

Parks, public spaces and places of interest

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4 LANE ENDS – see **FOUR LANE ENDS**

4 ROAD ENDS – see **FOUR LANE ENDS**

4 ROADS END – see **FOUR LANES END**

7 MILE HOUSE – Chapters 51, 59

Location on the A60 to which grandad rode on his bike in 1950 to see the new railway to **CALVERTON** being built.

10 DOWNING STREET – Chapter 52

Home of the UK Prime Minister. Mum visited there on a **FORDHAM AND BURTON** trip to **LONDON** in 1953. At that time, it was possible to walk to the door of number 10 but that has not been possible since 1989.

44 STEPS – Chapters 31, 32, 44

I found this location particularly difficult to identify but apparently they are a well-known local landmark on the walking route from **OLD KIRKBY**, **MAYFIELD** and **BENTINCK** to **PORTLAND PARK**. They are described (p34) with a photograph in the book "*Kirkby & District A Second Selection*" by Frank **ASHLEY**, Sylvia **SINFIELD** and Gerald **LEE** which is part of the series of "*Britain in Old Photographs*". The same, or very similar photograph, appears (p30) in the book "*Ferrets, a Tin Whistle and Haircuts at Home*" by Mark **ASHFIELD**.

ABELBODEN – Chapter 106

Place in Switzerland that is the site of the first Scout and Guides World Centre. Tricia visited there with Guides in 1973.

ABERDEEN – Chapter 112

Major city in North East Scotland.

ABERFAN – Chapter 97

Village in Wales that is known for the disaster which occurred there in October 1966.

ABERFELDY – Chapter 106

Market town and burgh in Scotland almost 100 miles from **INVERNESS**.

ABINGDON – Chapter 86

Formally **ABINGDON-ON-THAMES**. A town in Oxfordshire where a temperature of 31°C was recorded in June 1961.

ABINGDON-ON-THAMES – see **ABINGDON**

ACHARACLE – Chapter 92

Scottish village about 45 miles by road from **FORT WILLIAM**.

ACHENSEE – Chapter 106

Lake in **AUSTRIA** where grandma, mum and Tricia were based for five days on their way to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970.

ACKWORTH – Station Street Shops

Village in West Yorkshire where Harry Dyson **FOX** was born.

ACLE – Chapters 81, 92, **100**

Norfolk town on the road to **YARMOUTH**, approximately 13 miles from **NORWICH**

THE ACRE – Chapters 28, **31**, 40, 45, 47, 52, 54, 81

The local name for **KINGSWAY PARK**. It is mentioned in Jonathan Evans' book, "*The Mystery of Ernie Taylor's Abdomen*" (p70) as a place where they played football.

ADEN – Chapter 109

Now part of **YEMEN**. Ron **DOUGLAS** served there and brought back a fan torch which grandad repaired for him.

AIGAS POWER STATION – Chapter 106

Hydroelectric power station in **GLEN AFFRIC**.

ALDEBURGH – Chapters 81, 84, 92, 106

Coastal town in Suffolk, approximately 43 miles from **NORWICH**

ALFRETON – Chapters 9, 15, 17, 31, 44, 51, 54, 63, 69

Town in Derbyshire, approximately seven miles west of **KIRKBY**. In July 1952, the **BOURNE** Primary Sunday School outing was to **ALFRETON PARK**.

ALFRETON PARK – see **ALFRETON**

ALTON TOWERS – Chapters **63**, 66

Now known for the theme park, this was originally a private estate that was opened to the public in 1860.

AMBER VALLEY - Kirkby Carnival blog

Borough in Derbyshire.

AMERICAN CEMETERY IN CAMBRIDGE – see **WAR MEMORIALS**

AMIENS – Background

City in northern **FRANCE**.

ANDERBY CREEK – Chapters 63, 66

Small holiday village in Lincolnshire to the north of **SKEGNESS**.

ANDOVER – Chapter 106

County town of Hampshire.

ANGLESEY – Chapter 106

Island off the coast of Wales.

ANGLESEY COLUMN – Chapter 106

Column in **ANGLESEY** near the **MENAI STRAIT**.

ANGOLA– Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

THE ANIMAL ARK – see **NORFOLK WILDLIFE PARK**

ANNESLEY – Chapters 0, 4, 5, 18, 27, 38, 40, 45, 51, 52, 54, 57, 59, 62, 69, 73

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately four miles from **KIRKBY**.

ANNESLEY HALL – Chapter 40

Grade II listed country house.

ANNESLEY WOODHOUSE – Chapters 1, 6, 38, 46, 51, 54, 56, 76, 79, 83

Village in Nottinghamshire, just west of **ANNESLEY** and approximately three miles from **KIRKBY**.

APPLEDORE – Chapter 54

Village in North Devon where Rev Bill **HOWELLS** was born.

ARBORETUM – Chapters 52, 66

Place in **NOTTINGHAM** that mum visited with Jeanette **CROWLEY** in 1950.

ARDGOUR – Chapter 92

An area of the Scottish highlands on the western shore of **LOCH LINNHE**. A ferry allows passage to the eastern shore and the shortest route to **FORT WILLIAM**.

ARGENTINA – Chapter 112

In the 1974 World Cup, they progressed to the second group stage but missed out on further progress. In the first group stage, they beat **HAITI**, drew with **ITALY** and lost to **POLAND**. In the second group stage, they lost to **HOLLAND** and **BRAZIL** and drew with **EAST GERMANY**. At the time of the 1974 World Cup, the Radio Times noted that they had not yet won the World Cup although they were beaten finalists in 1930.

ARLESEY – Chapter 16

Bedfordshire village where Samuel **CIRKET** started his teaching career.

ARMED KNIGHT – Chapter 106

Distinctive rock formation at **LAND'S END**.

ARMENTIÈRES – Kirkby Tribunal blog

Commune in northern **FRANCE**.

ARNOLD – Chapters 4, 78, 84

Town in the north east of **NOTTINGHAM**, approximately 11 miles from **KIRKBY**.

ASHBOURNE – Chapters 63, 66

Town in Derbyshire about 27 miles from **KIRKBY**.

ASHBY-DE-LA-ZOUCH – Chapter 18

Market town in Leicestershire about 33 miles from **KIRKBY**.

ASHFIELD – Chapter 73

Parliamentary constituency from 1955. It replaced **BROXTOWE**.

ASHFORD – Chapter 112

Town in Kent

ASHOVER - Chapters 52, 54, 69, 79

Village in Derbyshire. Mum attended Sunday School conferences at Eastwood Grange here in 1953, 1954, 1956 and 1957.

ASHTED – Background

Surrey village. Rev Wilfred **VERRINDER** died here in 2002.

THE ASSEMBLY HOUSE – see **THE ASSEMBLY ROOMS**

THE ASSEMBLY ROOMS – Chapters 83, 90, 92, 97, 107

An upmarket venue in the centre of **NORWICH** close to the **THEATRE ROYAL**. Mum's friend Gwen **HART** had an exhibition there in 1968. An exhibition was held there for the Ockenden Venture in January 1969.

ASTON – Chapter 21

Area of **BIRMINGHAM** that was the birthplace of **HERCULES** Cycle and Motor Company.

ATLANTA – Chapter 112

Muhammad **ALI** fought Jerry **QUARRY** here in October 1970. Grandad referred to this as **ATLANTA** city.

ATTENBOROUGH – Chapter 86

Nottinghamshire village. It is also the site of a nature reserve where the River Erewash joins the Trent.

ATTLEBOROUGH – Chapters 90, 100

Town in Norfolk about 19 miles from **NORWICH**.

ATTLEBRIDGE – Chapter 110

Village in North West Norfolk about eight miles from **NORWICH**.

AUSTRALIA – Chapters 59, 106, 110, 112

A distant relative of Alan **CIRKET'S** from **AUSTRALIA** visited in 1925 for the **WEMBLEY** exhibition. Mrs **DOUGLAS** went to **AUSTRALIA** in November 1972. **AUSTRALIA** qualified for the 1974 World Cup but failed to get out of the first group stage. They lost to both **EAST** and **WEST GERMANY** and drew with **CHILE**.

AUSTRIA – Chapters 103, 106

Country from where Dr Walter **ROY** originated and where he died in 2012. Mum, grandma and Tricia visited there in 1970 on their way to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play.

AUTHERSTEENE – Chapter 9

Location of casualty clearing station 2 where Ray **CIRKET** was transferred to in January 1918. I have not established exactly where this was.

AYLSHAM – Chapters 81, 92, 97, 112
North Norfolk town, approximately 13 miles from **NORWICH**

BABBACOMBE – Chapter 66
District of **TORQUAY** in Devon. **BABBACOMBE DOWNS** is a cliff top area in **BABBACOMBE**.

BABBACOMBE DOWNS – see **BABBACOMBE**

BACTON – Chapters 77, 80, 81, 92, 106
Village on the Norfolk coast approximately 21 miles from **NORWICH**.

BAILLEUL COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION NORD – Chapter 9
Cemetery in **FRANCE** where Ernest Webb **BOWLER** is buried. It is close to the Belgian border.

BAKEWELL – Chapters 18, 92
Town in Derbyshire where dad, Tricia and I stayed while youth hostelling in August 1968.

BALA – Chapter 106
Town in North Wales.

BALDERSBY – Chapters 63, 66, 71
Village in North Yorkshire where Dorothy and Alf **TAYLOR** lived.

BALDOCK – Chapter 92
Town in Hertfordshire where I recall coaches from **NORWICH** stopped en route to **LONDON**.

BALLATER – Chapter 92
Burgh in Aberdeenshire about 56 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

BALLS LANE – Chapter 4
Part of **KIRKBY** that grandad and his friends walked between 1914 and 1918.

BALMORAL CASTLE – Chapters 92, 106
Queen's holiday residence in Scotland.

BANBURY – Chapter 97
Town in Oxfordshire. Recorded a temperature of 32°C in July 1967.

BARDSEY – Chapter 66
Village in Yorkshire where Marilyn was staying with a friend and her parents.

BARMOUTH – Chapter 106
Seaside town and community in North Wales.

BARNSLEY – Chapter 1
Town in Yorkshire. This is mentioned as **A & G TAYLOR**, the photographer had a branch there.

BARRA – Chapter 73
Scottish island that is part of the Western Isles.

BARRY ISLAND – Chapter 92

One of the locations for **BUTLINS** holiday camps. We went here in 1968.

BARWELL – Kirkby Carnival blog
Village in Leicestershire where Kirkby Old Band performed.

BASEL – see **BASLE**

BASFORD – Chapters 1, 10, 11, 18, 29, 37, 58, 62, 77, 78
Registration district in which **KIRKBY** was located until 1974.

BASINGSTOKE – Chapter 91
Location of **LENNOX'S** international division since 1960.

BASLE – Chapters 110, 112
City in **SWITZERLAND**. In 1973, a flight from **BRISTOL** to **BASLE** crashed.

BASLOW – Chapter 54
In May 1951, the Sunday School trip to **CRICH** and **MATLOCK** returned to **KIRKBY** via **BASLOW** and **CHESTERFIELD**.

BATTERSEA PARK – Chapters 52, 59
Park in **LONDON** that mum visited in 1951 as part of her trip to the Festival of Britain.

BAUDSWELL – Grandad's misspelling of **BAWDESWELL**

BAWBURGH – Chapters 90, 92
Village about five miles west of **NORWICH**.

BAWDESWELL – Chapter 92
Small village about 14 miles north west of **NORWICH**.

BEAUMARIS – Chapter 106
Town and community on **ANGLESEY**. Places mentioned there include the **TUDOR HOUSE** and **BEAUMARIS CASTLE**.

BEAUMARIS CASTLE – see **BEAUMARIS**

BECCLES – Chapters 92, 95
Town in North Suffolk about 16 miles south east of **NORWICH**.

BEDDGELERT – Chapter 106
Village in Snowdonia. This is the location of **GELERT'S GRAVE**.

BEDFORD – Chapters 9, 16, 18, 24, 31, 37, 40, 47, 51, 52, 53, 63, 65, 66, 78, 81, 88, 90, 92, 95, 101, 106, 107, 108, 110
Town from which grandma's family originated and where her brother, Ray, lived. In particular, the family were connected to the village of **ELSTOW**.

BEESTON – Chapters 18, 51, 64, 73, 79, 84, 85
Town to the south west of **NOTTINGHAM**, approximately 20 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BELFAST – Chapters 59, 72, 79, 97

Venue for Ireland to play the visiting South African cricket team in July 1951.

BELGIUM – Chapters 7, 9, 106, 110

Reference is made to fundraising for the Belgians. The party going to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play passed through **BELGIUM** in 1970.

BELPER – Chapters 1, 16, 18, 21, 63, 66, 81

Town in Derbyshire about 14 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BELVOIR CASTLE – Chapter 18

Pronounced “*beaver*”, this is an historic castle in Leicestershire about 29 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BEN LOMOND – Background

Mountain in the Scottish Highlands.

BENTINCK – Chapters 35, 38, 40, 41, 45, 54, 69, 78, 81, 86

Part of **KIRKBY IN ASHFIELD** in the area of **OLD KIRKBY**.

BENTLEY – Kirkby Carnival blog

Suburb of **DONCASTER**.

BERLIN – Chapter 112

German city that hosted three games in Group 1 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup, These were all of **CHILE'S** games against **WEST GERMANY**, **EAST GERMANY** and **AUSTRALIA**. featuring **URUGUAY** (twice), **HOLLAND** and **BULGARIA**.

BERRY HILL – Chapters 15, 18

An area of **MANSFIELD**

BESTWOOD - Chapter 44

Village in Nottinghamshire about ten miles from **KIRKBY**.

BETTESHANGER – Chapter 35

Village in Kent. There was a well-publicised strike here during World War 2.

BETWS-Y-COED – Chapter 106

Village in the **CONWY** valley of North Wales. Places mentioned there included the **UGLY HOUSE**, **SWALLOW FALLS**, **WATERLOO BRIDGE**, **MINERS' BRIDGE**, **SUSPENSION BRIDGE** and **FAIRY GLEN**.

BEVERLEY – Kirkby Carnival blog

Market town in Yorkshire. I have a postcard of Fred **TYLER** roasting an ox here in June 1935.

BILBOROUGH – Kirkby Carnival blog

Suburb of **NOTTINGHAM**.

BILLING AQUADROME – Chapter 69

Leisure park in Northamptonshire that was visited by **BOURNE** Sunday School in 1958.

BILSTHORPE – Chapters 18, 63, 66

Village in Nottinghamshire about 13 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BINGHAM – Chapters 65, 69, 89, 95

Town between **NOTTINGHAM** and **GRANTHAM**. Mum, grandma and grandad picked Eva up there in August 1965 when going to **ILKESTON** for Cyril and Minnie's silver wedding.

BINGLEY – Chapter 37

Part of the city of **BRADFORD**.

BIRCOTES – Station Street Shops

Town in Nottinghamshire close to the border with South Yorkshire.

BIRMINGHAM – Chapters 21, 32, 37, 52, 58, 59, 66, 69, 72, 77, 90, 92, 94, 97, 99, 108, 110, 112
Mum visited there in 1952 to go to the **BOURNVILLE FACTORY**. During World War 2, **KIRKBY** hosted many evacuees from **BIRMINGHAM**. Venue for Warwickshire to play the visiting South African cricket team in August 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1943, 1953, 1969, 1985, 2014, 2017, 2019 and 2021.

BISHOP'S STORTFORD – Kirkby Carnival blog

Market town in Hertfordshire.

BLACKBROOK RESERVOIR – Chapter 73

Reservoir in Leicestershire. It was damaged in the 1957 earthquake.

BLACKPOOL – Chapters 18, 21, 38, 40, 52, 53, 54, 57, 68, 69, 80, 97

Popular seaside destination. Common place for weekend trips of groups from chapel, e.g. in 1953 and 1954 to see the illuminations. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1996.

BLACK ROCKS – see **CRICCIETH**

BLACKWELL – Chapters 18, 44

Village in Derbyshire about five miles from **KIRKBY**. Two of the collieries here were known as Winning A and B.

BLAENAU FFESTINIOG – Chapter 106

Stop on the **FFESTINIOG RAILWAY**.

BLAENCLYDACH – Chapter 52

Village in Wales

BLAIRGOWRIE – Chapter 92

A twin burgh with Rattray about 16 miles from **PERTH** and 24 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

BLAKENEY (QUAY) – Chapters 84, 92, 106, 110

BLAKENEY is a village on the North Norfolk coast. **BLAKENEY QUAY** is the point where boats sail from to see the seals at **BLAKENEY POINT**.

BLANTYRE – Chapter 92

Town in Scotland about 14 miles from **GLASGOW**. It is the birthplace of David **LIVINGSTONE**.

BLEASBY – Chapter 18

Village in Nottinghamshire about 19 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BLETCHLEY – Chapter 38

Suburb of **MILTON KEYNES**. This is where the **FREEMAN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH** is located.

BLIDWORTH – Chapters 15, 18, 27, 31, 52, 68

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately seven miles from **KIRKBY**. Dad sometimes played table tennis there in the early fifties.

BLOFIELD – Chapters 91, 92, 102

Village in Norfolk about seven miles from **NORWICH**.

BLUE JOHN CAVERN – Chapter 92

Cavern in **CASTLETON**.

BLUNDELL – see **BRUNDALL**

BOATING LAKE – see **YARMOUTH**

BODMIN – Chapter 106

Town in Cornwall.

BOGNOR REGIS – Background

One of the locations for **BUTLINS** holiday camps.

BOLINGEY – Chapters 66, 69

Village near **PERRANPORTH** where mum and dad went to chapel when on holiday there in 1955.

BOLSOVER – Chapters 18, 63, 66, 73

Town in Derbyshire, approximately 14 miles from **KIRKBY**

BOLSOVER CASTLE – Chapters 18, 44

Castle in **BOLSOVER** visited by grandad by motorbike between the wars and also visited by car after the war.

BOLTON – Chapters 45, 69, 95

Location of Burnden Park disaster in 1946. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1991.

BOSTON – Kirkby Carnival blog

Town in Lincolnshire where Kirkby Old Band performed.

BOTSWANA – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

BOTTESFORD – Chapter 63

Village in Leicestershire about eight miles from **GRANTHAM**.

BOTTLE ALLEY – see **ST LEONARDS-ON-SEA**

BOURNEMOUTH – Chapters 15, 21, 69

Grandad's mother and father took a week's holiday there in 1929. Birthplace of Rev **WAIGHTS**.

BOURNVILLE – Chapters 52, 79

Chocolate factory in **BIRMINGHAM** that mum visited in April 1952.

BOWTHORPE HALL – Chapter 81

This 17th century house was leased to the RAF during the second world war and, from 1966, it was used by the Bell School of Languages. It appears that it has been sold off for office and residential purposes. In 1951, it seems it was being used as a guest house. In 1963, Tricia went to a party here.

BRACON ASH – Chapters 102, 106

Village about seven miles north west of **NORWICH**.

BRADFORD – Chapters 34, 37, 40, 52, 59, 69, 85

City in Yorkshire where the **FAWTHROPS** lived. They were married there in 1944. Venue for Yorkshire to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1937, 1950, 1961 and 1978.

BRADFORD-ON-AVON – Chapter 111

Town in Wiltshire. The example TV licence that I bought was issued to a Mr **SHEPPARD** in **BRADFORD-ON-AVON**.

BRAEMAR – Chapter 92

Village in Aberdeenshire about 39 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

BRAMERTON – Chapters 92, 106

Village in Norfolk about five miles from **NORWICH**. It is close to **WOODS END**.

BRAMERTON WOODS – see **WOODS END**

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BRAMHALL – Chapter 112

Suburban area in **STOCKPORT**. A E **MORRISSEY**, one of the linesmen for the 1973 FA Cup Final came from **BRAMHALL**.

BRANDON – Chapter 92

North Suffolk town, close to **THETFORD** and the border with Norfolk, about 37 miles from **NORWICH**.

BRAZIL – Chapters 106, 112

Country that played in the 1974 World Cup. They progressed from the two group stages but lost the third place play-off to **POLAND** 1-0. In the first group stage, they drew with **YUGOSLAVIA** and Scotland and beat **ZAIRE**. In the second group stage, they beat **EAST GERMANY** and **ARGENTINA** but lost to **HOLLAND**. The Radio Times noted that they had won the World Cup three times in 1958, 1962 and 1970. They were also beaten finalists in 1950.

BREASTON – Kirkby Carnival blog

Village in Derbyshire on the edge of **LONG EATON**.

BRECON – Kirkby Carnival blog

Town in Wales where Fred **TYLER** roasted an ox.

BRESSINGHAM – Chapter 92, 95

Village in Norfolk about 26 miles from **NORWICH**. It is well-known for the collection of steam trains there.

BRIDESWELL MUSEUM – Chapter 92

Museum in **NORWICH**. Tom and grandad went here in October 1967. It is now known as the **MUSEUM OF NORWICH AT THE BRIDESWELL**

BRIDGE AT LLANYSTUMDWY – see **LLANYSTUMDWY**

BRIDGWATER – Chapter 92

Town in Somerset, close to **CHEDDAR GORGE** and about 27 miles from **MINEHEAD**. We stayed here en route to **BUTLINS** in **MINEHEAD** in 1966.

BRIDLINGTON – Chapters 21, 51, 52, 54, 57, 63, 66, 69, 71, 73, 80, 81

Popular seaside resort in Yorkshire. In August 1950, mum, grandma and Barbara **COUPE** went there with a ladies' trip from **BOURNE** chapel.

BRIGHTON – Chapter 59

Home of the Tigers ice hockey team who competed against the **NOTTINGHAM** Panthers in the 1950s.

BRINSLEY – Kirkby Carnival blog

Village in Nottinghamshire where Kirkby Old Band performed.

BRISTOL – Chapters 59, 69, 72, 73, 106, 110, 112

Venue for Gloucestershire to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951. Birthplace of Rev Kenneth **GREET**. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1935, 1948, 1959, 1974 and 1995. The train that derailed at **SUTTON COLDFIELD** in 1955 was going to **BRISTOL**. In 1973, the flight that crashed en route to **BASLE** had come from **BRISTOL**.

BRITANIA PIER – see **YARMOUTH**

BRITANNIA RAILWAY SUSPENSION BRIDGE – see **MENAI BRIDGE**

BRIXHAM – Chapter 66

Fishing town in Devon. Mum and dad went here in 1956 to see Mayflower II.

BROADFORD – Chapter 106

Second largest settlement on **SKYE**.

BROADLAND – Chapter 112

District Council area in Norfolk established in the 1970s.

BROTTON – Chapters 31, 40, 54, 62, 66

Village in North Yorkshire, about 12 miles from **MIDDLESBROUGH**, where Arthur **LOFTHOUSE** was born and where his mother lived.

BROXTOWE – Chapters 11, 35, 59, 73

Parliamentary constituency in which **KIRKBY** is located. It was replaced by **ASHFIELD** in 1955.

BRUGES – Chapter 106

City in **BELGIUM** that mum, grandma and Tricia visited in 1970 on the way to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play.

BRUNDALL – Chapter 92

Norfolk village about seven miles east of **NORWICH**. Grandad referred to this as **BLUNDELL**.

BRYNKIR WOOLEN MILLS – Chapter 106

Woolen mill in North Wales that mum visited in May 1973. It appears to be permanently closed to the public but I am not sure if it still functions as a woolen mill.

BRYNMAWR – Chapter 54

Market town in Wales. Rev Matthew **BAINTON** was born there.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE – Chapters 52, 59

Main royal palace in **LONDON**. Mum visited there in May 1953 as part of a **FORDHAM AND BURTON'S** trip to **LONDON**.

BUDBY – Chapter 18

Hamlet in Nottinghamshire about 19 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BULGARIA – Chapters 106, 112

Mentioned in relation to the 1974 World Cup. They failed to qualify from the first group stage drawing with **SWEDEN** and **URUGUAY** but losing to **HOLLAND**.

BULL FARM – see **BULL FARM PARK**

BULL FARM PARK – Chapters 51, 54, 63, 66

Small, local park in **MANSFIELD**. Mentioned as a place to which mum and grandad cycled in the early 1950s.

BULWELL – Chapters 4, 18, 49, 54, 84

Town in Nottinghamshire, on the outskirts of **NOTTINGHAM**, about 10 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BUNGAY – Chapters 80, 81, 92, 97, 99, 106, 107

North Suffolk town, approximately 16 miles from **NORWICH**

BURNLEY – Index of films seen

Town in Lancashire. I found details of "*The Broken Bond*" which grandad saw in October 1918 in a Burnley paper.

BURTON UPON TRENT – Chapters 18, 88, 102

Staffordshire town where there was a **PIRELLI** factory which flooded in 1984. It was one of the first UK towns converted to natural gas in 1967.

BURTON JOYCE – Chapter 18

Large village in Nottinghamshire about 16 miles from **KIRKBY**.

BURY ST EDMUNDS – Chapters 9, 77, 81, 90, 97, 107, 110, 112

Town in Suffolk about 44 miles from **NORWICH**. In October 1968, grandma went there for a missionary meeting. Mum lived in a care home there, The Martins, for the last two years of her life.

BUXTON – Chapters 18, 63, 66, 92, 106

Town in Derbyshire that is just on the edge of the Peak District.

BUXTON – Chapter 90

Village in North Norfolk about 11 miles from **NORWICH** which was the location of the Red House Farm approved school.

CAERNARFON – Chapter 97, 106

Town in North Wales. **CAERNARFON CASTLE** was the site of the investiture of **PRINCE CHARLES** as **PRINCE OF WALES**.

CAERNARFON CASTLE – see **CAERNARFON**

CAERNARVON – see **CAERNARFON**

CAISTER – Chapters 81, 92

Village on the Norfolk coast approximately 22 miles from **NORWICH**. Formally, it is **CAISTER-ON-SEA** but known locally as **CAISTER**.

CAISTER CASTLE – Chapters 92, 106

Grandma and grandad went here with Edna **BUST** in August 1969, Grandad noted going up the tower, that it was 98 feet high and they got lovely views. **CAISTER CASTLE** Motor Museum is located there and was set up in the 1960s. I don't know if it was there when grandad visited but I think he would have mentioned it if it was.

CAISTER-ON-SEA – see **CAISTER**

CAISTOR ST EDMUNDS – Chapters 90, 92

Village about four miles south of **NORWICH**.

CALAIS – Background

Major port city in northern France.

CALEDONIAN CANAL – Chapter 106

Scottish canal through the Great Glen.

CALIFORNIA BEACH – Chapters 75, 81

Just north of **YARMOUTH**, we visited this beach soon after we moved to **NORWICH**, in July 1960.

CALLANDER – Chapters 92, 106

Scottish town about 62 miles from **PITLOCHRY**. Both grandad and mum visited it at different times.

CALVERTON – Chapters 18, 44, 59, 63, 69, 81

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately 10 miles from **KIRKBY**. Grandad cycled to **7 MILE HOUSE** in 1950 to see the new railway being built to **CALVERTON**.

CALVERTON LIDO – Chapter 63

Open air swimming pool in **CALVERTON** based on a natural spring and which opened in 1935. It closed between 1984 and 1986.

CAMBERWELL GREEN – Kirkby Carnival blog
Area of common land in **LONDON**.

CAMBRIDGE – Chapters 45, 59, 64, 69, 81, 85, 86, 92, 97, 103, 106, 107, 110, 112
University city in East Anglia about 63 miles from **NORWICH**. University competes with **OXFORD** for the annual boat race. Venue for **CAMBRIDGE** University to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951.

CAMELFORD – Chapter 106
Cornish village which mum linked to **CAMELOT** but this is disputed.

CAMELOT – see **CAMELFORD**

CAMEROON – Station Street Shops
One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

CANADA – Chapter 112
One of the most iconic pictures of the **DUKE OF WINDSOR** was taken in **CANADA**.

CANNICH – Chapter 106
Village in the Highlands of Scotland.

CANTERBURY – Chapter 59
Venue for Kent to play the visiting South African cricket team in August 1951.

CANTLEY – Chapter 92
Village in Norfolk known for its sugar factory. Grandma, grandad, Tom and Amy visited it in November 1965. It is about 15 miles east of **NORWICH**.

CANVEY ISLAND – Chapter 102
A town in the Thames estuary. It was one of the first places in the UK to be converted to natural gas in 1967.

CAPE KENNEDY – Chapter 112
US space base from which Apollo missions launched.

CAPRI – Chapters 107, 111
Italian island. Dr **GALE** showed photos of **ROME** and **CAPRI** to the **DRAYTON** ladies' meeting in July 1974.

CARBIS BAY – Chapter 106
Bay and beach in Cornwall.

CARDIFF – Chapters 59, 69, 72
Venue for Glamorgan to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1990.

CARLISLE – Chapter 106

City in Cumbria. Mum spent the first night here when she went on a coach trip to Scotland in May 1972.

CARLTON – Chapters 49, 51, 54, 63, 68

A town to the east of **NOTTINGHAM** approximately 15 miles from **KIRKBY**.

CARLTON – Chapters 66, 69

A village in County **DURHAM** that mum and dad visited with Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** in 1957.

CARNARVON – see **CAERNARFON**

CARRBRIDGE – Chapter 106

Village in Scotland that mum visited in May 1972.

CASTLE BEACH – Chapter 106

Beach in **FALMOUTH** from which **PENDENNIS CASTLE** is visible.

CASTLE BREAKWATER – Chapter 66

Site of a lighthouse in St Peter Port, **GUERNSEY**.

CASTLE CORNET – Chapter 66

Large island castle in **GUERNSEY**. There was a firework display over it when **QUEEN ELIZABETH II** visited in 1957.

CASTLE DONINGTON – Chapter 73

Town in Leicestershire. The epicentre of the 1957 earthquake was here.

CASTLE MOIL – Chapter 106

Ruined castle on **SKYE**.

CASTLE MUSEUM – see **NORWICH CASTLE**

CASTLETON – Chapters 55, 92

Well-known village in Derbyshire. Mum went there on a school trip in July 1950. Dad, Tricia and I went there as part of a youth hostelling trip in August 1968.

CATTERICK CAMP – Chapter 66, 112

Military base mentioned by Arthur **LOFTHOUSE** in his letter. The band that played at the 1970 FA Cup Final replay was based there.

CATTON – Chapters 80, 81, 82, 84, 88, 93, 94

Suburb in the north of **NORWICH**. Grandad also referred to **CATTON GROVE** and I assume he was referring to the shops on the corner of Lilburne Avenue and Catton Grove Road.

CATTON GROVE – see **CATTON**

CAULDWELL – Chapters 1, 51

Although **CAULDWELL** is a village in south west Derbyshire, I believe that grandad is referring to **CAULDWELL DAM** when he said he and mum cycled round there in 1950. The village may have been where Joe **DOVEY'S** family came from.

CAULDWELL DAM – Chapters 4, 51, 52

Lake just south of **MANSFIELD**, popular for fishing and cycling. Grandad noted cycling there during World War 1 and mum noted walking there in 1952.

CAWDOR CASTLE – Chapter 106

Traditional Scottish castle in **NAIRN**.

CENTRAL NORFOLK – Chapter 97

Parliamentary constituency represented by Ian **GILMOUR** until it was abolished in 1974.

CHAPELFIELD GARDENS – Chapter 81

Small, central park in **NORWICH**.

CHAPEL ST LEONARDS – Chapters 38, 40, 52, 59

Place on the coast of Lincolnshire that was sometimes visited from **KIRKBY**.

CHATSWORTH – Chapter 18

Well-known stately home in Derbyshire about 25 miles from **KIRKBY**.

CHEDDAR CAVES – see **CHEDDAR GORGE**

CHEDDAR GORGE – Chapters 92, 106

Limestone gorge in south west England. We visited here in 1966 en route to **BUTLINS** in **MINEHEAD** and in 1972 on our way back from holiday in Cornwall.

CHELMSFORD – Chapters 54, 100

Town in Essex where Rev Bill **HOWELLS** died.

CHELSEA – Chapter 84

Suburb of South **LONDON**.

CHELTENHAM – Chapter 110

Town in South West England. **EASTERN COUNTIES** ran express buses there from **NORWICH** in the seventies.

CHESHAM AND AMERSHAM – Chapter 97

Parliamentary constituency represented by Ian **GILMOUR** from 1974 to 1992.

CHESTER – Chapters 38, 44, 54

Well-known city in the north west. Some day trips went there from **KIRKBY**.

CHESTERFIELD – Chapters 18, 44, 45, 54, 63, 65, 66, 79, 80, 84, 93, 110

In May 1951, the Sunday School trip to **CRICH** and **MATLOCK** returned to **KIRKBY** via **BASLOW** and **CHESTERFIELD**.

CHESTERFIELD PARK – see **QUEEN'S PARK**

CHILE – Chapters 9, 112

HMS Broke was sold to the government of **CHILE** in 1920. **CHILE** qualified for the 1974 World Cup but failed to qualify from the first group stage. They lost to **WEST GERMANY** and drew with both **AUSTRALIA** and **EAST GERMANY**. **CHILE** hosted the World Cup in 1962.

CHILWELL – Chapters 18, 64

Village and suburb of **NOTTINGHAM** about 17 miles from **KIRKBY**.

CHINGFORD – Background

Town in Essex. The **ELSEGOODS** were living there in 1939.

CHINLEY – Chapter 18

Village in Derbyshire about 42 miles from **KIRKBY**. In July 1927, grandad was going with a group to **BLACKPOOL** but the train broke down here.

CHURCH COVE – see **TRURO**

CHURCH GRESLEY – Chapter 38

Village in South Derbyshire about 38 miles from **KIRKBY**.

CINDERHILL – Chapter 52

Area in the city of **NOTTINGHAM**.

CIRENCESTER – Chapter 63

On their way back from honeymoon in **TORQUAY**, mum and dad picked up an RAF man hitchhiking from here.

CLACTON – Chapters 80, 81, 88, 90, 92, 95, 99, 100, 106, 107, 110

One of the locations for **BUTLINS** holiday camps. We went here in 1964 and 1966. Grandma also went on a outings there in 1965. It is formally **CLACTON-ON-SEA**.

CLACTON-ON-SEA – see **CLACTON**

CLAPHAM – Chapter 17

Location in Surrey where Rev Tolefree **PARR** boarded his train to come to **KIRKBY**.

CLAPTON – Chapter 54

Village in Gloucestershire where Rev **HALL** was born. It is also known as **CLAPTON-ON-THE-HILL**.

CLAPTON-ON-THE-HILL – see **CLAPTON**

CLARENCE HOUSE – Chapter 52

Royal residence in **LONDON**. Mum visited there on a **FORDHAM AND BURTON** trip to **LONDON** in 1953.

CLAY CROSS – Chapters 63, 110

Town in Derbyshire about ten miles from **KIRKBY**.

CLEETHORPES – Chapters 18, 26, 52, 57, 63, 69, 73, 79, 81, 92

Seaside town in Lincolnshire. Mum went there with dad, Lynne **EVANS** and others in 1953.

CLIPSTONE – Chapters 18, 31, 37, 44, 54

Village on the edge of **MANSFIELD**. Harold **GREEN** moved there in the 1940s.

CLIPSTONE BARRACKS – Chapter 7, 12, 54

Large World War 1 barracks/army camp close to **MANSFIELD**.

CLIPSTONE DRIVE – Chapter 28

Long straight road used for early motor races.

CLOPTON – Chapter 69

Village in Northamptonshire where Edith **SEARSON** lived with her family before the first world war and before coming to **KIRKBY**.

CLOWNE – Chapters 63, 69

Town in Derbyshire about 19 miles from **KIRKBY**.

CLUMBER PARK – Chapters 63, **66**, 81

A National Trust property in **WORKSOP**. Our family commonly made trips here from **KIRKBY** in the fifties and early sixties. For example, grandma, mum, dad, Tricia, Eva and Carole went there in April 1960.

COALVILLE – Chapter 18

Industrial town in North West Leicestershire about 36 miles from **KIRKBY**.

COCK BRIDGE – Chapter 106

Settlement in Aberdeenshire in Scotland.

CODNOR – Chapter 63

Village in Derbyshire about eight miles from **KIRKBY**.

CODNOR CASTLE – Chapter 51

Ruined 13th century in Derbyshire near to **RIPLEY**.

CODNOR PARK – Chapter 69

The setting for the industrial village of **IRONVILLE**.

CODNOR PARK MEMORIAL – see **CODNOR PARK MONUMENT**

CODNOR PARK MONUMENT – Chapter 51

Although grandad referred to this as a memorial, I believe it is this monument he was referring to. This was erected in 1854 in memory of William **JESSOP** Jnr.

COLCHESTER – Chapter 110

City in Essex. Originally, a Roman city, **COLCHESTER** was officially made a city in 2022 as part of **QUEEN ELIZABETH II's** platinum jubilee celebrations.

COLTISHALL – Chapters 90, 92, 95, 106, 107

Village in Norfolk some eight miles from **NORWICH**.

COLWICK – Chapters 2, 9, 18, 68

A village to the east of **NOTTINGHAM**. Grandad went there on a steamer with Cyril, Eva and Joe in June 1914. Grandad and Billy **CLOVER** went to the Nottinghamshire Show there in 1922.

COLWYN BAY – Chapters 54, 103, 106

Town in North Wales. Derrick **LEACH** was Minister here. We went on holiday here in 1974.

CONNAUGHT QUAY – Chapter 66

Mentioned as the place in **GUERNSEY** where the ambulance launch Flying Christine was destroyed in 1963.

CONSETT – Chapter 95

Town in County Durham. Mentioned in relation to Rev Peter **DOLLING**.

CONTAY BRITISH CEMETERY – Chapter 9

Military cemetery in **FRANCE** where Arthur Charles **BOWLER** is buried. It is north east of **AMIENS**.

CONWAY – see **CONWY**

CONWY – Chapters 21, 106

Grandma and grandad visited here while on holiday in **LLANDUDNO** in 1927. Mum went here in 1973 on a coach trip. One of the places mum noted in **CONWY** was **CONWY CASTLE**.

CONWY CASTLE – see **CONWY**.

COPPENHALL – Chapter 54

An area of **CREWE**. Rev Charles **HEMSHALL** was born here.

CORK – Chapter 110

Second largest city in **IRELAND**.

CORTON – Background

Coastal Suffolk village just to the north of **LOWESTOFT**, approximately 29 miles from **NORWICH**.

COSTESSEY – Chapters 80, 81, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 99, 101, 106, 109, 110, 112

Suburb of Norwich. One example of odd pronunciations in Norfolk.

COTMANHAY – Chapter 54

Village in Derbyshire, approximately 12 miles from **KIRKBY**. Mum, grandma and Mr **MARSHALL** went there in 1950 to collect the Scripture shield. It is now effectively a suburb of **ILKESTON**.

COUPAR ANGUS – Chapter 92

Town in Scotland about 13 miles from **PERTH** and 28 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

COVENTRY – Chapters 51, 69, 97

In 1954, mum and dad travelled on a **HALLS BROTHERS** bus service from **MANSFIELD** to **DARLINGTON**. It seems that service was between **COVENTRY** and **SOUTH SHIELDS**.

COWPASTURES – Chapters 31, 54

These are a large expanse of what was common grazing land reached (perhaps unsurprisingly!) down Cow Pasture Lane – see photo on p33 of *“Kirkby & District in Old Photographs”* by Frank **ASHLEY**, Sylvia **SINFIELD** and Gerald **LEE**. They are also mentioned in Mark Ashfield’s books *“Horses, Herbs and a Cockatoo”* (p1) and *“A Carnival Queen and a Roasted Ox”* (pp30-31).

COXMOOR – Chapter 57

An area of **KIRKBY**. There is now an estate by this name to the east of **KIRKBY**. It seems this was built in the 1960s.

CRANWELL – Chapters 9, 80

RAF base in Lincolnshire where my dad did his national service in the 1950s.

CRAWFORD – Chapter 92

Scottish village about 50 miles from **GLASGOW**.

CRESWELL – Chapter 62

Village in Derbyshire about 15 miles from **KIRKBY**.

CRESWELL CRAGS – Chapters 4, 18

Limestone gorge on the border between Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire. Grandad and his friends cycled there during World War 1. They also went there between the wars on motorbikes.

CREWE – see **COPPENHALL**

CRICCIETH – Chapter 106

Town in North Wales. Mum stayed here on a coach trip in March 1973. Places of note here include **CRICCIETH CASTLE**, **BLACK ROCKS** and **CRICCIETH BEACH**.

CRICCIETH BEACH – see **CRICCIETH**

CRICCIETH CASTLE – see **CRICCIETH**

CRICH STAND – Chapters 16, 18, 51, 54, 63, 66

Monument in Derbyshire, constructed in 1923, to commemorate the men of the Sherwood Foresters Regiment who died in the first world war. Mum went on a Sunday School trip there in 1951 and she and dad took photos there in 1957.

CRIEFF – Chapter 92

Scottish market town about 35 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

CRINGLEFORD – Chapter 110

Village/suburb on the outskirts of **NORWICH**.

CROMER – Chapters 75, 79, 80, 81, 89, 90, 92, 93, 95, 98, 106, 107, 110

Town on the Norfolk coast approximately 23 miles from **NORWICH**

CROMFORD – Chapters 18, 63, 69

Village in Derbyshire about 18 miles from **KIRKBY**.

CUILLIN HILLS – Chapter 106

Range of mountains on **SKYE**.

CULLODEN – Chapter 106

Site of major Scottish battle in 1746.

CWM – Chapter 54

Village in Wales. Rev **VOWLES** was born here.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA – Chapter 112

The Radio Times noted that they had twice been beaten finalists in the World Cup in 1934 and 1962.

DAGENHAM – Chapter 112
Town in East **LONDON**.

DARLINGTON – Chapters 51, 66
Town in County Durham. Mum and dad travelled by bus there in 1954 when they were visiting Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** in **STOKESLEY**.

DARSHAM – Chapter 84
Suffolk village between **IPSWICH** and **LOWESTOFT** about 30 miles from **NORWICH**.

DARTMOUTH – Chapters 63, 66
Place mum and dad visited while on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

DAYBROOK – Chapters 4, 18
Suburb of **ARNOLD** about 11 miles from **KIRKBY**

DDUALT – Chapter 106
Stop on the **FFESTINIOG RAILWAY**.

DEBENHAM – Chapter 92
Village in Suffolk, close to where we live now, about 33 miles from **NORWICH** and 11 miles from **IPSWICH**.

DELAPRE – Chapter 24
Southern part of **NORTHAMPTON**. The **HOLMES** named their house in Welbeck Street **DELAPRE**. Presumably, this is the part of **NORTHAMPTON** from which they originated.

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO – see **ZAIRE**

DENBY – Chapter 92
Village in Derbyshire about ten miles from **KIRKBY**. This is where grandad's mother, Sarah, was born in 1862 and where his parents were married on Christmas Day in 1882.

DENMARK – Background
See **JUTLAND**.

DERBY – Chapters 1, 9, 15, 18, 21, 34, 38, 40, 44, 47, 51, 59, 62, 63, 69, 72, 73, 75, 79, 80, 81, 110
A city since 1997, **DERBY** is the county town of Derbyshire. Venue for Derbyshire to play the visiting South African cricket team in July 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1993.

DERBY PARK – see **MARKEATON PARK**

DEREHAM – Chapters 90, 92, 100, 106, 107
Town about 15 miles to the west of **NORWICH**. Also known as **EAST DEREHAM**.

DEVIL'S ELBOW – Chapter 106
Well-known hairpin bends on the A93 in **GLENSHEE**.

DEVONPORT – Chapter 66

This is a district of **PLYMOUTH**.

DINNINGTON – Chapters 4, 18

Town in South Yorkshire about 26 miles from **KIRKBY**.

DISS – Chapters 92, 107, 110

Town in South Norfolk, close to the border with Suffolk and where we live currently. It is about 24 miles from **NORWICH**.

DOCKING – Chapter 92

Village in West Norfolk, close to **HUNSTANTON** and about 38 miles from **NORWICH**.

DOLGELLAU – Chapters 31, 54, 106

Town in Gwynedd. Rev Gwynne **HODDER** died here in 1965.

DONCASTER – Chapters 18, 37, 44, 47, 52, 78, 80, 81, 86, 100, 108

Mum went there with Marilyn in April 1953. When mum went to visit Marilyn in 1951, grandma went with her as far as **DONCASTER**.

DORNIE – Chapter 106

Village on the northwest coast of Scotland near to where three lochs meet.

DORTMUND – Chapter 112

German city that hosted one game in Group 2 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup, between **ZAIRE** and Scotland and one game in Group 3 between **HOLLAND** and **SWEDEN**.

DORTMUND also hosted one game in Group A of the second group round between **EAST GERMANY** and **ARGENTINA**.

DOVEDALE – Chapters 18, 63, 66, 92

Picturesque river valley in Derbyshire where dad, Tricia and I started our youth hostelling trip in August 1968.

DOVER – Chapters 59, 106, 112

Endpoint of the 1951 cross-Channel swimming race. Also, the party going to the **OBERRAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970 crossed to the continent from here.

DOVERCOURT – Chapter 92

Village in Essex close to **HARWICH** and about 67 miles from **NORWICH**.

DOWNHAM MARKET – Chapter 92

Town in West Norfolk about 39 miles from **NORWICH**.

DOWNING STREET – see **10 DOWNING STREET**

DRAYTON – Chapters 43, 74, 75, 76, 79, 80, 81, 84, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 94, 95, 97, 98, 100, 101, 102, 106, 107, 109, 110, 112

Village in Norfolk, approximately five miles outside **NORWICH**, that grandma and grandad lived in after they moved to Norfolk.

DRAYTON PARK – Chapter 81

I am not sure what park is intended here. There were playingfields opposite grandma and grandad's house but I don't recall ever referring to this as a park.

DRAYTON PARK MANOR – Chapter 69

Theme park in **TAMWORTH**. **BOURNE** Sunday School visited here in 1956.

DRIFFIELD – Chapters 52, 53, 63, 65, 66, 69, 77, 80, 81, 85, 89

Town in Yorkshire where mum's friend and cousin, Marilyn **RANKIN** lived.

DRUMNADROCHIT – Chapter 106

Scottish village close to **INVERNESS** on the western bank of **LOCH NESS**.

DUBLIN – Chapters 59, 110, 112

Capital of **IRELAND**. Venue for **IRELAND** to play the visiting South African cricket team in July 1951. The British Embassy there was destroyed by fire in 1972 following the events of Bloody Sunday,

DUDLEY – see **TIPTON**

DUFFTOWN – Chapter 106

Town and burgh in Scotland that mum visited in May 1972.

THE DUKERIES – Chapter 18

An area of Nottinghamshire that contained four ducal seats – Worksop Manor, Welbeck Abbey, Thoresby Hall and Clumber House.

DUMFRIES – Index of films seen

Scottish town. I found some details of the "ULTUS" film series in a **DUMFRIES** newspaper.

DUNDEE – Kirkby Carnival blog

Scottish town where the Berkeley Dance Band played.

DUNDREGGAN RESERVOIR - Chapter 106

Man-made reservoir that mum referred to as **LOCH MORISTON**.

DUNE LODGE – Chapter 92

Caravan park in **SEA PALLING**.

DUNKELD – Chapter 106

Town in Scotland with an historic bridge over the River Tay.

DUNKELD BRIDGE – see **DUNKELD**

DURHAM – Chapters 52, 107

Mum and dad visited here in 1954 while visiting Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** in **STOKESLEY**.

DUSSELDORF – Chapter 112

German city that hosted two games in Group 3 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup featuring **BULGARIA** (twice), **SWEDEN** and **HOLLAND**. **DUSSELDORF** also hosted three games in Group B featuring **YUGOSLAVIA**, **WEST GERMANY** and **SWEDEN**.

EAST DEREHAM – see **DEREHAM**

EAST GERMANY – see **GERMANY**

EAST HAM – Chapter 112
District of East **LONDON**.

EAST KIRKBY – Chapters 1, 51, 52, 65
The name given to the eastern part of **KIRKBY IN ASHFIELD** where my family lived.

EASTWOOD – Chapters 16, 18, 41, 54, 69, 84
Town to the north west of **NOTTINGHAM** about seven miles from **KIRKBY**.

EATON PARK – Chapters 75, 80, 81, 92, 106, 108
Very large park in **NORWICH**. We visited often in the early sixties.

EATON RISE – Chapter 103
Suburb of **NORWICH** not far from where we used to live in Waverley Road.

EAVESTONE – see **HIGH GRANTLEY**

ECUADOR – Station Street Shops
One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

EDALE – Chapter 92
Village in the Peak District. It is at the southern end of the **PENNINE WAY**.

EDINBURGH – Chapters 69, 73, 86, 92, 95, 97, 106, 110
Scotland's capital city. Grandma and grandad went here with Tom and Amy in June 1966. Location for the Methodist Conference in 2006.

EDINBURGH CASTLE – Chapter 92
Well-known monument in **EDINBURGH**. Grandma and grandad went here with Tom and Amy in June 1966. The Band of the Royal Air Force Regiment that played at the 1970 FA Cup Final replay had previously played here at the tattoo in 1964 and 1968.

EDWALTON – Chapter 112
Area of **WEST BRIDGFORD** in Nottinghamshire.

EDWINSTOWE – Chapters 18, 44, 51, 59, 63, 66, 81
Village in Nottinghamshire, in the heart of Sherwood Forest, approximately 13 miles from **KIRKBY**.

EGYPT – Chapter 112
ISRAEL and **EGYPT** fought the six-day war in the 1960s. Also involved in a war with **ISRAEL** in 1973.

EILEAN DONAN CASTLE – Chapter 106
Photogenic castle close to **KYLE OF LOCALSH**.

ELDFELL – Chapter 112
Volcano which erupted on the island of **HEIMAHEY** off the coast of **ICELAND** in January 1973.

ELGIN – Chapter 106

Town in Scotland that mum visited in May 1972.

ELMSWELL – Chapter 110

Suffolk village. Printers **W W HAWES** were based here.

ELSTOW – Chapters 9, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 29, 31, 32, 37, 40, 45, 53, 65, 106

Village in **BEDFORD** from which grandma's family originated.

ELY – Chapters 81, 92, 110

City in Cambridgeshire about 58 miles from **NORWICH**.

EMLEY – Chapter 97

Village in West Yorkshire between **HUDDERSFIELD** and **WAKEFIELD**.

EMPIRE STADIUM – see **WEMBLEY**

ENFIELD NORTH – Chapter 97

Parliamentary constituency represented by Bryan **DAVIES** from 1974 to 1979.

EPPERSTONE – Chapter 44

Village in Nottinghamshire about 12 miles from **KIRKBY**.

EPWORTH – Chapters 52, 54, 63, 66, 79, 81

Village in Lincolnshire. Important to Methodists as the birthplace of John and Charles **WESLEY**.

ERFURTER HUT – Chapters 106, 110

Mountain refuge hut visited by grandma, mum and Tricia on their 1970 trip to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play.

ERMENONVILLE FOREST – Chapter 112

Forest near **PARIS** where **TURKISH AIRLINES** Flight 981 crashed in March 1974.

ESKDALE – Chapter 54

Valley and parish in Cumbria. Rev Thomas **JOHNS MARTIN** was born there.

ESTON – Chapters 37, 38, 40

Place in North Yorkshire where mum and grandma visited the **LOFTHOUSES**.

ESWATINI – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

EVESHAM – Kirkby Carnival blog

Worcestershire town where the Berkeley Dance Band played.

EXETER – Chapters 73, 106

City in Devon.

EXMOUTH – Chapter 66

Port town in Devon that mum and dad visited when they were on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

EYAM – Chapter 92

Village in Derbyshire well-known for an outbreak of plague in the 17th century.

EYAM MUSEUM – Chapter 92

Museum for the village of EYAM focused on its experience of plague in the 17th century. It opened in 1994.

EYE – Chapter 92

Suffolk town, close to where we live currently and about 23 miles from **NORWICH**.

FAIRY GLEN – Chapter 106

Well-known tourist spot in **BETWS-Y-COED**. When visiting **BETWS-Y-COED** in May 1973, mum was in full guidebook mode saying “*this glen had an ethereal quality which adds even to its natural beauty*”. This is slightly odd as they did not go there on this visit!!

FAKENHAM – Chapters 81, 92, 93, 106, 110

North Norfolk town, approximately 25 miles from **NORWICH**

FALLS OF FOYER – Chapter 106

Waterfall at the southern end of **LOCH NESS**.

FALLS OF LENY – Chapter 106

Waterfall near **CALLANDER**.

FALMOUTH – Chapters 66, 69, 97, 106

Town in Cornwall. Mum and dad visited here when on holiday in **PERRANPORTH** in 1955. We stayed three nights here at the youth hostel in Pendennis Castle in 1972.

FAL RIVER – see **TRURO**

FARNSFIELD – Chapters 62, 63

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately 11 miles from **KIRKBY**.

FELBRIGG HALL – see **FELBRIGG PARK**

FELBRIGG PARK – Chapter 92

FELBRIGG HALL AND PARK is a National Trust property near **CROMER**. Currently, it costs £11 for an adult to visit plus £5 to park.

FELIXSTOWE – Chapters 92, 97, 106, 107, 110

Suffolk port town about 12 miles from **IPSWICH** and 60 miles from **NORWICH**.

FERMAIN BAY – Chapter 63

In **GUERNSEY**. When mum and dad visited there in 1957, they came back by boat.

FFESTINIOG RAILWAY – Chapter 106

Extensive steam railway in the area of **PORTHMADOG**, North Wales.

THE FIELD – Chapter 40

Mum often wrote that she went to **THE FIELD** but I am not entirely sure where his was. She may have been referring to **KINGSWAY PARK** which grandad referred to as **THE ACRE**. But, she also spoke about going to the park so it seems these were different places. According to Mark **ASHFIELD'S** book

"Horses, Herbs and a Cockatoo" (pp36-37) and Gerald **LEE'S** book *"Kirkby-in-Ashfield: Yesterday Remembered"* (p89), **"THE FIELD"** referred to **TITCHFIELD PARK**.

FILBY – Chapter 92

Village in East Norfolk about 18 miles from **NORWICH**.

FILEY – Chapters 92, 106

One of the locations for **BUTLINS** holiday camps. We went here in 1969 and 1971.

FINDHORN – Chapter 106

A community dedicated to mindfulness and the environment that was established by Eileen and Peter **CADDY** and Dorothy **MACLEAN** in 1962. In April 2021, the community centre and sanctuary were destroyed by fire which was started deliberately by a co-worker who had been made redundant.

FIVE SISTERS OF KINTAIL – Chapter 106

Ridge of five mountains on the northern side of **LOCH DUICH**.

FLAMBOROUGH HEAD – Chapter 66, 81

Site of famous lighthouse near **BRIDLINGTON**.

THE FOREST – Chapters 4, 16, 44, 57, 66

A place where grandma and grandad used to walk before they were married. I am not entirely sure where this was.

FOREST TOWN – Chapters 37, 80

Part of the outskirts of **MANSFIELD**. Bert **CIRKET** had a house there before moving to **ST LEONARDS**.

FORRES – Chapter 106

Town in Scotland that mum visited in May 1972.

FORT AUGUSTUS – Chapter 106

Town at the southern end of **LOCH NESS**.

FORT GEORGE – Chapters 92, 106

Large 18th century fortress about nine miles from **NAIRN**.

FORT WILLIAM – Chapters 92, 95

Town in the western Scottish Highlands.

FOSDYKE – Chapter 80

Village in Lincolnshire which is the site of a major bridge where the A17 crosses the River Welland.

FOSS DYKE – Chapter 80

Ancient canal that runs from **TORKSEY** to **LINCOLN**.

FOULSHAM – Chapter 81

North Norfolk village, approximately 18 miles from **NORWICH**

FOUNTAIN DALE – Chapter 31

An area to the north west of **BLIDWORTH** that is linked to the legends of Robin **HOOD**.

FOUNTAINS ABBEY – Chapter 66

Mum visited here with dad, Tricia and Dorothy **TAYLOR** in 1959.

FOUR LANE ENDS – Chapters 51, **73**, 86

A major junction in **KIRKBY** between Station Street, Lowmoor Road, Diamond Avenue and Kingsway. Also referred to as **4 ROADS END** by grandad.

FOUR ROAD ENDS – see **FOUR LANE ENDS**

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FOWEY – Chapter 106

Port town in South Cornwall. We stayed at the youth hostel here in August 1972.

FRAMINGHAM EARL – Chapters 90, 99, 107, 110

Village in Norfolk, about six miles south of **NORWICH**.

FRAMLINGHAM – Chapters 81, 90, 92, 107, 110

Suffolk town, approximately 36 miles from **NORWICH**

FRANCE – Chapters 6, 9, 16, 54, 103, 106, 110, 112

Mentioned in relation to the British Army landing in **FRANCE** in August 1914. Also mentioned as a place Tricia and I visited with school in the 1970s. The **DUKE OF WINDSOR** died there in May 1972.

FRANKFURT – Chapter 112

German city that hosted three games in Group 2 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup featuring **BRAZIL**, Scotland and **YUGOSLAVIA**. **FRANKFURT** also hosted two games in Group B of the second group round between **YUGOSLAVIA** and **POLAND** and **POLAND** and **WEST GERMANY**.

FREMONT POINT – Chapter 64

Site of TV transmitter in **JERSEY**.

FRITTON – Chapter 92

Town in East Norfolk about 20 miles from **NORWICH**.

FULNECK – Chapter 16

Moravian settlement on the outskirts of **LEEDS**.

FULWOOD – Chapter 18

I think this refers to the former civil parish of **FULWOOD** in Nottinghamshire.

GAIRNSHIEL BRIDGE – Chapter 106

A hump-backed bridge that mum's coach had to avoid in 1972.

GALLIPOLI – Chapter 9

Site of WW1 battle where grandad's friend Len **TEECE** was killed.

GAYWOOD CORNER – Chapter 93

Location of **GAYWOOD** hardware store as 55-57 Dereham Road in **NORWICH**.

GEDLING – Chapter 40

Suburb of **NOTTINGHAM** to the north east of the city.

GELLERT'S GRAVE – see **BEDDGELERT**

GELSENKIRCHEN – Chapter 112

German city that hosted two games in Group 1 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup featuring **ZAIRE** (twice), **YUGOSLAVIA** and **BRAZIL**. **GELSENKIRCHEN** also hosted three games in Group A of the second group round. These were all **HOLLAND'S** games against **ARGENTINA**, **EAST GERMANY** and **BRAZIL**.

GENERAL WADE'S OLD BRIDGE – Chapter 106

Former military bridge in **INVERCAULD**. It was built in 1752-3 and carried the military road until it was bypassed in 1859.

GERMANY – Chapters 6, 9, 75, 99, 103, 106, 108, 112

Mentioned in relation to the First World War. It is also where the book "*The Adventurous Duckling*" was printed. It is also the country in which the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play is held. I went to **KOBLENZ** in **GERMANY** on a school exchange visit in 1974. Both **EAST GERMANY** and **WEST GERMANY** were mentioned as playing in the 1974 World Cup. Indeed, they were drawn in the same group. Both teams qualified to the next group stage. **EAST GERMANY** beat **AUSTRALIA** and drew with **CHILE** while **WEST GERMANY** beat both. In the game between the two Germanys, **EAST GERMANY** won 1-0. **EAST GERMANY** failed to progress from the second group stage. They lost to **BRAZIL** and **HOLLAND** and drew with **ARGENTINA**. **WEST GERMANY** got through the second group stage by beating **YUGOSLAVIA**, **SWEDEN** and **POLAND**. They then beat **HOLLAND** in the final to win the competition overall. The Radio Times noted that **WEST GERMANY** had previously won the World Cup in 1954 and had been beaten finalists in 1966. The 1972 Olympics were held in **WEST GERMANY** in **MUNICH**.

GHANA – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

GIBBET DALE – Chapter 44

Place in Nottinghamshire about six miles from **KIRKBY**.

GLASGOW – Chapters 59, 72, 79, 97, 110, 112

Scotland's largest city. Venue for Scotland to play the visiting South African cricket team in July 1951. The Ibrox disaster happened here in January 1971.

GLASTONBURY – Chapter 106

Town in south west England.

GLASTONBURY TOR – Chapter 106

A prominent hill overlooking **GLASTONBURY**.

GLEN AFFRIC – Chapter 106

Scottish glen to the southwest of **CANNICH**. Mum noted that the BBC film/TV series "*The Last of the Mohicans*" was made here.

GLENFINNAN – Chapter 92

Scottish hamlet about 17 miles from **FORT WILLIAM**.

GLENMORISTON – Chapter 106
River glen in the Scottish Highlands.

GLENSHEE – Chapters 92, 106
Ski centre in the Scottish Highlands between **BLAIRGOWRIE** and **BRAEMAR**.

GLEN SHIEL – Chapter 106
Glen in the Northwest Highlands of Scotland.

GLOUCESTER – Chapters 73, 112
West country city.

GODEWAERSVELDE – Chapter 9
Location of casualty clearing station 11 where Ray **CIRKET** was transferred from in January 1918. It is in northern **FRANCE** close to the Belgian border.

GOLAN HEIGHTS – Chapter 112
Part of **SYRIA** where fighting with **ISRAEL** was concentrated in October 1973.

GOLANT – see **FOWEY**.

GOLDEN BEACH – Chapter 92
Caravan site in **SEA PALLING**. This may have been where our static caravan was in the 1960s but I am not sure.

GOLDEN VALLEY – Chapters 18, 63, 64, 65
Small hamlet in Derbyshire about seven miles from **KIRKBY**.

GOONHILLY – Chapter 106
Site of satellite dish in Cornwall. This was used to broadcast the first transatlantic TV signal. It continues to be used.

GOOSE FAIR – Chapter 66
Well-known fair in **NOTTINGHAM**.

GORLESTON – Chapters 18, 79, 80, 81, 89, 90, 92, 95, 106, 107
Town on the Norfolk coast approximately 25 miles from **NORWICH**. Formally, it is **GORLESTON-ON-SEA** but known locally as **GORLESTON**.

GORLESTON-ON-SEA – see **GORLESTON**

GRAND ROCQUES – see **GUERNSEY**

GRANTHAM – Chapters 29, 31, 34, 37, 40, 44, 63, 65, 66, 68, 69, 70
Alf and Olive **HOLLAND** went to live here after they got married. Their daughter, Carole, was born here.

GRANTLEY – see **HIGH GRANTLEY**

GRANTOWN-ON-SPEY – Chapter 106

Town in Scotland that mum visited in May 1972.

GRAZ – Chapter 103

City in **AUSTRIA** from where Dr Walter **ROY** originated and where he died in 2012.

GREASLEY – Chapter 38

Parish to the north of **NOTTINGHAM** about seven miles from **KIRKBY**.

GREAT MELTON – Chapter 107

Norfolk village close to **HETHERSETT**.

GREAT RIDGE – Chapter 92

Ridge that separates the villages of **EDALE** and **CASTLETON**

GREAT WALSINGHAM - see **WALSINGHAM**

GREAT WITCHINGHAM – Chapter 92

Village in Norfolk about 11 miles north west of **NORWICH**. It is where the **NORFOLK WILDLIFE PARK** was.

GREAT YARMOUTH – see **YARMOUTH**

GREENWAYS – Chapter 103

Housing estate in **NORWICH**.

GRENADA – Chapter 112

Caribbean country. Jennifer **HOSTEN** from **GRENADA** won Miss World in 1970.

GRETNA GREEN – Chapter 106

Scottish village well-known for marrying eloping couples. See also **QUINTINSHILL**

GRIFFYDAM – Chapter 58

Hamlet in Leicestershire where my great grandmother Mary **HURST** was born in 1873 or 74.

GRIMSBY – Kirkby Carnival blog

Coastal town in Lincolnshire where Kirkby Old Band and Wylie Price and his Broadcasting Orchestra performed.

GUERNSEY – Chapters 51, 52, 54, 57, 63, 66, 69, 73

One of the channel islands. Mum went there on holiday with Joan **STORER** in July 1953. Places they visited included **MOULIN HUET BAY**, **SAINTS BAY**, **ST PETER PORT**, **PETIT PORT**, **GRAND ROCQUES**, the **LITTLE CHAPEL**, **PEMBROKE BAY** (also known as **L'ANCRESSE BAY**), **PETIT BOT BAY**, **PETIT PORT BAY** and **SAUMAREZ PARK**. She also went there with dad in 1957.

GUILDFORD – Chapter 84

Town in Surrey about 28 miles south-west of **LONDON**.

GUNTHORPE – Chapters 63, 66, 80, 81

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately 16 miles from **KIRKBY**.

GUNTHORPE BRIDGE – Chapters 18, 51, 63, 66, 81

Bridge over the river Trent at the village of **GUNTHORPE**.

HADDISCOE – Chapters 92, 106

Village in Norfolk about 16 miles south east of **NORWICH**.

HADLEIGH – Chapters 92, 95

Town in Suffolk about ten miles from **IPSWICH** and 52 miles from **NORWICH**.

HADDON HALL – Chapter 18

Fairly well-known stately home in the Peak District.

HAITI – Chapter 112

Qualified for the 1974 World Cup. However, they lost all their games in the first group stage, to **ITALY**, **POLAND** and **ARGENTINA** conceding 14 goals and scoring two.

HALL LEYS PARK – see **MATLOCK**

HALSTEAD – Chapter 52

Town in Essex.

HAMBURG – Chapter 112

German city that hosted three games in Group 1 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup featuring **WEST GERMANY**, **EAST GERMANY** and **AUSTRALIA**. This included the game between **EAST** and **WEST GERMANY**.

HAMMERSMITH – Kirkby Carnival blog

Well-known area of **LONDON** where **WEST LONDON HOSPITAL** is located.

HANOVER – Chapter 112

German city that hosted two games in Group 3 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup featuring **URUGUAY** (twice), **HOLLAND** and **BULGARIA**. **HANOVER** also hosted two games in Group A of the second group round between **BRAZIL** and **EAST GERMANY** and **BRAZIL** and **ARGENTINA**.

HAPPISBURGH – Chapters 75, 81, 92

Village on the Norfolk coast approximately 19 miles from **NORWICH**. Well-known for its pronunciation being different from its spelling.

HARBY – Chapters 75, 76, 80, 81, 89, 92, 95

Village in Leicestershire where Olive and Alf **HOLLAND** moved in March 1961.

HARDWICK HALL – Chapters 18, 31, 44, 66, **81**

National Trust property in Derbyshire.

HARLECH – Chapter 106

Seaside resort and community in North Wales. Places mum mentioned here included **HARLECH CASTLE**.

HARLECH CASTLE – see **HARLECH**

HARLOW – Chapter 106

Large town on the border of Essex and Hertfordshire. The Methodist Minister, Cyril **BLOUNT** came from there to **NORWICH** in 1966.

HARRINGAY – Chapter 59

Home of an ice hockey team that competed against the **NOTTINGHAM** Panthers in the 1950s.

HARROGATE – Chapters 69, 92

Town in North Yorkshire where Ron **DOUGLAS'** mother lived in the late sixties. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1971.

HARTINGTON– Chapter 92

Village in the Peak District where **HARTINGTON HALL** youth hostel is located.

HARTINGTON HALL – Chapter 92

Youth hostel in Derbyshire where dad, Tricia and I stayed in 1968.

HARTLEPOOL – see **WEST HARTLEPOOL**

HARWICH – Chapter 92

Port town in Essex about 73 miles from **NORWICH**.

HASTINGS – see **ST LEONARDS-ON-SEA**

HASTINGS LIGHT SHIP – see **ST LEONARDS-ON-SEA**

HASTINGS PIER – see **ST LEONARDS-ON-SEA**

HATHERSAGE – Chapter 92

Village in the Peak District in Derbyshire.

HAYES – Chapters 25, 73

Place in **LONDON**. A fire here in 1942 destroyed the 1931 census records. One of the trains involved in the **LEWISHAM** crash in 1957 was going to **HAYES**.

HAYLE – Chapter 106

Port town in Cornwall.

HAZELFORD FERRY – Chapters 21, 63

Another ferry across the river Trent. Apparently, it was an important means of crossing before the construction of **GUNTHORPE BRIDGE**.

HEANOR – Chapters 9, 18, 51, 63, 66, 69, 80, 81, 92

Town in Derbyshire, approximately nine miles from **KIRKBY**.

HEATHROW AIRPORT – Chapter 112 and also see **NORTHOLT AIRPORT**

Major **LONDON** airport. **TURKISH AIRLINES** Flight 981 en route to **HEATHROW** crashed on 3 March 1974.

HEIGHTS OF ABRAHAM – see **MATLOCK**

HEIMAERY – Chapter 112

An earthquake and volcanic eruption occurred on the island of **HEIMAÆY** off the coast of **ICELAND** in January 1973.

HELLESDON – Chapters 75, 76, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 84, 85, 86, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 94, 95, 97, 102, 104, 106, 107, 110

Suburb of **NORWICH**, where we lived from 1960.

HELLESDON PARK – see **HELLESDON RECREATION GROUND**

HELLESDON RECREATION GROUND – Chapters 76, 80, 81, 86, 92

This was directly behind our house and you could access it from our back garden. We spent a lot of time there. I went back there as an adult and it is a lot smaller than I recall! It is also described as **HELLESDON PARK**.

HELLES MEMORIAL – see **WAR MEMORIALS**

HEMSBY – Chapter 92

Village on the Norfolk coast about 22 miles east of **NORWICH**.

HERM – Chapter 66

One of the Channel Islands. Mum and dad visited in 1957 when they were staying in **GUERNSEY**.

HERNE BAY – Chapter 112

Seaside town on the north coast of Kent.

HESSEN – Kirkby Carnival blog

State in **GERMANY**. A balloon released at Kirkby Carnival was returned from here in 1952.

HETHERSETT – Chapters 90, 91, 95, 107, 109, 110

Village on the outskirts of **NORWICH** where mum lived in later life and where Liz still lives.

HICKLING BROAD – Chapter 92

One of the Norfolk broads, about 21 miles to the north east of **NORWICH**.

HIGHFIELDS – Chapter 21

Park and boating lake in **NOTTINGHAM**.

HIGH GRANTLEY – Chapter 81

Village in North Yorkshire, near **RIPON**, where mum's friend Dorothy **TAYLOR** lived. According to mum's diary, the last address she had for Dorothy was Old Holme Farm, **EAVESTONE, SAWLEY, RIPON**, Yorks. This turns out to be Old Home Farm between **GRANTLEY** and **SAWLEY**. This now operates both as a farm and as bed and breakfast (St George's Court). The owners, Lindsey and Will **HITCHEN**, advise that the original house now sits in the middle of their house. There were barns added around the house and these now provide bed and breakfast accommodation. They also provided the aerial photograph from 1979.

HIGH TOR – Chapter 52

Limestone crag overlooking **MATLOCK BATH**.

HIGH WYCOMBE – Kirkby Carnival blog

Market town in Buckinghamshire. Rev George **FRY** was born in **HIGH WYCOMBE**.

HISTON – Chapter 69

Cambridgeshire village about five miles from **CAMBRIDGE**. A group from **BOURNE** visited the **CHIVERS** factory here in 1959.

HITCHIN – Chapters 34, 112

Town in Hertfordshire. **NORWICH UNION** contributed £1,000 to its warship week during the second world war. MJ J **BAYSTON** was one of the linesmen for the 1973 FA Cup Final and came from **HITCHIN**.

HIXON – Chapter 97

Village in Staffordshire that was the scene of a rail accident in 1968.

HOCKLEY – Chapters 51, 52

Area near the city centre of **NOTTINGHAM**.

HOLBEACH – Chapter 84

Town in Lincolnshire where grandma and grandad bought bulbs in 1962.

HOLKHAM – Chapter 106

North Norfolk coastal village about 37 miles from **NORWICH**.

HOLKHAM HALL – Chapters 106, 108, 110

18th century country house near to the village of **HOLKHAM** in Norfolk.

HOLLAND – Chapter 112

This was the name used in the Radio Times to describe **THE NETHERLANDS** at the 1974 World Cup. They were runners up to **WEST GERMANY** in this competition. In the first group stage, they beat **URUGUAY** and **BULGARIA** and drew with **SWEDEN**. In the second group stage, they won all their games beating **ARGENTINA**, **EAST GERMANY** and **BRAZIL**. They lost the final 2-1 to **WEST GERMANY**.

HOLLINS CROSS – Chapter 92

Lowest point on the **GREAT RIDGE** making it a common crossing place on the route from **CASTLETON** to **EDALE**.

HOLT – Chapters 81, 84, 92, 106, 110

North Norfolk town, approximately 23 miles from **NORWICH**.

HOLYROOD HOUSE – Chapter 92

The queen's official residence in Scotland. This is not to be confused with the Scottish Parliament building which is also referred to as Holyrood as that is the area in which it is located. The parliament building was only constructed from 1999.

HOPE – Chapter 92

Village in Derbyshire, near to **EDALE**. On one occasion, dad, Tricia and I went there by train from **EDALE**.

HORNCastle – Chapter 86

Town in Lincolnshire that was badly flooded in October 1960.

HORNCHURCH – Chapter 112

Suburban town in East **LONDON**.

HORNING – Chapters 80, 81, 92, 95, 106

Village in Norfolk, approximately 11 miles from **NORWICH**. There used to be a chain ferry there but there is now a seasonal foot ferry. The **HORNING FERRY** crosses the River Bure.

HORNING FERRY – see **HORNING**

HORSFORD – Chapters 76, 79, 92

Norfolk village about six miles south of **NORWICH**.

HORSHAM ST FAITH – see **ST FAITHS**

HORSTEAD – Chapter 107

Norfolk village seven miles north of **NORWICH**.

HORSTED – see **HORSTEAD**

HOVE – Chapters 59, 90, 95

Venue for Sussex to play the visiting South African cricket team in August 1951.

HOVERINGHAM – see **HOVERINGHAM FERRY**

HOVERINGHAM FERRY – Chapters 16, 18, 63, 66

HOVERINGHAM is a village near Nottingham and there used to be a ferry across the Trent here. This was one place grandma and grandad visited before they were married.

HOVERTON – Chapter 92

Village in Norfolk across the River Bure from **WROXHAM**.

HOYLAND – Chapter 54

Town in the Metropolitan Borough of **BARNSELY**. Rev George **KENDALL** was born here.

HUCKNALL – Chapters 7, 9, 18, 28, 29, 31, 40, 51, 59, 63, 66, 69, 71, 75, 78, 84

Town in Nottinghamshire, approximately seven miles from **KIRKBY**.

HUCKNALL AERODROME – Chapter 31

World War 2 aerodrome. Grandad noted cycling there twice during the war.

HUDDERSFIELD – Chapters 39, 69, 97

Location for the Methodist Conference in 2000.

HULL – Chapters 51, 54, 69, 73

Port city in East Yorkshire. Also **KINGSTON UPON HULL**. Rev **HALL** died there and Rev **ROGERS** was born there. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1938 and 1977.

HUNGARY – Chapter 112

David **SMITH** refereed the 1972 FA Cup Final and had previously refereed an international match between **HUNGARY** and **ROMANIA**. The World Cup Radio Times in 1974 noted that they had twice been beaten finalists in the World Cup in 1938 and 1954.

HUNSTANTON – Chapters 66, 90, 92, 95, 106, 107, 110

Town on the coast of the Wash in North West Norfolk, about 46 miles from **NORWICH**. It had a pier but this was largely destroyed by a storm in 1978.

HUNTINGDON – Chapter 112

Market town in Cambridgeshire. J H **JACKSON**, the linesman for the 1970 FA Cup Final, came from **HUNTINGDON**.

HUTHWAITE – Chapters 4, 31, 38, 44, 54, 64, 68, 69, 79, 84, 111

Village in Nottinghamshire approximately four miles from **KIRKBY**.

LES HURIAUX – see **ST MARTIN**

ICELAND – Chapter 112

An earthquake and volcanic eruption occurred on the island of **HEIMAËY** off the coast of **ICELAND** in January 1973.

ILAM HALL – Chapter 92

Youth hostel close to **DOVEDALE** where dad, Trica and I stayed in 1968.

ILFORD – Chapters 59, 73, 99, 106

Venue for Essex to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951. After mum and dad split up in 1973, dad lived there until he moved to **BIRMINGHAM**.

ILKESTON – Chapters 9, 18, 36, 51, 54, 64, 66, 69, 79, 80, 81, 89, 92, 95

Town in Derbyshire, approximately 12 miles from **KIRKBY**. Cyril and Minnie lived here in later life.

ILKLEY – Chapter 92

Town in Yorkshire. Administratively, it is part of the city of **BRADFORD**.

ILKLEY MOOR – Chapter 92

Moorland area of West Yorkshire.

ILLUMINATIONS – Chapters 21, 52, 54, 63, **66**, 73

These occurred in several places, perhaps most famously in **BLACKPOOL** (Chapters 21, 52, 54) but also in **BOLSOVER** (Chapters 63, 66), **MATLOCK BATH** (Chapter 21) and **SKEGNESS** (Chapters 63, 66).

ILMINSTER – Chapter 106

Town in Somerset.

INDIA – Chapter 110

The first flight I took was to **INDIA** in 1981 for my medical elective.

INGLETON – Chapter 92

Village in North Yorkshire. Grandma, grandad, Tom and Amy stayed here on their way back from Scotland in June 1966.

INNSBRUCK – Chapters 106, 108, 110

City in **AUSTRIA** that grandma, mum and Tricia visited in 1970 on their way to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play. Grandma bought a folding umbrella there.

INVERCAULD – Chapter 106

Large estate in the Cairngorms National Park in Scotland.

INVERGARRY – Chapter 106

Village in the Highlands of Scotland.

INVERMORISTON – Chapter 106

Village in Scotland near **FORT AUGUSTUS**. It is known for an old bridge.

INVERNESS – Chapters 78, 92, 106

City on Scotland's northeast coast. Mum stayed there for seven nights on a coach trip in May 1972.

IONA – Chapters 90, 92, 95, 96, 99

Scottish island that mum visited in 1969.

IPSWICH – Chapters 69, 72, 83, 90, 92, 106, 107, 110

Town in Suffolk about 45 miles from **NORWICH**. Location for the Methodist Conference in 3001.

IRELAND – Chapters 6, 107

Mentioned in relation to the sinking of the Lusitania in 1915 and **LINFIELD FC** who Jackie **MILBURN** joined in 1957. .

IRONVILLE – see **CODNOR PARK**

ISLE OF PABAY – Chapter 106

Small island off the coast of **SKYE**.

ISLE OF WIGHT – Chapters 98, 106, 109, 110

Grandma went on holiday here in 1973.

ISRAEL – Chapter 112

Middle East country that fought wars with its Arab neighbours in the 1970s.

ISTANBUL – Chapter 112

Major city in **TURKEY**. On 3 March 1974, **TURKISH AIRLINES** Flight 981 from **ISTANBUL** crashed.

ITALIAN GARDENS – see **SCARBOROUGH**

ITALY – Chapter 112

In the 1974 World Cup, **ITALY** failed to progress from the first group stage. They might have been expected to qualify with **ARGENTINA** but although they beat **HAITI** they only drew with **ARGENTINA** and lost to **POLAND**. The Radio Times noted that they had twice won the World Cup in 1934 and 1938. They were also beaten finalists in 1970.

JACKSDALE – Chapters 44, 51

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately five miles from **KIRKBY**.

JAMAICA – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

JERSEY – Chapters 52, 57, 64

Largest channel island. Dad and Ron **ROWE** planned a trip here in 1953. Mum wanted to go but, in the end, she went to **GUERNSEY** with Joan **STORER**.

JODRELL BANK – Chapter 97

Well-known observatory in Cheshire.

JOHN O’GROATS – Chapters 73, 97

Northernmost point on the mainland UK.

JUBILEE HILL – Chapters 36, 44

Area of **SELSTON**, this was the intended route for a bike ride mum and grandad went on in 1948.

JUTLAND – Chapter 9

The main peninsula on which **DENMARK** is situated. It gave its name to a major sea battle of the first world war in which Joseph Edward **WRIGHT** was killed.

KEITH – Chapter 106

Small town in Scotland that mum visited in May 1972.

KEITH FARM – Chapter 92

Camp and caravan site in **SEA PALLING**.

KELVEDON – Chapter 110

Essex village between **CHELMSFORD** and **COLCHESTER**.

KEMPSTON – Chapter 9

Village near **BEDFORD** and **ELSTOW**. The **FORDS** were living there in 1911.

KENILWORTH – Chapters 62, 63, 66

Market town in Warwickshire. Mum and dad stayed here on the night they got married in 1956 en route to their honeymoon in **TORQUAY**.

KENNINGHALL – Chapter 104

Norfolk village about 21 miles south west of **NORWICH**.

KENNINGTON – Chapter 58

Area of **LONDON** where my great grandmother Mary Ann **NOLAN** was born.

KENSINGTON GARDENS – Chapter 81

Victorian sea-front gardens in **LOWESTOFT**.

KENYA – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

KESSINGLAND – Chapter 92

Village in Suffolk to the south of **LOWESTOFT** and about 28 miles from **NORWICH**.

KETTERING – Chapters 1, 51, 54

Town in Northamptonshire that mum noted going through on the train journey from **NOTTINGHAM** to **BEDFORD**. It is also the location of **WICKSTEED PARK**. It was previously a centre for shoemaking.

KEYWORTH – Chapter 18
Village in Nottinghamshire about 23 miles from **KIRKBY**.

KILBOURNE – see **KILBURN**.

KILBURN – Chapters 10, 15, 17, 18, 51, 63
Village in Derbyshire, approximately 16 miles from **KIRKBY**. Previously known as **KILBOURNE**.

KILBURNE – see **KILBURN**

KILCOBBEN COVE – Chapter 106
Site for the Lizard lifeboat station.

KILLIN – Chapter 92
Scottish village about 37 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

KILMORACK POWER STATION – Chapter 106
Hydroelectric power station in Glen Affric

KIMBERLEY – Kirkby Carnival blog
Town in Nottinghamshire.

KINCHEN HALL – Chapter 106
Parish church hall on Colman Road in **NORWICH**. I believe I attended Scouts here when I first joined. The hall has been relatively recently renamed after a longstanding church member, Peter **KINCHEN**.

KINDER SCOUT – Chapter 92
Moorland plateau in Derbyshire near **EDALE**.

KING HARRY'S PASSAGE – see Chapter 106
A ferry travels from here to **FALMOUTH**. See also **TRURO**

KINGSBRIDGE – Chapters 63, 66
Place mum and dad visited while on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

KING'S LYNN – Chapters 79, 80, 81, 84, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 106, 107, 110, 112
Town in West Norfolk about 44 miles from **NORWICH**.

KINGS MILL RESERVOIR – see **MANSFIELD RESERVOIR**

KINGSTON UPON HULL – see **HULL**

KINGSWAY PARK – see **THE ACRE**

KINROSS – Chapter 106
Burgh in Scotland about 13 miles south of **PERTH**.

KINSHASA – Chapter 112
Capital of **THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO** (formerly **ZAIRE**). Gorgor **FOREMAN** and Muhammad **ALI** famously fought here in 1974.

KIRKBY – Chapters 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 15, 17, 21, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 34, 37, 40, 45, 47, 48, 51, 52, 54, 55, 57, 58, 59, 62, 63, 65, 66, 69, 70, 71, 73, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 85, 86, 88, 90, 91, 92, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 102, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112

Refers to **KIRKBY IN ASHFIELD** in Nottinghamshire. I was born there in 1960 and the diaries are set there until the mid-1960s when grandma and grandad joined us in Norfolk. The town consists of a number of parts including **EAST KIRKBY** and **OLD KIRKBY** (also known as **KIRKBY CROSS**).

KIRKBY CROSS – see **KIRKBY**

KIRKBY FOLL(E)Y – see **EAST KIRKBY**

KIRKBY IN ASHFIELD – see **KIRKBY**

KIRKBY-IN-ASHFIELD – see **KIRKBY**

KNAPTON – Chapters 91, 92

Village in Norfolk about 19 miles from **NORWICH**.

KOBLENZ – Chapter 103

City in **GERMANY** that is twinned with **NORWICH**. I went there on a school exchange visit in 1974.

KYLEAKIN – Chapter 106

Village on the east coast of **SKYE**.

KYLE OF LOCHALSH – Chapter 106

Village on the northwest coast of Scotland.

KYNANCE COVE – Chapter 106

We visited here in August 1972. Mum had been here before - see **TRURO**

LADYBOWER DAM – Chapters 63, 66, 81

Major reservoir in Derbyshire.

LAKE DISTRICT – Chapters 92, 106

English national park. Grandad noted passing through on returning from Scotland in June 1966.

LAKE GWYNANT – Chapter 106

Lake in Snowdonia.

LAKE LUCERNE – Chapter 106

Lake in **SWITZERLAND** that grandma, mum and Tricia saw on their way back from the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970.

LANCASTER – Kirkby Carnival blog

Town in Lancashire. In 1921, Lady **BALL** worked here as a student mistress in a school.

L'ANCRESE BAY – see **GUERNSEY**

LAND'S END – Chapters 66, 73, 97, 106

Well-known tourist location in Cornwall. Mum and dad visited here when on holiday in **PERRANPORTH** in 1955. Also see **TRURO**. We went here in 1972 while visiting Cornwall.

LANGLEY MILL – Chapter 51

Village in Derbyshire, approximately nine miles from **KIRKBY**.

LAPUGNOY MILITARY CEMETERY – Chapter 9

Military cemetery in **FRANCE** where Arthur James Cirket **FORD** is buried. It is located between **CALAIS** and **LENS**.

LARCH FARM – Chapters 3, 4, 63

Crossroads and farm approximately four miles east of **KIRKBY**.

LAS VEGAS – Chapter 112

Joe **BUGNER** and Muhammad **ALI** fought here in February 1973.

LAUNCESTON – Chapter 106

Town in Cornwall.

LEAM HALL – Chapter 92

Served as a youth hostel until 1970 when it was replaced by the one in **EYAM**.

LEEDS – Chapters 51, 52, 54, 59, 63, 64, 69, 71, 84, 100, 112

Grandma used to make annual trips there to go shopping at **CROWE'S**. Venue for the fourth test against the visiting South African cricket team in July 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1941, 1944, 1956 and 1994.

LENS – Background

Town in northern France.

LESOTHO – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

LEWISHAM – Chapter 73

Site of major train crash in 1957.

LEICESTER – Chapters 4, 17, 18, 40, 51, 59, 68, 69, 72, 79, 81, 84, 97, 110

Rev Tolefree **PARR** died here en route to speaking in **KIRKBY**. Venue for Leicestershire to play the visiting South African cricket team in July 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1934 and 1989.

LENWADE – Chapters 92, 95

Village in Norfolk about 11 miles north west of **NORWICH**.

LENY – see **FALLS OF LENY**

LES HURIAUX – see **ST MARTIN**

LETTERFEARN – Chapter 106

Settlement on the western bank of **LOCH DUICH**.

LEVEN – Index of films seen

Scottish seaside town. Found details of a film called "*Crime and the Penalty*" in the **LEVEN** Advertiser.

LIBRARIES – Chapter 81

Mum joined **HELLEDON LIBRARY** in 1960 and went there most months. Grandad referred to joining **MILE CROSS LIBRARY**.

LICHFIELD – Chapters 18, 64

City in Staffordshire about 43 miles from **KIRKBY**. This was the site of the main ITV transmitter for the Midlands from 1956 to 1985.

LIECHTENSTEIN – Chapter 106

Grandma, mum and Tricia passed through here on their way back from the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970.

LILLE – Chapters 103, 110

City in **FRANCE** that Tricia visited with school in 1973.

LIMERICK – Chapter 110

Western city in **IRELAND** where **KENNINGS** had a base.

LINBY – Chapters 4, 16, 18, 31, 32, 44, 51, 63

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately six miles from **KIRKBY**.

LINCOLN – Chapters 16, 18, 80, 112

Well-known Lincolnshire city.

LISBON – Chapter 112

The Band of the Royal Air Force Regiment that played at the 1970 FA Cup Final replay had previously played here.

LISTER PARK – Chapter 40

Park in **BRADFORD** that mum and grandma visited in 1947 while they were visiting the **FAWTHROPS**.

LITHUANIA – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

LITTLE CHAPEL – see **GUERNSEY**

LITTLE MELTON – Chapters 90, 107, 108

Village near **HETHERSETT** about six miles from **NORWICH**.

LITTLE WALSINGHAM - see **WALSINGHAM**

LIVERPOOL – Chapters 18, 25, 69, 97

Large city on the coast in the north west of England. Grandma and grandad visited here while on holiday in **LYTHAM ST ANNE'S** in 1928. The Queensway tunnel opened here in 1935. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1939, 1949, 1960, 1975.

THE LIZARD – Chapter 106

Most southerly point of the mainland UK. We visited here in August 1972. Mum noted the lighthouse and the lifeboat station.

LLANBERIS PASS – Chapter 106
Main road through Snowdonia.

LLANBERIS PATH– Chapter 106
One of the routes up **SNOWDON**. The longest but considered one of the easiest.

LLANDUDNO – Chapters 17, 21, 54, 69, 100, 106
Holiday resort in North Wales. Location for the Methodist Conference in 2003.

LLANFAIRPWLLGWYNGYLLGOGERYCHWYRNDROBWLLLLANTYSILIOGOGOGOCH – Chapter 106
Village in **ANGLESEY** well-known for its long name.

LLANGOLLEN – Chapter 106
Town in North Wales.

LLANYSTUMDWY – Chapters 11, 106
Boyhood home of David **LLOYD-GEORGE**. Places mum noted included the **LLOYD GEORGE MUSEUM**, the **BRIDGE AT LLANYSTUMDWY** and **LLOYD GEORGE'S GRAVE**.

LLANYSTUMDWY BRIDGE – see **LLANYSTUMDWY**

LLOYD GEORGE MUSEUM – see **LLANYSTUMDWY**

LLOYD GEORGE'S GRAVE – see **LLANYSTUMDWY**

LOCH AFFRIC – Chapter 106
Scottish lake in **GLEN AFFRIC**.

LOCH ALSH – Chapter 106
Sea inlet between **SKYE** and the Scottish mainland.

LOCH BEINN A MHEADHOIN – Chapter 106
Scottish lake near **CANNICH**

LOCH BENEVEIAN – see **LOCH BEINN A MHEADHOIN**

LOCH CLUANIE – Chapter 106
Lake in the North West of Scotland.

LOCH DUICH – Chapter 106
Sea loch on the western coast of Scotland.

LOCH GARRY – Chapter 106
Scottish lake to the north of **FORT WILLIAM**.

LOCH LINNHE – Background
Sea loch to the south west of **FORT WILLIAM**.

LOCH LONG – Chapter 106
Sea loch on the west coast of Scotland.

LOCH MHÒR – Chapter 106
Lake in the Highlands of Scotland that runs parallel to **LOCH NESS**.

LOCH MORISTON – see **DUNDREGGAN RESERVOIR**

LOCH MULLARDOCH – Chapter 106
Major reservoir near **CANNICH**.

LOCH NESS – Chapters 92, 106
Lake in Scotland to the south west of **INVERNESS**.

LOCH SHIEL – Chapter 92
Scottish lake about 26 miles west of **FORT WILLIAM**.

LOCH TAY – Chapter 106
Scottish lake that mum visited in May 1972.

LOCH TUMMEL – Chapter 92
Lake near to **PITLOCHRY**.

LODDON – Chapters 92, 97, 107
Town in Norfolk about 12 miles south east of **NORWICH**.

LONDON – Chapters 12, 18, 26, 27, 31, 32, 37, 42, 45, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 59, 63, 68, 69, 72, 73, 79, 81, 84, 86, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 97, 100, 104, 106, 108, 109, 110, 112
Mum visited **LONDON** for the Festival of Britain in 1951 and just prior to the coronation in 1953.

LONGDALE – Chapter 44
Area of **MANSFIELD**.

LONG EATON – Chapters 17, 18, 51, 54
Town in Derbyshire, approximately 21 miles from Kirkby.

LONGSHIPS LIGHTHOUSE – Chapter 106
Lighthouse at **LAND'S END**.

LONG STRATTON – Chapters 102, 104, 106
Town in Norfolk about 12 miles south of **NORWICH**. Mum and dad looked at buying a house here in July 1970.

LOOE – Chapter 106
Coastal town in Cornwall. Also see **TRURO**.

LORD'S – Chapter 59
Venue for MCC to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951. It was also the venue for the second test in June 1951 and for Middlesex to play South Africa in August 1951.

LOS ANGELES – Chapter 112

Major city in California.

LOSEHILL HALL – Chapter 92

Location of **CASTLETON** youth hostel currently.

LOSTWITHIEL – Chapter 106

Small town in Cornwall.

LOUGHBOROUGH – Chapters 18, 69

Town in Leicestershire about 31 miles from **KIRKBY**. Location for the Methodist Conference in 2004.

LOUGHTON – Chapter 112

Town in Essex/**LONDON**.

LOUTH – Chapter 25

Lincolnshire town that was the site of disastrous flooding in 1920.

LOWDHAM – Chapters 18, 81

Village in Nottinghamshire about 14 miles from **KIRKBY**.

LOWESTOFT – Chapters 75, 79, 80, 81, 84, 88, 89, 90, 92, 95, 99, 106, 107, 110, 111

Coastal town in Suffolk.

LUDHAM – Chapters 92, 106

Village in Norfolk about 14 miles from **NORWICH**.

LUTON – Chapters 104, 106, 112

Mentioned by grandad in relation to financial investments.

LUTON AIRPORT – Chapters 106, 110

Fairly well-known budget airport.

LYNMOUTH – Chapter 59

Village in Devon that was badly affected by flooding in August 1952.

LYON – Chapter 110

Third largest city in **FRANCE**. **KENNINGS** had a base here.

LYTHAM ST ANNE'S – Chapters 17, 18, 21

Seaside town in Lancashire about 125 miles from **KIRKBY**.

MABLETHORPE – Chapters 21, 29, 40, 44, 54, 59, 63, 66

Resort on Lincolnshire coast, just north of **SKEGNESS**. In May 1950, mum and Barbara **COUPE** went on a trip there with the ladies from **BOURNE** Chapel.

MACKENZIE CAIRN – Chapter 106

Cairn near the River Moriston which marks where Roderick **MACKENZIE** died in 1746. He claimed to be **BONNIE PRINCE CHARLIE** in order to save the latter from further pursuit.

MAJOR OAK – Chapter 18

A large English oak tree in the middle of Sherwood Forest close to the village of **EDWINSTOWE**.

MALAWI – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

THE MALL – Chapter 52

Iconic street in **LONDON** that leads to **BUCKINGHAM PALACE**. Mum visited there on a **FORDHAM AND BURTON** trip to **LONDON** in 1953.

MALPAS – see **TRURO**

MAM SODHAIL – see **MAM SOUL**

MAM SOUL - Chapter 106

Anglicized name for mountain in the northwest Highlands of Scotland. Gaelic name is **MAM SODHAIL**.

MAM TOR – Chapter 92

Derbyshire hill near **CASTLETON** noted for the landslips on its eastern face.

MANCHESTER – Chapters 27, 52, 59, 69, 72, 76, 79, 83, 92, 106, 108, 110, 112

Major city in the north west of England. Venue for Lancashire to play the visiting South African cricket team in June 1951. Also hosted the third test in July 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1942, 1955 and 1970.

MANSFIELD – Chapters 0, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 26, 27, 29, 31, 36, 37, 39, 40, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 58, 59, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 68, 69, 71, 73, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 84, 85, 86, 88, 89, 92, 94, 97, 100, 106, 107, 108, 110

Large market town in Nottinghamshire about 5 miles north east of **KIRKBY**. Some family members lived there including Auntie Bertha, Jim and Renie.

MANSFIELD MEADOWS – Chapters 7, **44**, 75, 81

Local name for **TITCHFIELD PARK MANSFIELD**.

MANSFIELD PARK – see **TITCHFIELD PARK MANSFIELD**

MANSFIELD RESERVOIR – Chapters 31, 44, 59

I am not entirely sure what this refers to, perhaps **KINGS MILL RESERVOIR**.

MANSFIELD WOODHOUSE – Chapters 18, 44, 106

Settlement just north of **MANSFIELD**.

MAPPERLEY – Chapters 15, 18, 40, 77, 88

Suburb of **NOTTINGHAM**. The **COPPICE HOSPITAL** was located here as was **GILBERT'S TEAROOMS**.

MARCH – Chapter 110

Cambridgeshire town. **EASTERN COUNTIES** had an office there in the seventies.

MARGATE – Chapters 73, 108

Town on the southeast coast.

THE MARINA (CENTRE) – see **YARMOUTH**

MARKEATON PARK – Chapters 38, 40, 75, 79, 80, 81

Public park in **DERBY**. I was taken here on 16 June 1960 when I was less than two weeks old. In 1948, mum, Hazel **MUNNS**, grandma and Olive visited parks in **DERBY** but mum did not specify which ones.

MARKET DEEPING – Chapter 110

Town in Lincolnshire. **EASTERN COUNTIES** had an office here in the seventies.

MARSEILLE – Chapter 110

Second largest city in **FRANCE**. **KENNINGS** had a base here.

MARTHAM – Chapter 90

Village in North West Norfolk about 18 miles from **NORWICH**.

MARYLEBONE – Chapter 16

Area of **LONDON**/Middlesex.

MATLOCK – Chapters 2, 16, 18, 21, 31, 40, 44, 52, 54, 63, 66, 80, 81, 92, 97

MATLOCK is a town in Derbyshire. **MATLOCK BATH** is the touristic village nearby and was a favourite place to visit from **KIRKBY** including to the **HEIGHTS OF ABRAHAM**, the old lead cavern and **HIGH TOR**. In June 1954, mum was pictured in **MATLOCK PARK**. Perhaps this was **HALL LEYS PARK**. She also mentioned going there with Sunday School in May 1951. Dad, Tricia and I visited **MATLOCK** in 1968 while on a youth hostelling trip and Edna **BUST** picked us up there.

MATLOCK BATH – see **MATLOCK**

MATLOCK PARK – see **MATLOCK**

MAYFIELD – Background

An area in the south west of **KIRKBY IN ASHFIELD**.

MELBOURNE – Kirkby Carnival blog

Market town in Derbyshire

MELTON CONSTABLE – Chapter 92

Village in North Norfolk about 22 miles from **NORWICH**.

MELTON MOWBRAY – Chapters 51, 89

Town in Leicestershire that mum noted going through on the train journey from **NOTTINGHAM** to **BEDFORD**. Carole and Tony **PACEY** lived there after they were married in 1965.

MENAI BRIDGE – Chapter 106

Bridge that connects Anglesey to mainland Wales. In fact, there are two bridges, the better-known **MENAI SUSPENSION BRIDGE** and the **BRITANNIA RAILWAY SUSPENSION BRIDGE**.

MENAI STRAIT – Chapter 106

Stretch of water that separates **ANGLESEY** from the Welsh mainland.

MENAI SUSPENSION BRIDGE – see **MENAI BRIDGE**

MERTHYR TYDFIL – Chapter 84

Welsh town that was home to a **HOOVER** factory.

MEXBOROUGH – Chapter 108

Town in the city of **DONCASTER** where **ROBERTS** radios is based.

MEXICO – Chapter 112

Hosted the World Cup in 1970.

MICKLEOVER – Chapter 88

Village in Derbyshire. Cyril was admitted to hospital there in 1966.

MIDDLESBROUGH – Chapters 40, 52, 62, 63, 66, 68, 69

Well-known town in North East England. Mum went there while visiting Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE**.

Location for the Methodist Conference in 1967 and 1983.

MILDENHALL – Chapters 92, 97

Town in Suffolk about 43 miles from **NORWICH**. Recorded a temperature of 81°F (27°C) on 2 May 1966.

MILE CROSS – Chapters 79, 81, 84, 93, 95, 110

Housing estate in **NORWICH**. We attended church there in the 1960s.

MILEHAM – Chapter 95

Village in West Norfolk about 24 miles from **NORWICH**. Edna **BUST** got a speeding ticket there in 1968.

MILLDALE – Chapter 92

Hamlet at the northern end of **DOVEDALE**.

MILLER'S DALE – Chapter 92

Picturesque dale in Derbyshire that dad rated higher than **DOVEDALE**.

MILL LANE – Chapter 44

This is a road to the south of **KIRKBY** that runs from **ST WILFRID'S** to **NUNCARGATE**.

MILTON KEYNES – Chapter 38

Town in Buckinghamshire.

MINEHEAD – Chapter 92

One of the locations for **BUTLINS** holiday camps. We went here in 1967.

MINERS' BRIDGE – Chapter 106

Historic bridge in **BETWS-Y-COED**. Miners' Bridge which mum noted was a modern replacement of what was probably the oldest crossing of the Llugwy. This bridge was swept away in a storm in 2020 but has apparently been rebuilt.

MIRFIELD – Chapter 107

Town in West Yorkshire.

MOORGREEN – Chapters 15, 18, 31, 44, 51, 63, 66

Hamlet in Nottinghamshire, approximately seven miles from **KIRKBY**.

MOORGREEN RESERVOIR – Chapter 18

Popular fishing lake north-west of **NOTTINGHAM**.

MOOR POND WOODS – Chapter 45

Wooded area located between **PAPPLEWICK**, **HUCKNALL** and **LINBY**. It incorporates **PAPPLEWICK DAM** and grandad referred to work there in 1947.

MOOT HALL – Chapter 16

A meeting hall in **ELSTOW**, Bedfordshire. Grandma's maternal grandmother Sarah **BOWLER** was custodian there.

MORECAMBE – Kikrby Carnival blog

Seaside town in Lancashire where Fred **TYLER** roasted an ox.

MOUNTSORREL – Chapter 112

Leicestershire village which hosted a **ROLLS ROYCE** factory from 1945 to 1994. The site is now a housing estate.

MORPETH – Chapter 97

Town in Northumberland that was the site of a major rail accident in 1969.

MORVEN PARK – Chapters 31, 86

Park in **KIRKBY** between Welbeck Street and School Street. This was referred to as "*the rec*".

MOULIN HUET BAY – see **GUERNSEY**

MOUSEHOLD HEATH – Chapters 75, 81, 92, 106, 110

Well-known park/heath area to the north of **NORWICH**. We went there a lot when I was a child. It was also apparently the area in which the original **NORWICH** airport was located.

MOW COP – Background

A hill in Cheshire where the early Primitive Methodist church held camp meetings.

*This image is from a postcard I bought at **ENGLESEA BROOK CHAPEL AND MUSEUM** on a visit there in July 2022. It shows a Primitive Methodist camp meeting at **MOW COP** in 19077*



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MOZAMBIQUE – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

MULBARTON – Chapter 107

Village about six miles south of **NORWICH**.

MULLION COVE – Chapter 106

Picturesque harbour that was built in the 1890s. Mum also mentioned **MULLION CHURCH** and

MUNDESLEY – Chapters 90, 92, 106, 107, 110

Village on the North Norfolk coast about 20 miles from Norwich.

MUNICH – Chapter 112

German city that hosted three games in Group 4 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup featuring all of **HAITI'S** games against **ITALY**, **POLAND** and **ARGENTINA**. **MUNICH** also hosted the third-place play off and the final. **MUNICH** also hosted the 1972 Olympics.

MUSEUM OF NORWICH AT THE BRIDESWELL – see **BRIDESWELL MUSEUM**

MUTTON HILL – Chapter 4

Shoulder of **MUTTON HILL** is a well-known hill to the south of **KIRKBY**.

NAIRN – Chapters 92, 106

Scottish market town and port about 89 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

NAMIBIA – Station Street Shops

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NANTWICH – Chapter 69

Town in Cheshire. The delegate who stayed with the **SEARSONS** in 1945 to attend the conference in **NOTTINGHAM** was from **NANTWICH**.

NESS ISLANDS – Chapter 106

Collection of river islands near to **INVERNESS** that mum visited in May 1972.

NETHERFIELD – Kirkby Carnival blog

Town in Nottinghamshire.

THE NETHERLANDS – Chapters 102, 106

Mentioned as a country that switched to North Sea gas ahead of the UK. Also mentioned as **HOLLAND** in relation to the 1974 World Cup.

NEWARK – Chapters 14, 18, 34, 63, 64, 66, 68, 69, 80, 81, 88, 89, 92

Town in Nottinghamshire about 24 miles from **KIRKBY**. One of dad's sisters, Eva, lived there.

NEWARK CASTLE – Chapter 80

Major landmark in **NEWARK** that dad always commented on when travelling from **NORWICH** to **KIRKBY**.

NEWBOLD – Chapter 107

Village in Derbyshire north of **CHESTERFIELD**.

NEW BRIGHTON – Chapter 38

Seaside town/resort near **LIVERPOOL**. Some day trips went there from **KIRKBY**.

NEWBURY PARK – Chapter 99

Suburb of East **LONDON** where dad lived when he was in **LONDON** in the 1970s.

NEW BUCKENHAM – Chapter 106

Village in Norfolk about 15 miles south west of **NORWICH**.

NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE – Chapters 51, 52, 53, 69, 72, 84, 95, 97, 99, 106, 110, 112

Well-known city in the North East of England. The Church Army evangelist George **KIRKUP** was born there. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1936, 1947, 1958, 1973 and 1992. Mum stayed here in 1972 on her way back from her coach trip to Scotland.

NEW HOUGHTON – Kirkby Carnival blog

Former mining village in Derbyshire.

NEWMARKET – Chapters 92, 106, 110

Suffolk town known for racing about 51 miles from **NORWICH**.

NEWQUAY – Chapters 54, 66, 89

Tony and Carole **PACEY** went there for their honeymoon in 1965.

NEWSTEAD – Chapters 4, 18, 28, 31, 35, 44, 54, 63, 69

Village in Nottinghamshire about four miles from **KIRKBY**.

NEWSTEAD ABBEY – Chapters 18, **31**, 34, 40, 63, 66, 81, 90

Ancestral home of Lord Byron – very close to **KIRKBY**. It was a common place to visit with friends and family. I went there in 2010 with dad.









NEWTON – Chapter 69
Nottinghamshire hamlet about 18 miles from **KIRKBY**.

NEWTON ST FAITH – see **ST FAITHS**

NEWTOWN – Chapter 86
Town in Wales that was badly flooded in 1964.

NEW YORK – Chapter 112
The Band of the Royal Air Force Regiment that played at the 1970 FA Cup Final replay had previously played here. In 1970, Joe **FRAZIER** and Muhammad **ALI** fought here for the world heavyweight title.

NEW ZEALAND – Chapter 112
Used the same portrait of **QUEEN ELIZABETH II** on their coins as was used on the UK's new decimal coins in 1971.

NICE – Chapter 110

Second largest city on the southern coast of **FRANCE**. **KENNINGS** had a base here.

NIGERIA – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

NORFOLK BROADS – Chapter 81

Well-known series of man-made lakes in Norfolk. These were popular places to visit only eclipsed in popularity by places on the **NORFOLK COAST**. Places visited included **HORNING**, **OULTON BROAD** and **WROXHAM**.

NORFOLK WILDLIFE CENTRE AND COUNTRY PARK – see **NORFOLK WILDLIFE PARK**

NORFOLK WILDLIFE PARK – Chapter 92

This was the bird sanctuary near **LENWADE** that grandma, Eva, Jim and Renie visited in August 1965. This was opened in 1963 by Philip and Jeanne **WAYRE** who later founded the Otter Trust. It changed its name to the **NORFOLK WILDLIFE CENTRE AND COUNTRY PARK** and then to **THE ANIMAL ARK** before closing in 2011.

NORMANTON ON SOAR – Grocer's token blog

Village in the very south of Nottinghamshire about four miles from **LOUGHBOROUGH**.

NORTHALLERTON – Chapter 40

Market town in North Yorkshire.

NORTHAM – Chapter 54

Town in Devon where Bill **HOWELLS** was working in 1939.

NORTHAMPTON – Chapters 24, 29, 31, 52, 59, 69, 77, 80, 81, 84, 107

Town where Annie **ALDRIDGE** came from. Tom **HOLMES** and Annie were married there in 1925. Venue for Northants to play the visiting South African cricket team in June 1951.

NORTH BERWICK – Kirkby Carnival blog

Coastal town in Scotland.

NORTH ELMHAM – Chapter 108

Village in West Norfolk about 20 miles from **NORWICH**.

NORTHOLT – Chapter 97

Area of **LONDON**. Recorded a temperature of 81°F (27°C) on 2 May 1966.

NORTHOLT AIRPORT – Chapters 51, 52

Major **LONDON** Airport from 1946 to 1954 while **HEATHROW AIRPORT** was being constructed.

NORTHREPPS – Chapter 92

Village in North Norfolk about 22 miles from **NORWICH**.

NORTH WALSHAM – Chapters 92, 106, 107

Norfolk town about 15 miles from **NORWICH**.

NORTON CUCKNEY – Kirkby Carnival blog

Nottinghamshire parish.

NORWAY – Chapter 6

Mentioned in relation to a Norwegian collier that collided with the Empress of Ireland in 1914.

NORWICH – Chapters 0, 54, 59, 63, 65, 66, 68, 69, 72, 73, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 112
City in Norfolk. We moved here from **KIRKBY** in 1960. Venue for a minor counties team to play the visiting South African cricket team in September 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1981.

NORWICH CASTLE – Chapter 81

Favourite place to take first-time visitors to **NORWICH** along with **NORWICH CATHEDRAL**. It includes **CASTLE MUSEUM**.

NOTTINGHAM – Chapters 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 37, 39, 40, 41, 43, 44, 45, 49, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 57, 58, 59, 62, 63, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 75, 76, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 88, 90, 92, 95, 96, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112

City in Nottinghamshire. It is about 17 miles from **KIRKBY**. Dad worked there and mum went to high school there. Venue for Nottinghamshire to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951. It also hosted the first test in June 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1945, 1957, 1972 and 2018.

NOTTINGHAM CASTLE – Chapter 66

Visited by grandma and Tricia in May 1959.

NOTTING HILL – Chapter 90

Area of **LONDON** where Norwyn **DENNY** conducted home missions for the Methodist church.

NOVI SAD – Chapter 103

City in **SERBIA** that is twinned with **NORWICH**. Tricia went there in 1972 as part of an exchange visit.

NUNCARGATE – Chapters 4, 6, 45, 69, 79

Southern part of **KIRKBY**.

NUNEATON – Kikrby Carnival blog

Market town in Warwickshire where Fred **TYLER** roasted an ox.

NUTHALL – Chapter 18

Village in Nottinghamshire about ten miles from **KIRKBY**.

OAKHAM – Chapter 51

County town of Rutland that mum noted going through on the train journey from **NOTTINGHAM** to **BEDFORD**.

OAKLEY – Chapter 16

Village near **BEDFORD**. My great, great, great, great, great grandparents William **SURKET** and Mary **HALE** were married there in 1751.

OBERAMMERGAU – Chapters 99, 104, 106, 107, 108, 110, 111

Village in **GERMANY** which hosts a passion play every ten years. Grandma, mum and Tricia went there in 1970.

OBERLANDS – see **ST MARTIN**

ODDICOMBE – Chapter 66

Popular beach below the **BABBACOMBE** district of **TORQUAY** in Devon.

OLD KIRKBY – see **KIRKBY**

OLDHAM CENTRAL AND ROYTON – Chapter 97

Parliamentary constituency represented by Bryan **DAVIES** from 1992 to 1997.

OLD TRAFFORD - Chapter 112

Stadium in **MANCHESTER** where the FA Cup Replay was held in 1970.

OLLERTON – Chapters 1, 14, 16, 18, 24, 37, 44, 51, 63

Town in Nottinghamshire, approximately 17 miles from **KIRKBY**. Grandad's brother Len lived there from 1924/5.

OMAN – Chapter 112

Ian **PORTERFIELD** scored the winning goal in the 1973 FA Cup Final and went on to manage **OMAN**.

ORDSALL – Kirkby Carnival blog

Nottinghamshire village near the town of **RETFORD**.

ORFORD – Chapter 92

Village in Suffolk about 45 miles from **NORWICH**.

ORMESBY – Chapters 92, 106

Grandad referred to **ORMESBY** on several occasions and I think he may have meant **ORMESBY ST MARGARET** (and/or **ORMESBY ST MICHAEL**) even though, in April 1965, he wrote **ORMSKIRK**. As far as I know, **ORMSKIRK** is in Lancashire and there is no **ORMSKIRK** in Norfolk. Although **ORMESBY** is a village in **MIDDLESBROUGH**, both **ORMESBY ST MARGARET** and **ORMESBY ST MICHAEL** are near **YARMOUTH**. There is also an **ORMESBY BROAD**.

ORMESBY BROAD – see **ORMESBY**

ORMESBY ST MARGARET – see **ORMESBY**

ORMESBY ST MICHAEL – see **ORMESBY**

ORMSKIRK – Chapter 89

This is where Arthur **LOFTHOUSE** and Jessie **MARSH** got married in 1967.

ORSTON – Chapter 69

Nottinghamshire village about 23 miles from **KIRKBY**.

OSTEND – Chapter 106

Port city in **BELGIUM**. Party going to **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970 travelled to here. Grandad spelled it the French way, **OSTENDE**.

OSTENDE – see **OSTEND**

THE OTTER TRUST – see Philip and Jeanne **WAYRE**

OULTON – Chapters 79, 80 , 81

Village in North Norfolk, approximately 15 miles from **NORWICH**, but, in some cases, may be referring to **OULTON BROAD**.

OULTON BROAD – Chapters 79, 80, 81, 92, 106

Suburb of **LOWESTOFT**, approximately 25 miles from **NORWICH**.

OVAL – Chapter 59

Venue for Surrey to play the visiting South African cricket team in June 1951. It also hosted the fifth test in August 1951.

OVERSEAL – Kirkby Carnival blog

Village in South Derbyshire where Kirkby Old Band performed.

OVERSTRAND – Chapters 81, 88, 90, 92, 95, 106, 107

Village on the North Norfolk coast, approximately 23 miles from **NORWICH**. Grandma and grandad had friends there, George and Meddy **BAILEY**, who had moved there from **KIRKBY**.

OXFORD – Chapters 45, 59, 62, 68, 86, 112

Historic University that competes with **CAMBRIDGE** for the annual boat race. Venue for Oxford University to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951.

OXTON – Chapters 44, 51, 63, 66, 81

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately 10 miles from **KIRKBY**.

PAIGNTON – Chapter 66

Town in Devon which mum and dad visited when they were on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

PAIGNTON ZOO – Chapter 66

Devon zoo mum and dad visited when they were on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

PAISLEY – Chapters 59, 84

Large town in Scotland. Home of an ice hockey team that competed against the **NOTTINGHAM** Panthers in the 1950s.

PAPPLEWICK – Chapters 4, 16, 18, 31, 32, 34, 44, 45, 51, 63

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately seven miles from **KIRKBY**.

PAPPLEWICK DAM – see **MOOR POND WOODS**

PAPPLEWICK LIDO – Chapters 31, 40

Open air swimming pool in **PAPPLEWICK** which opened in the 1930s and closed in 1995.

PARIS – Chapters 110, 112

Capital of **FRANCE**. **KENNINGS** had a base here. **TURKISH AIRLINES** Flight 981 crashed near here in March 1974. The Band of the Royal Air Force Regiment that played at the 1970 FA Cup Final replay had previously played here.

PEAK CAVERN – Chapter 92
Cavern in **CASTLETON**.

PEMBROKE BAY – see **GUERNSEY**

PENDENNIS CASTLE – Chapter 106
Castle in **FALMOUTH** that was used as a youth hostel from 1963 to 2000.. We stayed there in August 1972. It closed because the lease was not renewed. There currently is no youth hostel in **FALMOUTH**. The youth hostel was located in a former Royal Artillery barracks dating from 1901 and located in the Castle precinct.

PENNINE WAY – Chapter 92
Long-distance walking route that starts at **EDALE**.

PENRHYNDEUDRAETH – Chapter 106
Small town in Wales.

PENSTHORPE – Chapter 92
Gardens and natural park in Norfolk near **FAKENHAM**. I thought it might have been the place grandma, Eva, Jim and Renie visited in August 1965 but it was only developed in the 1980s.

PENZANCE – Chapters 66, 106
Town in Cornwall. Mum and dad visited here when on holiday in **PERRANPORTH** in 1955. Also see **TRURO**. We stayed at the youth hostel here for two nights in August 1972.

PERRANPORTH – Chapters 63, 65, 66
Seaside resort town in Cornwall. Mum and dad went there on holiday with friends in 1955.

PERTH – Chapters 92, 106
A city in central Scotland about 45 miles from **EDINBURGH**.

PERTISAU – Chapter 106
Village in **AUSTRIA** that grandma, mum and Tricia visited on their way to the passion play in **OBERRAMMERGAU** in 1970.

PETERBOROUGH – Chapters 45, 103, 110
A city in Eastern England.

PETIT BOT BAY – see **GUERNSEY**

PETIT PORT – see **GUERNSEY**

PETIT PORT BAY – see **GUERNSEY**

PEVENSEY CASTLE – Chapter 66
Ruined castle near **HASTINGS**

PEVERIL CASTLE – Chapter 92
Ruined castle in **CASTLETON**.

PILSLEY – Chapters 69, 79, 81
There appear to be two places called **PILSLEY**. Both are in Derbyshire. One is to the west of **CHESTERFIELD** while the other is to the south. I have assumed it was the latter as this was much closer to **KIRKBY**.

PINEBANKS – Chapters 81, 83, 86, 92
This was an extensive sports and social centre owned and run by the **NORWICH UNION**. It is long-since closed and became derelict before most of it was demolished in 2019.

PINEWOOD STUDIOS – Chapter 92
Well-known film studio west of **LONDON**, which has operated since the 1930s and is still operating. Dad visited there with the Chartered Insurance Institute in January 1967.

PINXTON – Chapters 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 18, 31, 34, 36, 44, 63, 78, 81
Village in Derbyshire about three miles from **KIRKBY**. The **PARKIN** family had a business in **PINXTON** and , in 1918, Len went out on his own with this. Collieries in and around **PINXTON** included Brookhill and Langton.

PITLOCHRY – Chapters 92, 106
Town in Scotland about 27 miles from **PERTH** that grandma, grandad, Tom and Amy used as a base when on holiday in 1966. Mum passed through there on a coach trip in 1972 but did not have time to stop.

PLEASLEY – Chapters 63, 106
Village partly in Derbyshire and partly in Nottinghamshire about seven miles from **KIRKBY**.

PLEASLEY VALE – Chapters 18, 44
Deep narrow valley on the border between Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire.

PLEASURE BEACH – Chapter 52
Funfair area in **YARMOUTH** that mum and dad visited in 1954.

PLEASURE PARK – Chapters 31, 44, 52
An early amusement park on the river Trent in **NOTTINGHAM**. There was also a **PLEASURE PARK** in **BLACKPOOL** which mum visited in 1953.

PLUMTREE – Chapter 18
Village in Nottinghamshire about 21 miles from **KIRKBY**.

PLYMOUTH – Chapters 66, 69, 72, 97
City in Devon. The Mayflower II sailed from here in 1957. Mum and dad visited here in 1956 when on honeymoon in **TORQUAY**. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1965, 1982 and 2012.

POLAND – Chapter 106, 112
Country that played in the 1974 World Cup. They qualified at England's expense because England lost in **POLAND** and only managed to draw at home. In the competition, **POLAND** beat **ARGENTINA**, **ITALY** and **BRAZIL** and finished third overall. In the first group stage, they won all their games

beating **ARGENTINA**, **HAITI** and **ITALY**. In the second group stage, they beat **SWEDEN** and **YUGOSLAVIA** but lost to **WEST GERMANY**. They beat **BRAZIL** 1-0 in the third place play-off.

POLPERRO – Chapter 106
Large village in Cornwall.

PONTEFRACT – Station Street Shops
Town in West Yorkshire where Harry Dyson **FOX'S** father worked as a teacher.

PONTLOTTYN – Chapter 54
Village in Wales. Rev Albert **GRIFFITHS** was born there.

POOLE – Chapters 9, 107
Town in Dorset.

PORINGLAND – Chapters 90, 99, 102
Village about six miles south of **NORWICH**. Robin **HARRISON** moved there in 1972.

PORTHMEOR BEACH – Chapter 106
Beach in **ST IVES** Cornwall.

PORTHMINSTER BEACH – Chapter 106
Beach in **ST IVES** Cornwall.

PORTLAND – see **WEYMOUTH**

PORTLAND PARK – see **THE QUARRIES**

PORTMADOC – see **PORTMADOG**

PORTMADOG – Chapter 106
Welsh coastal town. Known as **PORTMADOC** until 1974.

PORTMEIRION – Chapter 106
Touristic Italian village in Wales.

PORTREE – Chapter 106
Main town and capital of **SKYE**.

PORTSMOUTH – Chapters 9, 59, 69, 86, 97
Venue for a combined services team to play the visiting South African cricket team in June 1951.
Location for the Methodist Conference in 1987 and 2010. It experienced particularly heavy snowfall in December 1962.

PORTSMOUTH NAVAL WAR MEMORIAL – see **WAR MEMORIALS**

PORTUGAL – Chapters 106, 110
Barbara **CARPENTER** went to **PORTUGAL** from **LUTON AIRPORT** in October 1973.

POTTER HEIGHAM – Chapter 92
Norfolk village about 12 miles from **NORWICH**.

PRESTON – Chapters 54, 69, 88, 92, 99

Mum visited Mary and Derrick **LEACH** in **PRESTON** in February 1967 when she was struggling with depression. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1952, 1963 and 1976.

PRINCE'S STREET – Chapter 92

Famous shopping street in **EDINBURGH**.

PULL'S FERRY – Chapter 81

The distinctive water gate which is one of the entrances to **NORWICH CATHEDRAL**.

PURLEY – Chapter 99

Suburb of South **LONDON** where dad stayed when he first moved to **LONDON** in the 1970s.

PWLLHELI – Chapters 73, 106

Town in Wales. The 1957 earthquake was felt here. There was also a **BUTLINS** camp here and mum visited it with a coach party in May 1973.

PYE BRIDGE – Chapters 18, 31, 44

Industrial hamlet near **ALFRETON**, about five miles from **KIRKBY**.

PYE HILL – Kirkby Carnival blog

Nottinghamshire hamlet in the Erewash valley.

PYG TRACK – Chapter 106

One of the routes up **SNOWDON**.

THE QUARRIES – Chapters 4, 16, 31, 44, 51, 54, 66

According to the book, "*Kirkby & District from Old Photographs*" (p36), this is a local term for **PORTLAND PARK**. A website for **PORTLAND PARK** states "*some areas have been quarried for limestone and the park is known locally as 'THE QUARRIES'.*" Apparently, referring to taking someone "*down the quarries*" had sexual connotations. For example, Jonathan Evans, in his book "*The Mystery of Ernie Taylor's Abdomen*" says "*taking someone down the quarries had a number of connotations if you get my meaning*".

QUEEN'S PARK – Chapters 79, 80

There are a number of parks in **CHESTERFIELD** but perhaps the reference to **CHESTERFIELD PARK** relates to **QUEEN'S PARK**.

QUINTINSHILL – Chapter 59

Site of the UK's worst ever rail disaster. The name relates to a signal box close to **GRETNA GREEN**.

RACECOURSE – Chapters 31, 66

Park in **MANSFIELD**.

RADCLIFFE ON TRENT – Chapter 18

Village in Nottinghamshire about 22 miles from **KIRKBY**.

RAF NORTHOLT – see **NORTHOLT** airport

RAMSGATE – Chapters 73, 112

One of the trains involved in the **LEWISHAM** crash in 1957 was going to **RAMSGATE**.

RATTENBERG – Chapter 106

City in **AUSTRIA** that grandma, mum and Tricia visited in 1970 on their way to the passion play in **OBERAMMERGAU**.

RAVENSTOR YOUTH HOSTEL – Chapter 92

Youth hostel in **MILLER'S DALE** where dad, Tricia and I stayed in 1968.

READING – Chapters 72, 84

Someone from **READING** attended the same **NORWICH UNION** course as dad in 1957.

THE REC – Chapters 40, **86**

Grandad referred to "*the rec*" being levelled in March 1961. This is a reference to **MORVEN PARK** which is between Welbeck Street and School Street. However, in April 1948, mum referred to going to the wakes "*on rec*" and I thought the wakes were in Pond Street.

REDCAR – Chapters 37, 40, 52

Mum and dad visited here in 1954 while visiting Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** in **STOKESLEY**. In 1949, when mum and grandma went to visit Dorothy, Marilyn came with them as far as **REDCAR**.

REDHILL – Chapters 18, 51

Part of **ARNOLD** on the edge of **NOTTINGHAM**, approximately 10 miles from **KIRKBY**.

RED HILLS – Chapter 106

Group of mountains in **SKYE** including Beinn na Caillich.

REDRUTH – Chapter 106

Town in Cornwall.

REEDHAM – Chapters 80, 92, 106

Village on the northern side of the River Yare. There is a chain **FERRY** there which is the only place to cross the River Yare between **NORWICH** and **YARMOUTH**. **REEDHAM RIVERSIDE** refers to a road which runs along the bank of the river.

REEDHAM FERRY – see **REEDHAM**

REEDHAM RIVERSIDE – see **REEDHAM**

REEPHAM – Chapters 79, 80, 81, 92

Town in North Norfolk, approximately 14 miles from **NORWICH**.

REGINA – Chapter 1

Canadian city to which grandad's brother James Henry emigrated with his family.

REIMS – Chapter 106

City in **FRANCE** that grandma, mum and Tricia came through on their way back from the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970. Grandad spelled it **RHEIMS**.

RESTORMEL CASTLE – Chapter 106

Ruined castle in Cornwall that we visited in August 1972.

RETFORD – Chapter 18

Town in Nottinghamshire about 28 miles from **KIRKBY**.

RHEIMS – see **REIMS**

RHODESIA – see **ZIMBABWE**

RHYL – Chapter 34

Where Roy **EVANS** went when he was called up in WW2.

RIBER CASTLE – Chapter 92

Castle overlooking **MATLOCK**. I recall a wildlife park there when we visited in the late 60s.

RICHMOND – Chapters 54, 90

In February 1967, dad went to **RICHMOND** for home missions. I don't know if this was in **LONDON** or somewhere else.

RIDDINGS – Chapters 49, 51, 63, 66, 69, 77

Village in Derbyshire, approximately six miles from **KIRKBY**.

RIDGEWOOD – Chapter 107

Suburb of **UCKFIELD** in East Sussex.

RIPLEY – Chapters 1, 9, 17, 18, 38, 63, 76, 84, 92

Town in Derbyshire, approximately 10 miles from **KIRKBY**. This is where grandad's father, Henry **PARKIN** was born in 1861.

RIPON – Chapters 66, 81, 89

City in North Yorkshire.

RIVER BEAULY – Chapter 106

River in **GLEN AFFRIC** on which the **AIGAS** and **KILMORACK POWER STATIONS** stand.

RIVER DEE – Chapter 106

River in the Highlands of Scotland.

RIVER DON – Chapter 106

River in the Highlands of Scotland.

RIVER FAL – see **TRURO**

RIVER GLASS – see **STRATHGLASS**

RIVER LOSSIE – Chapter 106

River that flows through **ELGIN**.

ROCKLAND BROAD – Chapter 92

A broad on the southern side of the River Yare about nine miles from **NORWICH**.

ROMANIA – Chapter 112

David **SMITH** refereed the 1972 FA Cup Final and had previously refereed an international match between **HUNGARY** and **ROMANIA**.

ROME – Chapters 106, 107, 111

Barbara **CARPENTER** visited here in May 1974. Dr **GALE** showed photos of **ROME** and **CAPRI** to the **DRAYTON** ladies' meeting in July 1974.

ROMFORD – Chapter 112

Large town in East **LONDON**.

ROSELAND PENINSULA – Chapter 106

Part of the boundaries of **FALMOUTH** harbour.

ROTHERHAM – Chapter 9

Town in South Yorkshire

ROUEN – Chapters 9, 103, 110

City in northern **FRANCE**, the location of **ST SEVER CEMETERY**. It is twinned with **NORWICH** and I visited there on an exchange visit arranged through school in 1973.

ROWLAND COTE – Chapter 92

Youth hostel in **EDALE**.

ROYAL MILE – Chapters 92, 95

Area in **EDINBURGH** leading up to the **CASTLE**.

ROYSTON – Chapters 100, 106, 109, 110

Town in Hertfordshire. Linda **BELL** had a car accident here in 1974.

RUDDINGTON – Chapters 14, 31, 32, 63

Village five miles south of **NOTTINGHAM**. Cyril and Minnie established a business here in 1933.

RUDYARD LAKE – Chapter 18

Fairly well-known lake in Staffordshire. This is one of the furthest places grandad travelled to by motorbike between the wars.

RUFFORD – Kirkby Carnival blog

Village in Nottinghamshire.

RUISLIP – Chapter 92

Area of **LONDON**.

RUMANIA – see **ROMANIA**

RUNCORN – Chapter 112

Industrial town and port in Cheshire.

RUSSIA – Chapter 112

The Band of the Royal Air Force Regiment that played at the 1970 FA Cup Final replay had previously played at Old Trafford for an under-23 match between England and **RUSSIA**.

RUSTINGTON – Chapter 69

Village in Sussex. Kenneth **GREET** died here in 2014.

SADDLE MOUNTAIN – Chapter 106

Major mountain in the northwest of Scotland.

SAINTS BAY – see **GUERNSEY**

SALISBURY – Chapter 54

I found an example of a “*faith tea*” at **SALISBURY METHODIST CHURCH**.

SALTBURN – Chapters 40, 66, 71

Officially **SALTBURN-BY-THE-SEA**, this is a coastal town in North Yorkshire.

SALTBURN-BY-THE-SEA – see **SALTBURN**

SALTFLEET – Chapter 59

Coastal Lincolnshire village that was badly affected by the floods of 1953.

SALONIKA – Chapter 9

Greek city of **THESSALONIKI**. Frank **SEVILLE’S** brother Horace was posted here in WW1.

SANDRINGHAM – Chapters 80, 81, 92, 95, 97, 106, 107, 110

Village in North Norfolk known because of the royal estate there. It is approximately 47 miles from **NORWICH**.

SAN FERNANDO – Chapter 112

City in California near **LOS ANGELES** that was hit by an earthquake on 10 February 1971.

SARK – Chapter 66

One of the Channel Islands. Mum and dad visited in 1957 when they were staying in **GUERNSEY**.

SAUMAREZ PARK – see **GUERNSEY**

SAWLEY – see **HIGH GRANTLEY**

SAXMUNDHAM – Chapter 110

Town in Suffolk. **EASTERN COUNTIES** had an office here in the 1970s.

SCARBOROUGH – Chapters 6, 18, 21, 38, 40, 52, 55, 57, 59, 69, 88

Popular seaside resort. Destination for some day trips from **KIRKBY**. Mum and grandma went there in 1947 with Mr and Mrs **HILL**. Places they visited in **SCARBOROUGH** included the **ITALIAN GARDENS** and the **NORTH [BAY] BATHING POOL**. Mum and dad also went on a day trip there with **FORDHAM AND BURTON** in July 1953. Venue for a [T N PEARCE’S XI](#) to play the visiting South African cricket team in September 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1998 and 2008.

SCOLE – Chapter 92

Village on the Norfolk-Suffolk border about 19 miles from **NORWICH**.

SCRATBY – Chapter 92

Beach north of **YARMOUTH** about 21 miles from **NORWICH**. It is slightly north of **CALIFORNIA** beach.

SEAHOUSES – Chapter 66

Northumberland coastal village where Jo and I were involved in a beach mission in the 1980s.

SEA PALLING – Chapters 80, 81, 92, 94

Village on the North Norfolk coast, approximately 19 miles from **NORWICH**. We had a static caravan here at least between 1964 and 1966.

SEELY'S LODGE – Chapter 6

In grandad's entry for 3 August 1914, he refers to the chapel people going to **SEELY'S LODGE**. I think this is probably [SHERWOOD LODGE](#) as Sir Charles **SEELY** lived there.

SELFRIDGES – Chapter 52

Iconic shop in **LONDON**. Mum visited there on a **FORDHAM AND BURTON** trip to **LONDON** in 1953.

SELSTON – Chapters 4, 18, 44, 51, 54, 69, 76

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately three miles from **KIRKBY**.

SENNEN COVE – Chapter 106

Small coastal village in Cornwall.

SERBIA – Chapter 103

Country in Europe that was part of **YUGOSLAVIA**. Tricia went there in 1972 as part of an exchange visit to **NOVI SAD**.

SEVEN MILE HOUSE – Chapter 18

Location near the village of **PAPPLEWICK**.

SGÙRR NA LAPAICH – Chapter 106

Highest mountain on the north side of **LOCH MULLARDOCH**.

SHAFTESBURY – Chapter 69

Town in Dorset. Rev Kenneth **WAIGHTS** died here in 1984.

SHEFFIELD – Chapters 1, 16, 18, 27, 34, 37, 40, 43, 49, 52, 54, 59, 63, 66, 69, 72, 73, 84, 86, 92, 110

Major city in South Yorkshire. I found an example of a "*faith tea*" at **BANNER CROSS METHODIST CHURCH** in **SHEFFIELD**. Grandad's brother, Len, was cremated in **SHEFFIELD** in 1949. Venue for Yorkshire to play the visiting South African cricket team in June 1951. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1940, 1951, 1964 and 1980.

ISLE OF SHEPPEY – Chapter 86

Island off the north coast of Kent. A one thousand foot waterspout was seen off the coast here in August 1960.

SHERBROOK LODGE – Chapter 92

Name of the former youth hostel in **BUXTON**.

SHERINGHAM – Chapters 75, 81, 90, 92, 93, 95, 106, 107, 110

Town on the North Norfolk coast, approximately 27 miles from **NORWICH**.

SHERINGHAM PARK – Chapter 92

This is a large park and garden, some two miles from **SHERINGHAM**, managed by the National Trust. Grandma and granddad visited with Tom and Amy and they paid 2/- for them and the car to go in. Granddad said there was not much to see. The cost now is £6.50 for parking but National Trust members park for free and there appears to be no charge if you visit without a car.

SHERWOOD FOREST – Chapter 27

Well-known forest in Nottinghamshire. It provides the setting for the book *Fortuna Chance*.

SHERWOOD LODGE – see **SEELY'S LODGE**

SHETLAND – Chapters 79, 86

Group of islands to the north of Scotland. In March 1961, mum saw a film about Methodism in **SHETLAND** called "*Simmer Dim*". Granddad noted a hurricane there in February 1962.

SHILDON – Chapters 62, 63, 66, 88

Town in County Durham. This is where Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** got married in 1958. This is where Arthur **LOFTHOUSE** was Minister before moving to **SKELMERSDALE**.

SHIPLEY GLEN – Chapter 40

A country park on the edge of **BRADFORD** that grandma and mum visited in 1947 while they were visiting the **FAWTHROPS**.

SHIREBROOK – Chapters 7, 18, 69

Town in Derbyshire about nine miles from **KIRKBY**. **TRUMANS** buses were based here.

SHIRLAND – Kirkby Carnival blog

Former Derbyshire pit village.

SHOTESHAM – Chapters 90, 95, 98, 106, 107, 110

Village approximately five miles south of **NORWICH**. The village gave part of the name to Shotsilva, an overnight exercise for Scouts that I took part in in the early seventies.

SHREWSBURY – Chapters 86, 106

Town in Shropshire that was badly flooded in 1964. Mum passed through here in May 1973 on a coach trip to North Wales.

SIDESTRAND – Chapter 92

Village on the Norfolk coast about 24 miles from **NORWICH**.

SIDMOUTH – Chapter 66

Town in Devon where mum and dad met Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** when they were on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

SINAI PENINSULA – Chapter 112

Part of **EGYPT** where fighting with **ISRAEL** was concentrated in October 1973.

SIZEWELL – Chapter 92

Hamlet on the Suffolk coast now known for the nuclear power station there. It is about 39 miles from **NORWICH**.

SKEGBY – Chapters 68, 69

Village in Nottinghamshire about three miles from **KIRKBY**.

SKEGNESS – Chapters 16, 18, 21, 23, 29, 38, 40, 44, 51, 52, 54, 57, 63, 66, 88, 92

Popular seaside destination in Lincolnshire. Common place for a day trip from **KIRKBY**. We went on holiday to the **BUTLINS** camp here in 1965. Mark Ashfield, in his book *“Ferrets, a Tin Whistle and Haircuts at Home”* notes that his family used to go to **SKEGNESS** during pit week and that it was dubbed **“NOTTINGHAM-by-the-sea”**.

SKELMERSDALE – Chapters 88, 95

Town in Lancashire where Arthur **LOFTHOUSE** was Methodist Minister from 1962.

SKYE – Chapter 106

Scottish island that mum visited in 1972.

SLEAFORD – Chapter 77

Lincolnshire town. Mark **COLVER** was born here in 1959.

SLEEP LODGE – Chapter 92

Self-catering accommodation now occupying the former **BAKEWELL** youth hostel.

SLIGACHAN – Chapter 106

Small settlement on **SKYE**.

SLOUGH – Chapter 106

Town in Berkshire to the west of **LONDON**.

SNOWDON – Chapter 106

Highest mountain in Wales.

SOMERCOTES – Chapter 31

Village in Derbyshire about six miles from **KIRKBY**. Cotes Park colliery was located here.

SOUTH AFRICA – Chapters 17, 107, 112

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street. Rev Allen **LEA** from **SOUTH AFRICA** was a speaker at **BOURNE CHAPEL** in 1932.

SOUTHAM – Kikrby Carnival blog

Market town in Warwickshire where Fred **TYLER** roasted an ox.

SOUTHAMPTON – Chapters 6, 59, 110, 112

Identified by grandad as site of HMS Bulwark explosion but I am not sure this was correct. Venue for Hampshire to play the visiting South African cricket team in August 1951.

SOUTHEND – Chapters 6, 95, 110

The explosion of HMS Bulwark in 1914 was heard here.

SOUTH NORMANTON – Chapters 18, 51, 76, 79, 84

Village in Derbyshire, approximately four miles from **KIRKBY**.

SOUTHPORT – Chapters 69, 88

This is where the cremation service for Ella **LOFTHOUSE** took place. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1999, 2011 and 2015.

SOUTHSEA – Chapter 97

A resort close to **PORTSMOUTH**. Alex **ROSE** sailed round the world in 1968. He was from **SOUTHSEA**.

SOUTH SHIELDS – Chapter 51

In 1954, mum and dad travelled on a **HALLS BROTHERS** bus service from **MANSFIELD** to **DARLINGTON**. It seems that service was between **COVENTRY** and **SOUTH SHIELDS**.

SOUTH WALSHAM – Chapter 92

Norfolk village about nine miles east of **NORWICH**.

SOUTHWELL – Chapters 16, 18, 51, 54, 63, 66, 68, 79, 81

Town in Nottinghamshire, approximately 16 miles from **KIRKBY**.

SOUTHWELL ROAD – Chapter 4

Part of **KIRKBY** that grandad and his friends walked between 1914 and 1918.

SOUTHWOLD – Chapters 81, 84, 89, 90, 92, 95, 97, 106, 107, 110, 112

Suffolk coastal town, approximately 31 miles from **NORWICH**. In July 1970, when grandad went there, he noted that it was very hot and that he had never seen so many people on the beach.

SOVIET UNION – Chapter 112

Olga **KORBUT**, a gymnast from the **SOVIET UNION**. won multiple medals at the 1972 Olympics.

SPAGHETTI JUNCTION – Chapter 106

Well-known road junction near **BIRMINGHAM**. It opened in 1972.

SPAIN – Chapters 106, 112

David **BELL** went here in June 1971.

SPALDING – Chapters 80, 107

Lincolnshire town. In September 1961, when travelling to **NORWICH**, grandma and grandad had to divert through **SPALDING** when the Fosdyke bridge was closed.

SPEEDWELL CAVERN – Chapter 92

Cavern in **CASTLETON** that dad considered to be the most overrated!

SPENNYMOOR – Chapter 54

Town in County **DURHAM**. Rev Alexander **SURTEES** was born there.

SPROWSTON – Chapters 76, 79, 88, 90, 93, 97, 108

I have always regarded this as a suburb of **NORWICH** but it is seen as a parish and town.

STALHAM – Chapters 92, 106

Norfolk town about 15 miles north east of **NORWICH**.

ST ANDREW'S HALL, EATON – Chapter 106

Church hall where I used to attend scouts in the 1970s.

STANLEY PARK – Chapter 69

Park in **BLACKPOOL**. Mum noted visiting here in 1955 while on a chapel trip.

ST ANTHONY'S LIGHTHOUSE – Chapter 106

Lighthouse on the eastern side of the entrance to **FALMOUTH** harbour.

STANTON HILL – Chapters 27, 51, 54, 62, 63, 69, 79

Village in Nottinghamshire, approximately three miles from **KIRKBY**.

ST AUGUSTINE'S SWIMMING POOL – Chapter 92

Swimming pool in **NORWICH** that opened in 1961 and was closed in 1997.

STEVENAGE – Chapter 106

Large town in Hertfordshire.

ST FAITHS – Chapters 92, 95, 97, 106, 110, 112

This refers to an area north of **NORWICH** where there are at least two villages which include **ST FAITH** in the name – **HORSHAM ST FAITH** and **NEWTON ST FAITH**. This is where the current **NORWICH** airport is located.

ST IGNATIUS' WISHING WELL – Chapter 106

Holy well in the Highlands of Scotland.

STIRLING – Chapter 106

City in Scotland that mum visited with a coach trip in May 1972.

ST IVES – Chapters 66, 106

Town in Cornwall. Mum and dad visited here when on holiday in **PERRANPORTH** in 1955. Also see **TRURO**. We also went here when visiting Cornwall in 1972.

ST LEONARDS ON SEA – Chapters 9, 37, 40, 42, 52, 59, 62, 63, 65, 66, 69, 71, 78, 80, 81, 84, 87, 89, 90, 92, 95, 106, 108, 110

A place near **HASTINGS** where Bert **CIRKET** and his family moved in 1948. While in **ST LEONARDS**, mum visited various places in **HASTINGS** including **BOTTLE ALLEY**, **HASTINGS PIER** and the **HASTINGS LIGHT SHIP**. **HASTINGS** was the venue for and England XI to play the visiting South African cricket team in September 1951.

ST MARTIN – Chapter 52

Parish in **GUERNSEY** where mum and Joan **STORER** stayed in 1953. They stayed with Mr and Mrs Lloyd **BOUGGORD** at 2 **LES HURIAUX, OBERLANDS**.

ST MICHAEL'S MOUNT – Chapter 106

Island off the coast of **PENZANCE** that is accessible by causeway at low tide. Also see **TRURO**.

STOCKPORT – see **BRAMHALL**

STOCKTON – Chapter 52

Mum and dad visited here in 1954 while visiting Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** in **STOKESLEY**.

STOKE BARDOLPH – see **STOKE FERRY**

STOKE FERRY – Chapter 18

Another ferry across the river Trent close to the village of **STOKE BARDOLPH**. There is a pub in that location called the **FERRY BOAT INN**.

STOKE-ON-TRENT – Chapter 69

City in Staffordshire sometimes just called **STOKE**. Location for the Methodist Conference in 1962 and 1986.

STOKESLEY – Chapters 51, 52, 54, 62, 63, 66, 68

Town in North Yorkshire. Dorothy **LOFTHOUSE** lived here and mum and dad visited her there in 1954.

ST OLAVES – Chapter 92

Village in Norfolk about 19 miles south east of **NORWICH**.

STONEHENGE – Chapter 106

Well-known prehistoric stone circle that we visited in August 1972 on our way on holiday in Cornwall.

STONEHOUSE – Chapter 112

Gloucestershire town. David **SMITH**, who refereed the 1972 FA Cup Final, came from there.

STOURBRIDGE – Chapter 112

Market town in **DUDLEY** in the West Midlands. Eric **JENNINGS** the referee for the 1970 FA Cup Final came from **STOURBRIDGE** as did the referee for the 1973 FA Cup Final, Ken **BURNS**.

STOWMARKET – Chapter 79

Town in Suffolk. This was the birthplace of religious writer Richard **TYDEMAN**.

ST PETER PORT – see **GUERNSEY**

STRASBOURG – Chapter 106

City in **FRANCE** close to the border with **GERMANY**. Grandma, mum and Tricia visited here in 1970 on their way to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play.

STRATFORD UPON AVON – Chapters 18, 25, 40

A place that the **PARKINS** went to during a visit from the **LOFTHOUSES**.

STRATHDON – Chapter 106

Wide and narrow valley formed by the **RIVER DON** in the Highlands of Scotland.

STRATHGLASS – Chapter 106

Wide and narrow valley formed by the **RIVER GLASS** in the northwest Highlands of Scotland.

STRONTIAN – Chapter 92

Scottish village about 24 miles from **FORT WILLIAM**.

ST SEVER CEMETERY – Chapter 9

Cemetery in **ROUEN** where William **NEWCOMBE** is remembered.

STUTTGART – Chapter 112

German city that hosted three games in Group 4 of the first group round of the 1974 World Cup featuring **POLAND**, **ARGENTINA** and **ITALY**. **STUTTGART** also hosted one game in Group B of the second group round between **SWEDEN** and **POLAND**.

ST VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES – Station Street Shops

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street.

SUMMIT – Chapter 1, 4, **5**, 9, 25, 26, 27, 35, 52, 54, 58, 59, 70, 97

The local name for **KIRKBY** colliery.

SUNDERLAND – Kirkby Carnival and Kirkby Tribunal blogs

Rector James William **SMITH** died here while visiting his sister in 1937. Tom **GOODALL** died here at **WEARMOUTH HOSPITAL** in December 1916.

SUSPENSION BRIDGE – see **BETWS-Y-COED**

SUTTERTON – Chapter 80

Lincolnshire village on the route from **KIRKBY** to **NORWICH**.

SUTTON – Chapters 4, 7, 9, 15, 17, 18, 21, 28, 31, 37, 38, 40, 41, 44, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 55, 57, 63, 66, 68, 69, 79, 80, 84, 88

Formally **SUTTON IN ASHFIELD**, this town is about two miles from **KIRKBY**.

SUTTON BATHS – Chapter 52

Swimming pool in Sutton. Some details are available online. A new leisure centre was built in 2008 and the building was demolished in 2013.

SUTTON BRIDGE – Chapters 75, 80, 81

Lincolnshire village that was on the route from **NORWICH** to **KIRKBY**.

SUTTON COLDFIELD – Chapter 73

Site of serious rail accident in 1955.

SUTTON CUM LOUND – Kirkby Carnival blog

Village in North Nottinghamshire.

SUTTON IN ASHFIELD – see **SUTTON**

SUTTON JUNCTION – Chapter 81

There was a railway station in **SUTTON** by this name and presumably this refers to that area.

SUTTON LAWNS – Chapter 66

A grassy park in **SUTTON** on the site of the former **SUTTON** Hall.

SUTTON-ON-SEA – Chapters 16, 18, 29, 40, 63, 66

Place on the Lincolnshire coast where grandma's paternal uncle Samuel **CIRKET** had been headmaster.

SWAFFHAM – Chapters 80, 92, 95

Town in Norfolk about 31 miles west of **NORWICH**.

SWALLOW FALLS – Chapter 106

Well-known waterfall near **BETWS-Y-COED**. Mum noted that the falls are on the River Llugwy. She noted that the name came from a mis-writing of the Welsh name for “foaming waterfall” which is “*rhaedr ewynnol*” to “*rhaedr y wennol*” which is “Swallow Falls”.

SWANAGE – Kirkby Carnival blog

Coastal town in Dorset.

SWANSEA – Chapters 59, 95

Venue for Glamorgan to play the visiting South African cricket team in August 1951.

SWANTON MORLEY – Chapter 92

Village in West Norfolk about 18 miles from **NORWICH**.

SWANWICK – Chapters 63, 69

Village in Derbyshire about wight miles from **KIRKBY**.

SWEDEN – Chapters 106, 112

Mentioned in relation to the 1974 World Cup and Miss World 1970. In the World Cup, they qualified for the second group stage by drawing with **BULGARIA** and **HOLLAND** and beating **URUGUAY**. But, they failed to qualify from the second group stage. They lost to **POLAND** and **WEST GERMANY** but beat **YUGOSLAVIA**. The Radio Times noted that they were beaten finalists in the World Cup in 1950.

SWINDON – Kirkby Carnival blog

Town in Wiltshire and birthplace of Rev Wilfred **VERRINDER**.

SWITZERLAND – Chapters 99, 103, 106, 110, 112

Tricia has lived and worked there for many years. The Hewett School Senior Choir toured there in 1972. According to grandad. Tricia went there in August 1973. Grandma, mum and Tricia also passed through there on their way back from the **OBERRAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970. Irene and Ken **BELL** went there in Summer 1973.

SYRIA – Chapter 112

SYRIA fought a war with **ISRAEL** in 1973.

TACOLNESTON – Chapters 92, 96

Village in Norfolk about 11 miles from **NORWICH**. It is the site of a TV and radio mast.

TAMWORTH – Chapter 69

Town in Staffordshire and home to **DRAYTON PARK MANOR**. Our son, Stephen and his partner, Hannah live there.

TANGANYIKA – see **TANZANIA**

TANNOCHBRAE – Chapter 106

Fictional village that is the base for “*Dr Finlay’s Casebook*”. See **CALLANDER**.

TAN-Y-BWLCH – Chapter 106

Stop on the **FFESTINIOG RAILWAY**.

TANYGRISLAU – Chapter 106

Stop on the **FFESTINIOG RAILWAY**.

TANZANIA – Chapter 107

East African country previously known as **TANGANYIKA**.

TATTERSHALL CASTLE – Chapter 40

Close to **TRUSTHORPE**. Grandad noted visiting here when he visited **TRUSTHORPE** for the day in 1946.

TAUNTON – Chapter 59

Venue for Somerset to play the visiting South African cricket team in August 1951.

TAVERHAM – Chapters 76, 79, 80, 81, 88, 89, 90, 92, 94, 95, 96, 103, 106, 107, 110, 112

Village approximately seven miles outside **NORWICH** and beyond **DRAYTON**.

TAVERHAM MILL – Chapter 92.

This is a fishing and birdwatching spot located on the site of old gravel pits.

TAVERHAM PITS – see **TAVERHAM MILL**

TELFORD – Chapter 69

Proposed location for the Methodist Conference in 2022. The Conference should have been held here in 2020 but it was held online because of COVID.

TEVERSAL – Chapter 44

Village in Nottinghamshire about four miles from **KIRKBY**. Silverhill colliery was near **TEVERSAL**.

TEWKESBURY – Kikrby Carnival blog

Market town in Gloucestershire where Fred **TYLER** roasted an ox.

THANET – Chapter 108

Local district in Kent which includes **MARGATE**.

THESSALONIKI – see **SALONIKA**

THETFORD – Chapters 54, 92, 107

Norfolk town about 28 miles from **NORWICH**.

THORESBY HALL – Chapters 63, 66

Country house in Nottinghamshire close to **OLLERTON**. It now operates as a hotel.

THORNEY – Chapter 45

Village in Cambridgeshire about eight miles from **PETERBOROUGH**.

THORNTON – Chapter 9

Village in Lancashire where the case of Joseph **BLACKBURN** caused the local Tribunal to go on strike.

THORPE – Chapters 92, 103, 107

Grandad refers to **THORPE** village in 1968. The area I know as **THORPE** is the eastern part of **NORWICH** from around where the railway station is. Some of that area is known as **THORPE ST ANDREW**. But I don't know if this is where they went. **THORPE MARRIOTT** is a relatively new

development in the **DRAYTON/TAVERHAM** area. The place gets part of its name from a railway engineer William **MARRIOTT**. But, could the first part indicate that there was a **THORPE** village there before the development took place?

THORPE EPISCOPI – Chapter 107

Parish in **NORWICH**. Also known as **THORPE ST ANDREW**.

THORPE MARRIOTT – Chapters 79, 92

Residential area in the **DRAYTON/TAVERHAM** area. Much of the housing was built in the late 20th century.

THORPE ST ANDREW – see **THORPE** and **THORPE EPISCOPI**

THURLTON – Chapter 90

Small village in South Norfolk about 14 miles from **NORWICH**.

TIBSHELF – Chapters 38, 69, 84

Village in Derbyshire about six miles from **KIRKBY**.

TINTAGEL – Chapter 106

Village and castle on the North Cornwall Coast

TIPTON – Chapter 31

Industrial town in the West Midlands. I think this is where Rev Gwynne **HODDER** was born.

According to the My Wesleyan Methodists website, he was born in **TUPTON**, Staffordshire but I have not found such a place. His birth was registered in **DUDLEY** which is close to **TIPTON**.

TISSINGTON – Chapters 63, 69, 92

Village in Derbyshire known for its well dressings.

TITCHFIELD PARK HUCKNALL – Chapter 18

There are at least three **TITCHFIELD PARKS** in the area around **KIRKBY**. There is one in **KIRKBY** itself, one in **HUCKNALL** and one in **MANSFIELD**. The one in **HUCKNALL** was named after the **MARQUIS OF TITCHFIELD**, the son of the **DUKE OF PORTLAND** which may explain the frequency of the name.

TITCHFIELD PARK KIRKBY – Chapter 40

There are at least three **TITCHFIELD PARKS** in the area around **KIRKBY**. There is one in **KIRKBY** itself, one in **HUCKNALL** and one in **MANSFIELD**. According to Mark **ASHFIELD'S** book "*Horses, Herbs and a Cockatoo*" (pp36-37) and Gerald **LEE'S** book "*Kirkby-in-Ashfield: Yesterday Remembered*" (p89), **TITCHFIELD PARK** in **KIRKBY** was referred to as **THE FIELD**.

TITCHFIELD PARK MANSFIELD – Chapters 7, 44, 63, 66, 75, 81

There are at least three **TITCHFIELD PARKS** in the area around **KIRKBY**. There is one in **KIRKBY** itself, one in **HUCKNALL** and one in **MANSFIELD**, which was the site of a Patriotic Fair in June 1917. This was the my first recorded trip out after being born. Grandad referred to it as **MANSFIELD MEADOWS** and mum as **MANFIELD PARK**.

TOLCARNE BEACH – Chapter 106

Beach in **NEWQUAY** that we visited in August 1972 when on holiday in Cornwall.

TOMINTOUL – Chapter 106

Village in the Cairngorms area of Scotland.

TONBRIDGE – Chapter 112

Market town in Kent.

TOPSHAM – Chapter 73

Town in Devon. The 1957 earthquake was felt here.

TORCROSS – Chapters 63, 66

Place mum and dad visited while on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

TORKSEY – Chapter 80

Small Lincolnshire village that marks the start of **FOSS DYKE**.

TORQUAY – Chapters 62, 63, 66, 68, 69

Seaside resort in Devon where mum and dad went for their honeymoon in 1956. Location for the Methodist Conference in 2005.

TOTNESS – Chapters 63, 66

Place mum and dad visited while on honeymoon in **TORQUAY** in 1956.

TOTON – Chapters 63, 66

Village in Nottinghamshire about 19 miles from **KIRKBY**. This is where the popular **GRANGE FARM** restaurant was located.

TREAK CLIFF CAVERN – Chapter 92

Cavern in **CASTLETON** that was dad's personal favourite.

TRENT BRIDGE - Chapters 44, 52, 63, 66, 81

Favoured place to visit in **NOTTINGHAM**. Pictures I have seen of it seem to show steps by the river.

TRENTHAM GARDENS – Chapters 38, 40, 63, 66, 69

Well-known gardens near **STOKE**. Some day trips went there from **KIRKBY**.

TRIER – Chapter 106

City in **GERMANY** that grandma, mum and Tricia visited on their way to the **OBERRAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO – Chapter 112

Ian **PORTERFIELD** scored the winning goal in the 1973 FA Cup Final and went on to manage **TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO**.

THE TROSSACHS – Chapter 92

An area of wooded glens, braes and lochs lying to the east of **BEN LOMOND** about 71 miles from **PITLOCHRY**.

TRURO – Chapters 51, 52, 54, 66, 106

City in Cornwall. Mum went there for a Methodist youth event in July 1952. While in **TRURO**, places mum visited included **ST MICHAEL'S MOUNT**, **LAND'S END**, **ST IVES**, **PENZANCE**, **LOOE**, **NEWQUAY**, the **RIVER FAL** (including views of **MALPAS** and **KING HARRY'S PASSAGE**), **CHURCH COVE** and **KYNANCE COVE**. We visited there as a family in August 1972.

TRUSTHORPE – Chapters 31, 37, 40, 44, 46, 59

Place on the Lincolnshire coast. Mum went there for a week's holiday in August 1946.

TUCKSWOOD – Chapter 103

Suburb of **NORWICH** not far from the Hewett School.

TUDOR HOUSE – see **BEAUMARIS**

TUPTON – Chapter 54 and also see **TIPTON**

Village in Staffordshire. Rev Gwynne **HODDER** was born there.

TUPTON – see **TIPTON**

TURKEY – Chapters 9, 112

Site of Helles Memorial where Len **TEECE** is commemorated.

TWYCROSS – Chapter 58

Village in Leicestershire. My great grandfather John **REDFIN** was born there in 1971 or 72.

TYNEMOUTH – Chapter 11

Coastal town in North Tyneside. Jane **STANBURY** and Cyril **SMITH** were married here in 1919.

UCKFIELD – Chapter 107

Town in East Sussex.

UGLY HOUSE – Chapter 106

Tourist attraction in **BETWS-Y-COED**. Apparently, it is now owned by the Snowdonia Society with a tearoom downstairs and a bee exhibition upstairs. In Welsh, the tearoom is known as Tu Hwnt I'r Bont.

ULLSWATER – Chapter 92

Second largest lake in the **LAKE DISTRICT** after **WINDERMERE**.

UNDERWOOD – Chapters 18, 36, 44

Village in Nottinghamshire about five miles from **KIRKBY**.

UNITED STATES – Chapters 6, 99, 100, 106, 107, 112

Mentioned in relation to the sinking of the Lusitania in 1915. This event was identified as a key factor in relation to American entry into the war. Alan lived and worked there for many years.

UPWELL – Chapter 90

Village in the extreme West of Norfolk, some 52 miles from **NORWICH**.

URQUHART CASTLE – Chapter 106

Ruined castle near to **DRUMNADROCHIT**.

URUGUAY – Chapters 106, 112

Mentioned in relation to the 1974 World Cup. They failed to get out of the first group stage, losing to **HOLLAND** and **SWEDEN** and drawing with **BULGARIA**. The Radio Times noted that they had twice won the World Cup in 1930 and 1950.

USSR – Chapter 59

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Their touring ice hockey team played the **NOTTINGHAM** Panthers in 1958.

VESTMANNAEYJAR – Chapter 112

An earthquake and volcanic eruption occurred on the island of **HEIMAHEY** off the coast of **ICELAND** in January 1973. It was less than a mile from the town of **VESTMANNAEYJAR**.

VIETNAM – Chapter 112

Mentioned in relation to the war there from the 1950s to the 1970s in which the **UNITED STATES** was heavily involved.

THE WAKES – Chapters 4, 21, 40, 52, 56, 57

This is apparently a northern term for certain festivals and holidays associated with fairs. There were **WAKES** in **KIRKBY** and other local towns, e.g. **PINXTON** and **SUTTON**. The **WAKES** in **KIRKBY** were held in Pond Street which mum referred to as “*on Pond-holes*”.

WALCOTT – Chapters 80, 81, 92, 106

Village on the North Norfolk coast approximately 19 miles from **NORWICH**. It was our favoured place for going to the beach when I was growing up.

WALKERS FARM – Chapter 6

Grandad referred to the chapel people visiting here on 4 August 1914. I am not sure entirely where this was.

WALSALL – Chapter 69

Town in the West Midlands. Also see **WALSALL WOOD**

WALSALL WOOD – Chapter 54

Village in the Metropolitan Borough of **WALSALL**. Rev William **EDWARDS** was born there.

WALSINGHAM – Chapters 92, 107

Parish in North Norfolk about 27 miles from **NORWICH**. It includes the village of **GREAT** and **LITTLE WALSINGHAM**.

WALTON-ON-THE-NAZE – Chapters 90, 92, 95

Small town on the Essex coast north of **CLACTON**. Grandma and the Booths went on a bus trip there and to **CLACTON** in 1965. It is about 74 miles from **NORWICH**.

WANDSWORTH – Chapter 58

Area of **LONDON**. My great grandparents, Frederick Lewis and Mary Ann, married here in 1885.

WAR MEMORIALS – Chapters 8, 9

A number of war memorials are mentioned in the diaries or in other papers associated with them. These include, in particular, the memorial that was originally in **BOURNE** chapel. Grandad’s friend, Len **TEECE**, who was killed at Gallipoli is remembered on the **HELLES MEMORIAL** in Turkey. Arthur James Cirket **FORD**, grandma’s cousin, who was killed in action in France, is commemorated on a **WAR MEMORIAL** at **ELSTOW** Bunyan Meeting House. Among mum’s papers was a photograph of **PORTSMOUTH NAVAL WAR MEMORIAL** in **SOUTHSEA** and it appears that a relative of the **CIRKETS**

may be commemorated there. In 1962, grandma and grandad visited the **AMERICAN CEMETERY IN CAMBRIDGE**.

WARRINGTON – Chapter 97

Large town in Cheshire.

WASHINGTON DC – Background to Chapter 109

US capital city. Home to the National Museum of American History.

WATERLOO BRIDGE – Chapter 106

Bridge in **BETWS-Y-COED**. This was built in 1815, the same year as the Battle of Waterloo, hence the name. Mum noted that, in Welsh, the name was “*Y Bont Haearn*” which means “*The Iron Bridge*”. But, Wikipedia has it as “*Pont Waterloo*”. Apparently, both “*bont*” and “*pont*” mean bridge in Welsh.

WATERLOO PARK – Chapter 81

Park in **NORWICH** between Aylsham and Angel Roads.

WATFORD – Chapters 84, 106, 112

Large town in Hertfordshire.

WATTON – Chapter 92

Town in Norfolk about 25 miles from **NORWICH**.

WAYLAND – Chapter 77

Area of Norfolk.

WEASENHAM – Chapters 81, 92, 106

Norfolk village, approximately 31 miles from Norwich. It is formally **WEASENHAM ST PETER**.

WEASENHAM ST PETER – see **WEASENHAM**

WELBECK – Chapters 18, 69

Village in Nottinghamshire about 18 miles from **KIRKBY**.

WELLINGTON PIER – see **YARMOUTH**

WELLS – Chapters 81, 92, 106

Town on the North Norfolk coast, approximately 35 miles from **NORWICH**. It is formally **WELLS-NEXT-THE-SEA** and has huge expanses of beach and mud flats at low tide. For this reason, we always referred to it as Wells-next-the-mud.

WEMBLEY – Chapter 59

Home of an ice hockey team that competed against the **NOTTINGHAM** Panthers in the 1950s.

WEMBLEY STADIUM – Chapters 53, 106, 110, 112

A Billy **GRAHAM** crusade was held here in 1954. Alan and I went here with dad for the League Cup Final between **NORWICH** and **TOTTENHAM** in 1973.

WEMYSS – Index of films seen

Parish in Scotland. Found details of a film called “*Crime and the Penalty*” in the **WEMYSS** Gazette.

WENSUM PARK – Chapters 81, 106, 107, 110
Park on the outskirts of **NORWICH** off Drayton Road.

WEST BRIDGFORD – Chapters 73, 81, 112
Nottinghamshire town. The car used to steal the **ERICSSON** payroll in **BEESTON** in 1956 was abandoned here. Aunt Mabel, Frank **SEVILLE'S** sister, lived here.

WEST GERMANY – see **GERMANY**

WEST HARTLEPOOL – Chapters 31, 37, 40, 44, 73
Town that forms the western part of the borough of **HARTLEPOOL**. The **LOFTHOUSES** moved here when they left **KIRKBY** in 1942.

WEST MALVERN – Chapter 66
Village in Worcestershire.

WESTMINSTER – Chapter 112
City within **LONDON**. The term is also used to refer to the UK Parliament, e.g. in relation to direct rule in Northern Ireland.

WEST RUNTON – Chapter 92, 95
Village on the coast of North Norfolk about 24 miles from **NORWICH**.

WESTWOOD – Kirkby Carnival blog
Village in Nottinghamshire near to **JACKSDALE**.

WEYBOURNE – Chapters 81, 90, 95, 98, 107, 110
Village on the North Norfolk coast, approximately 30 miles from **NORWICH**.

WEYMOUTH – Chapters 58, 66
My great grandfather, Frederick Lewis **DREW**, was born here in 1866. His place of birth was given as **PORTLAND** in some records.

WHEATLEY – Chapter 81
Village in Oxfordshire.

WHISTON – Kirkby Carnival blog
Town on Merseyside.

WHITBY – Chapter 97
Well-known seaside town in Yorkshire. The sea froze there in February 1969.

WHITE POST – Chapters 18, 51
Perhaps White Post Farm in **FARNSFIELD**.

WHITTINGTON – Chapter 107
There are a number of places in the UK by this name and I have not identified the one referred to here.

WICKSTEED PARK – Chapters 51, 54, 63, 68, 69

Park in **KETTERING**, approximately 75-80 miles from **KIRKBY**. Junior Youth Club trip went there by bus in May 1952.

WILCHESTER – Chapter 53

Fictional town in which the book "*Yeoman's Hospital*" is set.

WILSON'S FIELDS – Chapters 3, 4

This relates to the fields of Job **WILSON** which were located on the south side of Victoria Road until houses were built there.

WIMBLEDON – Chapters 102, 112

Part of **LONDON** well-known for the tennis championships.

WINDERMERE – Chapter 92

Largest lake in the **LAKE DISTRICT**.

WINDSOR – Chapters 53, 59, 112

Site of **ST GEORGE'S CHAPEL** where the funeral of **KING GEORGE VI** was held in 1952. **QUEEN MARY** was buried at **WINDSOR**. The **DUKE OF WINDSOR** lay in state here in 1972.

WINDSOR SAFARI PARK – Chapters 106, 110

Opened in 1969, this park closed in 1992.

WINGFIELD MANOR – Kirkby Carnival blog

Site of a ruined manor house near **ALFRETON** in Derbyshire. There was a colliery here.

WINTERTON - Chapter 92

Village on the Norfolk coast about 19 miles east of **NORWICH**. Formally, it is **WINTERTON-ON-SEA**.

WINTERTON-ON-SEA -see **WINTERTON**

WIRKSWORTH – Chapter 18

Town in Derbyshire about 18 miles from **KIRKBY**.

WISBECH – Chapters 84, 90, 107, 110

Town in Cambridgeshire about 55 miles from **NORWICH**. Grandma went on an outing there in March 1966. Mum saw an MAYC service from there on television in 1964.

WISHING WELL OF ST IGNATIUS – see **ST IGNATIUS' WISHING WELL**

WITTON – Chapter 37

The site of a major **GEC** factory in **BIRMINGHAM**.

WOLVERHAMPTON – Chapters 27, 69, 105

Location for the Methodist Conference in 1966, 1984, 2002 and 2009.

WOKING – Chapter 37

Site of first official cremation in the UK in 1885.

WOLFENSCHIESSEN – Chapter 106

Village in **SWITZERLAND** that grandma, mum and Tricia passed through on their way back from the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970.

WOLLATON PARK – Chapters 18, 51
Major hall and (deer) park in **NOTTINGHAM**.

WOODBOROUGH – Chapter 63
Village in Nottinghamshire about 13 miles from **KIRKBY**.

WOODBIDGE – Chapters 84, 92
Suffolk town near **IPSWICH** about 48 miles from **NORWICH**.

WOODFORD – Chapter 112
Town in East **LONDON**.

WOOD GREEN – Chapter 54
Area of **LONDON** where Rev Thomas **AUTY** was born.

WOODS END – Chapters 92, 106
This is a place on the southern bank of a large bend in the River Yare. It is close to **BRAMERTON** and grandad sometimes refers to this as **BRAMERTON WOODS** or **BRAMERTON WOODS END**. They went there several times. On one trip in July 1969, grandad commented on seeing several people water skiing - "*several speed boats and fellows being towed*" - and grandad thought this was very interesting.

WOODTHORPE - Chapter 40
Suburb of **NOTTINGHAM** in the north east of the city.

WOOLSTON – Chapter 97
Village near **WARRINGTON** in Cheshire.

WORCESTER – Chapter 59
Venue for Worcestershire to play the visiting South African cricket team in May 1951.

WORKSOP – Chapters 18, 63, 65, 66
Town in Nottinghamshire, approximately 25 miles from **KIRKBY**.

WORKSOP PRIORY – Chapter 18
This remains a functioning church and was formerly a priory in **WORKSOP**.

WORTHING – Kirkby Carnival blog
Seaside town in West Sussex.

WROXHAM – Chapters 80, 81, 92, 95, 106, 109, 110
Village in Norfolk that is perhaps the capital of the **NORFOLK BROADS**. It is approximately eight miles from **NORWICH**.

WROXHAM BROAD – see **WROXHAM**

WYMONDHAM – Chapters 80, 81, 90, 92, 93, 95, 97, 100, 106
Town in Norfolk, approximately 11 miles from **NORWICH**.

YARMOUTH – Chapters 18, 50, 52, 54, 57, 66, 69, 75, 77, 80, 81, 84, 89, 90, 91, 92, 95, 97, 100, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 112

Major Norfolk coastal resort, approximately 22 miles from **NORWICH**. Formally **GREAT YARMOUTH**. Mum and dad went on holiday there in 1954. They should have gone with Ken **ROOME** and Margaret **VARNAM** but they were unable to go as Ken had appendicitis. Places they visited included the **PLEASURE BEACH**, the **BOATING LAKE**, **WELLINGTON PIER**, **BRITANNIA PIER** and **THE MARINA**. **THE MARINA** was built in 1927 and was replaced by **THE MARINA CENTRE** in 1981. This, in turn, was demolished in 2020 to make way for a new leisure centre. In her book(let) (p11) "*I Remember*", Edith **SEARSON** describes visiting **YARMOUTH** prior to World War 1.

YARMOUTH HARBOUR – Chapter 92

I confess I am not entirely sure where they parked when they were referring to **YARMOUTH HARBOUR**. Initially, I had assumed they were referring to somewhere near the mouth of the River Yare but, although that is now where the outer harbour is located, this was only constructed subsequent to 2007. Nevertheless, grandad does refer specifically at least once to the harbour mouth so perhaps this is where he meant or perhaps he was distinguishing between the harbour and the harbour mouth. I don't know! The original river harbour area in **YARMOUTH** is quite large covering much of the eastern bank of the River Yare between Breydon Water and the sea. Hence the street names there, such as North and South Quay. Perhaps they parked somewhere there, such as where the South Quay car park is currently. I think this may have been explained to me as a child. I have vague recollections of it being difficult to park in **YARMOUTH** and being told it was better to go to the **HARBOUR** and this may explain why I thought it was the river mouth.

YARMOUTH TOWER – Chapter 92

In September 1966, grandad noted going up the **TOWER** by lift. He noted that the height was 140 feet and that it cost 1/- each. The **YARMOUTH TOWER** is described as a leisure and entertainment complex. It was for sale in January 2021.

YEMEN – see **ADEN**

YORK – Chapters 18, 40, 73, 95

Well-known city about 76 miles from **KIRKBY**. The train that derailed at **SUTTON COLDFIELD** in 1955 was coming from **YORK**.

YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL – Chapter 9

First World War memorial in **BELGIUM** where Edith **SEARSON'S** brother Alfred is remembered.

YUGOSLAVIA – Chapters 103, 106, 110, 112

Former European country. Tricia was involved in an exchange with a girl from **NOVI SAD** in what is now **SERBIA** in 1972. Country that played in the 1974 World Cup. They qualified from the first group stage as they drew with **BRAZIL** and Scotland and beat **ZAIRE**. But, in the second group stage, they lost all their games to **WEST GERMANY**, **POLAND** and **SWEDEN**.

ZAIRE (now THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO) – Chapter 112

Qualified for the 1974 World Cup but they lost all three of their group games to **BRAZIL**, Scotland and **YUGOSLAVIA**. They did not score and conceded 14 goals. I [recall](#) that one of their defenders broke out of a defensive wall and kicked away a **BRAZIL** freekick before it was taken. The defender was Mwepu **ILUNGA** and there is interesting [background](#) to this story. The country famously hosted the fight between George **FOREMAN** and Muhammad **ALI** in 1974.

ZAMBIA – Chapters 106, 112

Country to the north of **ZIMBABWE**. Formerly Northern **RHODESIA**, it gained independence from the UK in 1964. Ian **PORTERFIELD** scored the winning goal in the 1973 FA Cup Final and went on to manage **ZAMBIA**.

ZANZIBAR – Chapter 107

Island that is now part of **TANZANIA**.

ZILLER – Chapter 106

River valley in **AUSTRIA** that grandma, mum and Tricia visited on their way to the **OBERAMMERGAU** passion play in 1970.

ZIMBABWE – Chapters 106, 112

One of the flags displayed in the window of World Food Store in Station Street. In May 1970, grandma and grandad hosted a missionary from **RHODESIA**. At this point, the name applied to what is now **ZIMBABWE** as **ZAMBIA** which was formerly Northern **RHODESIA** gained independence in 1964. Ian **PORTERFIELD** scored the winning goal in the 1973 FA Cup Final and went on to manage **ZIMBABWE**.