

Blunder of that Method, and at his Hint it was altered: Indeed I must confess, that with respect to the m——l Care or Discovery of the Blunder, they might have gone in the Manner you say; but, Sir, as the Boatswain saw more than the M——r, and as the Stores were not sent as you assert, I affirm the Fact is falsely represented by you; shameful Behaviour! And that, as the *Roman* Emperors triumphed for the Victories of their Generals at which they were not present, so the M——rs have a Right to triumph for the old Boatswain's Discovery, of which they knew nothing at all.

HOWEVER, give me leave to subjoin, that even sending the Stores out in the separate Manner you mention, and purchasing unflammable Gunpowder, do not contradict, but coincide perfectly with that uniform System of humbling us, and the saucy *Americans*. How then, even in that Sense, can it be called a Blunder or Imbecility in a M——r? Your Servant, Mr Doctor, what a Head you have.