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HEREWITH SOLE MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION ON BERKELEY STREET BRAZILIAN AND PORTUGUESE SECTIONS CMA FRIEDMAN WILL REPORT IN DETAIL ON CRYPT OBSERVATIONS PD SECTION COMPRISES TEN PEOPLE OF WHOM FIVE ARE DECODERS AND CLERICAL AND FIVE ARE LINGUISTS BOOKBREAKERS OF WHOM TWO DO CRYPTANALYSIS PD NO PERMANENT EMPLOYEES PD HEAD OF SECTION EXELL IS A BOTANIST WHO HAS RESEARCHED ON PORTUGAL AND COLONIES PD BRAZILIAN LARGELY HANDLED BY HIS WIFE AND ONE ASSISTANT PD ENTERPRISE STARTED FEBRUARY NINETEEN FORTY AT WHICH TIME ALL CONTINUITY HAD BEEN LOST PD AS IN CASE OF ITALIAN CMA BRITISH HAVE BEEN COVERING SEVERAL PORTUGUESE CONTINENTAL CIRCUITS INACCESSIBLE TO US CMA I WILL RUN OVER THESE OLD DECODES AND SEND YOU NUGGETS PAREN TO STRONG FOR CLARK AND CORDERMAN FROM TAYLOR SGD PEABODY PAREN PD AM TOLD THAT SINCE APRIL FIRST THEY HAVE BEEN SLIDING US ALL PORTUGUESE XGP TRAFFIC CMA BUT NOT PORTUGUESE COLONIAL TRAFFIC CMA WHICH CAN BE READ HERE PD ONE BASIC BOOK FOR ALL COLONIAL WITH VARIETY IN KEYS PD AM TOLD COLONIAL TRAFFIC IS MOST UNINTERESTING BUT WILL LOOK IT OVER PD PORTUGUESE MILITARY USE PLAYFAIR AT LISBON AND LOURENCO MARCHES CMA SIMPLE SUBSTITUTION AT ATLANTIC ISLANDS CMA BRITISH READ BOTH

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KINDS PD AT END OF MARCH THIS YEAR THE PORTUGUESE BOUGHT
SOME SWEDISH HAGELIN RPT HAGELIN MACHINES AND HAVE THEM
AT AIR WAR AND COLONIAL MINISTRIES CMA SOME AZORES TRAFFIC
II HAGELIN HAS BEEN OBSERVED PD PORTUGUESE SECURITY
POLICE IN AZORES AT PONTA DELGADA ARE USING THE ALPHABET
SUBSTITUTION CMA I AM TOLD BRITISH EAG'S SENT US THE KEYS
FOR THIS

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