



## THE CROWNING TEST.

A Drama.

SCENE I.

BEER—SHEBA.

*Many Tents : vast herds and flocks  
guarded or in folds.*

TIME: EARLY MORNING.

*Abraham. coming from his tent.*

MORNING leads up its splendors, the  
clear Star,

That heralds it, mounts now above the hills.

Caleb! — Heman! — *Calling.*

Is the dawn not gray?

I bade ye to attend me at this hour.

*Enter Caleb and Heman.*

Sire, we are here.

Abraham. Both? —yes—'tis well.