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Women's right to vote in Latin America. Do you know when women were allowed to vote in your own country? Listen to an excerpt from a lecture on the women movement in Latin America then select True or False for the following statements.

1. Ecuador was the first Latin American country in which women were allowed to vote
2. All Brazilian women were given the right to vote in 1932
3. In Argentina, Peron was elected president by women in 1947
4. The right to vote was unexpectedly given to women in Peru
5. Paraguay recognized the women's right to vote during the early 1950's

TRUE	FALSE



II. Complete the following paragraph using passive voice in: present simple, past simple and present perfect, then answer the questions.

The Invention of the Telephone

The telephone 1. _____ (consider) one of the most important inventions in history. It 2.

_____ (use) by millions of people daily to communicate across the globe. The idea of transmitting voices through wires was first explored in the mid-19th century. However, it 3. _____ (not/perfect) until Alexander Graham Bell and his assistant, Thomas Watson, succeeded in creating a functional device in 1876.

The first telephone call 4. _____ (make) on March 10, 1876. Bell famously said, "Mr. Watson, come here, I want to see you." Since then, the telephone 5. _____ (improve) many times, with advancements such as rotary dials, push buttons, and now, smartphones.

Today, smartphones 6. _____ (manufacture) using advanced technology, and they 7. _____ (equip) with features like cameras, internet access, and GPS.

While the original purpose of the telephone 8. _____ (limit) to voice communication, its modern versions 9. _____ (design) to perform multiple tasks.

