

to be considered, that she hath it in her Power to alarm us in different Quarters of the World, and so to divide and draw off our Strength, in the Protection of our Trade and distant Settlements, as to leave us too much exposed at Home. Yet, notwithstanding the Consideration of those Matters is really alarming, it is still in our Power, if we do not delay the Season, to put our Affairs into such a Posture as to defy all the secret and open Attempts of *France* against us. But, as is humbly conceived, this can only be done by having a regular uniform Course of Proceeding, which may be the Means of
saving

fav
 ney
 pro
 Tin
 lost
 vert
 may
 into
 twel
 with
 fures
 Tim
 All
 Exp
 have
 had
 of
 Fun
 Am