

Introductory

UEDEC, set high upon her immemorial throne, and robed in beauty by the hand of Nature, is everywhere acknowledged as the Queen of stronghold cities; while the innumerable records of the times when she was pregnant with the fate of Empires give her an equal fame as the very heart of New-World History: so, even a mere dry index to but a few of her thronging memories may serve the purpose of a single day, should it succeed in pointing out those souvenirs of War and Peace and Royal presence which may most fitly claim attention from a Soldier Prince.