

## CHAP. VIII.

*Morgan makes new preparations—A flotilla dispatched to plunder provisions, which object is successfully attained.—Singular capture of the isle of St. Catherine, for the purpose of procuring guides.—The Free-booters prepare to attack Panama.—Bloody attack of fort St. Lorenzo by a detachment under captain Brodely—Capture of it, which secures the Pirates a free landing—Division of their forces by land and water.—Narrative of their extraordinary adventures and sufferings during their long march to Panama—Defeat of the Spaniards and capture of that city.—Panama reduced to ashes, with all its warehouses and riches.—The Free-booters chase a richly laden Spanish galleon to no purpose—Cruel tortures inflicted on the prisoners by Morgan, particularly on a beautiful Spanish lady—Deplorable situation and subsequent deliverance of the prisoners, whom the Pirates dragged along with them—Unfair division of the booty and its consequences.—*  
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## CHAP. IX.

*Particulars respecting the further proceedings of the Free-booters.—Landing of a large body on the coast of Darien in 1680.—Capture of the city of Santa Maria.—They propose to attack Panama, now rebuilt—Tremendous engagement with, and defeat of, the Spanish fleet that defended Panama.—Death of Captain Harris.—Disagreement and separation of a large body of Free-booters.—Attack of the city of Puebla Nueva, and the death of Captain Sawlins.—Another separation from the main body.—Extreme misery of the Pirates.—Pillage of the cities of Ylo*