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The Tales of Chekhov Anton Chekhov 2009-08 Book may have numerous typos, missing text, images, or index. Purchasers can download a free scanned copy of the original book (without typos) from the publisher. 1920. Not illustrated. Excerpt: ... "That money, my dear, deserves to be treated more seriously. It was earned by a good man, by honest labour." "You have told me that already. I know it." At first we drive through the open country, then through the pine-wood which is visible from my window. Nature seems to me as beautiful as it always has been, though some evil spirit whispers to me that these pines and fir trees, birds, and white clouds on the sky, will not notice my absence when in three or four months I am dead. Katya loves driving, and she is pleased that it is fine weather and that I am sitting beside her. She is in good spirits and does not say harsh things. "You are a very good man, Nikolay Stepanovitch," she says. "You are a rare specimen, and there isn't an actor who would understand how to play you. Me or Mihail Fyodorovitch, for instance, any poor actor could do, but not you. And I envy you, I envy you horribly! Do you know what I stand for? What?" She ponders for a minute, and then asks me: "Nikolay Stepanovitch, I am a negative phenomenon! Yes?" "Yes," I answer. "H'm! what am I to do?" What answer was I to make her? It is easy to say "work," or "give your possessions to the poor," or "know yourself," and because it is so easy to say that, I don't know what to answer. My colleagues when they teach therapeutics advise "the individual study of each separate case." One has but to obey this advice to gain the conviction that the methods recommended in the textbooks as the best and as providing a safe basis for treatment turn out to be quite unsuitable in individual cases. It is just the same in moral ailments. But I must make some answer, and I say: "You have too much free time, my dear; you absolutely must take up some occupation. After all, why shouldn't you be an actress again if it is ...

The Duel and Other Stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 2013-08 Purchase one of 1st World Library's Classic Books and help support our free internet library of downloadable eBooks. Visit us online at www.1stWorldLibrary.ORG - - It was eight o'clock in the morning - the time when the officers, the local officials, and the visitors usually took their morning dip in the sea after the hot, stifling night, and then went into the pavilion to drink tea or coffee. Ivan Andreitch Laevsky, a thin, fair young man of twenty-eight, wearing the cap of a clerk in the Ministry of Finance and with slippers on his feet, coming down to bathe, found a number of acquaintances on the beach, and among them his friend Samoylenko, the army doctor. With his big cropped head, short neck, his red face, his big nose, his shaggy black eyebrows and grey whiskers, his stout

puffy figure and his hoarse military bass, this Samoylenko made on every newcomer the unpleasant impression of a gruff bully; but two or three days after making his acquaintance, one began to think his face extraordinarily good-natured, kind, and even handsome. In spite of his clumsiness and rough manner, he was a peaceable man, of infinite kindness and goodness of heart, always ready to be of use. He was on familiar terms with every one in the town, lent every one money, doctored every one, made matches, patched up quarrels, arranged picnics at which he cooked shashlik and an awfully good soup of grey mullets. He was always looking after other people's affairs and trying to interest some one on their behalf, and was always delighted about something. The general opinion about him was that he was without faults of character.

The Tales of Chekhov: The chorus girl and other stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 1916

The Duel and Other Stories Anton Chekhov 2020-03-30 The Duel and Other Stories by Anton Chekhov SIX SELECTIONS FROM THE FAMED RUSSIAN AUTHOR ANTON CHEKHOV SHOWCASE HIS NATURAL APTITUDE FOR DETAIL, DIALOGUE, HUMOR, AND COMPASSION. THE DUEL -- MY WIFE -- MURDER -- THE BLACK MONK -- TERROR -- THE TWO VOLODYAS.

The Duel, and Other Stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 1916

The Duel: And Other Stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 2017-08-19

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The Duel and Other Stories Constance Black Garnett 2017-05-20 The Duel -- Excellent People -- Mire -- Neighbours -- At Home -- Expensive Lessons -- The Princess -- The Chemist's Wife.

The Kiss and The Duel : and Other Stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 19??

The Duel and Other Stories Anton Checkov 2008-01

The Tales of Tchekhov: The duel, and other stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 1922

The Duel and Other Stories (World Classics, Unabridged) Anton Pavlovich Chekhov

2017-08-04 Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 29 January 1860 - 15 July 1904) was a Russian playwright and short story writer, who is considered to be among the greatest writers of short fiction in history.

The Kiss Anton Chekhov 2020-02-03 Anton Chekhov was a Russian playwright and short story writer. He is one of the greatest short story writers of all time. We present to you here one of his best short stories-'The Kiss'.

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Reading Chekhov Janet Malcolm 2007-12-18 To illuminate the mysterious greatness of Anton Chekhov's writings, Janet Malcolm takes on three roles: literary critic, biographer, and journalist. Her close readings of the stories and plays are interwoven with episodes from Chekhov's life and framed by an account of Malcolm's journey to St. Petersburg, Moscow, and Yalta. She writes of Chekhov's childhood, his relationships, his travels, his early success, and his self-imposed "exile"—always with an eye to connecting them to themes and characters in his work. Lovers of Chekhov as well as those new to his work will be transfixed by Reading Chekhov.

Touché John Leigh 2015 Many of the West's best writers fought in duels or wrote about them, seduced by glamour or risk or recklessness. A gift as a plot device, the duel also offered a way to discover how we face fears of humiliation, pain, and death. John Leigh's literary history of the duel illuminates these and other tensions attending the birth of the modern world.

The Duel and Other Stories Anton Chekhov 2020-03-09 Six selections from the famed Russian showcase his natural aptitude for detail, dialogue, humor, and compassion. Includes The Darling, a poignant piece supporting the claim that life has no meaning without love; as well as The Kiss, Anna on the Neck, The Man in a Case, The Malefactor, and the title story. Chekhov's unerring insight into the turbulent emotions that stir men and women, in The Chemist's Wife and the others to be found within The Duel and Other Stories, instills his gemlike fiction with a still-undiminished power.

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My Life and Other Stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 1992 This second volume of Chekhov's stories draws from his work of the 1880s and 90s and comprises *A Daughter of Albion*, *An Incident*, *A Dreary Story*, *The Duel*, *The Chorus Girl*, *Ward 6*, *The Teacher of Literature*, *An Artist's Story*, *My Life*, *The Darling* and *The Lady with the Dog*.

The Duel Anton Chekhov 2021-06-08 A modern-day Hamlet, Laevsky enjoys blaming his issues on the corrupting influence of his time and civilization. Van Koren, on the other hand, believes strongly in the survival of the fittest. When the two of them become tangled in a game of infidelity, debts, and deception, it is not long until a physical duel ensues. A complex tale of transformation, human fragility and forgiveness, it was adapted to screen as a historical drama in 2010. A prolific writer of seven plays, a novel and hundreds of short stories, Anton Chekhov (1860 -1904) is considered to be a master of the short story as a genre. His detailed and often miserable descriptions of everyday Russian life speak to his own experiences, and his characters drift between humour, melancholy, artistic ambition and death, no matter their storyline. In his plays, he tends to dramatize and explore social and existential problems, whilst his short stories focus more on the horror present in everyday life, and the mystery that cloaks monotony. The majority of his popular plays, such as 'Uncle Vanya', 'The Seagull', and 'A Hunting Accident' have been adapted into movies, giving fans of his literature a fresh avenue to explore his perspectives.

The Duel and Other Stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 1984 A collection of six classic short stories portrays the problems of everyday life in nineteenth century Russia

The Duel and Other Stories (riverrun Editions) Anton Chekhov 2020-01-23 A married woman restlessly seeks a deeper love. An insomniac ponders the meagreness of his life. A man loses the respect of his family because of a counterfeit coin. A duel of wits escalates into a clash of cultures - and more. *The Duel and Other Stories* is the second in an exclusive three-volume edition of Chekhov's stories. Encompassing the intricacy and range of social connection, these exquisitely crafted stories trace the mutability of our everyday relationships as they stall, separate or entwine. In the strangely lyrical deadpan prose so characteristic of Chekhov's drama, they expose the misplaced affections, broken vows, and brilliant dreams of what it is to be human. This unique collection offers a perfect introduction to one of Russia's - and the world's - greatest writers.

The Duel, and Other Stories Anton Pavlovich Chekhov 1920 *The Duel*, *Excellent People*, *Mire*, *Neighbours*, *At Home*, *Expensive Lessons*, *The Princess*, *The Chemist's Wife*.

The Duel and Other Stories 2015-10-25 Anton Pavlovich Chekhov was a Russian physician, playwright and author who is considered to be among the greatest writers of short stories in history. His career as a playwright produced four classics and his best short stories are held in

high esteem by writers and critics.

The Complete Short Novels Anton Chekhov 2007-12-18 (Book Jacket Status: Jacketed)
Anton Chekhov, widely hailed as the supreme master of the short story, also wrote five works long enough to be called short novels—here brought together in one volume for the first time, in a masterly new translation by the award-winning translators Richard Pevear and Larissa Volokhonsky. *The Steppe*—the most lyrical of the five—is an account of a nine-year-old boy's frightening journey by wagon train across the steppe of southern Russia. *The Duel* sets two decadent figures—a fanatical rationalist and a man of literary sensibility—on a collision course that ends in a series of surprising reversals. In *The Story of an Unknown Man*, a political radical spying on an important official by serving as valet to his son gradually discovers that his own terminal illness has changed his long-held priorities in startling ways. *Three Years* recounts a complex series of ironies in the personal life of a rich but passive Moscow merchant. In *My Life*, a man renounces wealth and social position for a life of manual labor. The resulting conflict between the moral simplicity of his ideals and the complex realities of human nature culminates in a brief apocalyptic vision that is unique in Chekhov's work.

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The Duel and Other Stories Anton Chekhov 2012-12-10 The canonised writers of the past have a tendency to assume a fixed expression in their readers' imaginations. Dostoevsky always appears in the same aura of morbidly enthralling hysteria; Proust in the same velvety atmosphere of hyper-attuned sensory receptiveness. To think of Tolstoy is to conjure, at once, the note of impassive grandeur, as of creation being set out in glittering ranks for inspection. Anton Chekhov, whose short career was as momentous as any of these, has his own distinct tone and manner, but the impression it leaves is curiously elusive, offering reticence and hesitation in place of "personality", and a series of moods rather than a discernible attitude to life, even the attitude of uncertainty. This elusiveness - a feature of both the life and the work - is a large part of what gives him his enduring fascination, as well as his striking modernity. In Chekhov literature seems to break its wand like Prospero, renouncing the magic of artifice, ceremony and idealisation, and facing us, for the first time, with a reflection of ourselves in our unadorned ordinariness as well as our unfathomable strangeness.

The Duel and Other Stories Anton Chekhov 2020-05-18 Six selections from the famed Russian showcase his natural aptitude for detail, dialogue, humor, and compassion. Includes *The Darling*, a poignant piece supporting the claim that life has no meaning without love; as well as *The Kiss*, *Anna on the Neck*, *The Man in a Case*, *The Malefactor*, and the title story. Chekhov's unerring insight into the turbulent emotions that stir men and women, in *The Chemist's Wife* and the others to be found within *The Duel and Other Stories*, instills his gemlike fiction with a still-undiminished power.

Five Great Short Stories Anton Chekhov 2012-08-31 Masterfully written tales by one of the

greatest practitioners of the form. Stories include "The Black Monk," "The House with the Mezzanine," "The Peasants," "Gooseberries," and "The Lady with the Toy Dog."

Fifty-Two Stories Anton Chekhov 2020-04-14 From the celebrated, award-winning translators of *Anna Karenina* and *The Brothers Karamazov*: a lavish volume of stories by one of the most influential short fiction writers of all time Anton Chekhov left an indelible impact on every literary form in which he wrote, but none more so than short fiction. Now, renowned translators Richard Pevear and Larissa Volokhonsky give us their renderings of fifty-two Chekhov stories. These stories, which span the complete arc of his career, reveal the extraordinary variety and unexpectedness of his work, from the farcically comic to the darkly complex, showing that there is no one single type of "Chekhov story." They are populated by a remarkable range of characters who come from all parts of Russia and all walks of life, including landowners, peasants, soldiers, farmers, teachers, students, hunters, shepherds, mistresses, wives, and children. Taken together, they demonstrate how Chekhov democratized the form. Included in this volume are tales translated into English for the first time, including "Reading" and "An Educated Blockhead." Early stories such as "Joy," "Anguish," and "A Little Joke" sit alongside such later works as "The Siren," "Big Volodya and Little Volodya," "In the Cart," and "About Love." In its range, in its narrative artistry, and in its perceptive probing of the human condition, this collection promises profound delight.

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The Steppe and Other Stories, 1887-91 Anton Chekhov 2005-01-27 This collection of Chekhov's finest early writing reveals a young writer mastering the art of the short story. 'The Steppe', which established his reputation, is the unforgettable tale of a boy's journey to a new school in Kiev, travelling through majestic landscapes towards an unknown destiny. 'Gusev' depicts an ocean voyage, where the sea takes on a terrifying, primeval power; 'The Kiss' portrays a shy soldier's failed romantic encounter; and in 'The Duel' two men's enmity ends in farce. Haunting and highly atmospheric, all the stories in this volume show a writer emerging from the shadow of his masters - Tolstoy, Turgenev and Gogol - and discovering his own voice. They also illustrate Chekhov's genius for evoking the natural world and exploring inner lives.

The Duel and Other Stories Anton Chekhov 2020-03-13 Six selections from the famed Russian showcase his natural aptitude for detail, dialogue, humor, and compassion. Includes *The Darling*, a poignant piece supporting the claim that life has no meaning without love; as well as *The Kiss*, *Anna on the Neck*, *The Man in a Case*, *The Malefactor*, and the title story. Chekhov's unerring insight into the turbulent emotions that stir men and women, in *The Chemist's Wife* and the others to be found within *The Duel and Other Stories*, instills his gemlike fiction with a still-undiminished power.

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The Duel and Other Stories Anton Chekhov 2020-11-09 "Volume 2 of the Tales of Chekhov. Contains 8 stories: The Duel; Excellent People; Mire; Neighbours; At Home; Expensive Lessons; The Princess; and, The Chemist's Wife."