REVIEW IDIOMS 4

Fill in the blanks with a correct idiom.

1.

My first day working as a nurse was quite a day! I would have preferred not to work at a big city hospital, but in these times I feel lucky just to have a job, and **(37)**..... , after all. The hospital was very big and hectic and confusing. The doctor I work for seemed like he had **(38)**..... because he was quite cross, or perhaps he had been there all night working, who knows. Anyway, he had **(39)**..... about bedside manner, and must have told me about 12 times that day that it was my job to be **(40)**..... of the patients. He said that it was **(41)**..... to be a patient in the hospital, and that if anyone ever complained of feeling unwell I must **(42)**..... and take it seriously even if they seemed to be doing well because it's always **(43)**..... . He also said that patients were often rude and difficult, and when I said that they all seemed nice enough to me so far, he said "**(44)**..... !" I thought he was about to say something else negative, but I was **(45)**..... when his mobile phone rang and he rushed off.

2.

"Oh, hello. Do I know you? Your face **(46)**..... but I can't work out where I've seen you before. Oh....yes. You're the man who used to work with us ages ago, aren't you?"

"Sorry, Mr. Royston, but I think that's quite **(47)**..... and unfair. I was only away on sick leave for a week, and I couldn't help catching the flu! I didn't do it on purpose! Now, if you will excuse me, I'm going to finish the Smith report."

"Well, it's **(48)**....., I suppose ..."

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