## <u>Peas</u>

Pyramids of freshly picked peas cover the kitchen table.
Silver salad bowls fill with the chatter of relatives

and tiny green globes thumbed from pods with alacrity like children down a slide.

## **Strays**

Stray mutts saunter along streets and at corners in Curepe

turning vehicles sideline pedestrians to the curb,

leaving only gutters - three feet down - to catch us.

## <u>Untitled</u>

private jets enroute to an airport closing

like all things do to the disadvantage of the rich

and poor potatoes suffer beauty contests

and anxieties of being too short afflict carrots