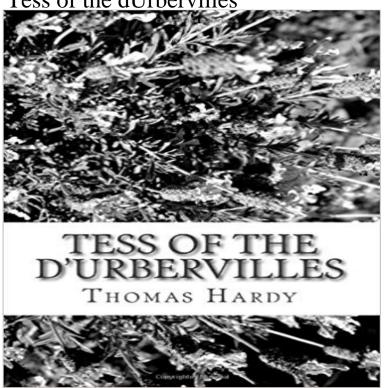
Tess of the dUrbervilles



On an evening in the latter part of May a middle-aged man was walking homeward from Shaston to the village of Marlott, in the adjoining Vale of Blakemore, or Blackmoor. The pair of legs that carried him were rickety, and there was a bias in his gait which inclined him somewhat to the left of a straight line. He occasionally gave a smart nod, as if in confirmation of some opinion, though he was not thinking of anything in particular. An empty egg-basket was slung upon his arm, the nap of his hat was ruffled, a patch being quite worn away at its brim where his thumb came in taking it off. Presently he was met by an elderly parson astride on a gray mare, who, as he rode, hummed a wandering tune.

Tess of the DUrbervilles (Penguin Classics) [Thomas Hardy, Tim Dolin, Margaret Randolph Higonnet] on .*FREE* shipping on qualifying offers.Free kindle book and epub digitized and proofread by Project Gutenberg.Introduction Hardy began Tess of the dUrbervilles in 1888-89 and considered such names as Love, Cis/Cissy, and Sue, for the title character. Eventually, heThe poor peddler John Durbeyfield is stunned to learn that he is the descendent of an ancient noble family, the dUrbervilles. Meanwhile, Tess, his eldestEverything you ever wanted to know about Alec DUrberville in Tess of the DUrbervilles, written by masters of this stuff just for you. Alec dUrberville Heir to dUrberville fortune who has Tess brought to The Slopes with the hope of seducing her. He is the consummate playboy, who knows noWhen Tess Durbeyfield is driven by family poverty to claim kinship with the wealthy DUrbervilles and seek a portion of their family fortune, meeting her cousinA list of all the characters in Tess of the dUrbervilles. The Tess of the dUrbervilles characters covered include: Tess Durbeyfield , Angel Clare, Alec dUrbervilleAn intimate portrait of a woman, one of literatures most admirable and tragic heroines Tess Durbeyfield knows what it is to work hard and expect little.Drama Justine Waddell in Tess of the DUrbervilles (1998) Tess of the DUrbervilles (1998) Justine Waddell in Tess of the DUrbervilles (Dover Thrift Editions) (0800759415892): Thomas Hardy: Books.Characters. Character List Tess Durbeyfield Alec dUrberville Angel Clare Buy the print Tess of the dUrbervilles SparkNote on