

25 SUNDAY [116—250]

4th after Easter  
S. Mark

26 MONDAY [117—249]

Made cup of  
Cocoa at Cookery  
The King and Queen  
Silver Wedding.  
Miss Bagnel called.

27 TUESDAY [118—248]

Stuck in all  
Royalty pictures.  
Received letter from  
Mrs March

28 WEDNESDAY [119—247]

Did no. sums and  
bills, also Areas  
Wrote Comp on  
A Tudor Schoolroom  
I got 23/25.

29 THURSDAY [120—246]

John's birthday.  
Uncle Boumer gave  
him a cricket bat  
Had big party at  
night. Peter, Sheila,  
Richard, Michael.

30 FRIDAY [121—245]

Did English Test.  
I got 23/25.  
Wrote Collect for  
Ascension Day

MAY 1 SATURDAY [122—244]

SS. Philip and James  
(Last Quarter, s.r. 5.33, s.s. 8.22)

Listened to A U.  
Erica came down.  
A Cup Final between  
Man. United and Blackpool

RIVER BOATS. These flat bottomed  
boats are specially designed for the  
shallower waters of the United States,  
China and Africa. The enormous  
paddle at the stern is characteristic. At  
one time this was the only form of trans-  
port around the Mississippi, Missouri,  
and Ohio, and they had to be large  
enough to carry a quantity of cargo and  
passengers, yet be of sufficiently shallow  
draft to navigate the swampy patches of  
the rivers.



Man. U won  
Arsenal league champ

MAY, 1948

2 SUNDAY [123-243]

Rogation Sunday

MAY, 1948

6 THURSDAY [127-239]

Ascension Day

Philip had his photo taken at Worthington and Spencers.

3 MONDAY [124-242]

Rogation Day  
Bank Holiday in Scotland

7 FRIDAY [128-238]

Received <sup>April 7</sup> some birthday cake from Great Grandma Porter. She 84 today.

4 TUESDAY [125-241]

Rogation Day

Did sums like 20 mls in 8 hrs how many mls in 6 hrs.

8 SATURDAY [129-237]

Unconditional Surrender of Germany, 1945  
s.r. 5.20, s.s. 8.34

Tennis. HSS v Deerby High School won. away

5 WEDNESDAY [126-240]

Rogation Day

Did same sums. I do them different way and get all right.

THAMES BARGE. This sailing barge, found chiefly on the Thames and Medway had its origin in the 15th century when this type of spritsail was very much used. It can carry a cargo of 300 tons and is managed by two men and a boy. Brixham Trawlers and Yarmouth fishing smacks belong to this fast vanishing type of sea-going sailing vessel.



9 SUNDAY [130-236]

Sunday after Ascension  
● New Moon

*Only out last night  
of night to rest  
meanings*

10 MONDAY [131-235]

Philip 3 months  
old today.

11 TUESDAY [132-234]

Went to Shardlow  
with Miss Heaton.  
and all those in  
class D. at bookery  
Have lovely time.

12 WEDNESDAY [133-233]

13 THURSDAY [134-232]

Did fraction of £  
sums.

14 FRIDAY [135-231]

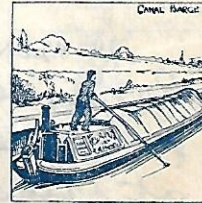
Did Mental Test.  
I got 18 out of 20.  
Broke up.  
Comp. on  
The journey to Shardla

15 SATURDAY [136-230]

s.r. 5.8, s.s. 8.45

Auntie Kath went  
to Beshill for a  
week.

CANAL BARGES. The canal system, developed from the smaller rivers, was in operation before the 17th century, when a great bulk of the transport of goods was done in winter by canal. These barges have very small living accommodation and are gaily painted with traditional decorations. They were at one time hauled along by a horse, which can thus drag many times its own weight of cargo. Modern barges are fitted with a petrol engine.



16 SUNDAY [137-229]

Whit Sunday. Ember Week  
First Quarter

For Princess Elizabeth  
in France.

17 MONDAY [138-228]

Whit Monday. Bank Holiday

18 TUESDAY [139-227]

19 WEDNESDAY [140-226]

Ember Day

Received letter  
from Auntie Kath  
at Beshill

20 THURSDAY [141-225]

21 FRIDAY [142-224]

Ember Day

Went to Derby with  
Dad and bought  
some stamps from  
shop in Saxevel  
St.

22 SATURDAY [143-223]

Ember Day  
s.r. 4.59, s.s. 8.55

Auntie Kath  
returned  
HSS bracket match  
drawn.

YACHTS. The America's Cup is the  
trophy of the Yachting Race between  
America and this country, and was first  
offered by the Royal Yacht Squadron in  
1851. It was won by the America by  
2 miles, and in spite of many attempts  
has never been regained. Smaller yachts  
sail the quieter reaches of such rivers as  
the Thames and the Clyde, and the  
Norfolk Broads and Lake Windermere.



23 SUNDAY [144-222]

Trinity Sunday  
O Full Moon

24 MONDAY [145-221]

Empire Day

Did decimal point sums. I got them right. Made cheese and potato pie at bookery very nice indeed.

25 TUESDAY [146-220]

Did Area and Perimeter sums.

Wrote out 2 verse of Hymn. At even. Went up village. A Poll

26 WEDNESDAY [147-219]

Mary, the Queen Mother, born, 1867

Fortnightly Test

I got 25/25. General smuts people defeated in election.

27 THURSDAY [148-218]

Corpus Christi

28 FRIDAY [149-217]

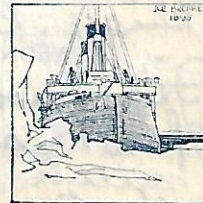
Did 90 corrections of on Homework.

29 SATURDAY [150-216]

s.r. 4.51, s.s. 9.4

Tennis HSS played. 6 lay boss away with.

ICE BREAKERS. These ships are used to keep an ice-free passage through such frozen inland seas as the Baltic, during the winter months. Specially constructed bows withstand the impact of great masses of ice. The ships run up on to the ice and its weight then crushes down on to the ice, breaking it up. The propellers are also specially protected against the pressure of ice.



30 SUNDAY [151—215]

1st after Trinity  
( Last Quarter

31 MONDAY [152—214]

Least about the  
Buttercup family  
and drew the  
Buttercup. Made  
Milk Mould at bookery

JUNE 1 TUESDAY [153—213]

Did bills and  
gross and dozen  
sums. Receipts  
Received Receipts from  
Busy Bees.

2 WEDNESDAY [154—212]

Did sums like  
9f 29 cost £10 how  
much will 87 cost!  
Wrote about Jesus  
healing a leper

3 THURSDAY [155—211]

Did per cent sums  
I cannot understand  
them. Read Safety  
Safety First and  
wrote sentences on it

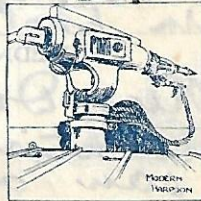
4 FRIDAY [156—210]

Did measuring and  
dividing sums.

5 SATURDAY [157—209]

s.r. 4.46, s.s. 9.11

Listened to the  
'Derby' Winner.  
My Logue, Ltd.  
Royal Drake.



WHALERS. Originally the whales  
were harpooned from small open boats,  
but with the invention of an explosive  
Harpoon gun by a Norwegian it became  
possible to harpoon the whale from the  
specially constructed fore-castle head of  
the whaler. The whale is then inflated  
to keep it afloat and towed with others  
of the catch back to the mother ship.