FORGET NOT THE FIELD.



- 2 Oh! could we from death but recover Those hearts, as they bounded before, In the face of high heav'n to fight over That combat for Freedom once more:—
- Could the chain for an instant be riven Which Tyranny flung round us then. Oh! 'tis not in man, nor in Heaven,
- 4 But 'tis past, and tho' blazon'd in story,
 The name of our Victor may be.
 Accurst is the march of that glory.
 Which treads o'er the hearts of the free.
- 5 Far dearer the grave or the prison,
 Illumn'd by one patriot name,
 Than the trophics of all who have risen
 On Liberty's ruins, to fame!