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“The Emperor’s New Clothes”

“These must, indeed, be splendid _____!” thought the emperor.

“_____ I had such a _____, I might at once _____ out what men in _____ kingdom are unfit for _____ job. I would be able _____ tell the wise men _____ the foolish! This stuff _____ be woven for me immediately.” He gave large sums _____ money to both the _____ in order that they _____ begin their work at _____.

So the two pretend _____ set up two looms. _____ worked very busily, though _____ finest silk and the purest _____ thread. They put both _____ their own knapsacks. Then _____ pretended to work at _____ empty looms until late _____ night.

“I should like to _____ how the weavers are _____ on with my cloth,” _____ the Emperor to himself _____ day. When he remembered _____ a simpleton, or one _____ for his job, would _____ unable to see the _____ he began to worry.