

Once upon a time there was a poor Miller who had a beautiful daughter. One day the Miller was invited to visit the King and tried to make himself sound more important than he was by boasting that his daughter could spin straw into gold. The King was very fond of gold and thought he would like to see if this claim was true. He asked the Miller to bring his daughter to the castle to see if she really could spin straw into gold.

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She had no idea ..... to spin straw into gold and so she sat in the room for a long time trying to think how to save her ..... . The more she thought about how she could spin ..... into gold the more confused she got until at last she began to cry.

Use the following words to fill in the gaps in the extract:

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