Contents

Preface xi

On the Unity of Misery and the Diversity of Happiness

II Of War, Cruelty, and General Human Nastiness 14

ш

Of Hunger, Toil, Injustice, and Oppression 40

IV

Of Heresy, Intellectual Freedom, and Scholarship 78

V Of Predatory Democracy: the USA 105

Some Prospects for Predatory Democracy 150

> Index 195