

“ room for it), was constantly, in the camp, in the ships when
 “ at anchor, and in all the voyage employed in the care of the
 “ sick with a chearful countenance, shewing very clearly how
 “ fervent his disposition was in charity; executing all the
 “ offices of bleeding, &c. making their beds, assisting them in
 “ a good death, and laying them out after they were dead;
 “ and, in short, attending them till out of danger, or till their
 “ interment; but it was the divine will to call him to himself
 “ on this occasion.—Happy death, indeed! since it came at the
 “ end of such good works, performed with so much sweet-
 “ ness of disposition, that his only hope must have been to re-
 “ ceive a reward in Heaven, for his meritorious works on
 “ earth. He contemned the world as was fitting, since, when
 “ he happened to treat of the most exalted persons, who are
 “ Kings, he stiled them, *Men brought up in delights, and admi-
 “ nistered to by a great number of servants, from whom if they were
 “ taken, they would, without doubt, remain less powerful than
 “ other men; for not being taught to use their feet, their hands,
 “ and the other parts of their body, but to live, the greatest part,
 “ in a continued sloth, they know better to command, than to la-
 “ bour.* He wore woollen next his skin, with a habit reaching
 “ to mid leg, with a long beard and hair; and this austere
 “ life, and in the service at hospitals, he had spent many years,
 “ besides those which he had been a soldier in CHILI.

“ On LOUIS DE ANDRADA'S return, the chief pilot was sent
 “ to the same island with twenty men; many Indian embarka-
 “ tions followed them, but he, leaving six in the boat, landed
 “ with the rest. The natives feeling * the ill treatment on
 “ other occasions, received them with arrows and shouts; made
 “ many wheels †. They were shewn a sign of peace with a

* Escarmentados.

† Bueltas.