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Front: Young People's exhibition, 1932 Back: Ideal Home exhibition, 1970





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Front: a car radiophone, 1960 Back: early mobile phone, 1990





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Front: temporary press room near Sandringham, covering death of George V, 1936 Back: press tent at Silverstone, 1986



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SUBSCRIBER TRUNK

DIALLING

50th anniversary of subscriber trunk dialling





Front: Leaflet circulated in 1958 in the Bristol area for the introduction of subscriber trunk dialling. Bristol was the first area in the UK to receive the new service.

Left: The Queen opening the STD system at Bristol telephone exchange, 5 December 1958. Mr E Marples, the Postmaster General, sits beside the microphone, whilst Prince Philip sits at the Queen's left.

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