

Note on the anthology, *The Mills of the Gods and Other Stories* (1920).

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Although not indicated in the 1920 book publication, every story here was previously published, not in the order printed here. *Mills* had also come out in book form in 1908. The Sue Thomas bibliography does not list the earlier printing of "Tortoise-Shell Cat," but that story was prominently announced and then published in the volume of *Cosmopolitan*, August 1917. Furthermore, its publication there was used to promote ER's forthcoming serialized novel, *Camilla*.

For earlier publication history of the first six, see Sue Thomas entries 145 (Threlkeld Ear), 149 (Monica's), 155 (Miss Cal), 156 (Derrington) for the stories; 61-62 (*Mills*, serialized and book form), and 72-75 (*Under His Roof*, various printings) for those separately printed as well as anthologized. The Thomas bibliography is online in sections. See the sections list for Novels and Novellas and Fiction in Anthologies, linked from the main page,

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Thomas notes that this 1920 edition of the anthologized stories has only been seen in an English edition, though her diary states she edited proof for an alternate edition. The book is now online in page view format at *HathiTrust*, but these hypertext versions were keyed in as a feature of the first format of the Robins Web at Jacksonville State University. English spelling is maintained.

Go to the Tortoise-Shell listing,

<https://www.jsu.edu/robinsweb/docshort/tshelcat.html>, to link to the separate note on the layout of the illustrated format for the *Cosmopolitan* publication of "The Tortoise-Shell Cat."