

# **The History of Independent Telephone Companies in Maine**

This new exhibit completed in 2020 provides some sample history of the many independent phone companies that were founded in Maine. This is an interactive, self-guided exhibit in our Visitor Center building. Telephones and switchboards are connected to show how calls were placed and received during the time of the founding and operations of one of the independent telephone companies. We encourage our visitors to please check out this exhibit and learn about the fascinating history of these phone companies. This exhibit is open to visitors during our normal museum hours and by appointment.



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