N.º 13.

Illmo Snr

Apresento a levar a prezença de V.S., a copia conforme junta, do Officio que acabo de receber do Vice Consul de Plymouth com data de 8 do corrente; annunciando a arribada a aquelle porto da Fragata Imperial, Izabel, Capitaõ Grenfell, tendo a seu bordo a Serenissima Senhora D.ª Izabel.

Dando desta communicaçaõ parte ao dito Vice Consul, lhe exponho naõ ter por hora recebido authorizaçaõ ou ordem alguma de V.S., a respeito desta Fragata, cujas ordens, sejaõ directas a elle Vice Consul ou aquellas que por minha via tiver V.S. a bem transmetter, deverá unicamente seguir.

Deos Guarde a V.S. Consulado Geral do Brazil. Em Londres a 10 de Fevereiro de 1830.

Illmo Snr Eustaquio Adolfo de Mello Mattos

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A. L. de Oliveira

(Copy)

Plymouth 8th February 1870.
Brazilian Rio Consulate.

Esteemed Friend,

I beg to advise the arrival here to day of H:M:M: Frigate, Isabelle, Captain Grenfell in 15 Days from Rio, having on board the Princess Isabelle bound for Breste which Port she could not make in consequence of the stormy weather.

Mr. D'Almeida one of the gentlemen in charge of the Princess has been on shore to make arrangements for her departure for London and I have given him my best assistance herein. In the meantime I have sent some fresh Provisions on board for the Table and shall supply what Captain Grenfell demands for the Frigate of which I doubt not thee will approve.

I have not yet seen Captain Grenfell owing to my being so much engaged with Mr. D'Almeida but I hear the Frigate has suffered much during the voyage of which I shall report further when I have had the pleasure of seeing Captain Grenfell.

I am very respectfully &c
Thy assured Friend
(Signed) William Fox

M. A. De Paiva Esqre.
Brazilian Consul General
London.

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Jno. Backhouse
Vice Consul