



## A Narrative of Major General Wool's Campaign in Mexico: In the Years 1846, 1847, and 1848 (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

By Francis Baylies

Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.Excerpt from A Narrative of Major General Wool's Campaign in Mexico: In the Years 1846, 1847, and 1848 The writer of the following narrative, during the progress of the late war between the United States of America and Mexico, became deeply interested in the marvellous events which grew out of it, resembling rather the fictions of romance and chivalry, than the precision and mathematical exactness of modern warfare. On the question of the admission of Texas into the American Union as one of its states, the writer differed altogether from those with whom he had generally acted in political affairs; and notwithstanding the concurrent views of the leaders of the two great parties, who, on this question, thought alike, and whose opinions it was supposed would have a predominating influence over the whole people; it did seem to him that an opportunity was presented for strengthening our weakest, and, in a commercial view, our most important frontier, which might be lost forever if neglected. Texas had gained her independence by her own prowess, and by driving...



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