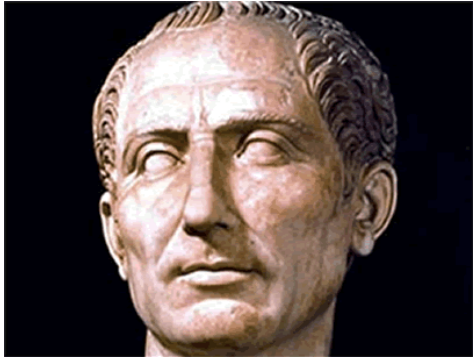


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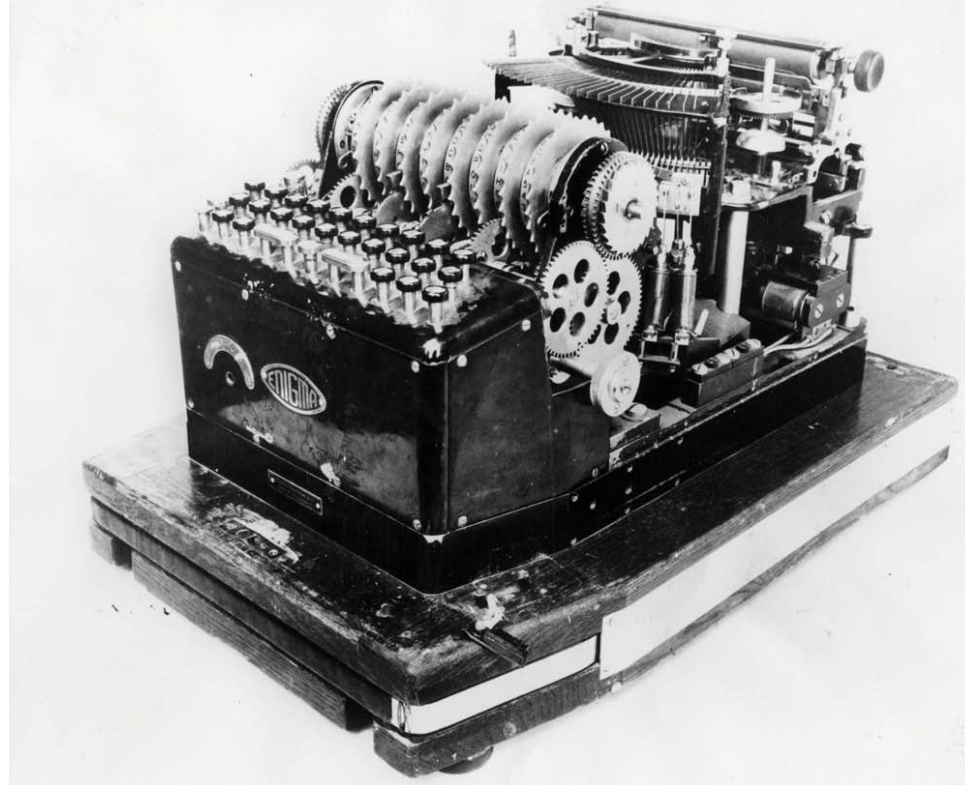
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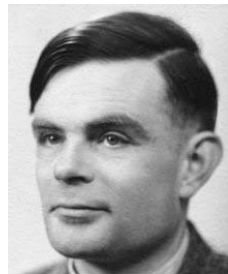
Problem: Key agreement



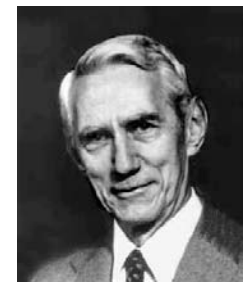
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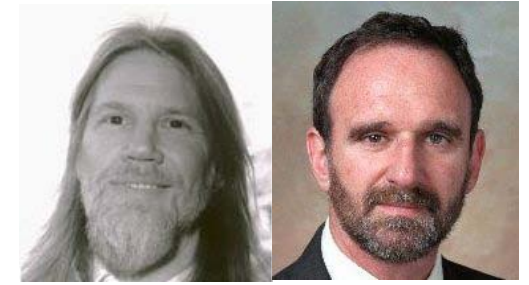
“At each step, you discarded the wheel position you felt in your bones was less likely. With reliable enough bones, you would end up with the entire key.”

→ Cryptography and cryptanalysis was “Voodoo magic.”





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Turing**



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Breakthrough: “Public-Key Cryptography”

Advantage: No key agreement necessary

Disadvantage: Can be broken with sufficient computing power.



Today: with dramatic consequences for world economy.



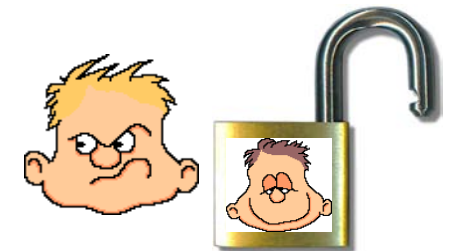
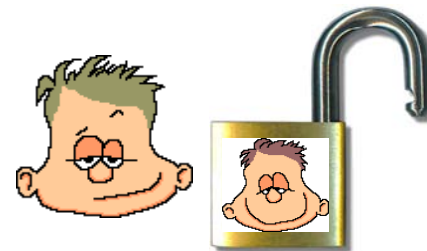
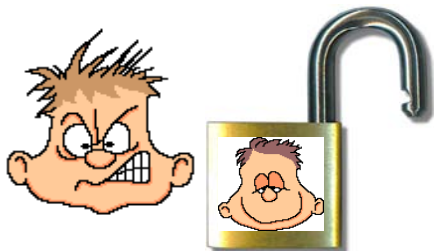
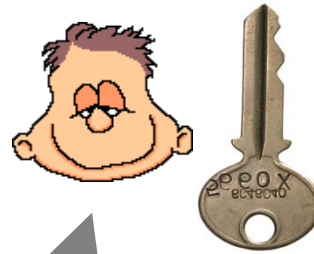
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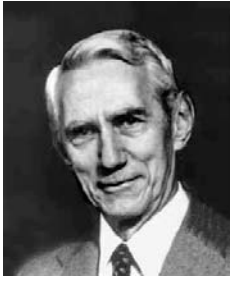


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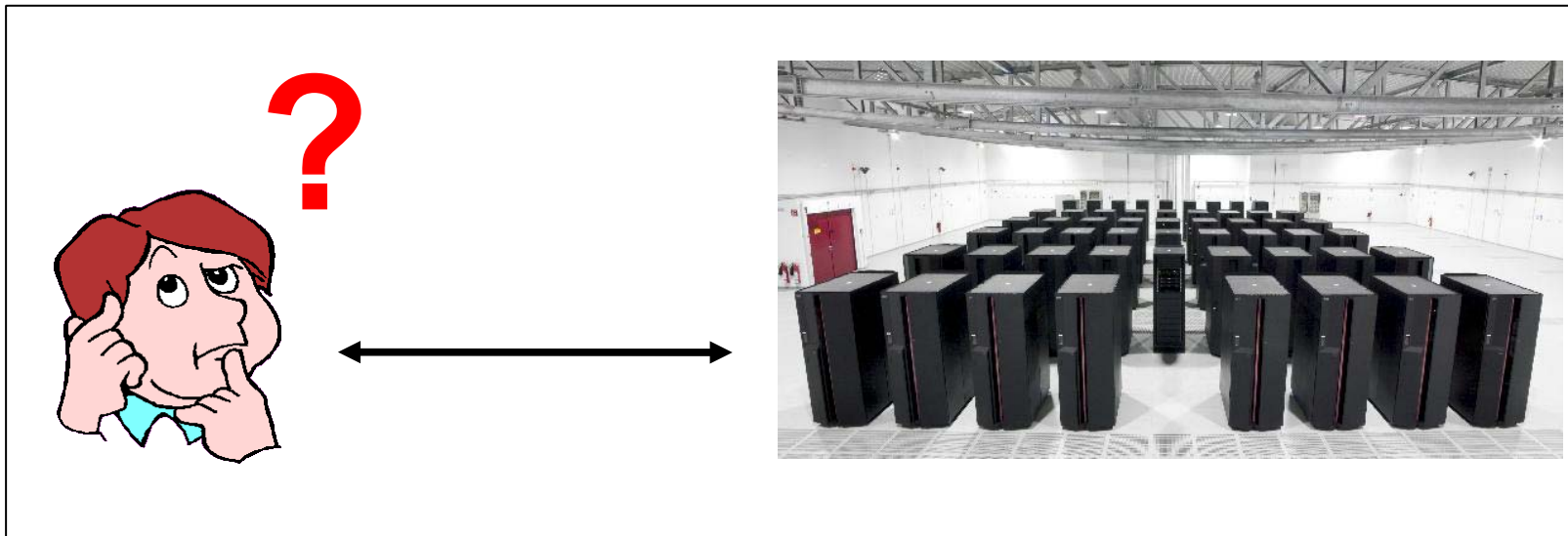
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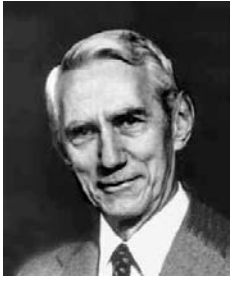




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Can security be based on lacking knowledge of the adversary?





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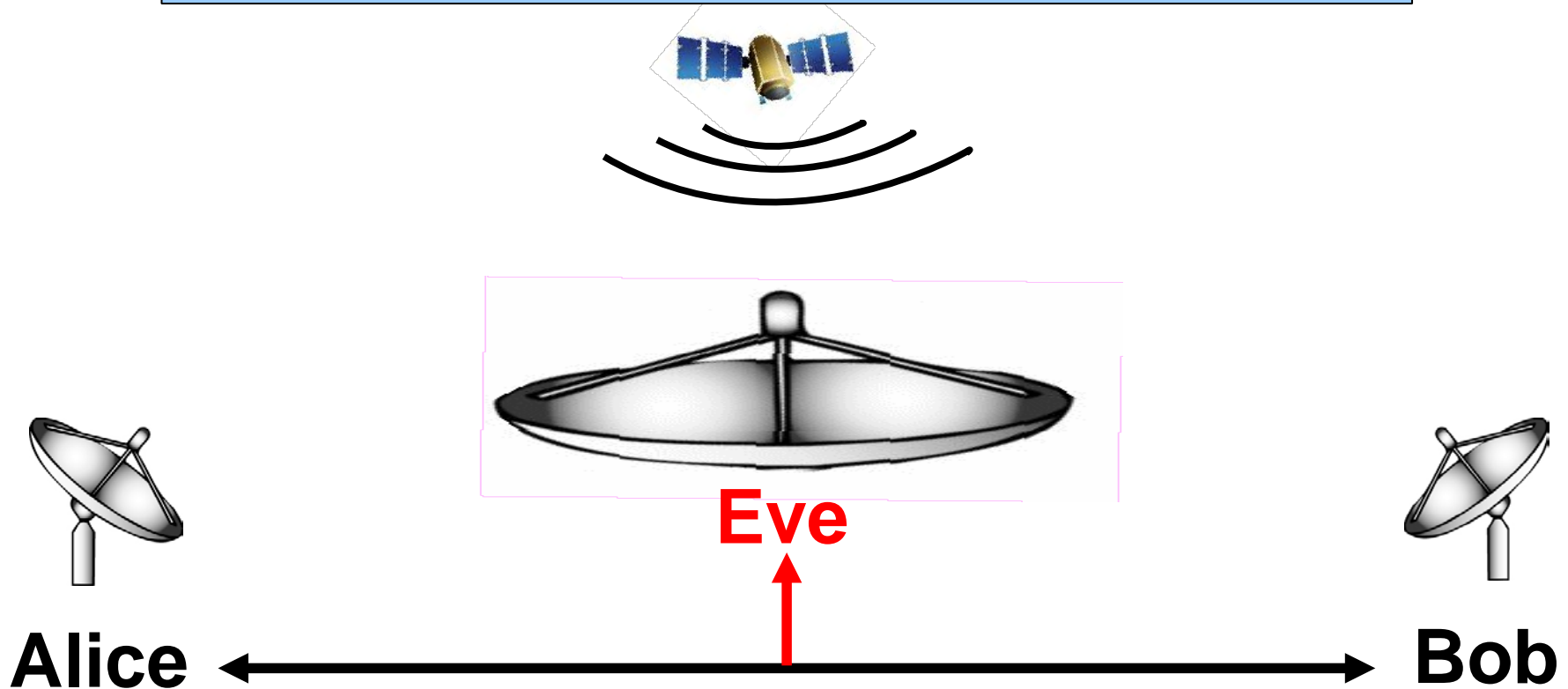


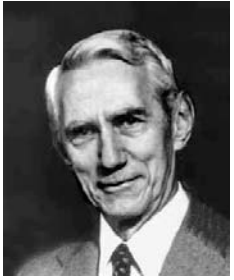
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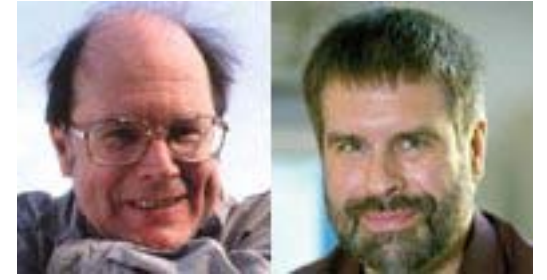
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Everlasting information-theoretic security





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