The Birds Of The Cross. 237

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WRITTEN IN A GUEST-BOOK FOUND IN THE CHAMBER OF A PRIEND'S HOUSE, IN WHICH THE AUTHOR SPENT THE NIGHT.

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 ET us not sleep, Howe'er with tolls and cares we weary be,
Until we look, O loving Lord ! to Thee,
And cry.—"O Lord, have mercy upon me ! Iu Life, in Death, in Immortality, My Soul forever keep ! "

THE FLIGHT OF TYRANTS.

WRITTEN ON THE INTERVENTION IN THE CAUSE OF CUBA.

> If the great gods be just, they shall assist The deeds of justest men.

SHAKESPEARE.

HE bright Antilles shall be free,— Columbia speaks the word ! The Islands of the Eastern Sea Have Freedom's bugle heard. Tyrants, your destined hour is nlgh ! Fight ye like hawks; like hawks ye fly, Llke hawks ye dart upon your prey.— The weak, the faint. the helpless slay. Let Freedom rise to strike her hlow !— Go,—go,—go !

Ho! Tyrants, leave your quaking thrones, With trembling lips and dumb! Rejoice, ve People! Time atones! Rejoice! Your hour is come! The worth of MAN the Prond must learn :