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*Τὸν δ' εὔρε προκάρπιθε νεῶν ὀρθοκραιρῶν,
τὰ φρονέοντ' ἀνά θυμὸς, ἃ δὴ τετελεσμένα ἦεν.*

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I SHOULD perhaps apologise for the Poem which appears first in the title-page of this volume, not keeping the same order in the arrangement of its contents. That, however, which precedes it, was written with a view of serving as an introduction to a series of similar Fables ; and though my intention in this respect was altered, I suffered the indication of it more by chance than design to remain.

These pages can scarcely fail to present many differences and inequalities of style, since they have been composed at intervals during six or seven years, while both my opinions and my power of the great art, whose name they take in vain, have necessarily undergone a considerable change.

BRITTSFIELD PARK,
May, 1839.

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