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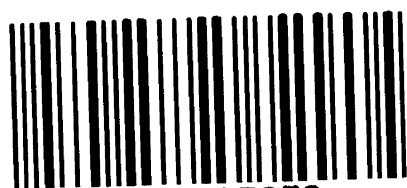
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## PREFACE

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THIS little book is an account of a few of my recent experiences, illustrating some of the manners and customs of the most ancient, distant, and least known savages surviving in Asia. So ancient is this race, that some of them who had long before emigrated to Japan, were described by the earliest historian of that empire nearly three thousand years ago.

So little known is this people as they still survive in their original home, that I find only two observers who have written about them, and that was nearly three hundred years ago.

The obscurity of this people has been largely due to the extreme distance of their sub-arctic island, and to the comparative inaccessibility of