The reading for this week talks about the idea of interface. It tells us where it comes from and how it has evolved from past to present time. It first starts off by telling us that there was no interface and that the only way to tell the time was through a telephone service in which people worked 24 hours to pick up the phone to give such information.

All interfaces that we use all have the time and day in which it stemmed from. The purpose of the watch is literally to tell the time but when advancing technology we see many more additions to our interfaces that all stemmed from the idea of having the time and day everywhere you go. It is interesting that we are able to advance with technology quick and new ideas get introduced all the time. Even before telephone services, when the indigenous people of Mexico, the Zapotec civilians, used pictograms to be able to circulate the time and day. It's interesting to see the complete raw way to keeping track of time. It consisted of two wheels that were connected so when you spin one wheel the other wheel spins as well. Looking at what technology is now and far we came, it's quite scary what we are capable of creating and the use of what we are creating. We are able to literally access anything and everything that you want done could be done for you through a singular device.

To me, the rise of technology and interface, I think, started to advance with The Olivetti typewriter made by engineer Camillo Olivetti. Olivetti believed that writing mechanically changes things. His aim was to make writing more pleasurable in which stemmed into technology advancing furthermore. Different typefaces started to advance as well as the development of different patterns within technology and eventually through the development of time, when computers started to become a

common object to have, interface had developed way beyond the concept of just

knowing the time and the day.