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From: Tokyo (Shigemitsu)  
To: Berlin  
14 April 1944  
JAA

#243

Regarding your message #215<sup>a</sup>.

Will you please destroy A #50<sup>b</sup> so that none of its mechanism will be left. And after you have finished disposing of this wrecked machine, will you please send us a wire with the one group 19011.

- a - C.I. 1777.
- b - Doubtless the cryptographic unit of a purple machine.

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Japanese

C.I. 1898

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