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An Attendant

My Sov'reign Liege, two Women stand,

And both beseech the King's command to enter here. Dissolv'd in tears, the

one a new born Infant bears; The other fierce and threatening loud declares her

story to the croud, And thus she clamours to the throng. Seek we the

Solomon.

King, he shall redress our wrong. Admit them straight, for when we mount the throne our

1st Woman.

hours are all the People's, not our own. Thou Son of David, hear a Mother's

grief, when Justice hears, she likewise brings relief;

This little Babe my womb conceiv'd, The smiling Infant I with joy