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Most people didn't travel over the bank holiday, but so many did that everybody who stayed at home wallowed in virtuous indignation. There they were, all those thousands at London stations - to say nothing of all the other big cities, cocking a snook at the authorities who said, 'Don't go away.' It was almost like peace time. The railways did very little to stop them. They put on scores of extra trains to cope with the rush, especially to the West country, where you can still look at the sea without being arrested, and have a swim without climbing over the barbed wire and tearing your - bathing suit. By the way, the anti-holiday<sup>people</sup>/calculate that trains out of London alone used a thousand tons of coal taking people away. And here they are at the sea. Where is it? It's a South Coast resort. We can't say which one, because it looks so inviting, Hitler might want to send his soldiers there.

All the people didn't go by train. There must have been quite a bit of petrol used.

Ha, think they can get in here, do they? They'll soon learn that half the joy of holidays in August is traipsing from place to place and finding everybody's full up.

Thousands going away raised a food supply problem. They queued up even for icecream. As for real food, our native Harry Hopkins hadn't any at all, either to lend or lease.

The one thing we'd really like to see having a holiday is this overworked word No. Let it go to Germany - and stay there.

There's this much to be said for people who went away - if the Government really doesn't want them to, holidays should be forbidden.

On the river, quite near London, thousands captured the holiday spirit without using railways or extra petrol. They used leg power.

There were lots of cars there, but the journey's so short, most of them only used the basic ration.

This going away question's very difficult. People have worked so hard they thoroughly deserve a change, and the extra work afterwards should more than pay for the coal and petrol.

Huddersfield, far-famed as the Queen of the North - or are we thinking of somewhere else - went all out for holidays at home, and by first-class organizing showed everybody how to do it, beginning with a

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Holidays At Home continued./

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grand carnival.

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(PAN PRAM) Next year's events cast their shadows before them, one  
way and another.

He ! It were great in't park. You see, all you want's just a  
bit of good will and imagination and you can think you're at Blackpool.

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(HALF WAY THROUGH DANCING) Anyway, it's the last bank-holiday  
of the year, so now we can get back to work.