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In the long history of European prose fiction, few works have been more influential and more popular than the romance of chivalry *Amadis of Gaul*. Although its original author is unknown, it was probably written during the early fourteenth century. The first great bestseller of the age of printing, *Amadis of Gaul* was translated into dozens of languages and spawned sequels and imitators over the centuries. A handsome, valiant, and undefeatable knight, *Amadis* is perhaps best known today as *Don Quixote*'s favorite knight-errant and model. This exquisite English translation restores a masterpiece