

Isambard Kingdom Brunel Engineer Born 1806. Died 1859.

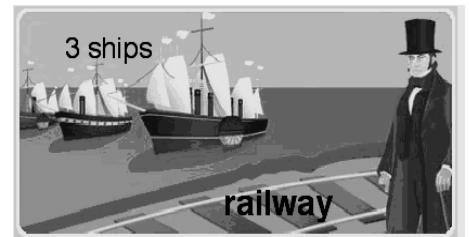
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Brunel _____ in Portsmouth. When he was 14 he _____ in France.
When he was 17, he _____ to London to build a tunnel under _____.
He went to Bristol and _____ a railway from Bristol to London.
In 1858 Brunel _____ Egypt for the winter to help him recover from an illness.(maladie)

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Isambard Brunel was born in Portsmouth in 1806. Brunel was very clever and _____ Maths.
When Brunel _____ () school, he _____ () an apprentice in Paris.
When he was 17, Brunel _____ work in his father's engineering office in London. His first job was with his father
in London, building the Thames Tunnel. The tunnel. _____ () underneath the River Thames
Brunel was injured in an accident when the underwater tunnel _____ ().
He went to Bristol and _____ () a competition to build a bridge over the River Avon.
While the bridge was being built the only way to cross was in a basket.

Brunel _____ very hard.
He and his wife Mary _____ () 3 children.
He _____ to do magic tricks for them. (tours de magie)
Brunel _____ to build a railway from London to Bristol.



He _____ () Chief Engineer of The Great Western Railway in 1833.
Brunel also _____ to build ships to sail (naviguer, aller en bateau) from Bristol to New York.
The first ship he _____ () was The Great Western. It was made from wood (bois).
His second ship was even bigger and was made of iron (fer). His last ship, The Great Eastern, was the biggest ship in
the world at the time. The Great Eastern was huge (énorme) and _____ () more than 5 years to build.
The Great Eastern was very difficult to launch (lancer, mettre à l'eau). She finally _____ in 1858
In 1859 news of an explosion on board the Great Eastern really _____ () Brunel. (contrarier)
Brunel _____ a week later at the age of 53.
Brunel's work _____ () that people could travel and trade (faire du commerce) in a new way.

Brunel's biography :

Brunel _____ 1806 in Portsmouth. _____ 1859 when he was 53.
He _____ very clever and he _____ maths, he was an _____ in Paris.
His wife's name was _____. They had _____ children.
To entertain (distraindre) his children, he did _____.
His job : he became an _____.



Brunel is famous because he made important things :

Underneath (underground) the Thames river he built _____.
Over the river Avon he _____.
Between London and Bristol he _____.
To sail (go by sea) from Bristol to New York _____.
His 1st ship was made from _____. The Great Eastern was made from _____.
His second ship wasn't made of wood, it was made _____. (fer)
The Great Eastern was _____ in the world, at that time.
It took more than _____ to build it

