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This history, preceded by a Preface of Theodore Roosevelt, is of very keen actuality. It deals with all the experiences endured, and it ought to be interesting to every one who likes reading military topics.

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