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**430k**

Sales figures

**new**

The book has been published in 2017



The book is turned into a movie

**full  
colour**

Full colour book

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# AST PUBLISHERS

*AST Publishers is one of the largest and oldest publishing houses in Russia. It was established in 1990. Last year we published over 60 thousand titles with the total print run of 34 million copies. Every fifth book in Russia is published by AST.*

*AST covers all literary genres and works with different audiences. It has three main divisions: Adult Fiction, Adult Nonfiction, and Children's. Each division includes several imprints which publish international bestsellers along with national award winners.*

*AST has started selling foreign rights for Russian titles only recently, but the readers from China, Mongolia, Ukraine, Romania and Bulgaria have already discovered books and illustrations by our wonderful authors. We have done our best to select the most amazing titles by Russian experienced and emerging writers. Adult fiction and nonfiction, Young Adult fiction, Children's fiction and nonfiction, upmarket and commercial titles can be found in this rights list.*



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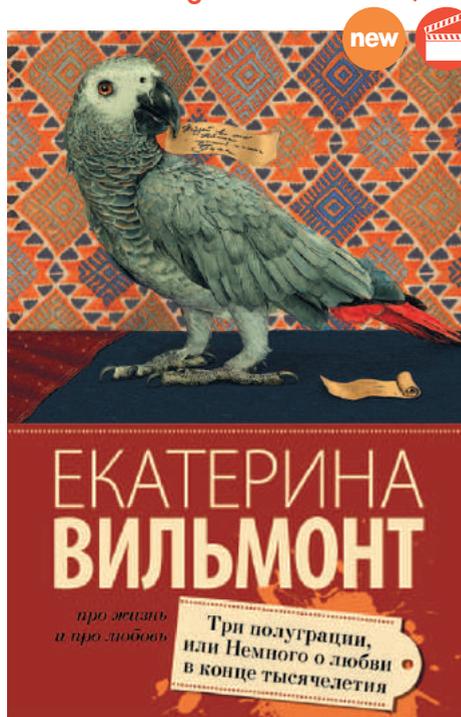
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EKATERINA VILMONT

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## The Three Ungraceful Women, or Again About Love



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Three middle-aged female friends are the main characters of the book. Natalia, Alisa and Sofia experience a personal life crisis.

Natalia's husband has left the family. Her red-haired friend Alisa is a better off but single woman. Their third friend Sofia can't avoid her mother's excessive care.

Once Natalia as a high class editor receives a manuscript by a promising young author Oleg. The author does his best to gain Natalia's favour. The woman appreciates his affection, yet Natalia has a gut feeling that something is wrong with her young boyfriend. Oleg blames Natalia for wooing him and asks to change his editor. The young man happens to be dishonest and has simply plagiarized his dead sister's manuscripts.

When deception is exposed, everything falls into place. Each of the friends fulfils her destiny in an incredible way.



Primitive Overexcitement  
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Colibri Birds, Goodbye  
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A Journey of an Optimistic Woman  
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At Sixes and Sevens  
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Falling Between Two Stools Again  
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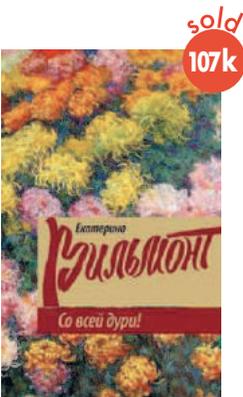
Meeting Love of my Uncle  
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Two Women of Professor Tveritinov  
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To Trigger Happy Chemicals  
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All Out  
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Beautiful Women do Care  
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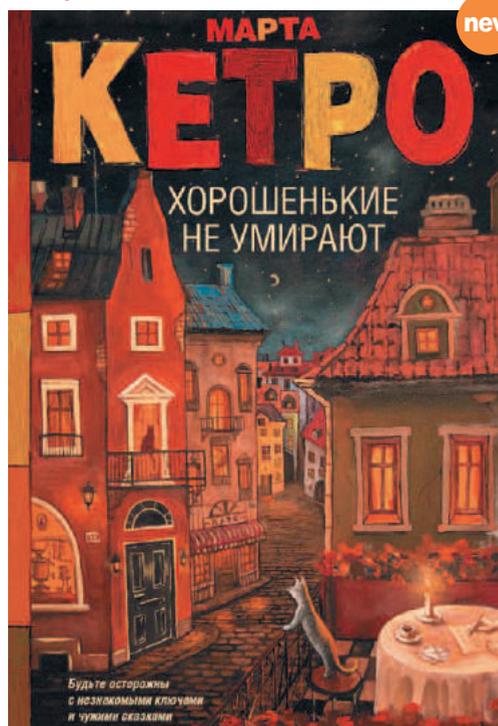


All Men Are Untrustworthy  
or A Lucky Streak  
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MARTHA KETRO

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## Pretty Ladies Never Die



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Martha lives in two cities: busy Moscow and sunny Tel Aviv. She gets her inspiration from the between-two-cities difference and writes wonderful stories about love, everyday life and pretty things that women do.

The first part of the book is a collection of letters. These are letters to the ideal man. Martha answers his possible questions, anticipates his feedback, chides him for not replying to her letters, calms him down, encourages and simply enjoys him being a caring and understanding person.

Grievous parting with relatives, packing bags and departure to the coastal city of the Mediterranean Sea are described in the second part of the book. Great writing plans and immersion into a new life are sometimes interrupted by bombing of Tel Aviv and hiding in a bomb shelter. Martha's husband and no name cat are her reliable companions who help to return to peaceful life. The author is again full of hope and desire to be loved and happy, 'cause the pretty ladies never die.

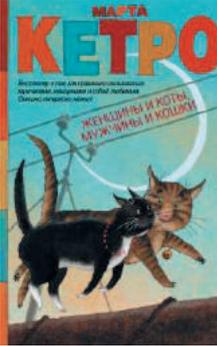


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The Cruelty of Love  
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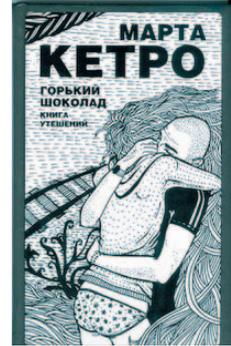
Martha Ketro is the author of several dozen of books with total print run of several hundred copies. Martha is working at her new book, which is scheduled for 2018. The author is an exemplary writer of the new generation. She has started her writing career in the mid 2000's as a blogger and won her popularity among Internet users first.



Stories About Women and Their Men  
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Lemons and Little Songbirds  
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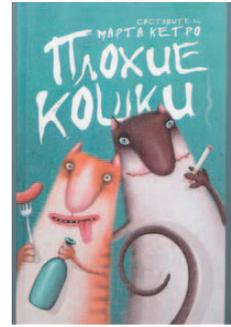
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The Right Way to Make Mistakes  
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Women in Autumn  
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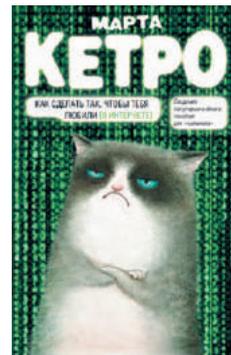
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A Brave Snail  
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The Travel Effect  
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How to Become Famous on the Web  
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ELENA MIKHALKOVA

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## A Family Pie's Bitter Taste



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About people, cats  
and small dogs

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Swans' Wings and  
Miracles

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A relaxing summer vacation in the country turns into a thriller. Close relatives become dreadful enemies. The aspirations of the family grow into a race for survival. Family pie's taste becomes awfully bitter.

When a ten-year-old girl Yana visited her grandparents in the country, big house welcomed four cousins and their parents. The house owner made up his mind to choose his favorite child to inherit the estate. One of the kids was found dead, and Yana was charged with her brother's death. Years later, all brothers and sisters reunite in that house. Yana hires two private detectives Makar Ilyushin and Sergei Babkin to clear up a fifteen-year-old case and find the real murderer.

*Elena Mikhalkova is a Russian crime fiction writer. She is recognized as a master of suspense. Elena graduated from Law School and used to work in the police; later on she dealt with scripts for children's programs.*

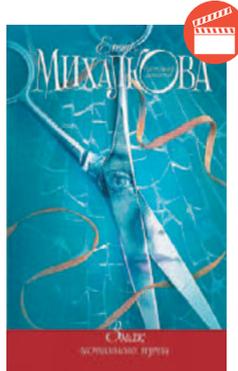
## EILIN O'CONNOR

*EILIN O'CONNOR is the author of short novels. New series Notes in the Margin includes the best author's stories from her blog followed by 40k subscribers. So far two books were published. Both books are illustrated by Ekaterina Belyavskaya, a famous Moscow artist.*

The books tell the stories of pets and their owners. There is a red cat Matthew sleeping in his bowl, a little boy Misha presenting a bucket of dandelions to his elder sister, a lonely Mr. Artybashev suddenly making friends with home cacti.



Mrs. Noridge Knows the Killer  
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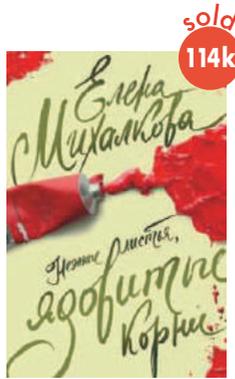
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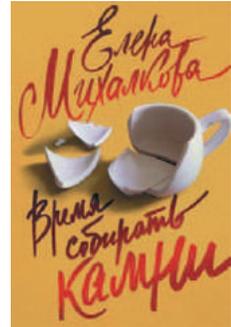
A Black Poodle, a Red Cat or Wedding Troubles  
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A Home for Lonely Hearts  
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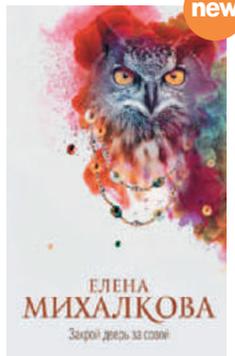
Tender Leaves, Poisonous Roots  
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A Time to Gather Stones  
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A Paper Curtain and A Glass Crown  
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Close the Door  
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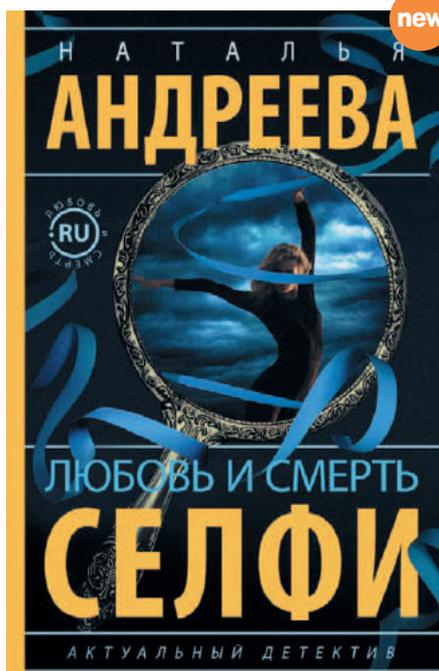
The Game of Diamonds  
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NATALIA ANDREEVA

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## Selfie. Between Love and Death

Several books turned into motion pictures



Selfie is a lovely game for those who are seeking attention and sympathy from others. Push a button and you are in the picture. The picture might happen to be more important than personal security though. But rarely does somebody think about it and a murderer can benefit from the selfie mania.

The new novel from Love and Death.ru book series.



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Sing It For the Deaf

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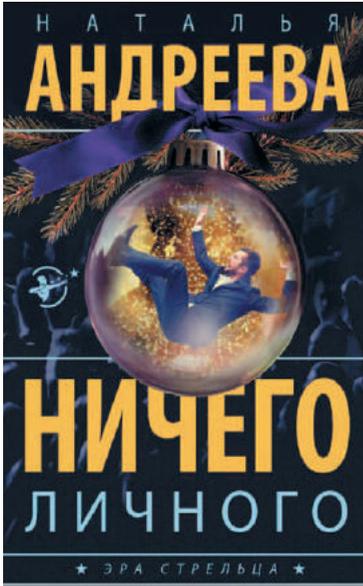


Fathers and Sons

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## Natalia Andreeva

Natalia Andreeva is the master of suspense. The author defines the genre of her books as psychological crime story with elements of thriller. Natalia got a degree in Library Science. She started her writing career in 1998, when the Russian Default took place. Natalia was fired and searched for work, when she saw newspaper announcement Writers Wanted and submitted her manuscript. So far she is the author of 70 detective stories.



Don't Take it Personal

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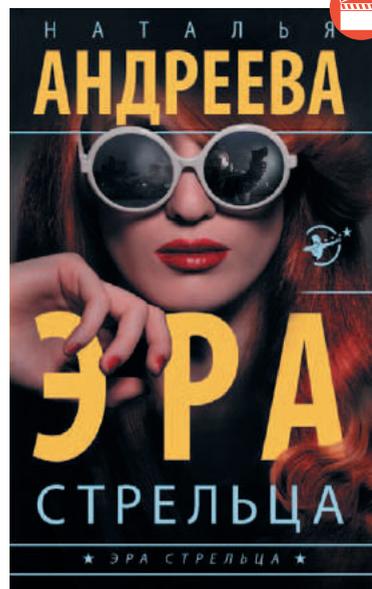
While Lotus Blossoms

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The Sea of Heaven

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The Age of Sagittarius

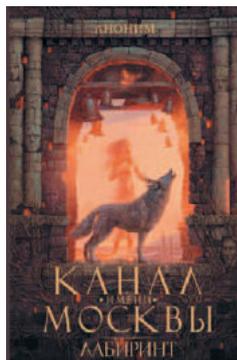
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## ANONIM

## The Moscow Canal

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The Mysterious Maze

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The Indestructible University

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It is the first book of the same-name book collection.

The trilogy contains elements of a post-apocalyptic drama, fantasy, horror, and adventure story. The scene is laid in a world devastated by a global disaster. A fog of dismay covers the land and people travel by water.

The crew of a captain, a runaway girl, a tourist guide, and a hot-tempered man are travelling by sailing ship on board of Skremlin-II. The main characters struggle for the future, take up challenges and seek answers. They are to open all floodgates of the Moscow Canal and get through the fog — friends head for the Dead City.

Many years ago it was the capital of a big vigorous country which now resembles Mad Max's universe. What does the fog hide? Those who are aware keep silence. The mysterious fog is believed to be alive and full of predators: The Ghost of Stalin, old kind Charon, dangerous whirlpools, wolves of the Empty Lands, the army of sinister monks and water monster. It is tricky to enter it and even more tricky to escape from it. However, there is always room for hope and better future despite ruins around.

The book is full of references to history, culture and folk beliefs. The trilogy appeals to the fans of The Dark Tower by Stephen King, Metro 2033 by Dmitry Glukhovsky, The Lord of the Ring by John Ronald Reuel Tolkien and monsters of Howard Lovecraft.

## GALINA TALANOVA

### At the Edge



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new

Lida is a middle-aged woman and she seems to be successful in her life. Lida has got a good family and a good job, but there is no room for true happiness. Lida lives in the shadow and stays shy and quiet.

The book is set in the late 80-s — the early 90-s. The country falls apart and so does Lida's life. The woman suffers as her best years are passing by. Dear relatives pass away and Lida turns all her love to her children. She cannot lose control over her growing kids: she spies upon them, cuts in their conversations and follows each their move. Lida's son and daughter cannot keep their personal life private and stay out of their mother's influence.

Excessive mother's care leads her daughter to making of the wrong choice. Lida's husband has a heart attack and her son gets killed. Is it the worst thing to happen? Destiny goes on putting Lida to tests.



### Galina Talanova

Member of Writers' Guild of Russia

*The author was born in 1961 into a family of college instructors. She studied biophysics at the University and got a PhD degree in Engineering Science. She is the author of seven books of verse, fifty research papers and two novels. Galina is brilliant at choosing the correct figures of speech; her verses got several Russian and international awards. The author seems to write verses in prose and crochet words into fabulous metaphors and similes.*

So far Galina is working at two new books which are scheduled for the beginning of 2018.

DANIL KORESTKY

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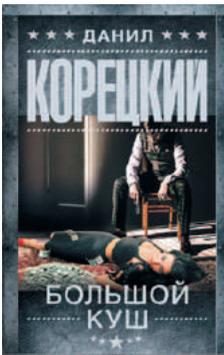
## Major Korenev. The Fight Against the Russian Mafia



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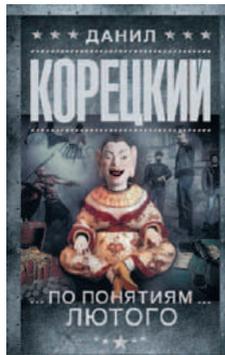
These books are the best-known thrillers about the spread of crime in Russia. The book events are set in the mid 90-s and based on true stories. This time is traditionally considered to be the peak of mafia's heyday. The principal character is major Korenev. His nickname is Fox. Korenev fights crime and struggles for justice. Readers will find everything in these books: gangsters and secret services, terrorists and corrupt officials. The author has expert knowledge of his subject: he uncovers the lifestyle of the Russian mafia, the laws of the underworld, and violence in and out of jails.

*Danil Koretsky is a Russian criminologist, screenwriter and the author of 48 books. He holds a post-doctoral degree in Law. The author holds the title of Honored Lawyer of Russia. He has published several hundred legal analytical reviews and articles in Russian magazines and newspapers. To add to this, Koretsky has developed an alternative version of Russian Gun Law.*



The Big Score

Pages: 352, Rights: World



The Criminal Named Student

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*Koretsky finished Law School and later on he worked in the public prosecutor's department. The author is the member of the Russian Writer's Guild and he is a recognised master of crime fiction.*



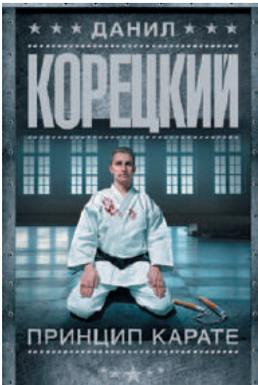
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Find the Devil  
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A Trigger Pull  
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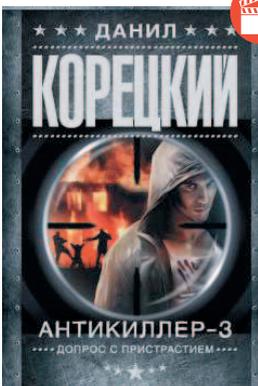
Principles of Karate  
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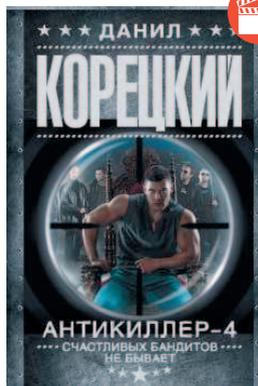
Sandalwood Smells Like Gunpowder  
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A Spy of the Past  
**Pages: 384, Rights: World**



Major Korenev-II  
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Major Korenev-IV  
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Major Korenev-VI  
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## JOHN SHEMYAKIN

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## The Wild Gentleman

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The Wild Gentleman in the Wild Fields

Pages: 320, Rights: World



Stories from the Wild Gentleman

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"The Wild Gentleman is a collection of wild short stories about me and my large family", the author says. Shemyakin takes a role of an old wise gentleman. He pretends to be rather indifferent and sometimes moody. The gentleman is satisfied with his life: he sits in a comfortable chair dressed in a fleece home robe, watches over his frisky pets and grandchildren, and tells hilariously caustic stories.



## John Shemyakin

John Shemyakin is a famous blogger. His Facebook page is followed by 50k subscribers.

Shemyakin is quite a versatile person. He got a degree in History, took seminary courses, did military service on a Navy ship in the Pacific Ocean. Then Shemyakin sold whisky, worked as a civil servant and for oil refinery industry. Currently, he is an entrepreneur and amateur numismatist.

EDUARD OVECHKIN

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Sharks Made of Steel

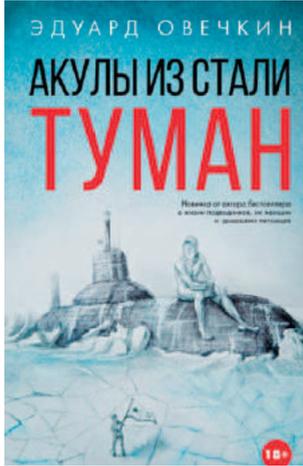
Mist over the Sea

Rush Job

new



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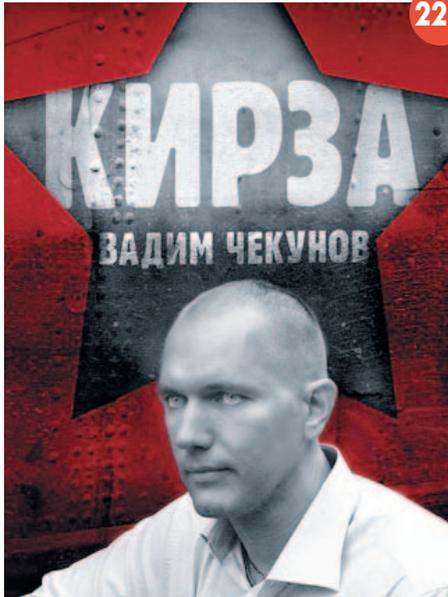
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VADIM CHEKUNOV

Made of Kersey

sold  
22k

The book tells the story of a former college student. This is a first-person narration. The main character has to do a two-year military service which is mandatory in Russia. He gets mature while going through all the steps of armed service hierarchy. Over the course of two years a powerless conscript turns into a confident and unchallenged "old-timer". The book is pretty much autobiographical.

Made of Kersey is a story about life full of joy and sorrow, fun and sufferings. Made of Kersey labeled the author as an Angry Writer due to its rough truth. When the book was published, Vadim received a plethora of feedback from men who did military service and women who waited for their men to get back home.

Pages: 252, Rights: World

IRINIYA KONYAEVA

## Love Under the Snow



Pages: 320, Rights: World

Marina and Nastya are the best friends since childhood. Girls are always together at the University; they have common friends among other students and dream of finding a true love. Side by side Marina and Nastya face up families' problems and difficulties with their study. The young author Irinya has turned true stories into a tender and beautiful novel. Wonderful description of the New Year Eve and actual events win over female readers' loyalty.

YANINA LOGVIN

## The Proud Sparrow



Pages: 320, Rights: World

An enthralling story about true friendship, act of treachery and real love. In order to leave the past behind and forget troubling memories a small-town girl Genya Sparrow moves to a new city. She enters a new University and has to catch up math program. Genya hires an upper-year student Ilya. The guy is brilliant at math but he is rather unfriendly. Genya surely handles all the difficulties, even when the past brings bad stories to the present.

## ELENA FILON

## Just Play the Guitar



new

Leksa Woodwill has a good family, a wardrobe full of fancy clothes and a lovely looking boyfriend. Nobody is interested in Leksa's true desires though. The girl is dreaming of playing an electric guitar on big stage, but this dream hardly can come true. Mr. Woodwill is a member of a state's senate and he wants his daughter to correspond to his serious status. Leksa receives an invitation to a musical challenge contest Just Play the Guitar.

World renowned rock band Far-between wants a guitar player (men only). What can Leksa do for her life's dream?

*Elena Filon is one of the most popular authors in the RuNet. Fans are looking forward to her new books to be published, as Elena's amazing and bright stories touch the heart, and make you lose a track of time.*

Pages: 416, Rights: World



Just Listen to the Music  
Pages: 352, Rights: World



Just Be Happy  
Pages: 352, Rights: World

The other two books develop the idea of musical adventures, talent competition, energy of rock-bands and love. Tate Miller from Just Be Happy breaks the signed contract and leaves the musical contest. The girl makes friends with a director of a famous musical studio and she falls in love with him.

"It is music that becomes my best half. It is music that inspires hope and makes me believe in better future", the key character of Just Listen to the Music says.

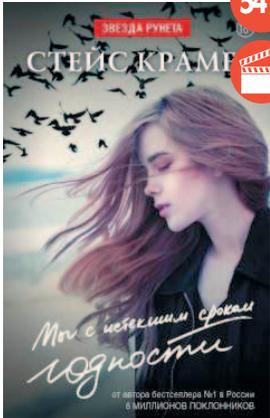
## STAYCE KRAMER

50 Days Before  
my Suicidesold  
127k

Her name is Gloria Macfin. She is a typical teenager with common problems of her age. And she has 50 days to decide whether she lives or dies. "Never did I think to write a story to justify suicide as a solution of all problems. Not at all. I assume every person contemplated suicide at least once in his/her life. When we feel bad, when we are depressed, when we have quarrels with our beloved we might have an idea that there is no sense to live this way. People will be better off without us. This idea appeared in the mind of the main character of my story. Here I will describe 50 days of Macfin's life. These days will help her decide whether it is worth living or not," – the author says.

**Pages: 544, Rights sold to France, Romania**

## We Expired

sold  
54k

17-year old Jina has a promising future: good family and friends, a nice-looking boyfriend and chances of admission to Yale. A fateful party changes Jina's life forever. Jina's boyfriend declares a break-up. Being depressed Jina gets behind the wheel and gets into a car accident. Instead of Yale University, Jina makes it into a rehabilitation facility. Can Jina learn how to live a new life?

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*STAYCE KRAMER is the pen name of a popular 23-years-old Russian writer. Stayce Kramer became an internet star when she published her debut book on*

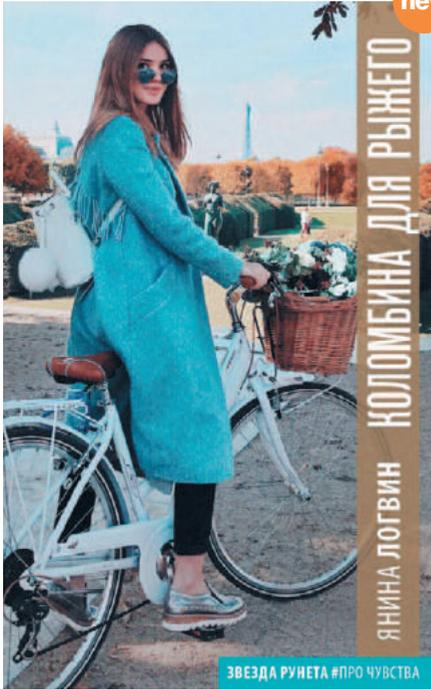
*a website for beginning authors. The book 50 Days Before my Suicide got rave reviews and was an online sensation. By the beginning of 2017 the book had received more than 6 million views; more than 127k copies had been sold. Kramer's fantastic online popularity (1<sup>st</sup> place on self-publish web-sites by number of views) and support from fans enabled the success of her 2<sup>nd</sup> book. We Expired was released in 2016 and 54k copies have already been sold. The author is a student of dentistry.*

## Stayce Kramer



## YANINA LOGVINN

Colombina and the Red-Haired Boy



**Pages: 416, Rights: World**

A story of Cinderella, or the Taming of the Shrew. Tanya Kryukova is doing well at University. She has a caring family and a boyfriend and might seem to be happy. Suddenly self-assured and smart Bumper, the owner of the night club, enters into Tanya's unhurried and comfortable life. Three years ago he met Tanya and laughed at the small-town girl's appearance. Since then Tanya got an unpleasant nickname Colombina. Spin-the-bottle game at the party resulted in "war" between Tanya and Bumper.

*The Internet Star book series includes several dozens books for young adults. The series is segmented by genres. These books are romance novels — highly commended and destined to engage hearts of teen girls.*

## DARIA SOYFER

The Exception

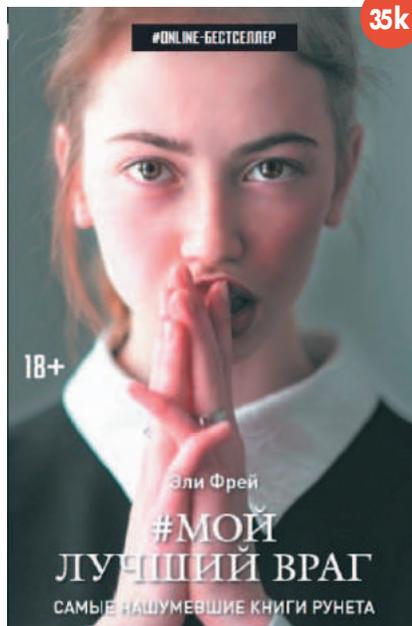


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Every girl dreams of her own prince. What if a girl falls for a top celebrity? A famous actor, the Hollywood celebrity, arrives in Moscow. A young journalist Lida Strelnikova is assigned to interview Anders Norberg. The interviewee is incredibly handsome and attractive. That's why Lida easily agrees to meet him one more time...

She is sure they will never see each other again, but Lida is wrong.

## ONLINE-BESTSELLER

sold  
35k

## My Best Enemy

Best Fiction Book of 2016  
(OZON ONLINE AWARD)

The author was inspired by her own journal which she wrote in her teenage years, so the book resembles a diary. Two kids — a boy and a girl — are the best friends. They take care of each other and dream to marry when grow up. They play together and attend the same school. Once the girl leaves her best friend in the lurch. Since then, they turn to “the best enemies” who secretly love each other.

**Pages: 480, Rights: World**Ellie  
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Stark

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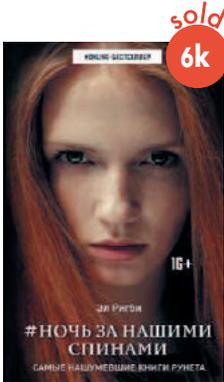
ONLINE-bestseller is a popular young adult book series uniting brilliant emerging Russian authors. First all of them self-published their books online and gained popularity on the web. Later on, their texts have been printed on paper and became bestsellers of the Russian book market along with the western books. ONLINE-bestseller combines elements of different genres: realism and fantasy, postapocalyptic dystopia, erotic and fiction. All of these genres are equally loved by the readers. The target audience consists of young adults of 16-24 years old. These books find keen readers among all ages though. So far the book series includes fifteen books.

Children of the Gold Mines  
**Pages: 320**

It is a candid story of four children from different social classes. Beaver, Kit-wall and Arkhip live in deprived area of a mining community, and a German girl Hanna lives in a better-off district across the border. Can friendship and love exist between those who stay on opposite sides of the world?

We Will Be Buried Tomorrow  
**Pages: 288**The laureate  
of the YA Bestseller  
competition-2015

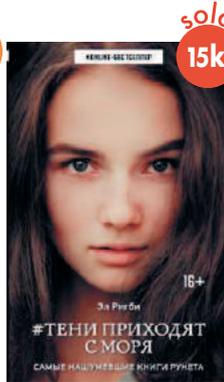
The book describes children who live in the pack. Evading hunters they hide under bridges, at empty factories and in old train carriages.



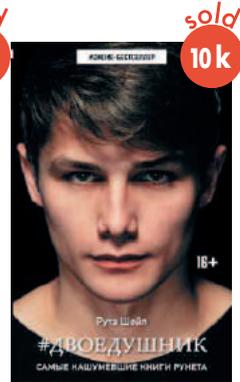
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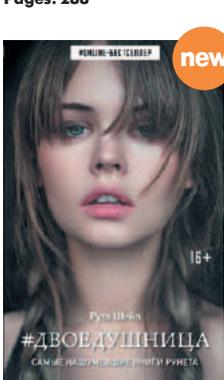
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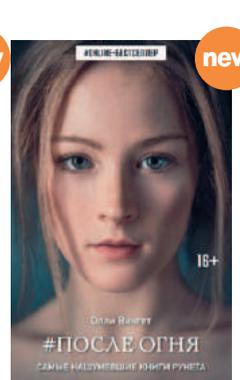
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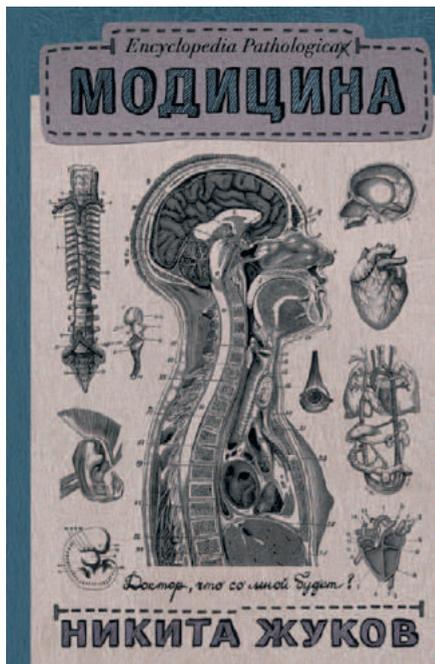
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NIKITA ZHUKOV

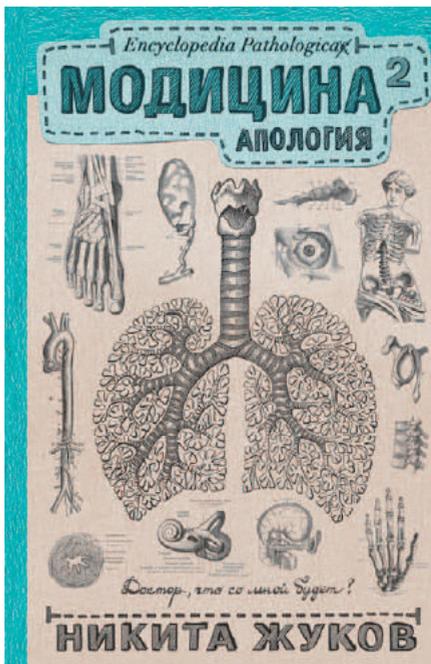
**Encyclopedia Pathologicae:  
Medicine**



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The book is an entertaining popular science title about medicine, our ailments, today's drugs and the human body. Nikita Zhukov is the creator of ultra popular website "Encyclopatia". On the average, the website receives 100k unique visitors per day. Medicine (Modnaya medicina or Fashionable medicine in Russian) dispels widespread myths which are contradicted by science. Professional doctors (who seem not to regard Nikita as an authority) seriously debate his satirical articles on medical forums. They both criticize and laud the young neurologist.

**Encyclopedia Pathologicae:  
Medicine 2, Apology**

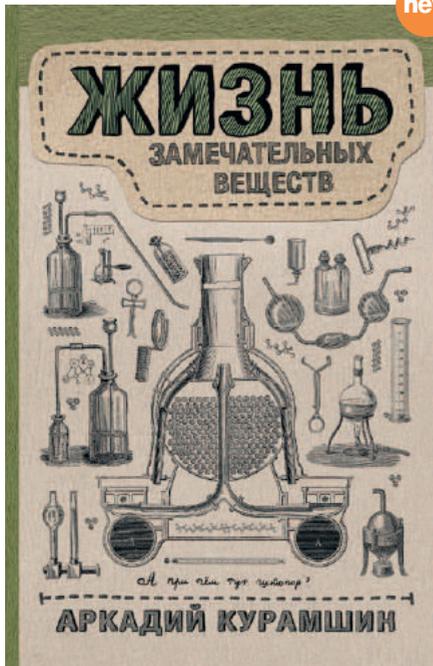


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Before finishing the second book Medicine 2: Apology the author revised hundreds of articles and research papers. Part 2 provides readers with a large number of links to international research works. As an exponent of popular science Nikita Zhukov shares his awareness of health and medicine in witty and fun manner. The author criticizes our life style, explains what leads to ailments and contradicts popular medical delusions. Leaf through the book, chuckle to yourself and stay healthy!

ARKADY KURAMSHIN

## Wonderful Chemical Substances



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Readers will learn why Sir John Scott Haldane dosed himself with carbon monoxide, learn about gas sensors in mines, when first parties with exhilarant gas took place, what skin care creams, chewing gums and fertilizers have in common, whether there is any relationship between colour additives used in food and signs of hyperactivity in children, what factors affect hemoglobin level, what polymers of the XXI century are. To add to this, there are a couple of words about uranium enrichment, Botox, pain killers, etc. The book consists of four parts: Inorganic Matters, "Table" Chemistry, Polymers, and "Wonderful Chemical Substances".

DMITRII POBEDINSKIY

## Only Physics

The book is longlisted for Russian nonfiction prize Prosvetitel in 2017



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Do you know what the nature of time is, how string theory was developed, which element has the highest density, if parallel universes really exist, how a light saber could be built, what artificial intelligence could feel when it gets its first kiss, how the matter in a black hole is organized, etc. Dmitrii Pobedinskiy knows the answers and is ready to share his knowledge with all fans of physics. The author studied physics at University. So far he is a popular video blogger: Dmitrii explains the academic discipline in a simple and funny way on his science YouTube channel. Everybody is welcome to study natural science together.

ELENA MOTOVA

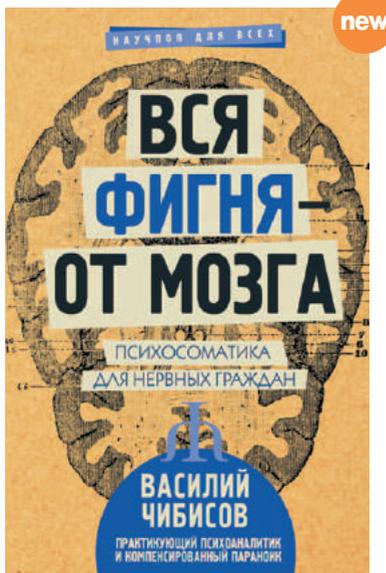
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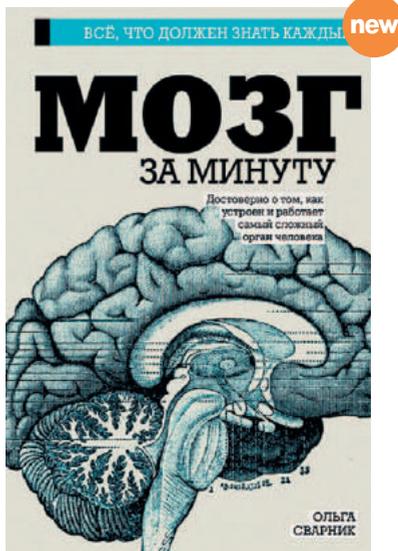
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**Physics in a Minute**



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MAXIM POTASHEV  
MIKHAIL LEVANDOVSKY

## The Century of the Customer

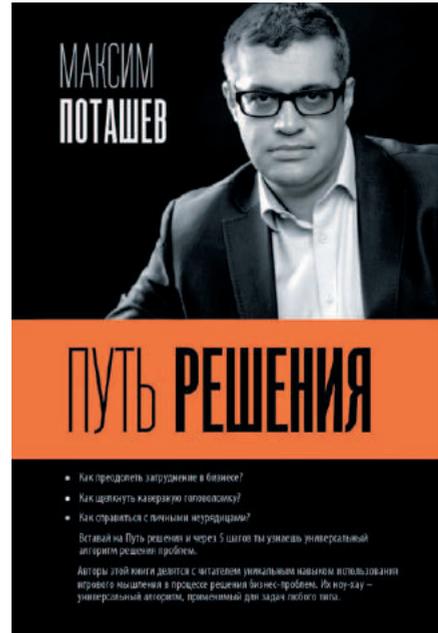


Both authors have got a good expertise in customer relationship management. They both have headed marketing and sales departments in big and small companies, brought new products to market, helped organizations to improve customer service. The book provides a complex approach to problems in customer relationship management. Considering twenty years experience of the authors in customer service the book shares their knowledge, tell about customers needs, ways to reach customers loyalty, to control customer outlets and to manage contact centres. Reader will also learn about particular tools for effective customer service.

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PAVEL YERSHOV

## A Key to Solution



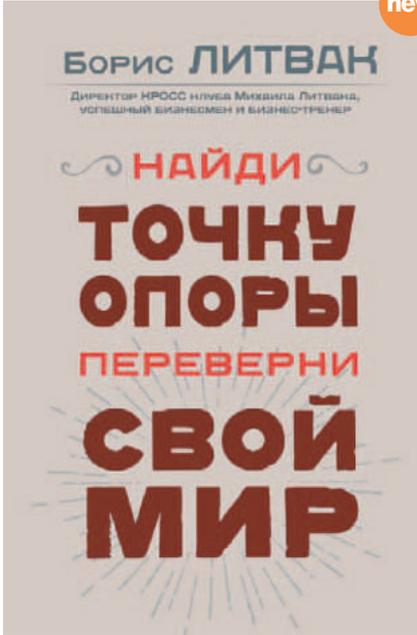
The authors of the book are advance players of the popular Russian TV game with the intellectual basis. They claim that all the approaches they use to win the game might be successfully used to solve any business issues. Yershov and Potashev address their long experience and tell readers about general ways of solving different business challenges. Very plain and coherent presentation, the authors' quick wit and a keen sense of humor kindle readers' interest from the very beginning. There are many exciting examples, tasks and exercises. In the end of every chapter there is a team drill. This exercise is meant for skill practicing and idea searching.

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## BORIS LITVAK

Find Your Fulcrum  
and Move the World

new



The book is a practical guide to change yourself and to take a better control of your life. The book consists of seven steps (chapters) and short exercises. The author has a new approach to typing of self-esteem. Litvak considers four types of self-esteem, gives a detailed description of them, shows weak points of each type and ways to prevent them from possible harm. The author has got a broad experience in personal growth programs. Rarely do his clients mention self-esteem when telling about their problems. Self-esteem is believed to be the foundation to build up one's personality. If you want change to happen, start with yourself!

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## IGOR ZORIN

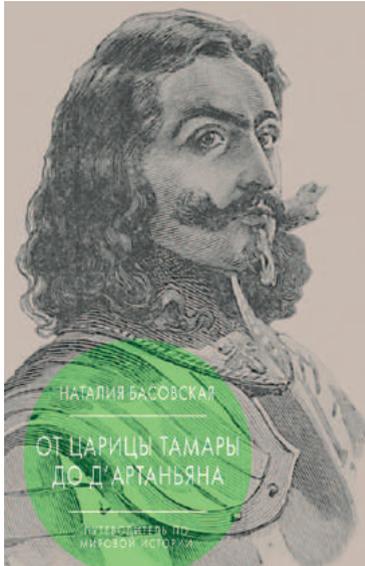
Secrets to Win Over  
a Tough Customer



A business coach Igor Zorin reveals sales secrets and tells how to win over the toughest, roughest customer. The author describes the most common types of tough customers and their behaviour models, advise on preventing challenging behaviour and tells how to build an effective strategy for dealing with demanding customers. The book encompasses business strategy tips to handle His Majesty Tough Customer and to tailor customer service. Readers will learn how to read customers' mood and identify their true needs, to convince the toughest client and reduce sales-related stress. The book is meant for everyone who directly deals with customers.

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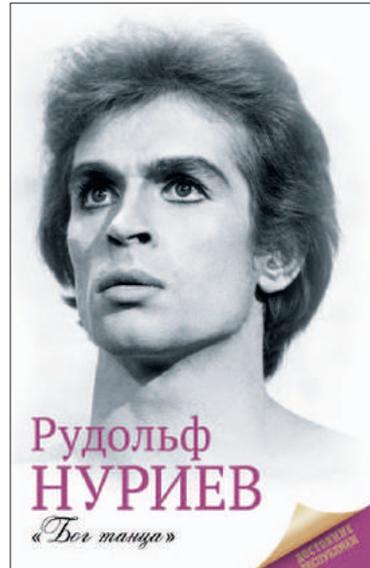
EVGENII ZHARINOV

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**Rudolf Nureyev. Biography**

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## PYOTR PAVLENSKY

### About Russian Performance ART



The book consists of two parts. The first part includes three interviews with the author. The title of the second part is The Horror of Russian Bureaucracy and a New Art of Political Protest. This part includes the interrogation transcripts. The book contains documents and photos of performance acts, summons for interrogation and medical evaluations due to the protest against the repressive policy. "My intention was not to surprise anyone or come up with something unusual. Rather, I felt I had to make a gesture that would accurately reflect my situation", — Pavlensky said. Today Pyotr and his family have left the country and live in France.

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## ELENA YAKOVICH

### The Daughter of Philosopher Shpet



The book shows the history and the tragedy of the XX century through a life of the Russian family. 1922 saw Russian intellectual elite leaving the country by "Philosopher's Ship". An outstanding Russian philosopher Gustav Shpet made up his mind to stay with his family and paid the ultimate price for it. Shpet was executed by shooting in 1937 in Siberia. Shpet's youngest daughter Marina (1916-2017) considered the time when her father had been alive as a great era. Gustav Shpet was a student of the German philosopher Husserl and was a part of the intellectual power of the beginning of the XX century. His friends — well-known mathematicians, poets, translators — were frequent guests at the Shpets' house.

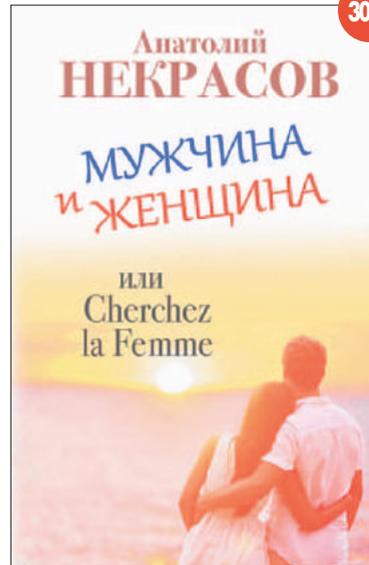
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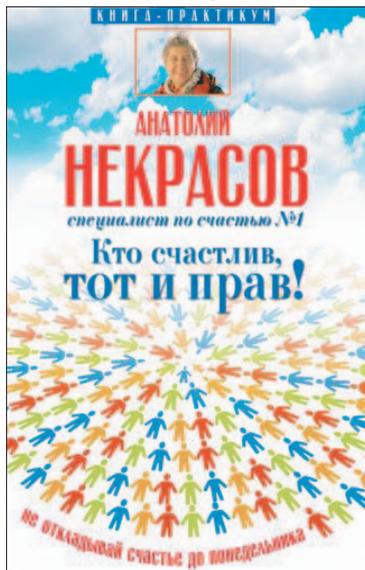
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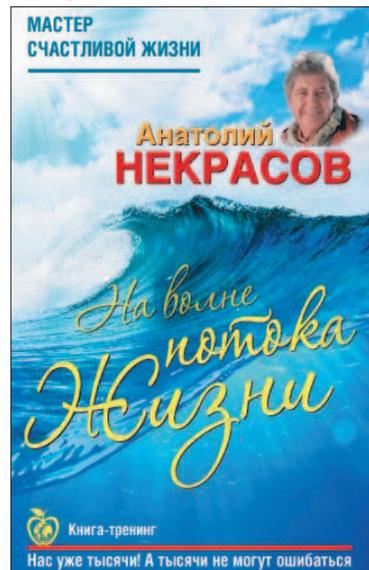
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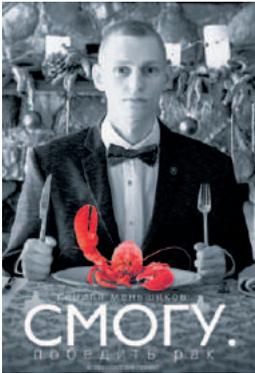


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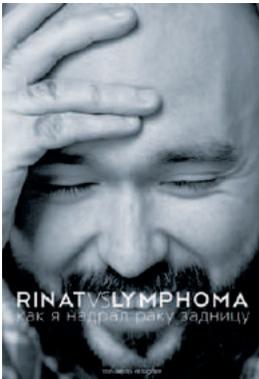
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## KIRILL MENSHIKOV

*I Can Cure Cancer*

The author is in his early twenties. He grew up in an ordinary family, but his life has changed recently. Hodgkin's lymphoma happened to be that drastic change. When Kirill heard the diagnosis, he fell to thinking and prioritizing some life values.

*I Can Cure Cancer* is a story about indifferent modern society and disunited people who live in their own little worlds. Kirill's misfortune and sufferings helped him understand others' hardships of other people better.



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## RINAT KARIMOV

*Rinat VS Lymphoma*

Rinat is a thirty-one-year-old tattoo artist who was diagnosed with lymphoma (lymphatic cancer). *Rinat VS Lymphoma* is the story full of fear and hope, meetings with wonderful people and hard struggle against the disease. Thirty six weeks of the man of the tincredibly strong spirit, the man who can laugh at himself despite all the difficulties. The inspiring and sincere story neither gives any advice nor describes alternative medical treatment.

The key point is to believe in the recovery.



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## VLAD KOLCHIN

*Music as Remedy Against Multiple Sclerosis*

A famous Russian musician Vlad Kolchin was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis. This is the story about the desire to live and to create, and the latter causes the first. Developing disease, loss of vision, fatigue and weakness, but the diagnosis is not the end of one's life. The author calls his disease a coincidence of circumstances to a saxophone tune. "A human can hardly value beneficial influence of music-making. Music reaches the heart and mind simultaneously. Music making means meditating. It is another way of knowledge," - the author said. Today there is no cure for the disease. But music can help...

## ANTI-STRESS COLOURING BOOKS BY EKATERINA LESICK



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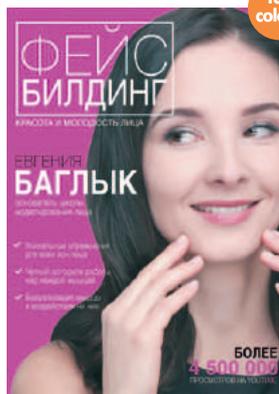
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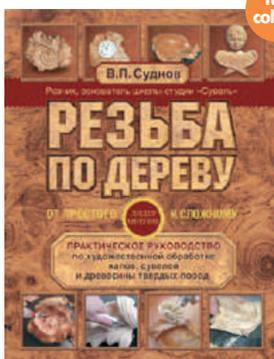
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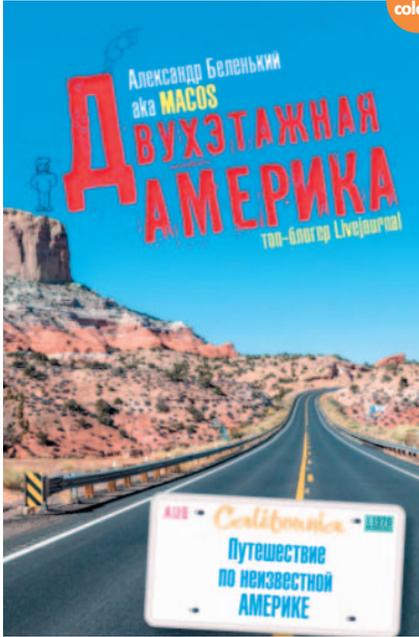


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ALEXANDER BELENKY

The Unknown America



A popular blogger and passionate traveler Alexander Belenky has cruised through the United States and explored all the hidden corners and places off the beaten path.

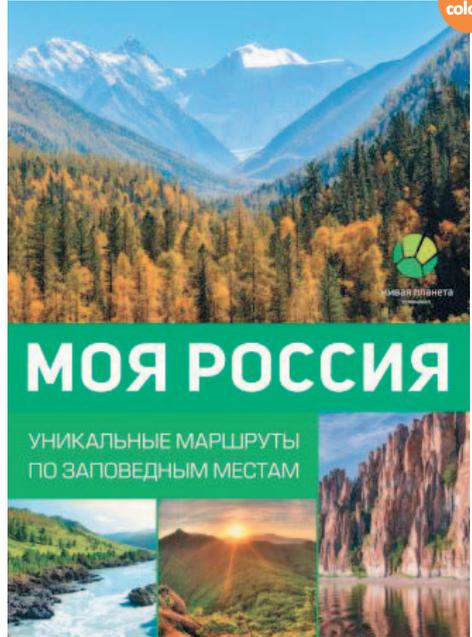
In this book the author describes the Button King, a city for the homeless, amish ghetto, American Indians, and many other exciting facts about the unknown United States.

Here you will see forty eight American States out of fifty from the point of view of the Russian blogger.

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VLADIMIR GORBATOVSKY

My Russia. The Travel Guide to Unique Nature Reserves



2017 is declared the year of Special Protection of National Territories in Russia. Inspired by the beauty of nature AST Publishers together with My Planet TV channel have published the travel guide to Russian Nature Reserves.

The guide divides country into nine parts and tells about national parks, the most popular touristic attractions and cultural heritage from the Baltic to the Far East.

The travel guide includes commentaries of the TV Channel anchorpersons, tips on how to reach the place and on the best time to travel and some historical notes.

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## The House of High Fashion

An illustrated album that is dedicated to the internationally renowned Russian designer Slava Zaitsev.

He started his career in the mid-sixties. By today Zaitsev's contribution to the global haute couture industry is enormous. "Over the years I have acquired broad experience. The world I am involved in is quite different from what we think it is. Now I am ready to tell you about my life", the author says. Special edition includes rare photos, sketches, stories of Zaitsev's colleagues, mates and adherents. It tells about the epoch in the history of haute couture from the view of the legendary fashion designer.

*One of the 15 most anticipated nonfiction books of 2017 (Forbes)*

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## Slava Zaitsev is the Russian Christian Dior (Vogue)

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## The Art of Emotional Abuse

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## Marxism as a Lifestyle

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## ANNA ARTEMYEVA, ELENA RACHEVA

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## Article 58. The Stories from GULAG

Journalists of the Novaya Gazeta Anna Artemyeva and Elena Racheva have done a serious job. They have interviewed 59 people who had gone through Gulag. The interviewees are 80-90 year old former convicts, guards, wardens and medical attendants. Many of them have never shared their stories about Gulag some are still afraid to break the non-disclosure agreement from the 1950s. While having been interviewed people cried as memories caused old pain. Yet this is the book not about hunger or approaching death, but about human kindness and happy moments in prison. A warden shares a piece of tobacco, a wife keeps waiting for her husband for ten years, a medical attendant delivers the convicts' letters to the addressees.

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## GLEB MOREV



## The Dissidents

The author talked to twenty dissidents and made a collection of interviews. The interviewees are well-known dissidents who fought for human rights in the USSR in the 1950-1980s. This is the period when dissidents' movement was actively built up. Twenty main characters describe how they join the human rights movement, tell about the samizdat, KGB spying, searches, arrests, interrogations, court proceedings and sentences. That time they were students, young scientists, journalists, translators, etc. Many of them knew each other. They read and shared the same prohibited literature, cooperated over the same projects (like an underground magazine Chronicle of Current Events), protested against the same events or supported the same initiatives.

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The book shortlisted for Prosvetitel award (2014)

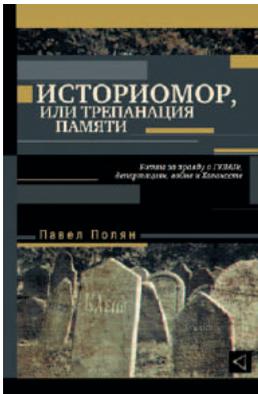


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## PAVEL POLYAN

Scrolls from the Ashes

Jewish Sonderkommandos at Auschwitz-Birkenau. The work units were usually composed of Jew prisoners who were forced to aid Nazi in mass murdering of Jewish and non-Jewish inmates. Hundred inmates survived and several dozens former prisoners turned their memories into documental records. Some of these records were found near the crematorium at Auschwitz-Birkenau when WWII was over. The chronicles are indisputably the key documents of the Holocaust. The author tells about the death camp and Sonderkommandos as unprecedented historical phenomenon in the first part of the book. The second part is a collection of stories.



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## PAVEL POLYAN

Istoriomor

Battles for the Truth about Gulag, Deportations, the War and the Holocaust.

*Pavel Polyan is a recognized expert in literature, a Russian geographer and historian. He got a degree in geography, and later he defended his PhD thesis on the History and Geography of Forced Migrations in the USSR. He authored and co-authored over 300 scientific publications. He is the author of Victims of Two Dictatorships, Ostarbeiters and POW in Third Reich and Their Repatriation, Westarbeiters, Interned Germans in the USSR, Scrolls from the Ashes.*



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## OLGA ROMANOVA

Butyrka Prison Blog

Authors of the Butyrka Diary describe the details of the arrests, lifestyle of prisoners, charges for “minor prison services” and share the information which they have learnt from other convicts.

*Olga Romanova is a renowned Russian journalist. She won TEFI, a well-known Russian TV Award as the best presenter of TV news program. She is an executive director of the civil rights movement Russia Behind Bars (“Rus’ Sidyaschaya”).*

In 2010 Butyrka Blog was awarded by the Deutsche Welle prize.

Anna Bykova



**MY CHILD LOVES PRESCHOOL**

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**MOTHER AND BABY IN THE  
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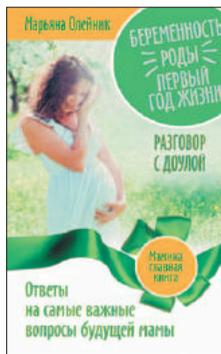
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**EVERYTHING YOU REALLY NEED  
TO KNOW ABOUT PREGNANCY**

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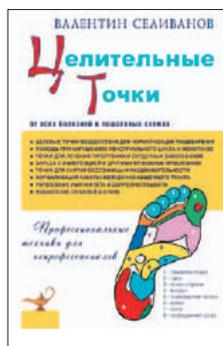
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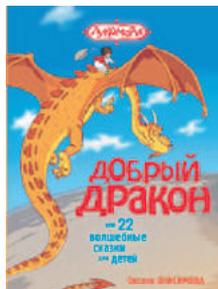
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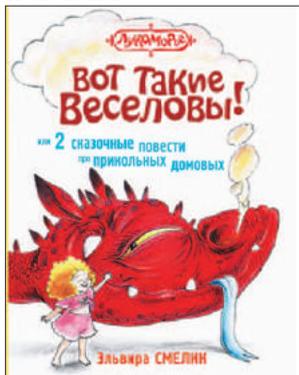
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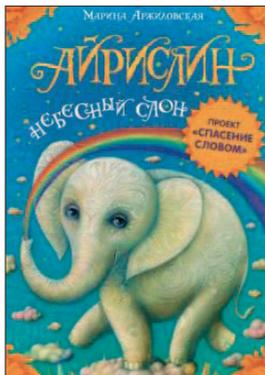
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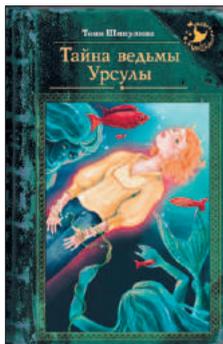
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Shortlisted for the prize Best  
fiction book for kids and teens

TONYA SHIPULINA



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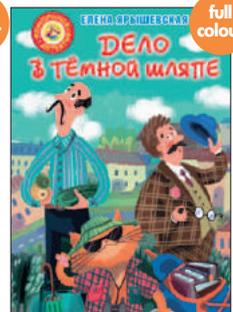
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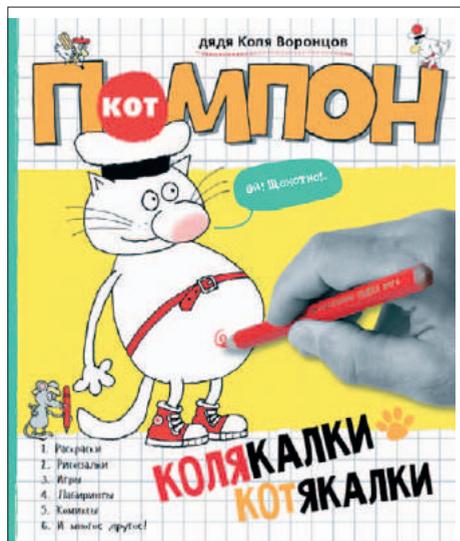
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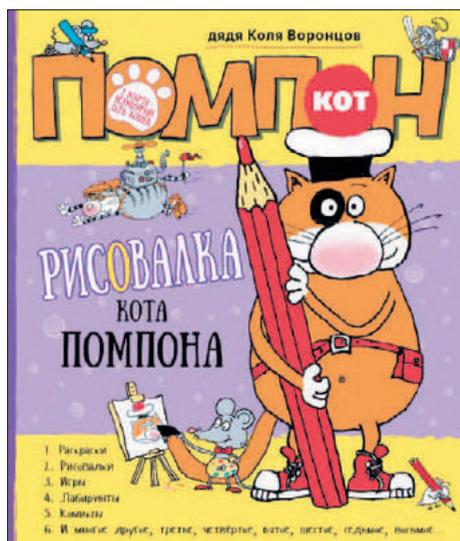
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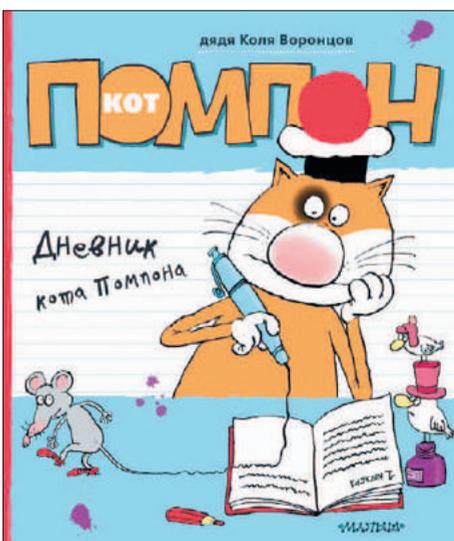
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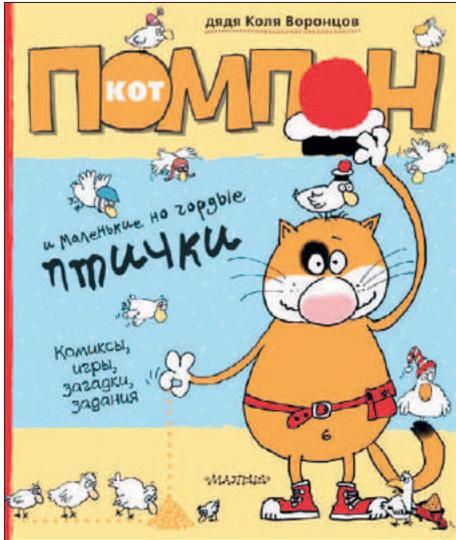
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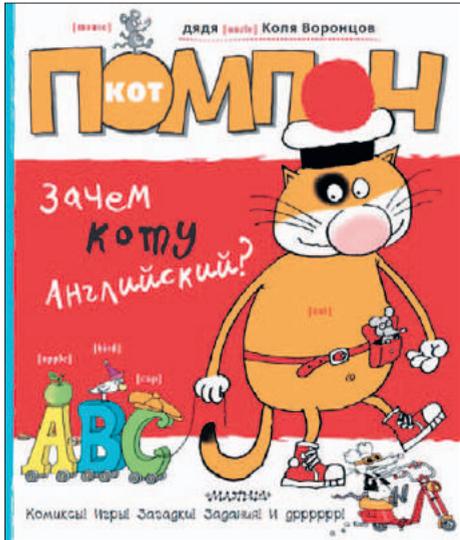
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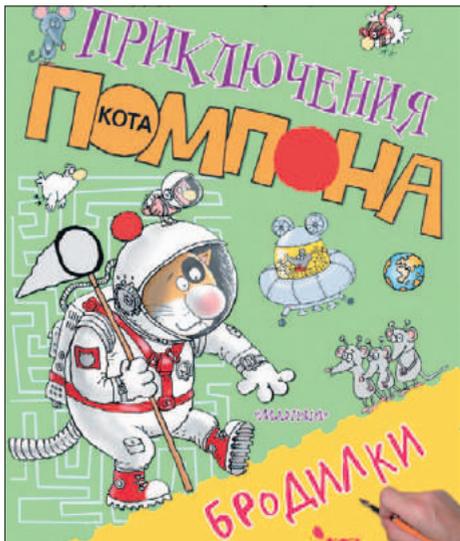
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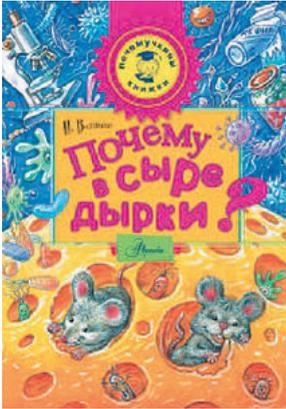
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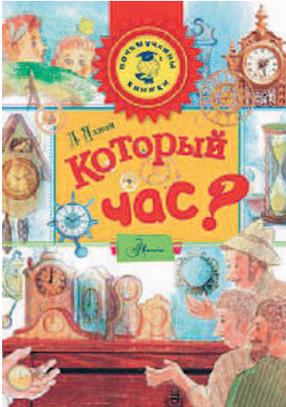
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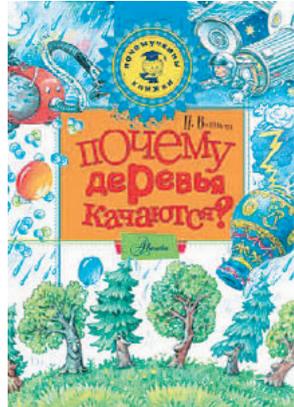
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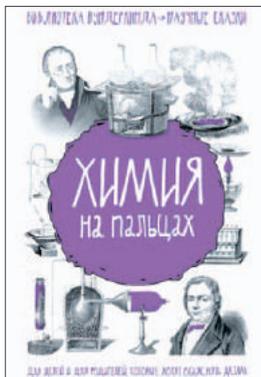


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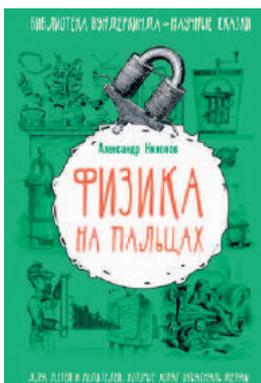
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