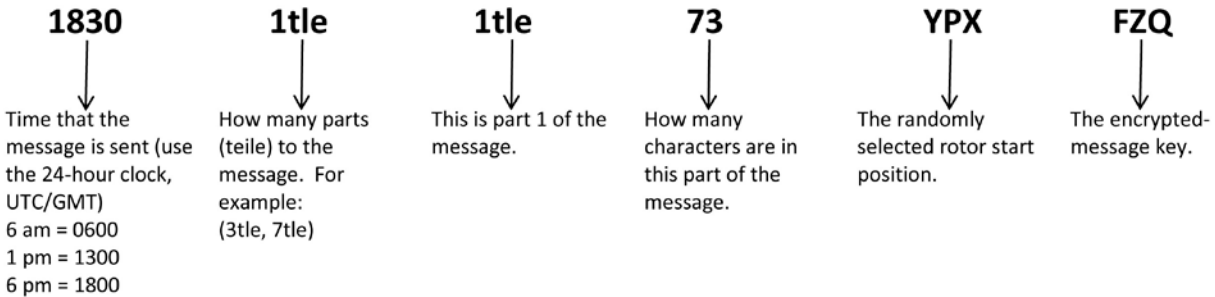## 7. SENDING YOUR MESSAGE

1. Click on the member from the Member List to whom you would like to send your message. Your email program should open with the member's email address in the "TO:" box. In the "Subject" box, type in the U571 codesheet month, day, year, and Enigma model that you used to encrypt the message. For example: Use my U571 Codesheet, December 16, 1944, Model B.

2. Click down into the main message box of the email. In this box you must first type what is called a "header." The header should be arranged like this:

1830	1tle	1tle	73	YPX	FZQ
Time that the message is sent (use the 24-hour clock, UTC/GMT) 6 am = 0600 1 pm = 1300 6 pm = 1800	How many parts (teile) to the message. For example: (3tle, 7tle)	This is part 1 of the message.	How many characters are in this part of the message.	The randomly selected rotor start position.	The encrypted-message key.

3. Refer to the U571 December 1944, codesheet, Day 16.

4. Look at the last section entitled "Kenngruppen".

5. Choose the first 3-letter group, **GQP**, and type these as the first three letters of your message.

6. Then select 2 random letters, choose **FA**, and type in these letters right after you type in **GQP**.

7. Now proceed and: (**OPTION 1**) type the rest of your message in the message section of the email or, (**OPTION 2**) paste the copied message into the message section of the email. **Note:** When pasting the message, the 3-letter encrypted message key is included at the beginning of the message. **Delete** this 3-letter encrypted message key This is not part of the message. It is included in the header. After deleting the 3-letter encrypted message key, your message will not be in groups of four or five. You will need to readjust the groupings manually into 4- or 5-letter groups.

8. Your encrypted message should look something like this.

1830   1tle   1tle 73   YPX   FZQ (encrypted message key)

GQPFA CHESY QJBXB VAJEM UNAYU XLCGH ZSBNE NVFAY WZHVY TFBMT DWXMR QZIHX OGQQW THOSF FNHOU EIF

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9. Click send.