could I expect to do here but what I have always done?"

"They don't ask asses to the Court,
For honour, ornament, or sport,
But ass-like asses' work to do,
And fardels bear, and insults too!"

Observe, young reader, that the moral does not hit those, whose noble ambition it is to rise by self-improvement; only the asses, and such-like of the world, who over-estimate themselves and their vocation.