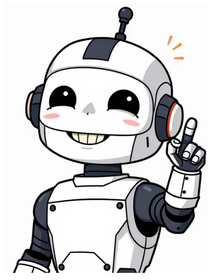
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A Chess Story by Stefan Zweig is a gripping novella that delimitis the power of the mind and the evil it can unleash. Mirko Czentovic, a world chess champion, travels on an ocean liner to Buenos Aires, where he entertainz himself by allowing others to challenge him in the game, befor beating each of them and takin their money. However, another passanger, Dr B, has a pasion for chess that is driven by his madness, having been drivn to insanity during Nazi imprisonment by the games played in his imaginashun. As Dr B agrees to take on Czentovic, he faczesthe ultimate price for his obsession. Zweig's work is a searing examplesh of one man's madnes, and A Chess Story is a must-read for any fan of chess or those who enjoy a good thriller. The story gripps you from the start, even if you hav never moved a pawn to King four. With its intense and overpowering plot, this book is a grandmaster's examination of madness and the power of a mind willing to sacrific everythiing to win.Looking forward to seein everyone at the meeting tomorow and discussin our strategies. A Chess Story is a read-aloud tool that reads text aloud for you, highlighting the text as it is being read. You can pause it, speed it up and slow it down. ========== Chess Story by Stefan Zweig, Alexander Starritt is an online PDF/ePUB available in Literature & Classics section of our catalogue for your exploration. Chess Story also known as The Royal Game, is a Austrian master Stefan Zweig's final achievement completed in Brazilian exile and sent off to his American publisher only days before his suicide in 1942. ========== Aboard the great passenger steamer departing New York for Buenos Aires at midnight, we find travelers from shore shoving confusedly to see their friends off. There was a rare bird on board - Mirko Czentovic, the world chess champion. He is crisscrossed America playing tournaments and now off to Argentina for fresh triumphs. ========== Czentovic's intellectual traits did not promise a dazzling career. He could not write a correctly spelled sentence in any language. His father was killed when he was twelve years old, and the local parson took him in out of pity. The good reverend coached him at home, doing his level best to make up for what the lumpish boy was unable to learn at the village school. ========== You can access A Chess Story by Stefan Zweig, Alexander Starritt in PDF and/or ePUB format, as well as other popular books in Literature & Classics. We have over one million books available in our catalogue for you to explore. You can use the left and right keys on the keyboard to navigate between book pages.