

gave him birth, unless more effectual exertions shall be made, than is in the power of an individual, to save it from destruction ; for although it be capable, with negative exertions only of the legislature, to be rendered a flourishing country, and of great service to the state, since every inhabitant has innumerable resources of wealth furnished by nature at his door, were they permitted to make the proper use of them. But being deprived of that by the impolitic salt laws, and other oppressions, must drive them to despair, and ultimately tend to make them seek an asylum in the wilds of America. Even the humane law that is now passing in the House of Commons respecting the coal duty, unless care shall be taken to adapt it to the circumstances of those remote corners, by particular provisions suited to the