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GIGS
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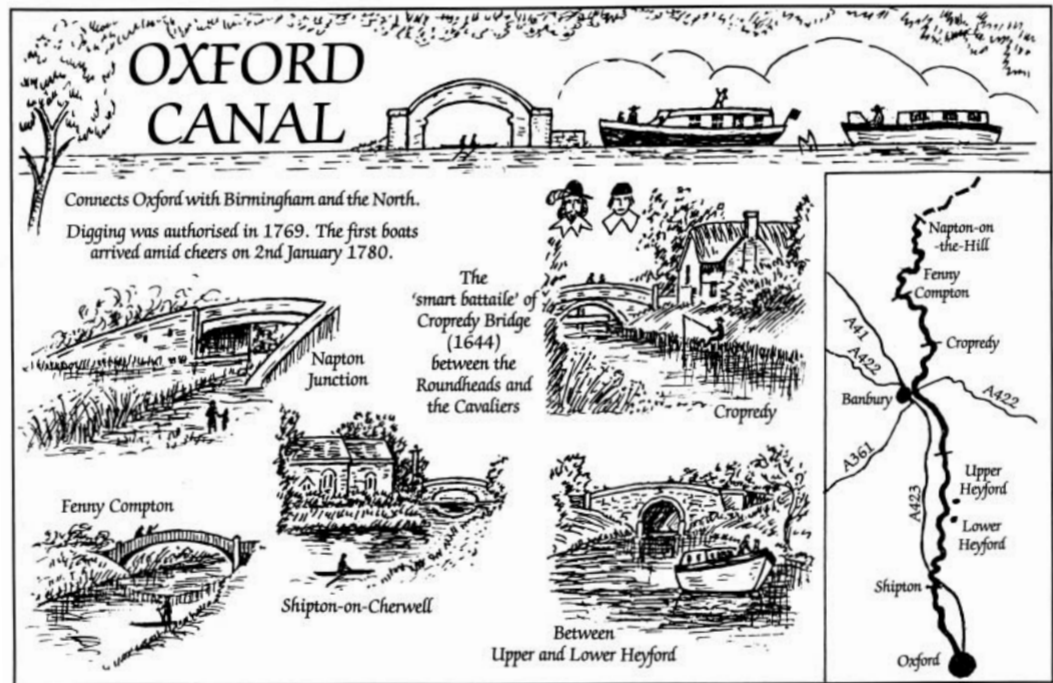
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OXFORD SCENES: NEW COLLEGE GARDEN QUAD



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OXFORD HISTORY



The canal was used mainly to transport cheap coal and timber from the Midlands, barges being ideal to convey bulky resources long distance, although perishable goods were wary to bad weather conditions. However, in 1795 a severe winter brought home the problem of too great a reliance on the canal, as traffic stopped due to the ice. For ten weeks Oxford suffered distress and poverty without coal, until a fresh supply finally managed to get through on 4th March.

The arrival of the railways rapidly affected the amount of commercial traffic on the canal, but it was only after the Second World War that the waterway fell virtually into disuse - between 1942 and 1956 the number of boats using the canal to Oxford fell from 223 to 16. Now the canal is mainly used for pleasure and residential craft, particularly during the summer months.

The bridge at Cropredy figured in a battle between the Roundheads and Cavaliers in late June 1644. General Waller seized the bridge for Cromwell and crossed it, managing to create a gap in the King's forces and nearly compelling their surrender. However he hesitated, and a counter-attack saw the royalist troops regain possession of the bridge. The Royalists' success, however, was overshadowed when, 3 days later, the apparently invincible Prince Rupert suffered a shattering defeat at Marston Moor. Today Cropredy boasts an annual folk festival hosted by folk superstars Fairport Convention.

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