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IN common with other settlements founded on this continent by the four great civilizing nations of the Old World, the English, the French, the Dutch and the Spanish, Montreal has her legends, her quaint reminiscences of early inhabitants who laid the foundation of her greatness.

Boston has the Puritans and their quaint history ; New-York revels in its tales of old Knickerbocker days ; New-Orleans becomes interesting through the French occupation ; Florida bears witness to the day of Spanish possession, Quebec looks back with pride to the part she played in the earlier development of the country, and as it is with all these, so it is with Montreal and her memories of the brave