Menas Audition Piece - A pirate who sometimes works with Caesar.

Flourish. Enter Menas and Enobarbus.

MENAS.

You and I have known, sir.

ENOBARBUS.

At sea, I think.

MENAS.

We have, sir.

ENOBARBUS.

You have done well by water.

MENAS.

And you by land.

ENOBARBUS.

I will praise any man that will praise me, though it cannot be denied what I have done by land. But give me your hand, Menas. If our eyes had authority, here they might take two thieves kissing.

MENAS.

All men's faces are true, whatsome'er their hands are. We looked not for Mark Antony here. Pray you, is he married to

Cleopatra?

ENOBARBUS.

Caesar's sister is called Octavia.

MENAS.

True, sir. She was the wife of Caius Marcellus.

ENOBARBUS.

But she is now the wife of Marcus Antonius.

MENAS.

Pray you, sir?

ENOBARBUS.

'Tis true.