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It is advisable for Japan to work on the codes of the small nations which do not employ such difficult systems because they supply important information on the United States and Great Britain. The breaking of Turkish ciphers and others has been extremely valuable along these lines. It is now very hard to read American and British diplomatic systems and we must get intelligence from these other sources.

Japan's war aims should be very carefully guarded. We can help do this by strengthening our surveillance of the enciphering of the traffic from China, the South Seas, and Manchuria.

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