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To: Lisbon  
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It may be a strategic trick of the enemy to supply FUJI reports and other articles with the help of spies so that faithful Japanese translations may be made and then be decoded. In view of the danger to the security of our code, in the future, please handle all such messages with the greatest care. (1) Instead of faithful Japanese translations of the contents of messages arrange to make suitable summaries. (2) Use --G-- --G-- machine codes.

Since the parties in league with the spies should be identified, please make careful observations of the daily activities of those offering FUJI reports and make a thorough investigation of the places these parties frequent. Please send results by reply wire.

*(See D messages, re "two things"?)*

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This sheet of paper and all of its contents must be safeguarded with the greatest care. Utmost secrecy is necessary to prevent drying up this sort of vital intelligence at its source.