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*Queen to King Richard, and Attendants.
(Lily Brayton)*

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Lily Brayton (1786-1953) first performed in *King Richard II* in 1896 in Manchester. This image of her in the role of the Queen is likely from Herbert Beerbohm Tree's London production at His Majesty's Theatre. A leading actress, Brayton later became a co-manager of His Majesty's Theatre, which was owned by Tree. She had a long career as an actor, manager, and producer.

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