Until the 3rd century B.C., the relations between Rome and Carthage had been stable and friendly, as reflected in a mutual respect for each side’s respective zones of influence. However, this situation changed when the expansion of Rome threatened Sicily, which, defenseless at the time, was forced to solicit assistance from Carthage. This series of events led to the First Punic War, which ended with victory for Rome and the rise of the Roman Empire.

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- This work adds intrigue to the already mysterious controversy surrounding his incomprehensible retreat when it appeared that final glory was within his reach.  
- The book addresses part of Spanish history: Hannibal married an Iberian princess and he was considered by many from Hispania as one of their own.

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