

1 SUNDAY [214-152]

10th after Trinity

Did not go to church
helped Mum bake

2 MONDAY [215-151]

Bank Holiday

Went walk in morning
Went to Markeaton
Park in afternoon with
Bowmans and Deglows
lovely time.

3 TUESDAY [216-150]

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4 WEDNESDAY [217-149]

Queen Elizabeth born, 1900

Mrs Bowman hurt
her hand on Monday.
went to doctors
today.

5 THURSDAY [218-148]

New Moon

Auntie Kath's birthday
Went to tea at
night. Glad lovely
time.

6 FRIDAY [219-147]

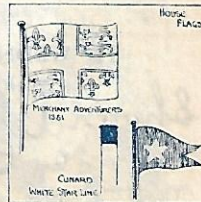
Transfiguration. Ramadan ends

Went to Derby
saw Robin Hood
and Dick Barton
on pictures with
gran. very nice

7 SATURDAY [220-146]

s.r. 5.32, s.s. 8.38

FLAGS AND FUNNELS. The earliest Merchant Adventurers or Chartered Companies, were ordered by Queen Elizabeth in 1581 to "set and place in the tops of their ships and other vessels the Arms of England with the red Crosse over the same." Other Chartered Companies like the Hudson Bay Company of 1670, and later the Honourable East India Company, also carried their House Flags. Funnel were originally all painted black to hide the grime of smoke.



AUGUST, 1948

8 SUNDAY [221-145]

11th after Trinity

Footwear came off the ration.

9 MONDAY [222-144]

Philip 6 months

10 TUESDAY [223-143]

11 WEDNESDAY [224-142]

) First Quarter

Should have had concert. but did not so very rainy day. game aboard with Ralph at night.

AUGUST, 1948

12 THURSDAY [225-141]

Grouse Shooting begins

The Deglows went back at 1.0.

13 FRIDAY [226-140]

Went up the village and bought Strutt's blouse and 2 pair pants. 17/2 altogether. Bard from Jersey from Betty.

14 SATURDAY [227-139]

Unconditional Surrender of Japan, 1945
s.f. 5.43, s.s. 8.25

Scottish Football season opens.

DIVERS. Modern Divers carry a small cylinder of Oxygen attached to their suits, electric lamps with batteries, and a telephone apparatus for communication with the ship. Deep sea diving suits are built to withstand the pressure of the sea at 900 feet, and are weighted with ballast tanks. A Diver is able to use electrically driven drills to blast rocks or cut through the steel hull of a ship.



12th after Trinity

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The end of the
Olympic games.
1st Music lesson
with Mrs Beaver.

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○ Full Moon

Bought 2 Blouses
and Beret from Belpen
with Mrs Bowman
and Freda Gard
from Easthorne from Kath

s.r. 5.54, s.s. 8.11
Derby County played
Manchester United
and we won
English football

DEEP SEA FISH. It is now possible to photograph, with special apparatus, depths of the sea which are inaccessible to the ordinary Diver. A descent to 3,000 feet was made in the Bathysphere, specially built, and it revealed that it is pitch black at the greater depths and many fish have a luminous bait to attract their prey, and some have enormous mouths with sabre-like teeth.



season opens.
Princes N. 18 today

22 SUNDAY [235-131]

13th after Trinity

23 MONDAY [236-130]

2nd Music lesson.

24 TUESDAY [237-129]

S. Bartholomew

Glamorgan won
cricket & champion
ship.

25 WEDNESDAY [238-128]

Mum and Dad and
Uncle B. went to
the match. G. Bagner
looked after us.
Kath came.
Had lovely time.

26 THURSDAY [239-127]

John went to
Belle Vue with
choir. Mrs Bennett
came to help Mum.

27 FRIDAY [240-126]

(Last Quarter)

Worked hard. Went
to Derby. Mum
brought me a
fountain pen. Went
to Littleover.

28 SATURDAY [241-125]

s.r. 6.5, s.s. 7.56

Went to Belper, saw
Miss H and E, came
home about 5 o'clock.
Stuck in stamps.
Played with the kids.

THE DUGOUT. The Dugout is the most primitive of native craft; made from one tree trunk burned or hollowed out, it usually houses the whole Indian family. The narrow African type, pointed at both ends and built for speed is made from two or three trunks, with 30 paddles. These sometimes have sideboards lashed on with thongs of palm fibre or animal tendons, the interstices filled with grease and plastered with clay.



29 SUNDAY [242—124]

Made ^{14th after Trinity} loaves, scones and pies. Helped Mum. John went to choir. Stuck in John's stamps.

30 MONDAY [243—123]

John started school again. I stayed at home and helped Mum.

3rd Music lesson.

31 TUESDAY [244—122]

Took Philip up to Duffield at 4.00 and left note and borrowed books in her desk.

SEPT. 1 WEDNESDAY [245—121]

Partridge Shooting begins

Saw Sheila and she said Gina was coming.

2 THURSDAY [246—120]

Went up to Duffield school to fetch Gina home to tea. By she could not come.

3 FRIDAY [247—119]

Great Britain declared war on Germany, 1939

• New Moon

Got card from Gran and Grandpa at Oban, Scotland.

4 SATURDAY [248—118]

s.r. 6.17, s.s. 7.30

Went to Manchester on the train with Auntie Kath. to see the John Williams.

PAPYRUS BOATS. Bundles of Papyrus reeds are cut from the shores of Lake Chad and bound together with vines to shape these boats. The natives sit on top of these raft-like boats and propel them by poling and paddling with branches of trees. They do not last more than a few days, but are swift enough to be useful. Such flimsy craft are also made in Abyssinia.



had lovely time.