

land and provisions; the certainty of employment; the excellence of the soil and climate; the moderate distance it is from the Mother Country; and the similarity of its laws, habits, customs, and general state of society to those of England; none of which exist in the same degree in those parts of the United States, where a poor emigrant would have any chance of becoming a landed proprietor. Many people from ignorance go to New York, a city as large as Liverpool, to which latter place it would be as sensible to emigrate from any other part of England, as to the former. Every profession, trade, and employment is full in the large towns in the United States, and there is no opening for the poor man in any of them.

Although I have greatly exceeded the limits which I had prescribed to myself when I began to put my thoughts on paper for the use of the labouring poor, being drawn on by the interest which I feel upon this subject, I cannot refrain from saying a few words in conclusion to the small capitalist.