

German Multimedia - 1937



Television. On March 1st 1936 the Deutsche Reichspost opened the television-telephoneservice on the line Berlin - Leipzig. This is the first and only service of its kind in the world. According to the decree of the Führer the television-broadcast was introduced in 1935. The competent authority for the technical development of television is the Deutsche Reichspost; the programme is being taken care of by the Reichs-Rundfunk-Gesellschaft.

In twelve public television-stations television-broadcast is performed for German citizens free of charge. On the occasion of the Olympic Games 1936 the sportive contests were transmitted by the television-transmitter.

For the further development of television the research institute of the Deutsche Reichspost was founded in Berlin on January 1 1937.



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