

this address, and that, as president of the Board of Trade, such a report from your office as these sheets contain, would, one day, perhaps, become necessary for the due information of his Majesty's ministers, I did not hesitate to adopt the means most likely to attract their attention; which I am confident is all that is necessary to produce the desired effects, of saving the colonies from the danger impending over them, and of rendering them, what I am convinced the ministry wish, *a happy portion of HIS MAJESTY'S EMPIRE*; than which nothing in this life can so highly contribute to the satisfaction of him, who has the honour to subscribe himself,

Sir,

Your most obedient

and very humble servant,

WILLIAM SABATIER.

London, March 22d, 1821.