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◀ "This war is not only a material, it is also a spiritual conflict."—The Prime Minister at the Guildhall.

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CHARACTERS OF THE PLAY

IMMORTALS

SATAN, *The Arch-fiend*
BEELZEBUB, *Inferior only to Satan*
MOLOCH, *Lord of War*
BELIAL, *Lord of Lies*
RUMOUR
THE SHADE OF ATTILA
THE SPIRIT OF JOAN OF ARC

MORTALS

COUNT VON DER TRENK, *Commander of the Fifth German Army Corps in Rheims*
GENERAL MURDOCH, *Commander of the English Advance Corps in Cologne*
GENERAL LARRIER, *Commander of the French Army Corps in Cologne*
GENERAL LEBLANC, *Commander of the Belgian Advance Corps in Cologne*
THE ABBÉ OF RHEIMS
HERR WEISS, *Director of the Berlin Press Bureau*
CHARLES ROWLAND, *Vicar of Normanton*
PIERRE, *a French Peasant*
LADY CARTERET, *a Widow whose son is fighting at the Front*
ETHEL MILLARD, *Betrothed to the Son*
ELSA, *Daughter of the Burgemaster of Cologne*
CLOTHILDE, *a Belgian Girl*
MARIE, *a French Peasant Girl*

An English Officer—German Officers—Orderlies—
Reporters—etc. etc.