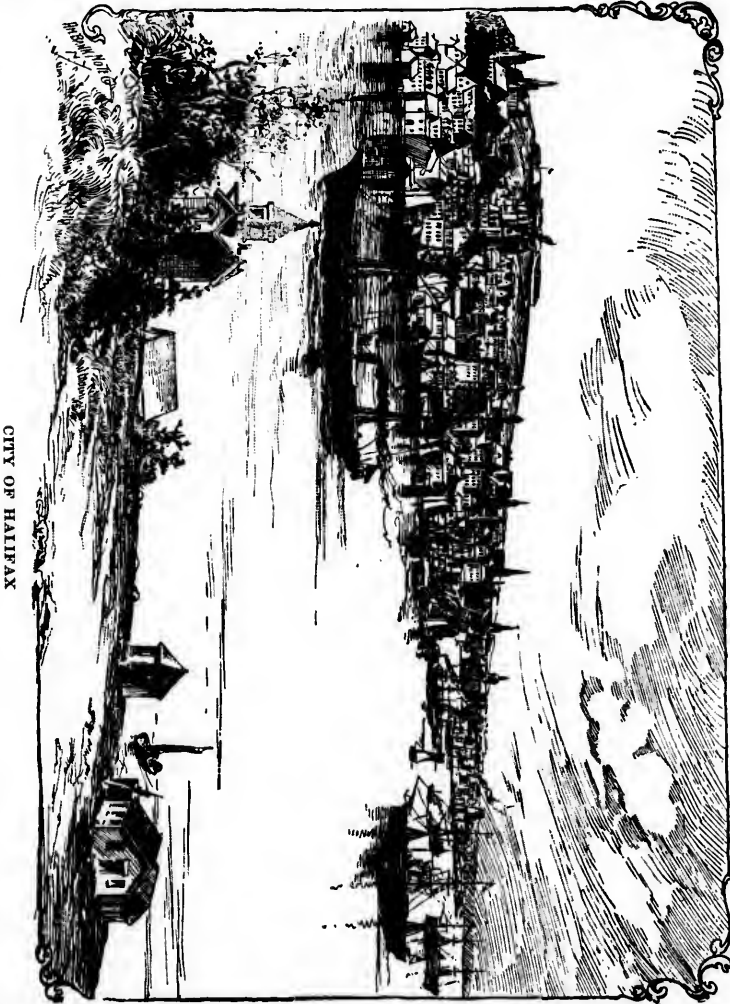


a detailed description is wholly unnecessary. To the south and east is its incomparable harbor, which narrows as the upper end of the city is reached, expanding again into Bedford Basin, which affords ten square miles of safe anchorage. It is situated upon the eastern slope of the isthmus, the citadel being 256 feet above the water. On the eastern side of the harbor is the town of Dartmouth. In the harbor lies the strongly fortified George's Island, and at the entrance, three miles away, is McNab's Island, also strongly fortified. The crowning



fortification is of course the citadel, and from it the tourist may have the finest view of the city, harbor and surroundings, and it will not soon be forgotten. There is no lack of amusement for visitors. A sail upon the Basin; a trip to McNab's island; a drive on Point Pleasant road and up the N. W. Arm; Prospect road and round Herring Cove; around Bedford Basin by Dartmouth; to Waverly and Portobello; to Cow Bay, and a dip in the roaring surf; these and