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To: Tokyo  
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In my wire #181, I gave the present status of the Russian Army Code as of June 8th to 30th. They have been sending in this code, based upon the second rule, for about a week.

The code messages used by the regiments, brigades, etc., and the small units can now be intercepted. These are in three to two digit code and are easily read.

In view of the fact that the code is becoming increasingly more difficult to break down, I think it would be well, now that Japan is facing a show down with Russia, to make preparations to intercept and read all the messages to and from the small units.

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(Japanese)

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