Alan Alexander Miln





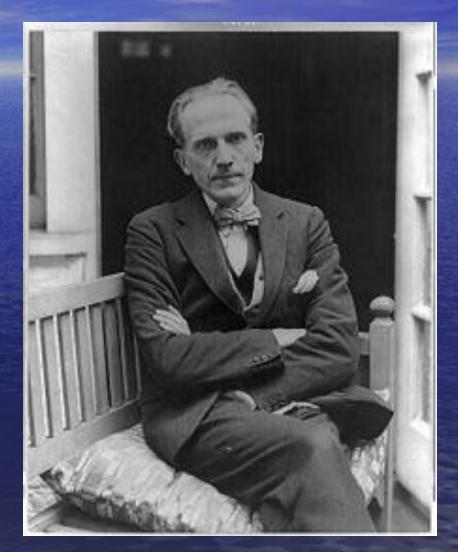






The meaning of the writer

Alan Alexander Milne was an English author, best known for his books about the teddy bear Winnie-the-Pooh and for various children's poems. Milne was a noted writer, primarily as a playwright, before the huge success of Pooh overshadowed all his previous work.



• According to the English tradition, the time, in which began his career Alan Alexander Milne, called the Edwardian, on behalf of king Edward VII, who ruled for the first ten years of the twentieth century. It is a short period after a very long, Victorian period. Historians refer to it as the time of «the calm before the storm» - the last age, when people of a certain circle is still possible was comfortable-quiet life for reading magazines and Newspapers, surrounded by pleasant companions and companions in the game of Golf.



Biography

A. Milne was born in London and grew up at a small public school run by his father. One of his teachers was H. G. Wells who taught there in 1889–90. Milne attended Westminster School and Trinity College, Cambridge, where he studied on a mathematics scholarship. Milne joined the British Army in World War I and served as an officer.

He married Dorothy de Sélincourt in 1913, and their only son, Christopher Robin Milne, was born in 1920.



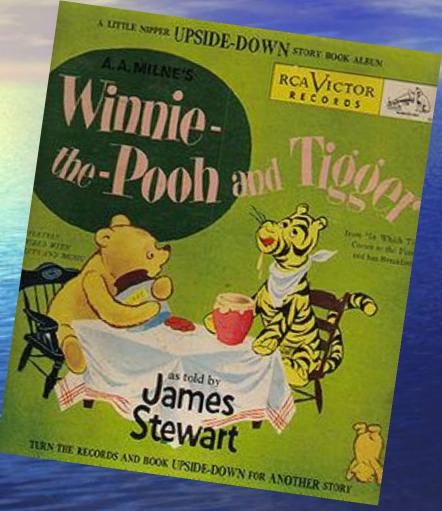


Milne bought a country home, Cotchford Farm, in Hartfield, East Sussex. During World War II, A. A. Milne was Captain of the Home Guard in Hartfield & Forest Row. He retired to the farm after a stroke and brain surgery in 1952 left him an invalid, and by August 1953 "he seemed very old and disenchanted". Milne died in January 1956, aged 74.

Milne is most famous for his two *Pooh* books about a boy named Christopher Robin after his son.



The Book «Winnie the Pooh»



The first Chapter was published in the newspaper before Christmas on the 24 December in 1925. The first separate the publication was published on the 14 October in 1926.

The first book—Winnie-the-Pooh



- 1. We Are Introduced to Winnie-the-Pooh and Some Bees and the Stories Begin.
- 2. Pooh Goes Visiting and Gets Into a Tight Place
- 3. Pooh and Piglet Go Hunting and Nearly Catch a Woozle
- 4. Eeyore Loses A Tail and Pooh Finds One
- 5. Piglet Meets a Heffalump
- 6. Eeyore Has A Birthday And Gets Two Presents
- 7. Kanga And Baby Roo Come To The Forest And Piglet Has A Bath
- 8. Christopher Robin Leads An Expotition To The North Pole
- 9. Piglet Is Entirely Surrounded By Water
- 10. Christopher Robin Gives Pooh A Party and We Say Goodbye

The second book — The House at Pooh Corner



- 1. A House Is Built At Pooh Corner For Eeyore
- 2. Tigger Comes to the Forest and Has Breakfast
- 3. A Search is Organdized, and Piglet Nearly Meets the Heffalump Again
- 4. It Is Shown That Tiggers Don't Climb Trees
- 5. Rabbit Has a Busy Day, and We Learn What Christopher Robin Does in the Mornings
- 6. Pooh Invents a New Game and Eeyore Joins In
- 7. Tigger Is Unbounced
- 8. Piglet Does a Very Grand
- 9. Eeyore Finds the Wolery and Owl Moves Into It
- 10. Christopher Robin and Pooh Come to an Enchanted Place, and We Leave Them There





Bear of Very Little Brain,

A Friend Of Piglet's, Rabbitt's, Discoverer Pole Christopher Robin Milne's stuffed bear, originally named "Edward", was renamed "Winnie-the-Pooh" after a Canadian black bear named Winnie (after Winnipeg), which was used as a military mascot in World War I, and left to London Zoo during the war. "The pooh" comes from a swan called "Pooh".





Eeyore





Piglet

Ow1 Rabbit



Various characters of his books were inspired by his son's stuffed animals.



Christopher Robin Milne's own toys are now under glass in New York.

E.H. Shepard drew pictures to the book

Shepard was named when A. A. Milne asked to recommend someone to illustrate his book.











Disney's «Winnie-the-Pooh»



Since 1966, Disney has released numerous animated productions starring Winnie the Pooh and related characters.

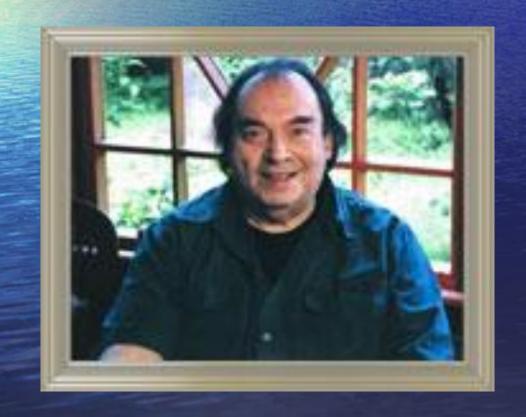
Russian «Winnie-the-Pooh»



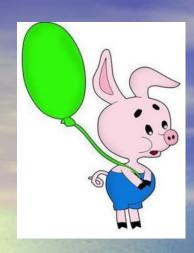
In the Soviet Union, three Winnie-the-Pooh, stories were made into a celebrated trilogy of short films by Soyuzmultfilm (directed by Fyodor Khitruk) from 1969 to 1972.

Films use Boris Zakhoder's translation of the book. Pooh was voiced by Yevgeny Leonov. He looked distinctly different from both the yellow-and-red Disney incarnation and Shepard's illustrations - he was brown instead of yellow, as he is known in the US.

Alan Alexander Milne's «Winnie-the-Pooh» was translated into Russian by Boris Zakhoder.



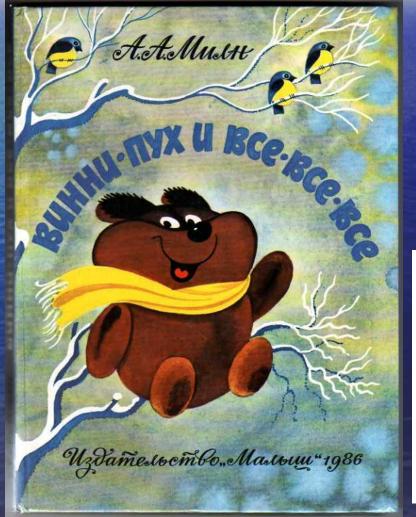
Zakhoder started publishing translations of children's literature in 1960 with A.A. Milne's *Winnie-the-Pooh*.



Do you know this cartoon?









Two heroes and one name.... Who is this?





Answer the questions:



1. Who are the main characters of the cartoon?



2. Who showed Winnie the wishing star?

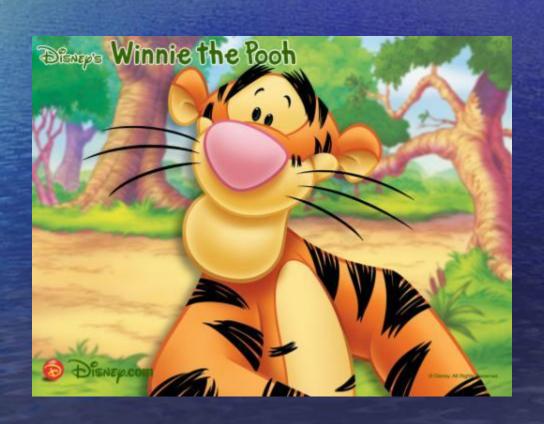


3. What was Wish?





6. What did Tigger want to wish?

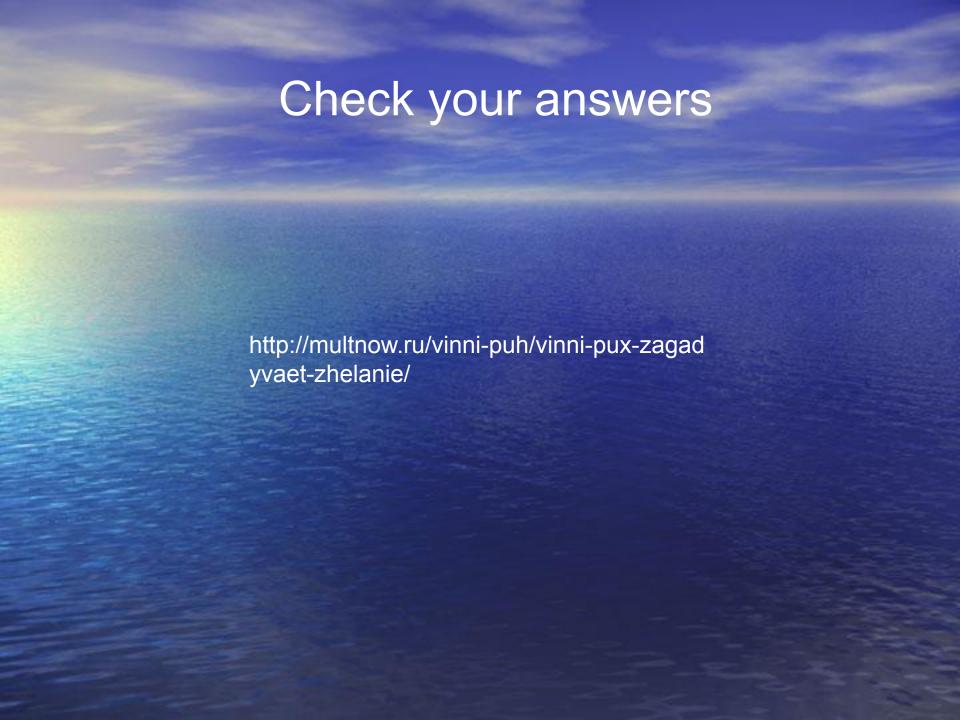


8. What was Rabbit's wish?



9. Who helped Winnie to remember the rhyme?





Well done!



What is the secret of this tale?

A tale radiates happiness. She is a kind, tender, her characters love each other because they are able to see and appreciate the good that is all.

The popularity of this story-fairy tale was so great that at London zoo was a monument to their hero toy the little bear Winnie the Pooh.

In 1997 by UNESCO the literary hero Winnie the Pooh was granted the honorary title of «Ambassador of friendship».



In Russia there's
a monument to Winnie
the Pooh too.
It can be seen
in Ramenskoye
Moscow region.



Interesting facts



 Winnie the Pooh is a popular cartoon characters Disney World takes the second place.

Winnie the Pooh is very popular in Poland, in Warsaw and Poznan People call the streets its name.

Books about the adventures of Teddy bears have been translated into 25 languages of the world.

A star called Winnie the Pooh – the 11 April in 2006





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