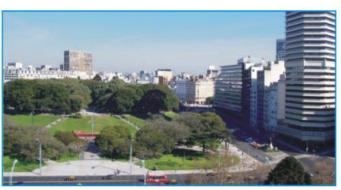
San Martín Square



During the XVII century, it was the location of a hermitage. Later it became the center of the slave trade and the site of the last bullring that stood in the city. At the beginning of the XIX century,. it was one of the battlefields where the British were repelled during the invasions and the place where, later on, General San Martín recruited his army to cross the Andes and libertate Chile and Peru from Spanish rule. Since the landscape designer Charles Thays refurbished this historical site at the end of the XIX century, the area is known as Plaza San Martin. Residences of some of the most aristocratic families were erected here during the early XX century.





ART DECO Kavanagh Building

1936

Sánchez, Lagos and De La Torre

- FOR YEARS THE TALLEST BUILGING IN SOUTHAMERICA
- PROW OF SHIP TOWARDS THE RIVER
- 30 FLATS 120 M. HEIGHT
- TRANSITION FROM ART DECO TO RATIONALISM



ROMANTICISM Monument to General San Martín

1860

Daumas (French) Eberlein (German)

- EBERLEIN (GERMAN ROMANTICISM ALLEGORIC SCULPTURES)
- THE OLDEST FIGURATIVE MONUMENT IN ARGENTINA
- ALLEGORIES ON A SOLDIERS LIFE AND RELIEFS WITH HIS BATTLES



ECLECTIC HISTORICISM

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1915

Arch. Alejandro Christophersen (Norwegian)

- FORMER ANCHORENA PALACE, FOR YHE THREE ANCHORENA BROTHERS
- 8.100 M2 (2.700 EACH BROTHER)
- NEOBORBONIC STYLE VERSAILLES ALIKE INTERNAL COURT





ECLECTIC HISTORICISM
Círculo Militar
Military Centre

1902

Arch. Louis Sortais (French) Carlos Agote

- FORMER PAZ PALACE. FOUNDERS OF LA PRENSA NEWSPAPER
- BIGGEST PRIVATE RESIDENCE IN ARGENTINA
- NEOBORBONIC STYLE WITH ITS BALLROOM DECORATED (VERSAILLES)



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PINTORESQUE

National Parks Central Office

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Arch. Passerón, Brizuela

- FORMER HAEDO PALACE - NEOMEDIEVAL STYLE





GERMAN NEOBAROQUE

Plaza Hotel

1910

Arch. Adolf Zucker (German)

THE FIRST LUXURIOUS HOTEL IN ARGENTINA - SAME ARCH WHO COLABORATED IN ST PATRICK IN NEW YORK- METAL FRAMEWOR BOW GLAZED WINDOWS

Other monuments:

BRIEFTOTHE FALLEN INTHE RECOVERY OF ARGENTINE MALVINAS - AGEDTREES OF SAN MARTIN SQUARE FRORIDA STREET - FEDERICO KLEMM'S MUSEUM (AVANT GARD)