

data to the display driver **122**. Thereby it is needless to say that pp. 2 to 6 of the display-data are displayed on the electronic papers **101**.

[**0108**] Besides, while pages from (n-4) (n: the last page No.) to (n) are displayed on the electronic papers **101**, when the user presses the forward key **302a**, the electronic papers **101** display pages from (n-3) to (n). Therefore, one of the electronic papers **101** does not display anything.

[**0109**] The invention of this embodiment is arranged that after the user confirms the content displayed by the page number display means **107**, the user presses the transfer button **310**, thereby the pages displayed on the electronic papers **101** be moved forward or backward. However, it may be arranged that pressing down the page feed button **302** execute the forward and backward of pages to be displayed on the electronic papers **101** automatically.

[**0110**] In the next place, when a mode change button **301** included in the page selecting means **108** is pressed down, the mode of the page feed button **302** changes and the display mode of the page number changes. At this time, if the user directly input the page number that he wants to browse by means of the tenkey **304** included in the page selecting means **108**, the page feed means starts up and performs the following processing (**FIG. 4, S7**).

[**0111**] The page feed means judges whether the inputted page number is n and less or not (**FIG. 8, S8**). In case whether the inputted page number is n and less, the page number is displayed by the page number display means **107** (**FIG. 4, S9**). On the contrary, if the page number is more than n, the page feed means makes the inputting of page number invalid (**FIG. 4, S10**).

[**0112**] After the user confirms that the desired page number is displayed on the page number display means **107**, he presses the transfer button **310** (**FIG. 4, S5**). Thereby the data for 5 pages, the top of which has the page number displayed on the page display means, is transferred to the first display control means **106**. After this, the processing until the desired display-data is displayed on the display unit **121** is the same as in case where the page number is selected by the page feed button **302** set at the initial setting, therefore the explanation is omitted here.

[**0113**] In addition, in case of pressing the mode change button **301** twice, the page feed means starts up, subsequently the page feed button **302** is pressed once, the page number of the display-data to be displayed by the electronic paper **101** is moved forward or backward pages as much as the number of attached electronic papers.

[**0114**] That is to say, when the mode change button **301** is pressed twice, the attachable state detecting means **30** starts up and detects the attachable state of the electronic paper **101** of the connecting terminal **21**. The number-of-pages recognizing means **303** recognizes the number of the attached electronic papers on the basis of the informed attachable state.

[**0115**] Subsequently, when the page feed button **302** is pressed once (**FIG. 4, S11**), as moved the page displayed at this moment forward or backward the number of attached electronic papers (5 pages in this embodiment), the page feed means judges whether there is any pages to be an object of the displaying (**FIG. 4, S12**). When it is determined that

there is pages to be displayed, after moving the page forward or backward as much as the number of attached electronic papers, the page number display means **107** displays the page number of the page displayed on the first electronic paper **101**. On the other hand, if it is determined that there is no page to be displayed, the pressing of the page feed button **302** gets invalid by the page feed means (**FIG. 4, S13**).

[**0116**] After the user confirms that the desired page number is displayed on the page number display means **107**, if he presses the transfer button **310** (**FIG. 4, S14 to S5**), the data for 5 pages, the top of which has the page number displayed on the page display means, is transferred to the first display control means **106**. The processing after that till the desired display-data is displayed on the display unit **121** is the same as in the case where the page number is selected by means of the page feed button **302** set at the initial setting, therefore the explanation is not described here.

[**0117**] As described above, it is arranged in the embodiment that in result of pressing the page feed button **302** once, the succeeding pages to the page displayed at this moment are displayed on the display unit **121**, therefore the user can browse the display-data speedy.

[**0118**] In addition, when the mode change button **301** is pressed down three times, the page feed means starts up. Under such condition, the page feed button **302** is pressed down one time, the user can select the number of pages to be moved forward or backward by means of the tenkey **304** (**FIG. 4, S15**). The page number selected in this way is displayed on the page number display means **107** (**FIG. 4, S16**), so that the user can confirm the desired page number was selected, and then he presses a decision button **311** included in the page selecting means **108** (**FIG. 4, S17**). The subsequent processing (**FIG. 4, S18 to S19 to S20 to S5, S18 to S19 to S21**) is essentially the same as the prescribed operations (**FIG. 4, S11 to S12 to S14 to S5, S11 to S12 to S13**), therefore the detailed explanation is not described here.

[**0119**] Besides, the page number to be moved forward or backward by pressing the page feed button one time may be within or outside the scope of the number of the attached electronic papers **101**. That is to say, if the page number moved forward or backward by pressing the page feed button one time is within the cope of the number of the attached electronic papers **101**, the user can browse these pages comparing the new displayed page and a part of the prior displayed pages. On the other hand, if the page number moved forward or backward by pressing the page feed button one time is outside the scope of the number of the attached electronic papers **101**, the user can move the pages forward or backward speedier than that in the prescribed case.

[**0120**] By the way, when the user wants to look and compare a page displayed at this moment and a page not continued to this page, the following procedure is executed. Thereby it is easy for the user to compare them by displaying those pages on adjacent electronic papers **101** as shown in **FIG. 6**.

[**0121**] When the display select button **305** included in the page selecting means **108** is pressed down, the display selecting means starts up. And the user can select the page