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  <note>(Merchant of Venice: Antonio-1.1.<del>1</del></note>

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<l>In sooth, I know not why</l>
<l>I am so sad; it wearies me;</l>
<l>You say it wearies you;</l>
<l>But how I caught it</l>
<l>Found it, or came by it,</l>
<l>What stuff 'tis made of,<l>
<l>Whereof it is born, I am to</l>
<l>learn;</l> <l>And such a want wit sadness</l>
<l>makes of me</l>
<l>That I have much ado</l>
<l>to know myself</l>
<note>(Merchant of Venice: Gratino)</note>
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