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I understand that Humphrey Atkins has been spending some time looking through various Foreign Office papers on the Falkland Islands.

He has been saying that the papers make it clear that after an inquiry the Treasury will come out as the major culprits. He fears that in the end this will cause considerable extra pressure on you.

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