

The Stable

Welcome to the best part of the Museum, my stable!

I've got in a bit of a mess with my words. Using the clues and the exhibition, can you unscramble them?



1. **shersan** – they put this thing on me when I pull boats _____
2. **hoseorhess** – on my feet _____
3. **etv** – I might need one of these if I'm ill _____
4. **pwih** – I don't like this much! _____
5. **merham** – this is used to make my shoes _____
6. **mongrigo** – I like to be looked after and brushed properly _____
7. **sebagno** – this is great – it's put on my head when I eat _____
8. **ofreg** – the blacksmith or farrier works with one of these _____
9. **tesch** – they keep all my medicines in this _____
10. **laclor** – worn on my neck _____

Muscles and Steam



I could not always help people move the boats. Sometimes tunnels got in the way, but that didn't stop the boats!

Match the dates from the list below to the methods used to move the boats without horses..

Screw propelled steam tugs

Steam tug at Islington tunnel

Legging and using a pole

Dates

1760-1820s

1826

1855

1920

1953-1970s

Small tractors

Diesel engines: one boat pulled another boat

This picture shows a boat being legged through a tunnel.