

CONTENTS.

	PAGE.
CHAPTER I.	
DISCOVERY OF AMERICA—To 1497.	
Ancient Traditions—The Norsemen—Columbus—Vespucci—De Gama.....	9
CHAPTER II.	
EARLY EXPLORATION—To 1549.	
The Cabots—Coteréal—De Lery—Verazzani—Cartier—The Robervals.....	13
CHAPTER III.	
THE INDIAN TRIBES.	
The Mound-Builders—Modern Tribes—Arts—Wars—Superstitions—Alliances—Tribal Divisions—Present Condition.....	18
CHAPTER IV.	
CHAMPLAIN'S ADMINISTRATION—To 1635.	
Early Colonization—Frobisher—Magellan—Drake—Gilbert—Raleigh—Convicts on Sable Island—Chauvin at Tadoussac—Des Monts—Port Royal—Champlain Founds Quebec, and Explores the Country—Kirk's Conquest of Quebec—Its Restoration—Death of Champlain.....	24
CHAPTER V.	
THE HUNDRED ASSOCIATES—To 1663.	
English Colonization—Jamestown—Plymouth—Montmagny—Ville Marie—Huron Missions and Martyrs—Laval—Des Ormeaux.....	35
CHAPTER VI.	
ROYAL GOVERNMENT—To 1670.	
Supreme Council—De Mézy—De Tracy—Talon—Courcelles—Indian Wars—Seigniorial Tenure—Fur Trade.....	44
CHAPTER VII.	
DISCOVERY OF THE GREAT WEST—To 1687.	
Frontenac—Jesuit Explorers—Marquette—La Salle.....	51