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1. Time [illegible] 210820A

2. Message received from CinC Fleet.

3. Message received by ACNS(OP).

4. Text of Message

BAHIA PARAISO

~~1. Item 1 is being followed up by FCO Signal to Brazil~~

2. Item 3 arises from attached letter I presume. [initials]

(1) Fleet has detached HMS PLYMOUTH to:-
Stop
Escort
Board & Search Bahia Paraiso.

(2) Fleet is thinking of asking Bahia Paraiso to join Uganda in the Red Cross Box and take off the Argentinian wounded. Could ACNS(OP) pse discuss at DOE.

(3) Dennis Thatcher has suggested to CinC Fleet that Invincible & Hermes be surrounded by cheap Merchant Ships. "Label Chaff". Fleet are naturally following this up!

[signature]

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