

Spaniard of distinction wandered every where in search of it; and no wonder, as Robertson observes, when Columbus himself could imagine that he had found the seat of Paradise.

P. 258, l. 4.

*And guavas blushed as in the vales of light.*

They believed that the souls of good men were conveyed to a pleasant valley, abounding in guavas and other delicious fruits. Herrera, I. iii. 3. Hist. del Almirante, c. 62.

P. 258, l. 5.

*There silent sate many an unbidden Guest,*

"The dead walk abroad in the night, and feast with the living;" (F. Columbus, c. 62) and "eat of the fruit called Guannaba." P. Martyr, dec. i. 9.

P. 258, l. 14.

*And sires, alas, their sons in battle slain!*

War reverses the order of Nature. In time of peace, says Herodotus, the sons bury their fathers; in time of war the fathers bury their sons! But the Gods have willed it so. I. 87.

P. 258, l. 23.

CAZZIVA, . . .

An ancient Cacique, in his life-time and after his death, employed by the Zemi to alarm his people. See Hist. c. 62.