December 23, 1943

MEMORANDUM

Luxford and I called Donald Hiss in Atlantic City today concerning particularly cable 354. Hiss confirmed that the men who had initialed this cable were Atherton, Dunn, Durbrow and Hickerson. He stated that Durbrow's initials were typed on the original message; that Atherton and Dunn had initialed in red pencil; that Hickerson had initialed in ink. He further confirmed that this cable had been signed "HULL" by "SW". He said he could not be sure whether the initials "SW" were actually the initials of Sumner Welles.

J.E.D.

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