

Occasioned by long converse with the Europeans. As the Island became cleared- their chase was more contracted, and their bounds more exposed, and their very dwelling were open to Institution; large parties of the Caribs yearly migrated to neighbouring coasts of Trinidad, where the vast forest, promised recesses never to be disturbed and a range for the shifting settlement at pleasure, - and a wide course for the chase, and all the delights of savage freedom.

At the time I write, -alone the Charail family of Louis remains here, and is settled on the norther coast amidst the woods, and near the beach of a small and unfrequented bay, for advantage of Whiskey- the party consists of about 20 persons.

My first acquaintance with Louis was on a visit to Tobago in the year 1791- He spoke French intelligibly and answered many of the enquiries which I made relative to his nature and to its customs: as to its origins on History, He Knew no more than that his Father- pointed to the West'. His language I though might be a clue to the discovery, and having particularly in view to collect the information

for my respected friend, the learned Jacob Bryant; I requested Louis, to repeat the charail words- answering to the radicals in French,- 'Pere, Mere, Jabeil, Tom de and the following words, I then write from sound- and accurately; for on reading Louis the caharail words which he had uttered- he repeated in actum the words I had used in French. I here translate them into English.

The Sun	Vehu	Bird	Eafs
The Moon	Mone	Fish	Ofo
Earth	Hoang	Father	Baba
Sea	Bulane	Mother	Bahee
Fire	Wat-ho	Son	Wica
Water	Tona	Daughter	Hania
Wind	Carabal	Life	Nee
Rain	Conol	Death	Helahal
Thunder	Wawa-warou	god	naketee
Mountain	Weib	x.i.e Grande Mere- I questioned Louis much on this devil	Inaleva
Tree	We-wee		

I asked Louise, -what Inaleva did?- or was to do?

Louis , now a catholic having been converted whilst the French possessed the Island from 1782- to the year 1791-2 when this conversation took place; - told me- that The Charail people all believed , they were to live again in anther world, and that Haketee would take a God Charail- Qualeva. I bad?