THE FAILURE IS MINE: STRATEGIC FAILURE IN MILITARY HISTORY

Failure is a common event in strategy. We do not plan to fail, of course. But even the best laid plans will end up leading loss. This talk examines some failures throughout history with a new take on why they failed. People, logistics, geography and politics all help contribute to the failure of a good plan. This talk will examine the 1879 battle of Isandlwana, the 1863 battle of Gettysburg, and the 1942 battle of Midway to examine just how strategy can fail.

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