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Van Straubenzee Little alternative to war.

Warren No compromise. Invade even if lack of air cover only gives 50/50 chance.

Chapman Believes we can recover Falkland within a 30 minute battle.

Haselhurst World would be more dangerous if we did not recover islands.

Watson Accepts invasion but concerned that expectations are too high.

Wilkinson Concerned that we might fudge the issue.

Dunwoody "For God's sake go in and sock it to them. We cannot hold them in the Shadow Cabinet much longer." (Via Jim Spicer).

Grylls Not a hawk but do not hang around much longer.

Murphey Will insist on the three principals.

12th May 1982

Teddy Taylor Fears the Government will fudge the issue.

Marlow We must get ashore very soon.

Stanbrook No compromise.

John Browne Worried about a deal on Falklands.

Bendall Attack soon. No compromise.

Biggs-Davison Worried about a sell out of the three principals

Gorst Will leave politics if Argentinians have anything to show for their aggression. Accepts U.N. trusteeship however.

Gray Very hawkish. Will resign if a deal gives less than 100%.

Moore