1. In a device of the character described, a source of current, a series of multiple-contact switches adapted to provide a plurality of variable paths for electrical signals, the said series having a plurality of contacts at each end thereof, another switch for selecting a contact at one end of said series, and a signaling device associated with each of the contacts at the other end of said series.

2. In a device of the character described, a source of current, a series of multiple-contact switches adapted to provide a plurality of variable paths for electrical signals, the said series having a plurality of contacts at each end thereof, another switch for selecting a contact at one end of among a predetermined no. of contacts and said plurality of said series, a signaling device associated with each of contacts at the other end of said series, and means for varying the significance of the energization of a signaling device.

3. In a device of the character described, a source of current, a series of multiple-contact switches adapted to provide a plurality of variable paths for electrical signals, the said series having a plurality of contacts at each end thereof, another switch adapted to make successive circuits between said source of current and a predetermined number of selected contacts at one end of said series, and a signaling device associated with each of the contacts at the other end of said series.
4. In a device of the character described, a source of current, a series of multiple-contact switches adapted to provide a plurality of variable paths for electrical signals, the said series having a plurality of contacts at each end thereof, another switch adapted to make successive circuits between said sources of current and a predetermined number of selected contacts at one end of said series, and means for varying the paths through said multiple-contact switches.

5. In a device of the character described, a source of current, a series of cryptographic rotors (or the like) adapted to provide a plurality of variable paths for electrical signals, the said series having a plurality of contacts at each end thereof, another switch for selecting a contact at one end of said series, a signaling device associated with each of the contacts at the other end of said series, and an additional switch adapted, when closed, to provide a signal to said series of rotors, and, when opened, to actuate said rotor stepping device.

Claim 6 added by amendment
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