NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM: GINNAV
RELEASED BY: CAPT ALLEN
DATE: 3 FEB 1942
TOR CODEROOM: 
DECODED BY: ROCHET
PARAPHRASED BY: 

ADDRESSEES: COM NORTH ATLANTIC NCF
COM SOUTHERN NCF
COM PANAMA NCF
COM CARIBBEAN NCF
CINCLANT

INFORMATION:
NSHQ
SD(1) JAMAICA
CINCWl

FOR ACTION:
PRIO
RMR
RM
DF

NAVAL MESSAGE

APPROACHES TO BOSTON HARBOR BETWEEN CAPE ANN AND CAPE COD WILL BE MINED DURING SECOND WEEK FEB. APPOXIMATE LOCATION OF ENTRANCE BUOYS AS FOLLOWS: NORTHERN PASSAGE NEAR CAPE ANN LAT 42-36.2' N 70-33.8' WEST SOUTHERN PASSAGE NEAR CAPE COD LAT 41-18.5' N LONG 70-06.3' WEST.

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A FLYING BOAT WITH TRIPLE ENGINE RED MARKINGS FLYING NORTH ABOUT FOUR THOUSAND FEET TYPE UNKNOWN HERE REPORT FROM MAIAN.

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REFERENCE TO MY 2292/1, INFO FROM CAUTION ISLAND INDICATES THAT THE STATION "KFGJ" MENTIONED IS PROBABLY "KFGJEG" ON HOWLAND ISLAND. CAUTION ISLAND HAS SIGNALLED THAT NOTHING FURTHER IS KNOWN OF THIS INCIDENT.

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NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM: NEW ZEALAND NAVAL BOARD
RELEASED BY:
DATE: 26 DEC 1941
TOR CODE NO: 0644/24
DECODER: LUNDBERG
PARAPHRASER: GNUT

TO: CINC EASTERN FLEET ADMIRALTY R34
CAPTAIN, AUSTRALIAN COMMNAV BOARD
CAPTAIN, RINC COMMODORE /C SINGAPORE
CAPTAIN, CINCPAC /C NAVAL BOARD
CAPTAIN, CINCPAC /C OPNAV

FOR ACTION: ROUTINE
PRECEDENCE: DEFERRED

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(CINC EASTERN FLEET ADMIRALTY R34, AUSTRALIAN COMMONWEALTH NAVAL BOARD, NETHERLAND INDIES NAVAL CINC, COMMODORE IN CHARGE SINGAPORE, CINCPAC, OPNAV FROM NEW ZEALAND NAVAL BOARD)

(GILBERT ISLAND AREA) (1) TARAWA REPORTED SHIPS 1800Z 24TH WHICH LANDED AIRCRAFT AT 1900Z 24TH. TARAWA REPORTED CRUISER OPERATING A SEAPLANE AT 2355Z 24TH. BOTH REPORTS GRADED B 2.

(2) THE GILBERT ISLANDS

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**TEXT**

CINC FAR EASTERN FLEET (SR) ADMN OF AUSTRALIAN COMMONWEALTH
NAVAL BOARD, MELBOURNE, GINPAC, CHICAO, OPAVNS, NZ NAVIC FIJI
CAPT ON STAFF SINGAPORE FROM NEW ZEALAND NAVAL BOARD WELLINGTON
GILBERT ISLAND. JAPANESE CARRIED OUT AIR RECONNAISSANCE OF
GILBERT ISLAND ON 17TH 19TH AND 22ND DEC. AIRCRAFT REPORTED AS
4 ENGINED HIGH HING FLYING BOATS. SEAPLANES ALSO REPORT PROBABLY
USING MAKI ISLANDS AS BASE. NO FURTHER JAPANESE ACTIVITY AGAINST
TARANA, GRADE 82. NUKUSETAU ELLICE ISLANDS REPORTED 5 SUBMARINES
SIGHTED 583/2 22ND COURSE NORTH WEST. GRADE 83. GINPAC PASS TO
OPNAV

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**NAVAL MESSAGE**

**DRATER:** NEW ZEALAND NAVAL BOARD  
**RELEASED BY:** NEW ZEALAND NAVAL BOARD  
**DATE:** 24 DEC 1941  
**TOR CODEROOM:** 1926  
**DECODED BY:** HENDRICKSON/HORD  
**PARAPHRASED BY:** HORD  

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**NAVY DEPARTMENT**

**ADDRESS:** CINC FAR EASTERN FLEET (BR) ADMTY 916  
**ADMITTED:** ACMH CO(S) SINGAPORE CINCPAC CINCAF  
**OPNAV, CZN:**  

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**PRECEDENCE:**  
**FOR ACTION:** PRIORITY  
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**TEXT:**
CINC BAR EASTERN FLEET (BR) ADMTY 916 AUSTRALIAN COMMONWEALTH NAVAL BOARD MELBOURNE CAPTAIN ON STAFF SINGAPORE CINCPAC CINCAF OPNAV CZN (R) NO1C FIJI FROM NEW ZEALAND NAVAL BOARD WELLINGTON N Z. JAPANESE LANDING OR BOMBARDMENT REPORTED AT 2417/24TH AT ABUANT, GILBERT ISLANDS. ONE 6000 TON CRUISER REPORTED PRESENT. REPORT 81. TYPE OF SHIP IN USE 02.

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CINCPAC has this. Tarawa and Butaritari Gilbert attacked and apparently successful Japanese landings made. Ocean and Nauru repeatedly bombed.
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TEXT

CINCPAC HAS THIS. TARAWA AND BUTARITARI GILBERT ATTACKED AND APPARENTLY SUCCESSFUL JAPANESE LANDINGS MADE.

OCEAN AND NAURO REPEATEDLY BOMBED.

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SEE ARTICLE 76(4) NAV REGS.
NEW ZEALAND NAVAL INTELLIGENCE INFORMED ME CONFIDENTIALLY, NOT FOR TRANSMISSION, THAT JAP CONSUL IN WELLINGTON HAD RECEIVED ORDERS TO DESTROY HIS CODES. A REPLY USING CODE WORD INDICATING COMPLIANCE HAS BEEN SENT TO TOKYO. ALSO THE JAP CONSULS AT AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND HAVE BEEN DIRECTION TO FORWARD ALL POSSIBLE GEOGRAPHIC DATA. TO KEEPS SOURCE AVAILABLE TO THE BRITISH, SECRECY IS DESIRED.

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FILES OP-20....PRES-OP..DUMMY.

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