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8. How did you choose CINEMA CULTURE IN 1930s BRITAIN

(please tick as many as apply to you)

- 1. Are you  Male  Female

2. In which year were you born? 19 21

3. How old were you on your earliest visit to the pictures?  
About 5 years old

9. What was your favourite cinema? (please state name of

4. At what stage of your life did you do most of your picturegoing?  
Between the ages of 12 and 22 years

NO FAVOURITE. CHOICE DEPENDED ON FILM BEING SHOWN.

10. What did you like about this cinema?  
Questions 5 to 16 are about your picturegoing during the 1930s

5. Where did you live during the 1930s?  
(state city, town or village; and county or district)  
GORLESTON-ON-SEA. GT YARMOUTH NORFOLK

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11. Did you have a favourite film star or stars? Yes  No

6. On average, how often did you go to the pictures?

- More than 3 times a week
- 2 or 3 times a week
- Once a week
- Less than once a week

7. When you went to the pictures, did you often or usually go (please tick as many as apply to you)

- On your own
- With friends of about your own age
- With family members
- With a boyfriend or girlfriend
- Other(s) (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

How did you choose which pictures to go to? 1 (x3)  
(please tick as many as apply to you)

- I saw whatever happened to be on
- Recommendations by friends/family
- 13. Did you read any film magazines? Yes
- Notices in newspapers, magazines, etc No
- Advertisements outside cinemas, posters, etc

If yes, which? (please tick as many as apply to you)

9. What was your favourite cinema? (please state name of cinema and village, town, suburb, or city district)

NO FAVOURITE. CHOICE DEPENDED ON FILM BEING SHOWN.

10. What did you like about this cinema?  
(use up to three words to describe it)

My favourite cinema was \_\_\_\_\_

11. Did you have a favourite film star or stars? Yes   
If yes, whose? No

If yes, who were they? (up to three names)

15. Did you belong to clubs? Yes   
No   
LESLIE HOWARD  
JOAN CRAWFORD  
FRED ASTAIRE

If yes, whose?

12. Do you recall any films that made a particularly strong impression on you? Yes   
No

16. In the 1930s, did you enjoy any spare-time activities apart from cinema?  
If yes, which ones were they? (up to three titles)

THE SCARLET PIMPERNEL  
CHAINED  
A TALE OF TWO CITIES

yes Can you say why these films made such an impression?  
(please tick) BECAUSE OF THE STARS IN THEM.

1 (x3)

13. Did you ever look at any film magazines? Yes   
No

If yes, which? (please tick as many as apply to you)

- Film Pictorial
- Film Star Weekly
- Film Weekly
- Boys' Cinema
- Girls' Cinema
- Picturegoer
- Picture Show
- Other(s) (please state) \_\_\_\_\_

14. Did you collect stars' photographs or autographs? Yes   
No

If yes, whose? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Did you belong to any film star fan clubs? Yes   
No

If yes, whose? \_\_\_\_\_

QUESTIONS CONTINUE OVERLEAF

16. In the 1930s, did you enjoy any spare-time activities apart from going to the pictures? Yes   
No

yes, which of these did you do regularly? (please tick as many as apply to you)

- Reading
- Dancing
- Music hall, plays or other live theatre
- Listening to wireless
- Churchgoing, chapelgoing, etc
- Youth club or organisations (e.g. Scouts)
- Political activity
- Other clubs or societies
- 'Courting'
- Sports and outdoor activities
- Indoor hobbies
- Jobs around the house and/or garden
- Other(s) (please state) TENNIS.

What was your first job? TEACHING.

What has been your main occupation through life? (please state 'housewife' if applicable; and if you have had several occupations, please say what they were)  
HOUSEWIFE

QUESTIONS CONTINUE OVERLEAF

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We would be grateful for your answers to the following questions about yourself, which will provide us with important background information. However, if there are any that you prefer not to answer, please leave a blank.

Your name and address: MRS I. E. B. JARRON  
EDINBURGH  
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Where were you born?  
GORLESTON-ON-SEA Gt YARMOUTH NORFOLK

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Have you ever been married? Yes  No

Do you have children? Yes  No

At what age did you finish your full-time education?  
18 years

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What was your first job?  
TEACHING.

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What has been your main occupation through life?  
(please state 'housewife' if applicable; and if you have had several occupations, please say what they were)  
HOUSEWIFE  
CHARITABLE WORK & W.R.V.S.

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