age. Talking was her forte, and no hints sufficed to silence her. Frequently, however, she made remarks worth hearing—so the family bore her long stories patiently, on the whole, and usually were rewarded.

Lottie had one brilliant tooth, which glittered when she smiled, and when she received her first month's wages she remarked: "Now Ise gwine ter be a sho' nuff swell! I'll git dat dentis' man to kiver up another tooth with gold!"

When her mistress observed that her teeth seemed unusually sound and healthy looking, Lottie grinned and said:

"Ob cose dey is; but yo' gotta hab gold ones mixed in to be fashionable now'days!"

Why He Was Favored.

The Archbishop of York is credited with this story. He said he would not say anything against Yorkshiremen, but they possessed one characteristic which might be considered as a virtue or as a defect, according to the view they took of it. One Yorkshire native, who had become well-to-do, was asked by some one for a subscription. He demurred, and was pressed with the observation:

"But see how you have been prospered in your business," whereupon he remarked:

"Don't you come any of your religion on me. The Almighty wouldn't have trusted me with so much brass if he didn't think I could keep it!"

As They Used to Appear.

Backward, turn backward, O, Time in your flight, and give us a maiden dressed proper and right. We are so weary of switches and rats, Billy Burke clusters and peach basket hats; wads of jute hair in a horrible pile stacked on their heads to the height of a mile. Something is wrong with the maidens, we fear. Give us the girls we once knew of yore, whose curls didn't come from a hair-dressing store; maidens who dressed with a sensible view and just as Dame Nature intended them to. Give us a girl with a figure her own and fashioned divinely by Nature alone. Feminine style is getting fiercer each year—oh, give us the girls as they used to appear.—Kansas City Star.

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