

BARGING THROUGH ISLINGTON

200 years of the Regent's Canal

Photo Quiz Answers



Photo: Bernard James

- 1** Hundred weight sacks of marble chips imported through the docks.
- 2** Late 1970's.
The lock buildings were a stable, a forge and a rest room for canal workers.
- 3** The lock keepers cottage was on the opposite side of the canal.
- 4** Pharmaceutical company British Drug Houses built these factories in 1909, as well as a factory on Wenlock Basin.
- 5** Islington Boat Club's first base was here. It is now on the opposite side of the basin.
- 6** City Road Basin, previously City Basin.
- 7** The 4 acre basin originally extended under City Road. In 1979, it was filled in reducing its length by quarter.
- 8** International Harvester, based here from 1910, assembled tractors for agricultural use.