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 **Silverbacks**

 Mature males develop silvery-grey hair across their backs, giving them their rather distinguished appearance!



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 **Tyne Tees Television**

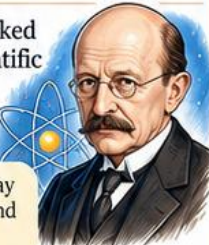
 Named after the Rivers Tyne and Tees, the station began broadcasting in 1959. The River Wear missed out on top billing!



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 **Quantum theory**

 Planck's revolutionary work helped lay the foundations of modern physics and earned him the 1918 Nobel Prize!



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 **The Cullinan I (Great Star of Africa)**

 Weighing 530.2 carats, this enormous diamond forms part of Britain's Crown Jewels. That's some serious sparkle!



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 **Georgia or Alabama**

 Florida's coastline stretches for roughly 1,350 miles, but it shares land borders with just two states!



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 **Morris Garages**

 MG began as a sales promotion for sporty Morris cars before becoming a legendary motoring brand!



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 **Jamboree**

 The first World Scout Jamboree took place in London in 1920, bringing together thousands of Scouts!



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 **Cambridge**

 The Backs offers picturesque views of Cambridge's historic colleges beside the River Cam. Very posh indeed!



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 **Lionel Bart**

 Bart wrote the original stage musical's songs, including *Consider Yourself* and *Food, Glorious Food!*



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 **Iran-Contra affair**

 The scandal involved secret arms sales to Iran and the diversion of proceeds to Nicaraguan rebels. Quite the political headache!



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 **The Brothers Grimm**

 Their original fairy tales were often much darker than the family-friendly versions we know today!



12 ? Which cereal crop is grown more than any other in Britain?

 **Wheat**

 Wheat is Britain's biggest cereal crop, providing flour for everything from bread to biscuits. A proper British staple!

