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The Cobbler Turned Doctor

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Comprehension Questions

1. Why did the Cobbler decide to practice medicine?
2. How did the Cobbler gain fame in his new profession?
3. What test did the Governor devise to evaluate the Cobbler's skills?
4. What was the Cobbler's confession when he was faced with the Governor's challenge?
5. What message do you think the story conveys about trust and expertise?

Vocabulary Exercise

Match the words from the left column with their correct definitions in the right column.

Word	Definition
Antidote	A person who practices medicine
Fame	An act of making someone famous or well-known
Clamor	A substance that counteracts a poison
Governor	Loud and persistent outcry from a group of people
Cobbler	A person in charge of a particular region or city

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the moral of the story. Why is it important to trust qualified individuals in their respective fields? Write your thoughts below.

Feel free to use this worksheet for educational purposes, promoting critical thinking and discussion around moral stories for students.