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EMBARASSED THE CLERGYMAN.

Minister's Makeshift all Right Until the Maid Appeared.

A distinguished Episcopal clergyman was once called on to officiate at a fashionable summer resort church, and, finding only a short surplice and no cassock in the vestry, was very much disturbed at the thought of having to appear in a vestry that to the frivolous would look like a white shirt and trousers. But a happy inspiration came to him. Why not wear one of his wife's black petticoats? The portion that would show below the surplice would look exactly like the regulation cassock, and no one would ever be the wiser. So he hurriedly sent one of the ushers with an explanatory note to his wife in the hotel, and in the nick of time the petticoat arrived.

The makeshift turned out to be a perfect success, and no one at a distance could tell that he was not wearing a cassock. After the close of the service he decided to go out to the body of the church without taking off his robes, in order to great some friends. And he was soon the centre of a group of fashionable women, when a green Irish maid from the hotel came up, and in a loud voice said to him: "Yer Riverence the missus sint me ather her petticoat that ye be wearin', an' I wuz to wait till ye take it off."—New York Tribune.

Mothers of Great Men.

Raleigh said that he owed all his politeness and deportment to his mother. Chopin's mother, like himself, was very delicate.

Milton's letters often allude to his mother in the most affectionate terms.

Goethe pays several tributes in his writings to the character of his mother.

Gounod's mother was fond of painting and music.

Sydney Smith's mother was a clever conversationalist, and was very quick at repartee.

Schumann's mother was gifted with musical ability. Haydn dedicated one of his most important instrumental compositions to his mother.

Charles Darwin's mother had a decided taste for all branches of natural history.

Gibbon's mother was passionately fond of reading, and encouraged her son to follow her example.

Spohr's mother was an excellent judge of music, but no musician.

Wordsworth's mother had a character as peculiar as that of her gifted son.—Answers.

His View of a Statesman.

At the time when John G. Carlisle was senator from Kentucky his speeches were widely printed and attracted a great deal of attention. One day when the Senate was in session a mountaineer from the wildest wilds of Kentucky presented himself at the door and asked to see Senator Carlisle. The visitor wore homespun and leather boots and was travel-stained and dusty. He explained that he had read Mr. Carlisle's speeches and considered them great, and had walked more than 100 miles in order to see the Senator from his State. Mr. Carlisle was busy at the time, and the clerk informed the visitor that he could not be disturbed. The farmer looked disappointed and seemed reluctant to depart. Finally he asked if he might be taken where he could just catch a glimpse of the great man he had walked so far to see. The request was granted and Mr. Carlisle was pointed out to him. After a brief scrutiny the farmer turned to the attendant: "Reads a heap better than he looks," he remarked, sentimentally, and prepared to walk back to Kentucky.

What Had Happened to It.

Richard Mansfield, like all proud fathers, takes considerable delight in telling the smart saying of his boy, George, a rather precocious youngster. The actor's son having shown a predilection for things mechanical and especially for railroads. Mr. Mansfield bought the lad a toy railroad with a train of cars which ran about on a circular track. Like all boys, young George was of an inquisitive mind, and wanted to see what made the train move. So it was but a short time before his nurse took it, all smashed and broken, to the garbage can.

One day Mr. Mansfield went into the nursery to play with the boy, and looking around, asked:

"George, where is that railroad I gave you?"

George hesitated a while, says the actor, and then replied:

"Papa, I guess it has gone into the hands of a receiver."

A WOMAN'S WAY.—Madge—I wonder why she bothers so much about her complexion.

Marjorie—I suppose it's because she hasn't any.—Judge.

THE MAN WHO DID.

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