



Little girl with her dolly.
This would have been made of 'Pot'.

Children at play WW2

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Little children play alone outside
on the corner of the street.
There was not many cars then.



Christmas morning



Ring a Ring of Roses a Pocket full of Posies



Little girl make use of a
barrow for
her doll's pram.



Children gathered like this in a huddle would usually be getting ready to play a game like hide and seek.

Children make best use of water pooling in the street, probably caused by a burst water pipe.





Children playing a game called 'Kick Can'



Hoop and stick



Whip and top



Leap Frog, see the queue of children ready to take their turn to jump over the 'Frog'.



Marbles or Poppties,
for boys or girls.





Playing Marbles or Poppties as they were called in Derbyshire



Children on a see-saw with their gas masks on.



Probably Ring a Ring of Roses



Hopscotch

Need chalk to make the boxes, a piece of flat stone.

Work your way through the numbers by throwing the piece of stone to each number in turn. Then hop your way up, pick up your stone and work your way back again. Repeat until all the numbers have been used with out putting a foot down other than in the squares.





A skipping rope



Or use Mum's Washing line



Typical boy's presents on a christmas morning if they were very lucky.



Children play together.
Doll and pram and a
three wheeled bike.



1945
Children's
street party to
celebrate
the end of
the war.