

MORAY O

STORIES FROM THE SHADOWS

In the 1600s timber felled in the ancient inland forests was transported downriver by men known locally as 'timmer floaters'.

Steering his timmer With cleek and currach Treacherous waters Spur on the raft



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2. Kingston

DID YOU KNOW....

- The River Spey is the fastest flowing river in Scotland and for centuries has shaped the landscape and character of Moray.
- The timber was used to meet the high demand for railway construction. Later it was used for shipbuilding - over 500 vessels were launched where the river meets the sea at Kingston and Garmouth.



