



How did Bradford become a multicultural city?

Y4 summer history unit



Lesson 1: -

The Battle of Waterloo and the arrival of Antonio Fattorini.

Date

LO: To create a factsheet to record the key facts of the biography of Antonio Fattorini.



Intriguing question

What had the FA cup got to do with multi-cultural Bradford?

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2. Why was Britain facing ruin?
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4. Why did Britain want skilled people to come?
5. Why did Fattorini choose West Yorkshire?
6. Where was his first 'fixed shop'?
7. What kinds of goods did he sell?
8. What special article did he design and make?



Napoleon was the Emperor of France. He had waged war and gained land throughout Europe. He was feared by Britain because of his power on the continent of Europe. At the beginning of the 1800s he was doing his best to ruin Britain, so he had banned the import of British goods in Europe. British trades people could not sell their goods and so faced ruin.

In 1815 Napoleon was defeated at the Battle of Waterloo by Britain and her allies. This battle brought to an end years of warring. The government was now desperate to attract skilled people to come to live in Britain to build her wealth as a trading nation.

After Napoleon's defeat at Waterloo, Britain encouraged skilled people from Switzerland, Italy and other European countries to come to live and work in England. Many skilled craftspeople came, including young Antonio Fattorini.

Antonio came from Bellagio, in Switzerland, to live in West Yorkshire which was becoming a wealthy area due to the Industrial Revolution.



By 1826 Antonio had set up his business selling watches and jewellery in Leeds market. In 1831, he moved to Bradford to open his first 'fixed shop' in the narrow and busy area of Cheapside and Kirkgate. He made and sold jewellery, watches and other fancy goods – including barometers. He was keen on chess and invented the first chess clock. All his sons worked with him in the business.

During those early years, he probably travelled with his wares to other markets and local fairs. Two of his sons, Anthony and Innocent (aged 18) opened up shops and settled in Harrogate and Skipton. His other two sons Edward and John remained in the business in Bradford known as Fattorini & Sons.

Fattorini's became well-known for the quality of their work. In 1911, Fattorini was chosen by the Football Association to design and make their Challenge Cup. Now it is known as the FA Cup! Amazingly Bradford City Football Club won the FA cup that very first year!

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Answer the questions on your whiteboard.
Sequence them in chronological order.



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Write a fact sheet using the pictures in chronological order. Use the biography to help you.



I do



Napoleon was the Emperor of France. He tried to ruin Britain by stopping trade.



Napoleon was defeated at the Battle of Waterloo in 1815. Britain wanted skilled people to come to live and work in England.

We do



You do

Write a fact sheet using the pictures in chronological order. Use the biography to help you.

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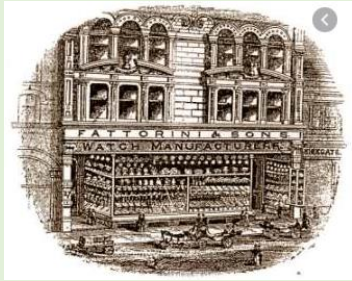
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