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REMARKS			
<p>1. The patent information appearing in connection with the ASAM-1 and the ASAM-2 seems satisfactory; that appearing elsewhere and particularly in connection with Converter M-209 contains nonstandard language and numerous errors.</p> <p>2. Paragraph 18 of the discussion of the ASAM-4 should be expanded to include an application of Przysiecki, serial number 21,292, for a mechanical arrangement for synchronizing a receiving selector drum with an incoming telegraph signal. The full names of the inventors of the ASAM-4 machine are: Theodore I. Przysiecki, Stephen Janiszewski, and Arthur E. Heinig.</p>			
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3. My own feeling is that patent information concerning our various machines should be strictly limited to applications and patents directed to those machines, and that no attempt should be made to award credit for early inventions; neither is any good purpose served by including information on conception dates, Signal Corps Board recommendations, etc.



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