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Adam of Brescia: a coiner of false money. Dante, *Inferno*, xxx, 66.

AESCHYLUS: earliest of the great tragic poets of Greece (B.C. 525-

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AJAX, to lie unburied. Menelaus and Agamemnon at first forbade the burial of Ajax, who, during a fit of madness, had attacked the herds of the Greeks. They relented on the intercession of Ulysses (Sophocles, Ajax). 183

ALCESTIS: daughter of Pelias, renowned for her tender love of her

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ANTIGONE: daughter of Oedipus, who, in defiance of her uncle Creon's

prohibition, performed the last honours to her brother Polyneices, for which she was buried alive in the family vault, where she hanged herself (Sophocles, Antigone). 53, 236

ANTONY: Julius Caesar; Antony and Cleopatra. 231
APOLLO: harmony of Apollo and the Muses. In Homer Apollo is represented only as a player on the lyre, while song is the province of the Muses; but in course of time he grows to be the god, as they are the goddesses, of song and poetry, and he is therefore 'musagetes'—'Leader of the Muses'—as well as master of the Choric Dance, which goes with music and song. 50, 57

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ASTRAEAN JUSTICE: Astraea was the daughter of Zeus and Themis, and as such was identified with Dike, one of the goddesses of the Hours, who presided over legal order. In the tragic poets she is mentioned with the Erinyes, and as a relentless and stern divinity.

ATHENA: daughter of Zeus, generally regarded as the goddess of war,

wise courage and victory. 172, 236, 269
- had the aspect of Deiphobus. Vide Iliad, XXII, where Athena assumes the form of Hector's brother Deiphobus in order to encourage him to turn and meet Achilles. 56

ATRIDES: a patronymic from Atreus to denote his sons and descendants. Commonly denotes Agamemnon or Agamemnon and Menelaus (Iliad, I, 12). 54, 168

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BULICAME: hot sulphur spring near Viterbo (Campagna), Inferno,

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Calypso: Ulysses dwells at Ogygia for seven years with the nymph Calypso, who promises him immortality if he will be her husband. He refuses, and Hermes is eventually sent by Zeus to order Calypso to release him. 55, 166

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CASTOR AND POLLUX: two heroes of Greek mythology, usually represented as the twin sons of Zeus and Leda. 154

CHARMETTES: house near Chambéry occupied by Rousseau and Mme de Varens. 273

CHARON: ferryman in Greek mythology who rowed the dead across the river Styx to Hades. 212

CHIMAERA: a fire-breathing monster, part lion, part goat and part dragon, eventually killed by Bellerophon (Iliad, VI, 180; XVI, 328).

CIMMERIAN LAND: land of darkness and perpetual night, visited by

Ulysses to invoke the shades of the dead. 148
CINCINNATUS: Dictator of Rome, B.C. 458. The deputation sent to summon him found him ploughing his own land, and he finally returned to agricultural pursuits. 175
CIRCE: the sorceress who turned part of the crew of Ulysses into swine.

With the help of Hermes, Ulysses compelled her to restore them to human shape, and he then spent a whole year with her. 55, 180

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CYCLOPS: one-eyed giants in Greek mythology. Ulysses was captured by the Cyclops Polyphemus, but escaped after blinding the monster (Od. i, 68; IX, 172-542). 54, 171

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PHLEGETHON: river of the underworld. 178
PHOEBUS (Apollo): son of Zeus, the god of light, not of the sun only. Also revered with Asclepius, his son, as the chief gods of healing.

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