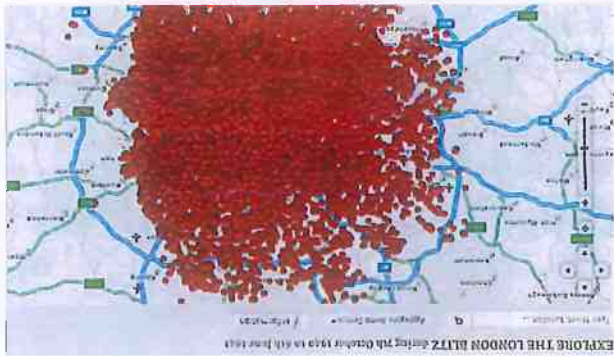


The Blitz

Blitzkrieg meaning 'lightning war' was the name that was given to the bombing across England in 1940-1941. Although it was only meant to last for a few days or weeks it lasted for eight months spreading more fear than before.



Impact on War effort

Strategically planned attacks were made on key industrial areas to weaken Britain's ability to fight. Bombs had been dropped on RAF stations, wire factories and different parts of the world.

Destruction and Demolition

Important monuments and historical buildings such as Buckingham Palace, also Coventry Cathedral were destroyed and damaged. Thousands of homes were flattened in the war. As well, 40,000 people lost their lives



because of the war. Also on 7th September 1940, more than 2000 people died in one single day and night.