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I should note that the edition that I read was subtitled 'Grandeur, Decadence, and Revolution 1869-1875', which is more accurate, as well as more exciting, than 'The Story of the Paris Commune'. This book is an involving, exciting, and wittily narrated history of the fall of France's Second Empire, the siege of Paris, and the Commune.

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