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We dare to invite the reader to accompany us in the descriptions of these projects, which place these "architectural strongholds" at the disposition of the general public, structures which were built over many centuries in the form of "stone walls" to provide military protection to the Port of Santos and to support the *bandeirante* missions to conquer and settle the Brazilian continent. We hope that the reader will reflect on these and other projects that seek to recover an important part of the historical formation of our nationhood, which started here in the former Captaincy of São Vicente.