

Where Bombs Fell

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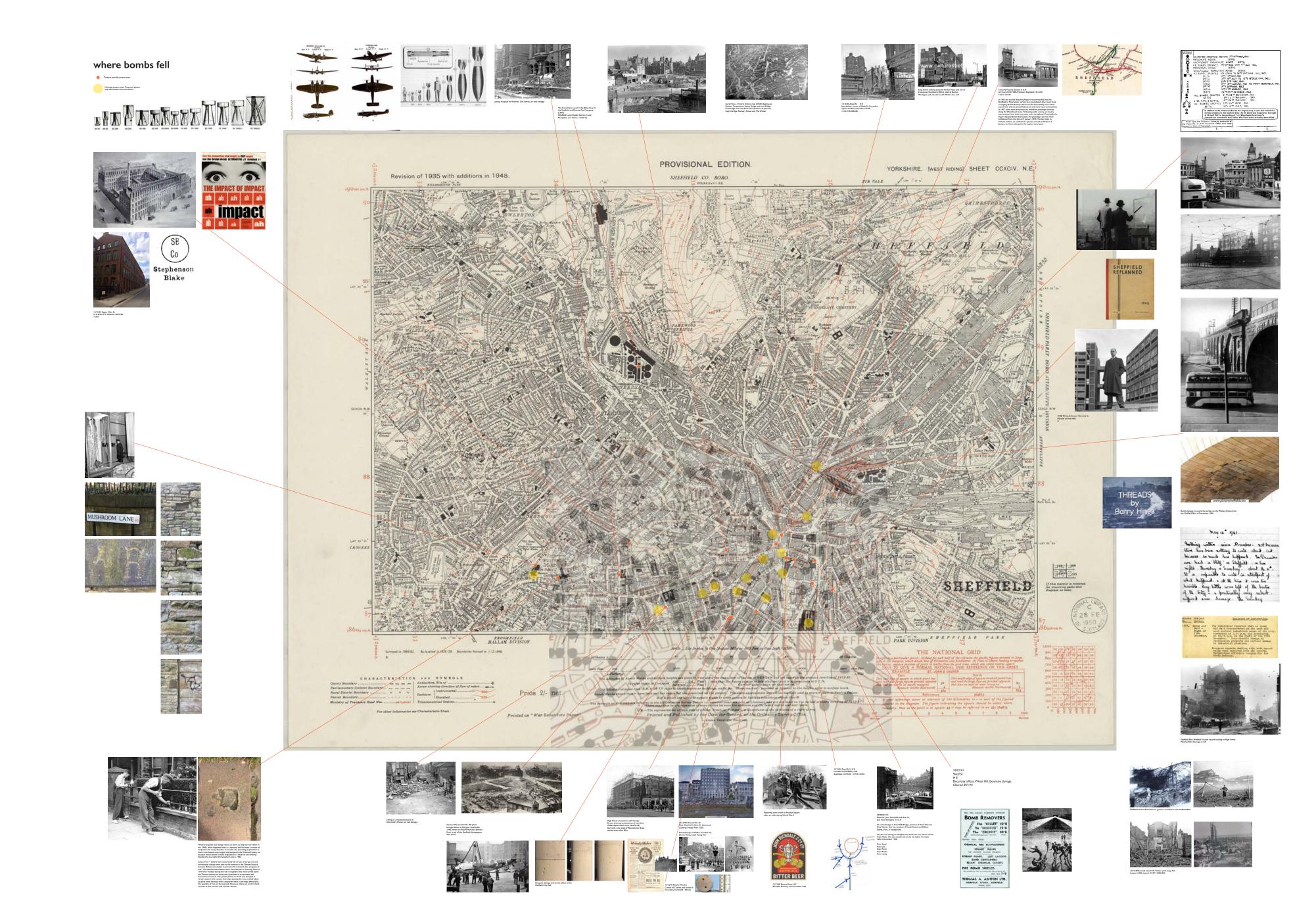
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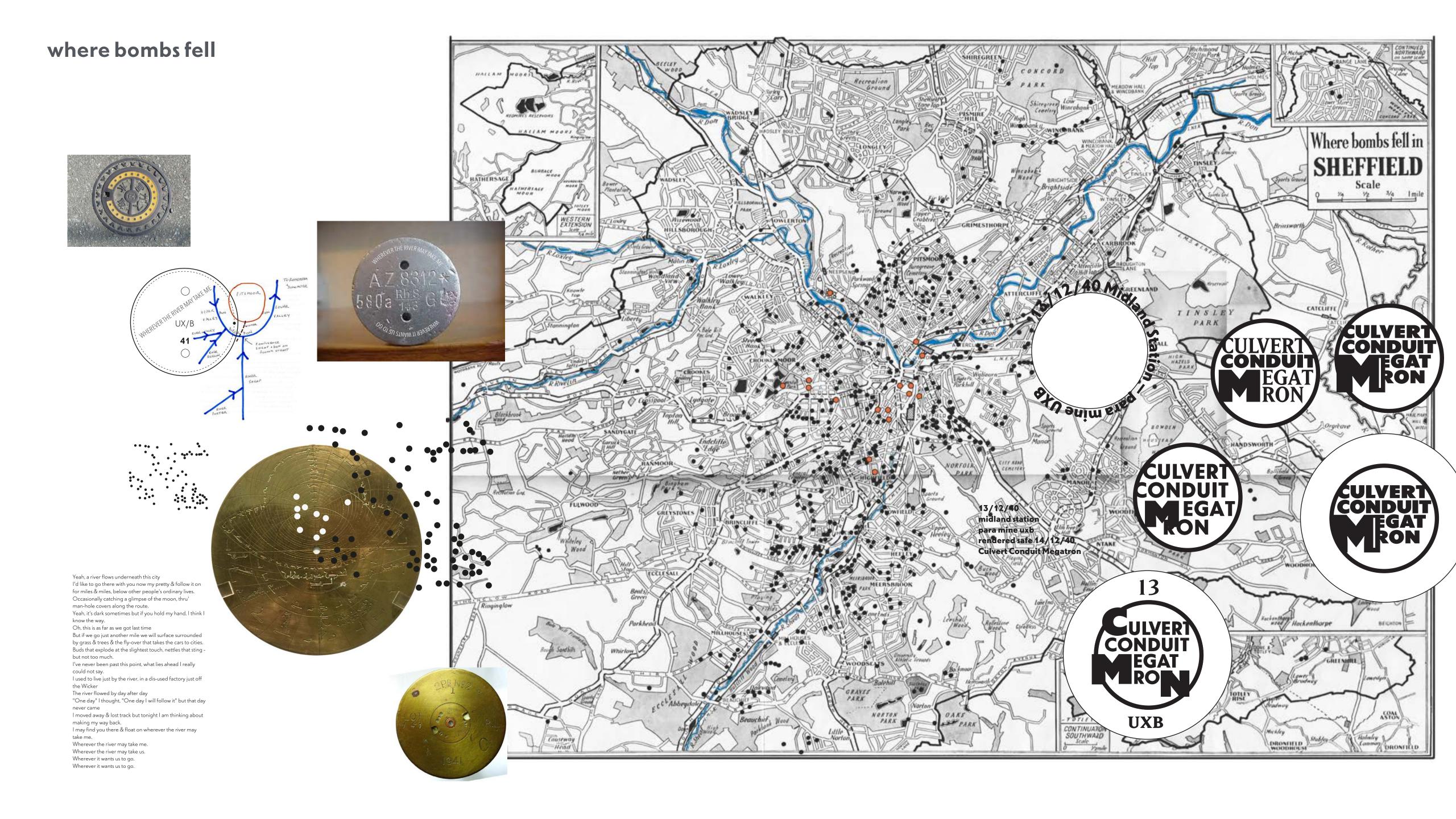
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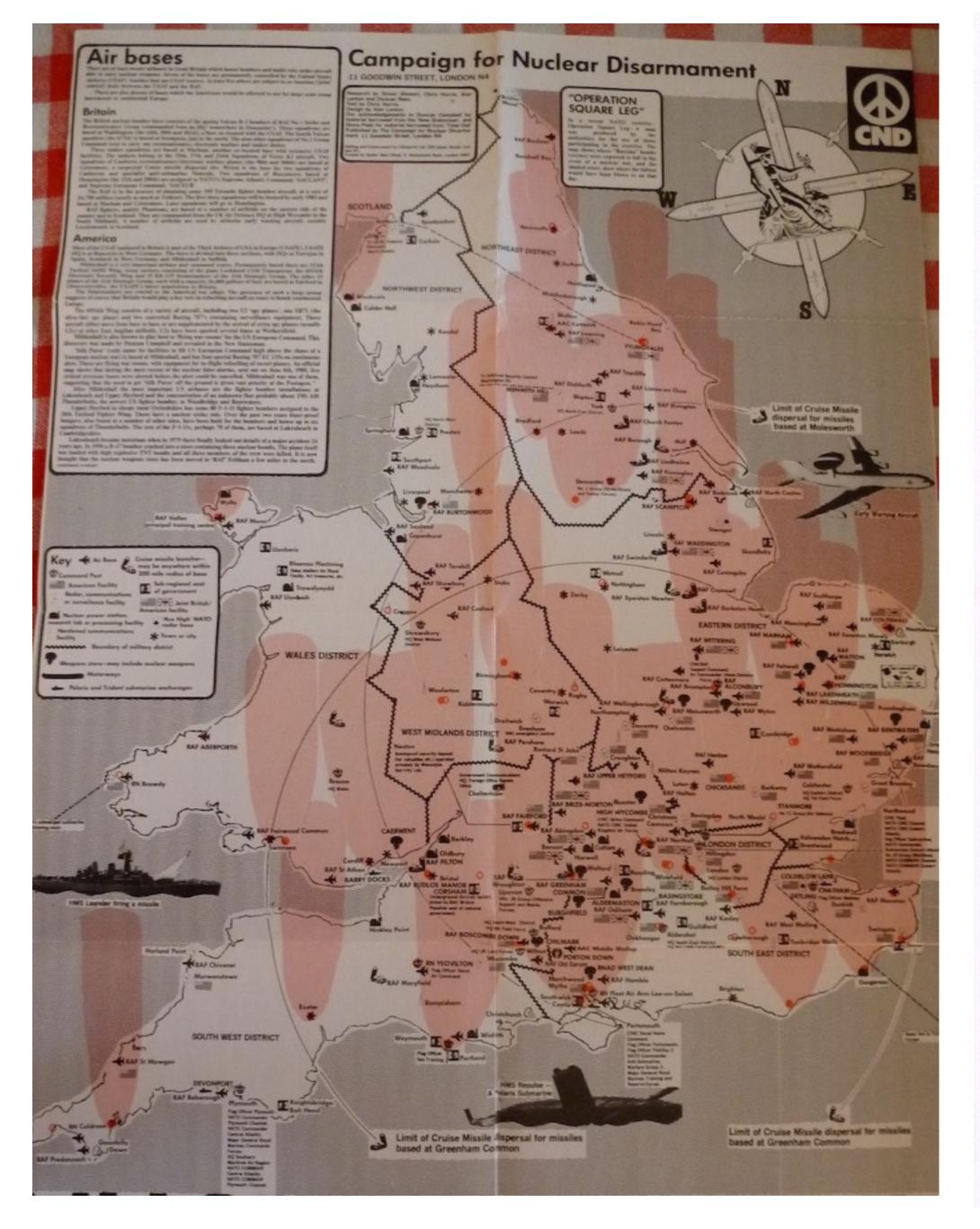
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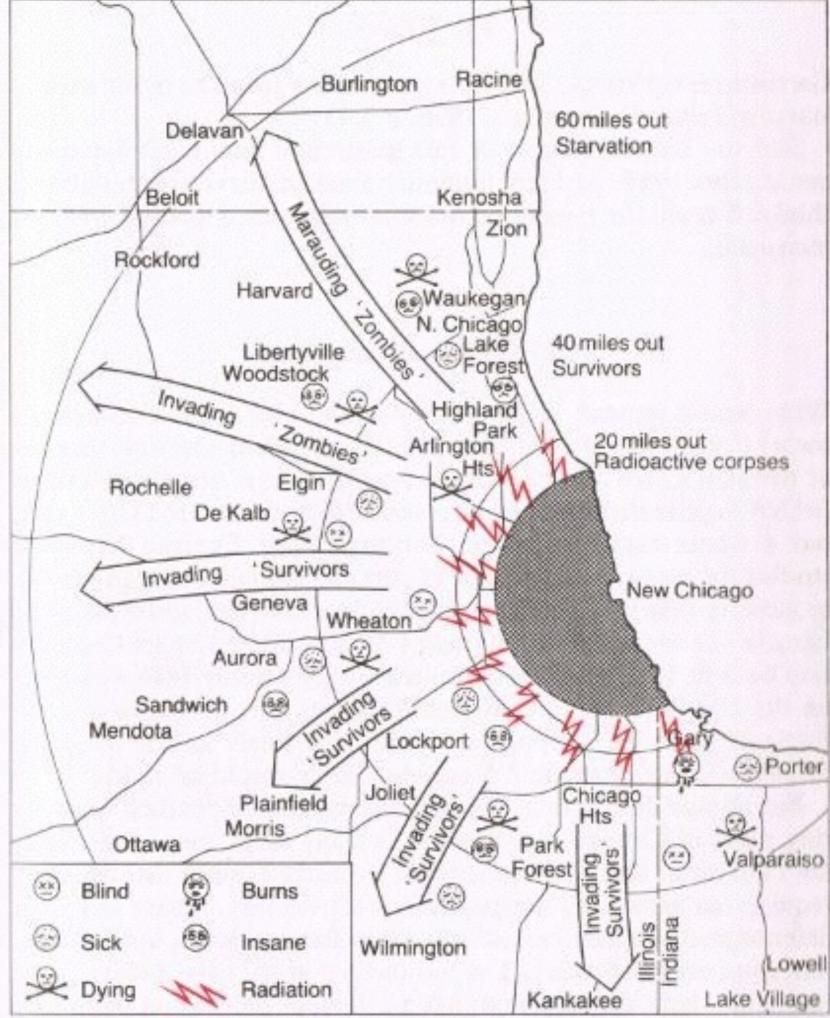








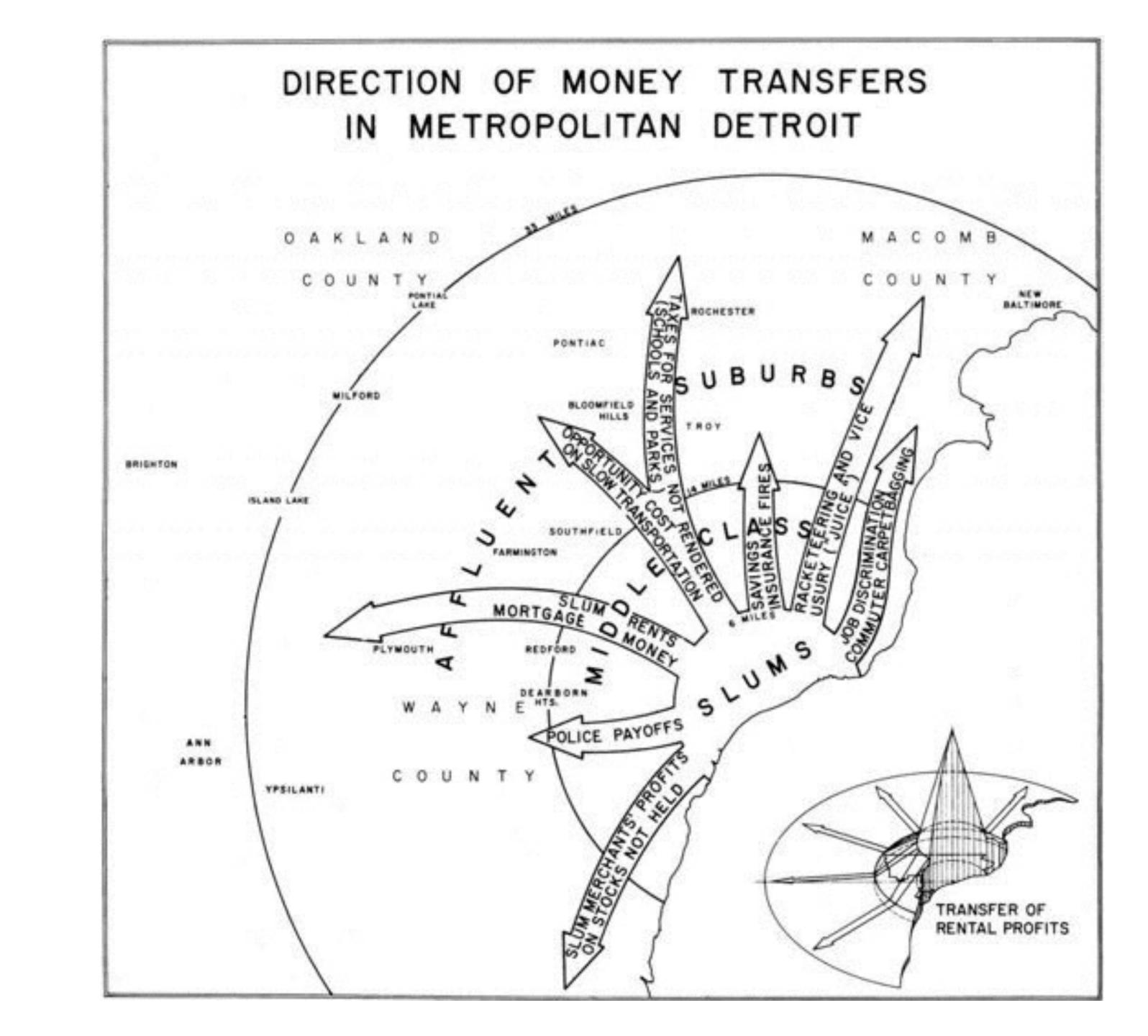


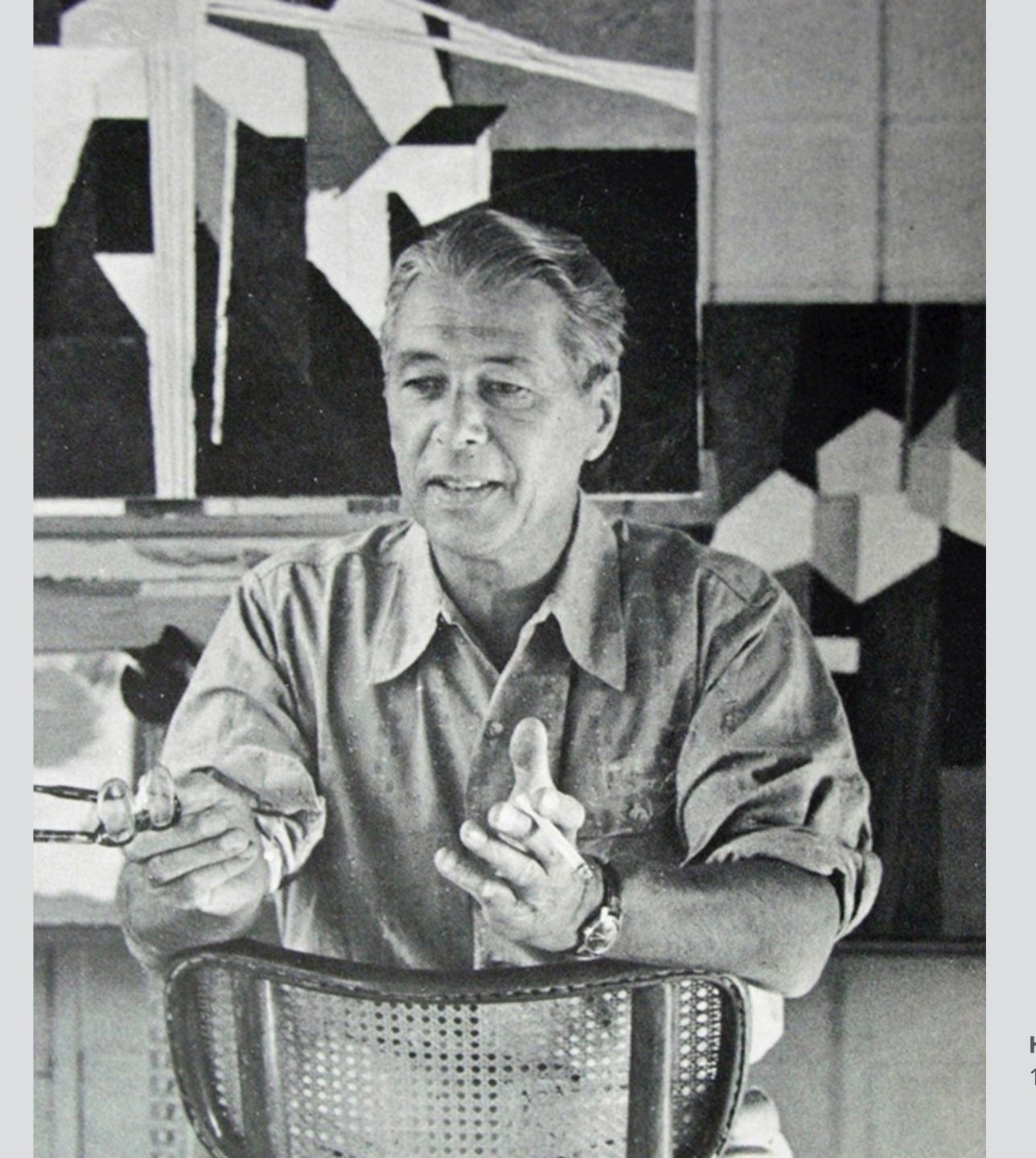


Map 1.4 New Chicago

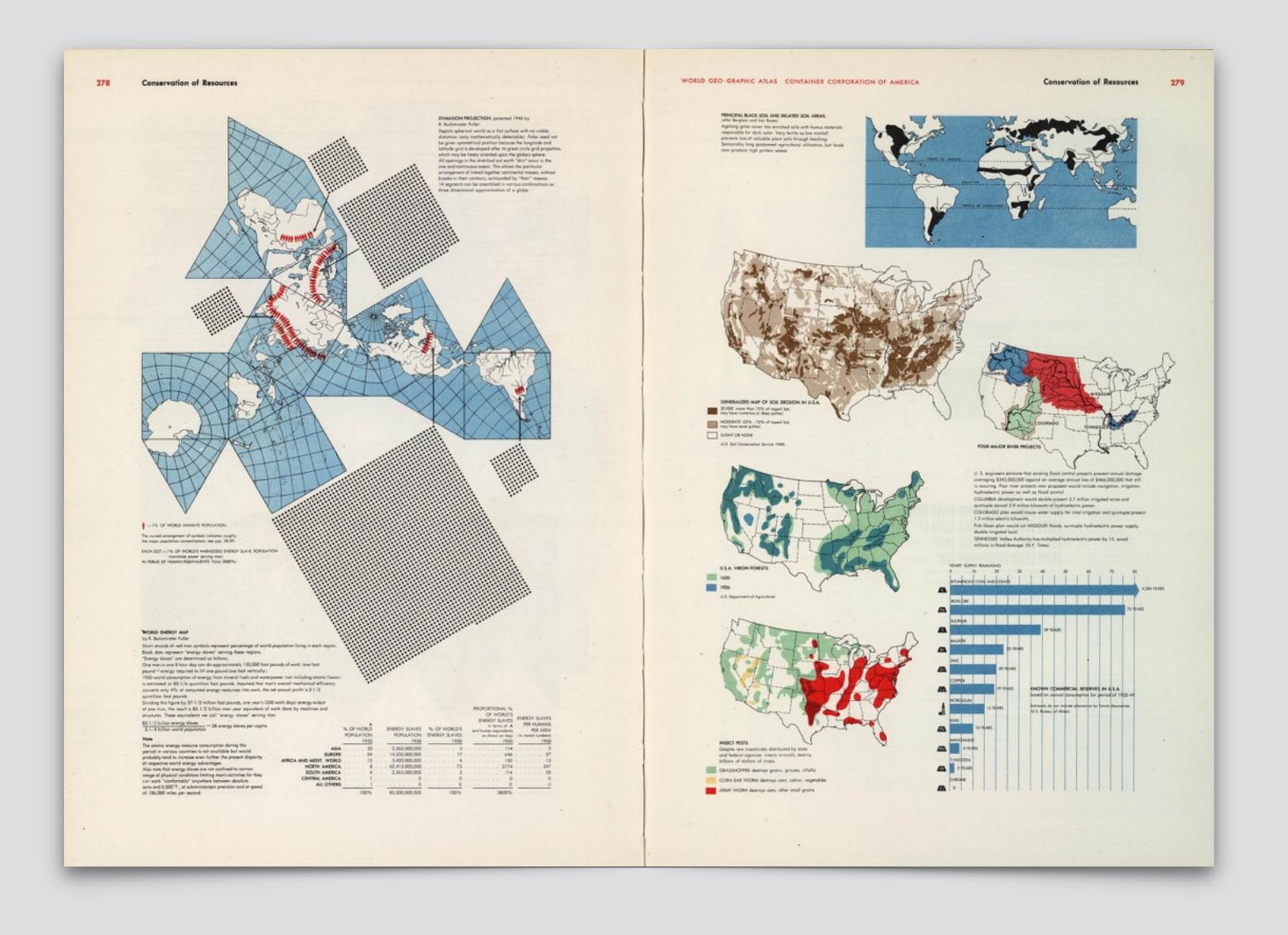
The third ring map is apparent the minute the firestorm has burned out. It is the geography of New Chicago, which gradually fades away only after thousands of years. The new Port of Chicago, the Bay of Chicago, is surounded by a 'hot' ring. The corpses do not begin to be evident until the edges of the firestorm are passed.

The survivors, however, are the ultimate blight of all. The rings of the dead, blinded, crazed, dying-of-radiation-sickness finally give way to the largest ring, the ring of the starving. Even distant farmers, without pesticides, fertilizer, horses or gasoline for farm machinery, might starve.

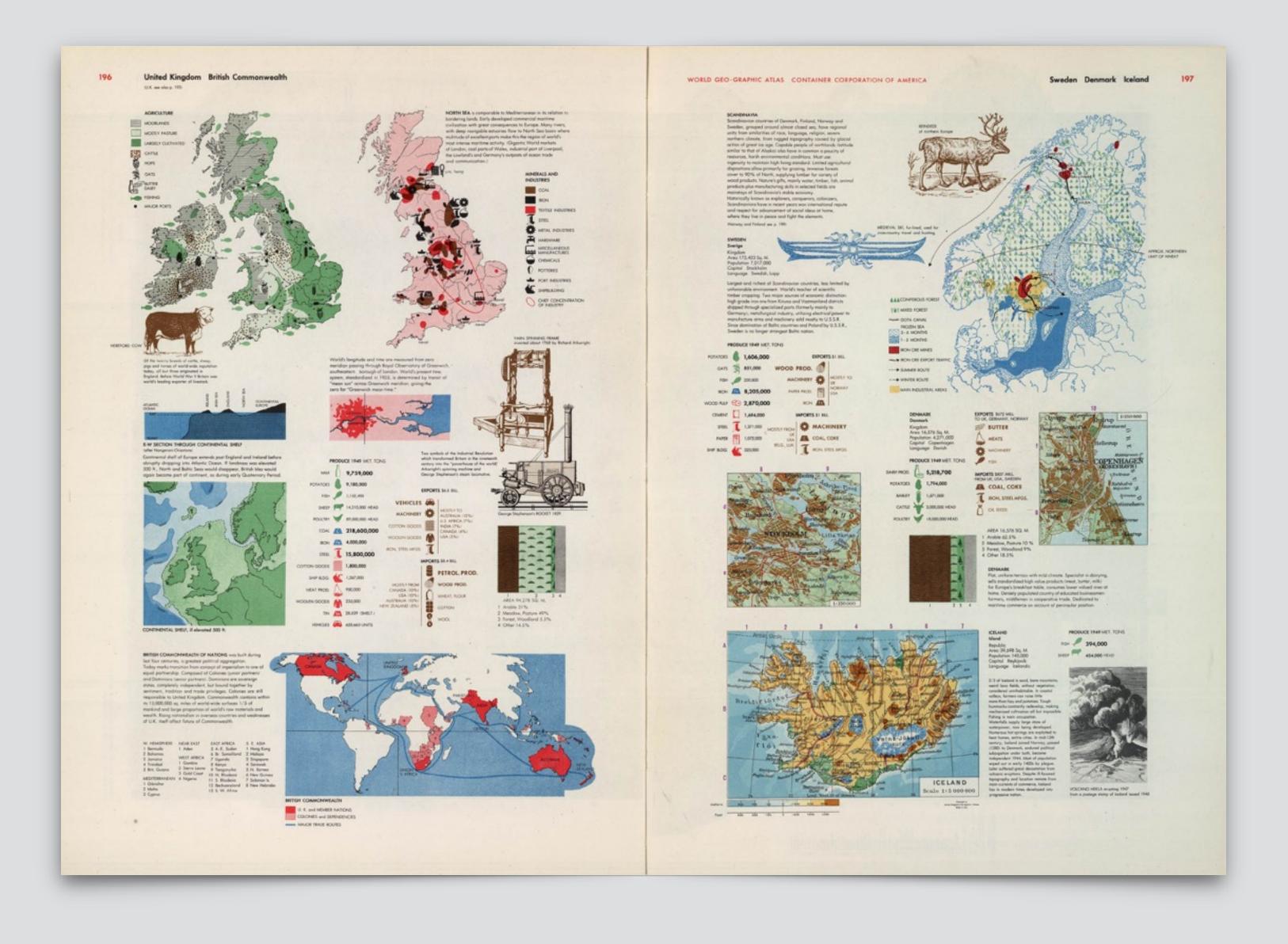




Herbert Bayer 1900 (Haag am Hausruck) - 1985 (California)



World Geo-Graphical Atlas
Bayer, Rosenzweig,
Gardiner & Nakagawa, 1953

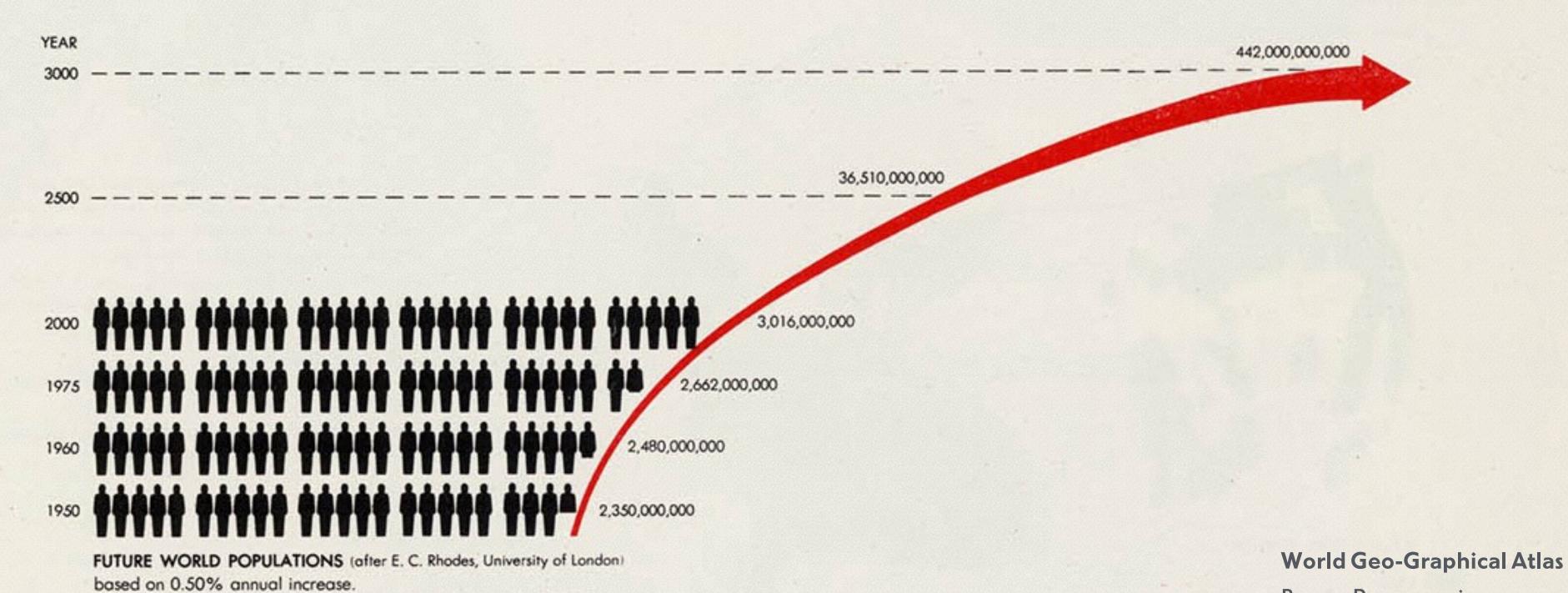


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ACREAGE OF ARABLE LAND
NEEDED TO FEED AND CLOTHE
ONE PERSON ADEQUATELY

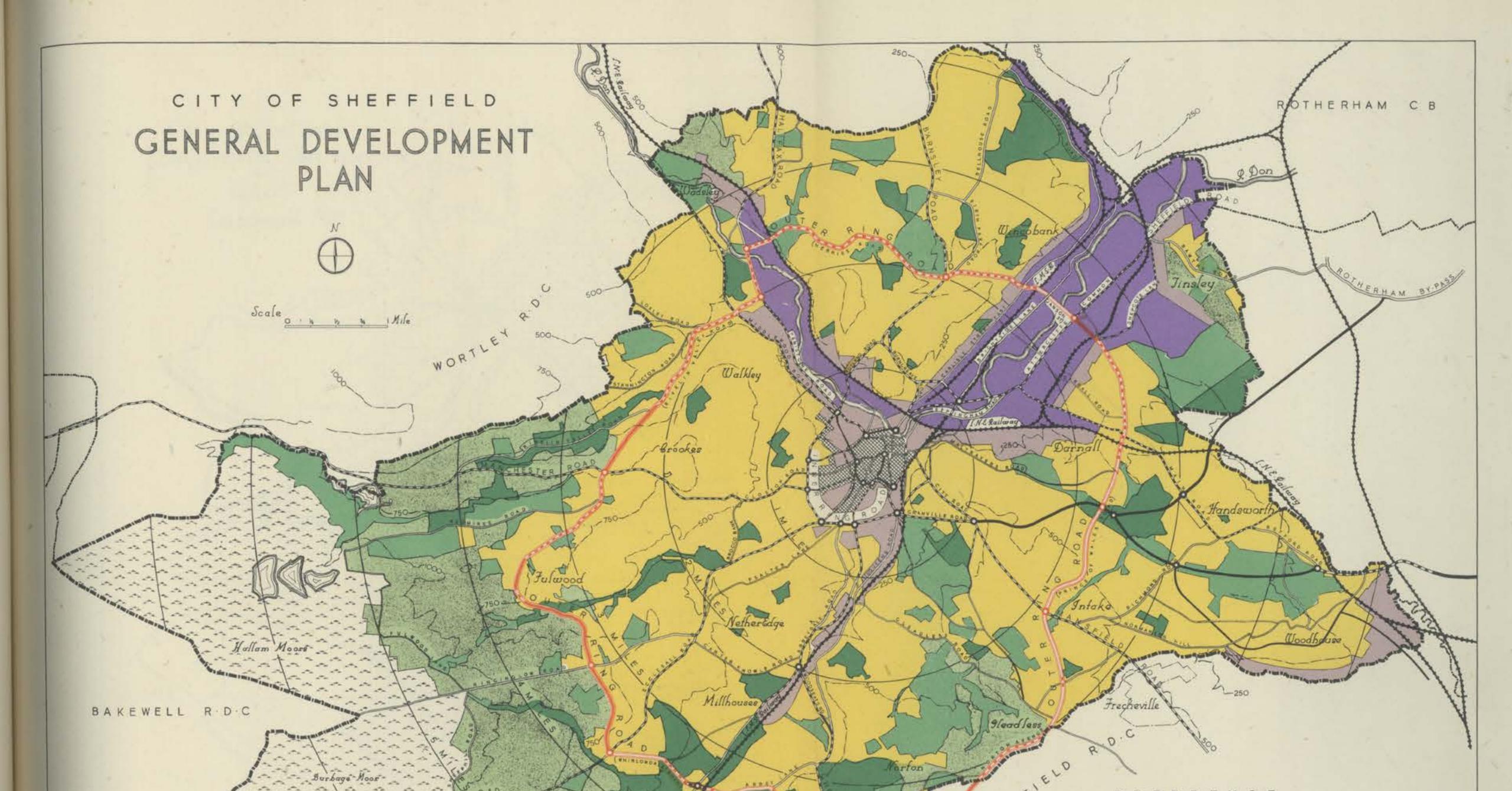


(World increase for 1937-47 was estimated to be just under 0.75%)



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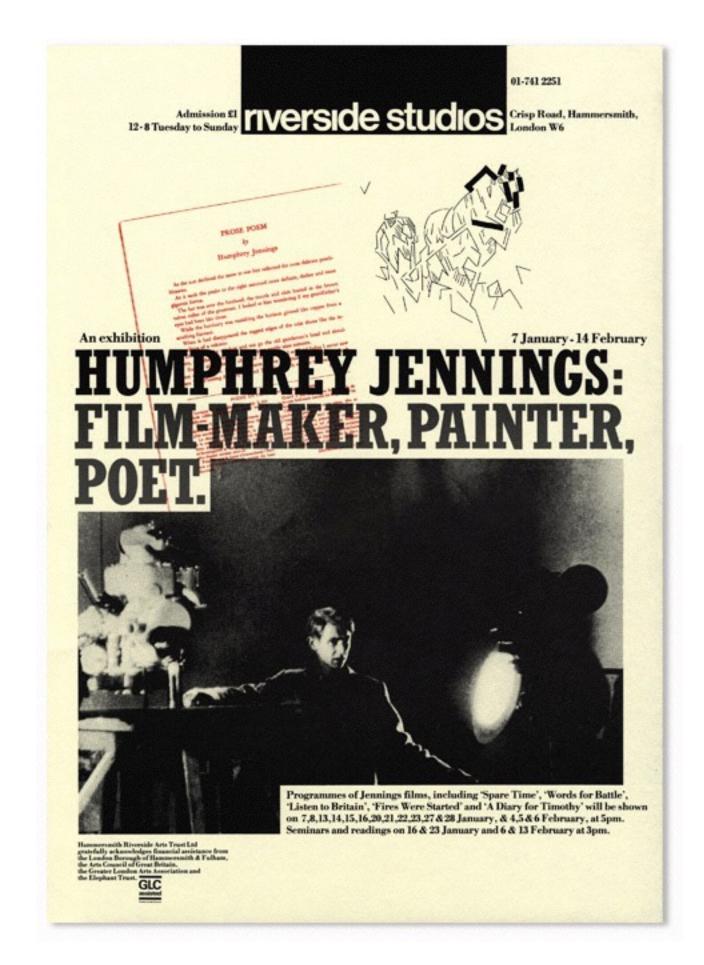
'All that is solid melts into air, all that is holy is profaned'

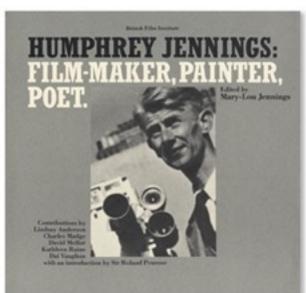
Marx & Engels, 1848 (From chapter 1 of the Communist Manifesto)

Cloud-puffball, torn tufts, tossed pillows flaunt forth, then chevy on an air-Built thoroughfare: heaven-roysterers, in gay-gangs they throng; they glitter in marches. Down roughcast, down dazzling whitewash, wherever an elm arches, Shivelights and shadowtackle in long lashes lace, lance, and pair.

Delightfully the bright wind boisterous ropes, wrestles, beats earth bare
Of yestertempest's creases; in pool and rut peel parches
Squandering ooze to squeezed dough, crust, dust; stanches, starches
Squadroned masks and manmarks treadmire toil there
Footfretted in it. Million-fuelèd, nature's bonfire burns on.

'That Nature is a Heraclitean Fire and of the Comfort of the Resurrection' Gerard Manley Hopkins, 1888.









where bombs fell 'London/Britain Can Take It!' GPO Film Unit, dir. Harry Watt & Humphrey Jennings, 1940 'Listen to Britain' Crown Film Unit, dir. Humphrey Jennings, 1942 'Fires were started' Crown Film Unit, dir. Humphrey Jennings, 1943

"FIRES WERE STARTED..."

Crown Film Unit, Jennings (1943)



Frank Cottrell Boyce: what's the point of culture in Brexit Britain?

Four years ago the writer helped put together the Olympics opening ceremony. In this exclusive preview of his Proms Lecture he reflects on its cultural legacy in the wake of the referendum



'Strangers would thank me for helping them feel proud to be British' ... the 2012 London Olympic Games opening ceremony. Photograph: Julian Simmonds/Rex/Shutterstock

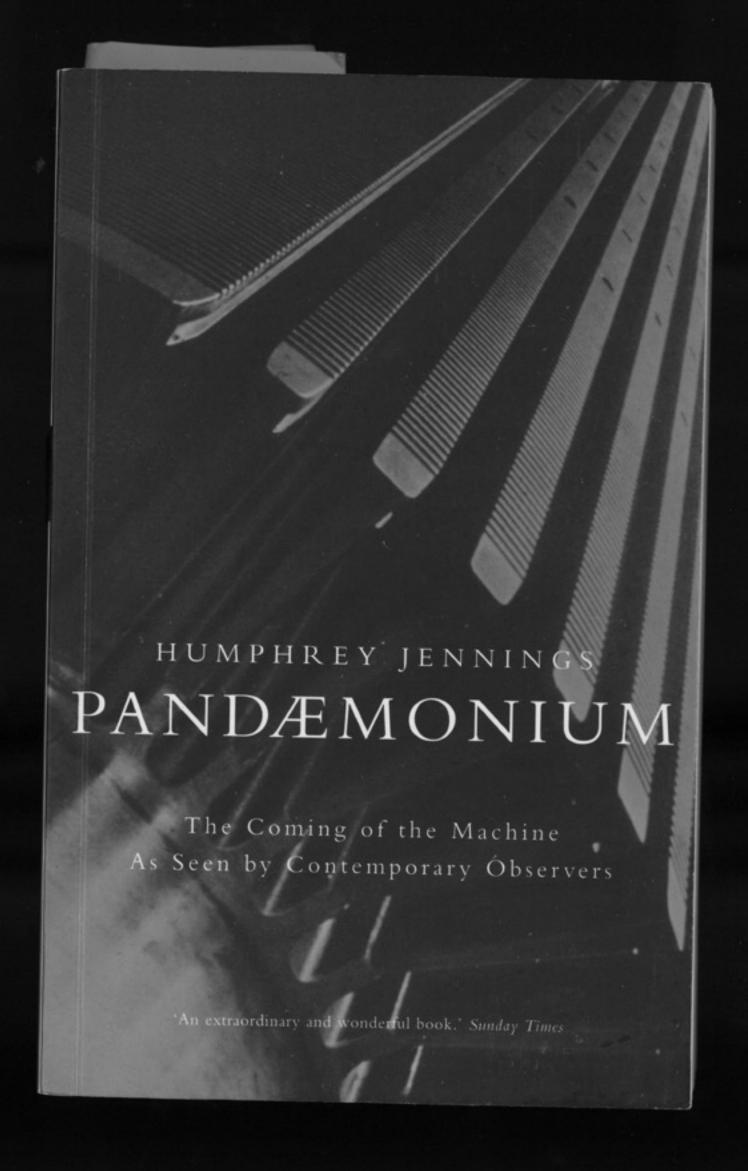
I love being a writer. Never wanted to be anything else.

When I get into a conversation with a stranger on a train or in the barber's, and it gets to the bit where they say, "And what do you do?" I feel like I'm boasting when I admit, "Actually I'm a writer." Then ... the hammer blow ...

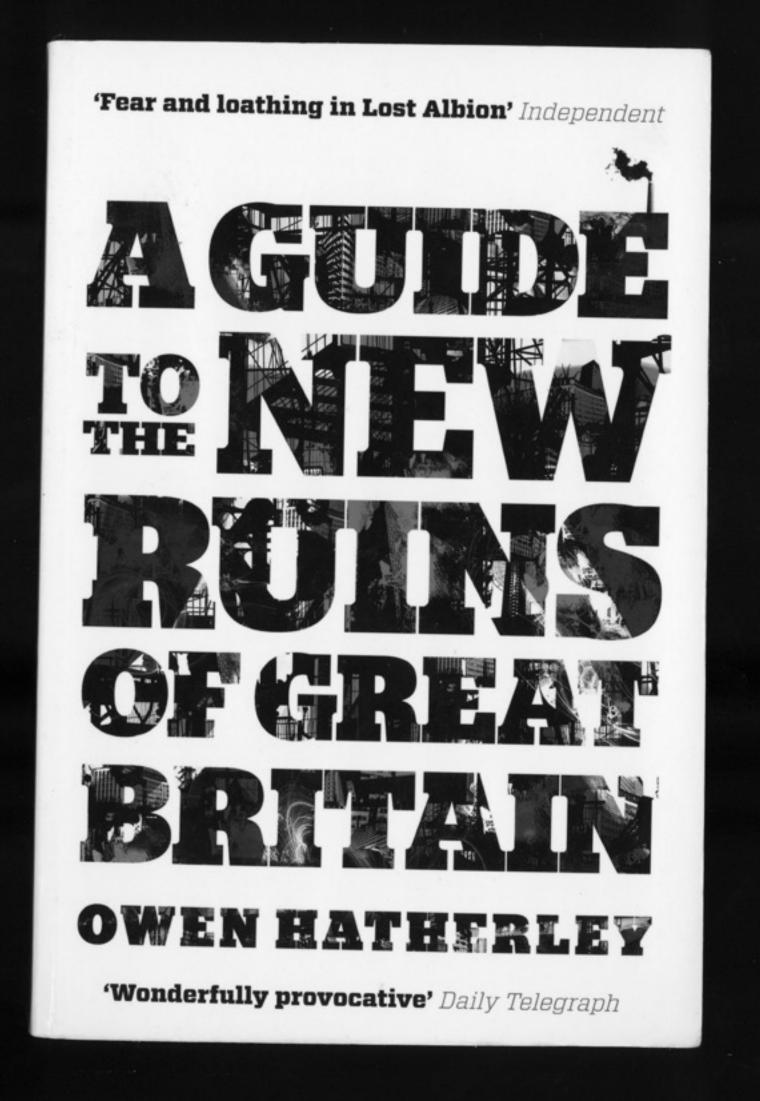
"Written anything I might have heard of?"

And the only possible answer is a muttered, "Excuse me, I think this is my stop."

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VertigoAlfred Hitchcock, 1958



La JeteeChris Marker, 1962











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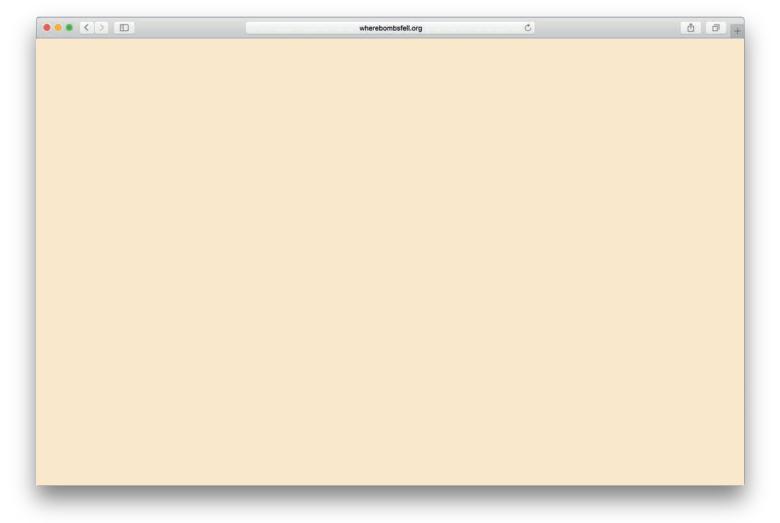
evocative layer

Visualising the stories relating to the bomb and it's impact at the site.

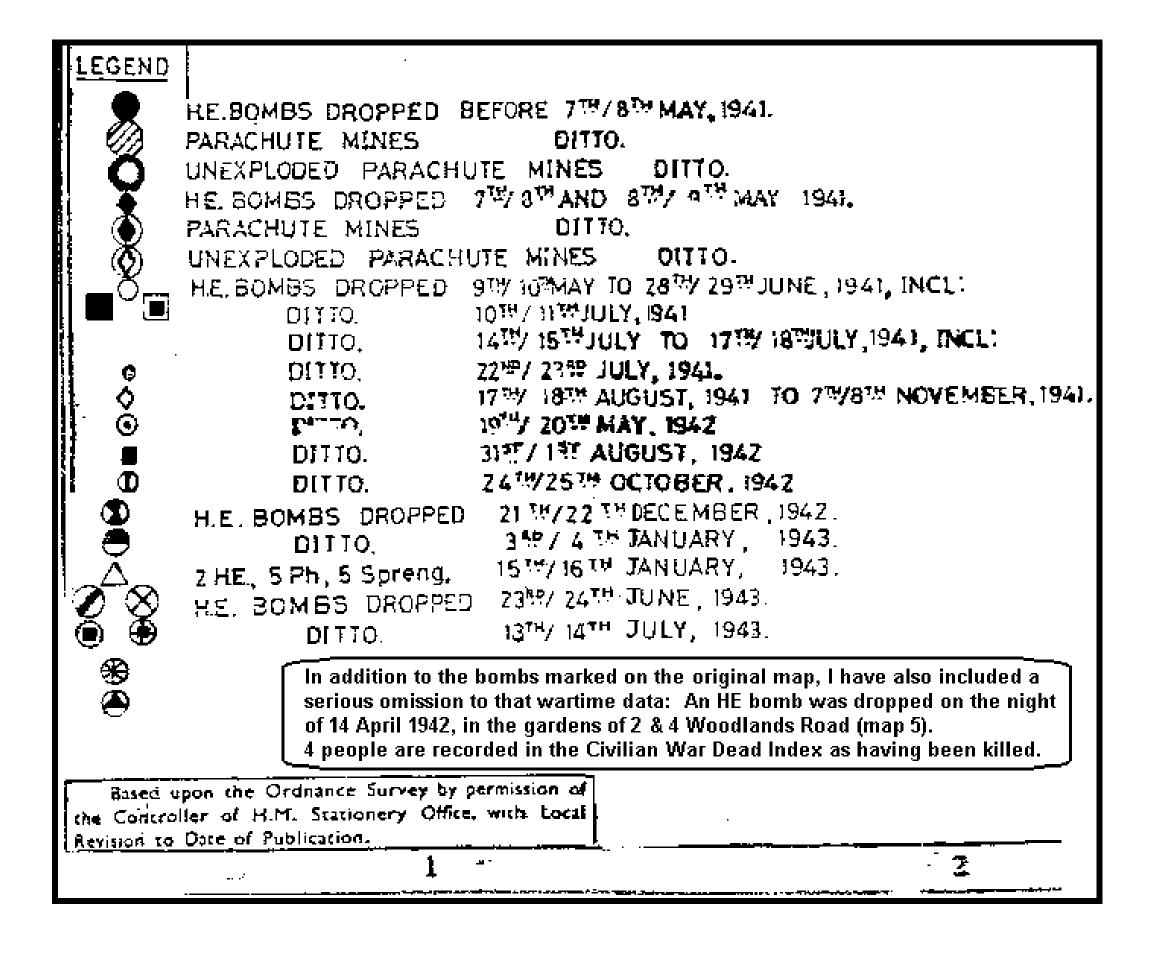
illustration reference

interactive layer

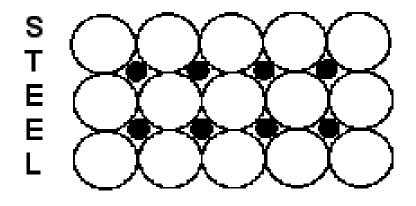
digital manifestation



Instructing the viewer on how to interact with the marker and link with other stories.

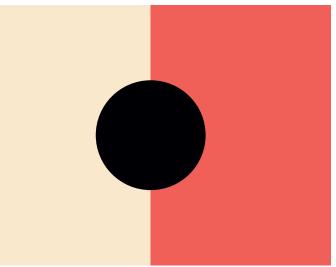


visual language



= carbon atom

= iron atom



where bombs fell physical manifestation







where bombs fell physical manifestation 13:12:40 EXPLOSIVE



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THIS IS A JOURNEY THROUGH NOW.

YOU WILL REMEMBER WHAT WAS, SEE WHAT IS AND IMAGINE WHAT WILL BE.

Midland Station Parachute Mine & Unexploded Bomb narratives

HERE STOOD WALKER & HALL.

The first documented use of the term "cutler" in Sheffield appeared in a 1297 tax return. Chaucer referenced Sheffield as a centre of cutlery in The Reeve's Tale in 1380 where he says of the Miller of Trompington "a Shefelde thwitel bare he in his hose". The thwitel was a knife.

1624: The Company of Cutlers in Hallamshire was formed to oversee the cutlery trade in the town. By the mid C17 60% of the workers in Sheffield were working in the cutlery trades.

1913: Stainless steel was invented by Harry Brearley whilst working at the Brown Firth Laboratories.

Specialising in electro plate, cutlery and silver, the central block of the Electro Works of Walker & Hall dominated the central Sheffield skyline from the later 19th century up until the blitz. By 1894 the company reported a total of 1500 employees.

Two metal flags 'flew' over the building forming the identity for the company and marked on its goods. W&H rebuilt and continued production until 1963 and the building was demolished in 1965.

David Mellor joined Walker & Hall in 1954, where he designed the iconic 'Pride' range of cutlery. This range won a Design Centre award in 1957.

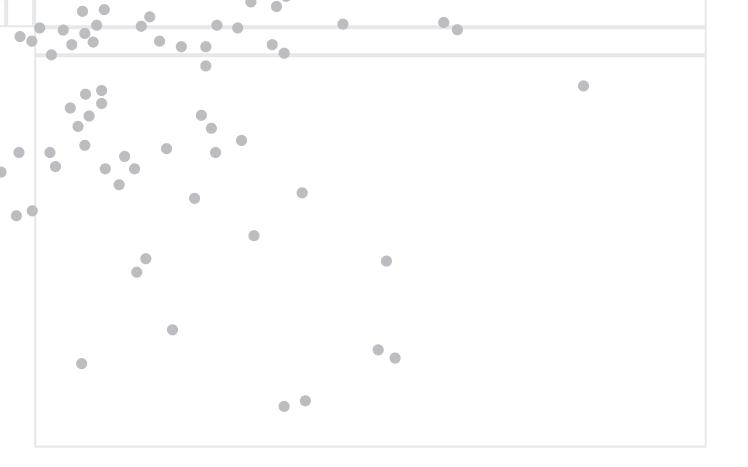
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13.12.1940 Barkers Pool High Explosi



where bombs fell narratives

HERE LIES GRANBY.

Each location featured here is commemorated with an 80mm bronze plaque. The designs featured on the plaques use four weights of Granby – Hippo, extra bold, bold and medium.

Granby is a Stephenson Blake typeface that first appeared in 1930 at a time when the Sheffield type foundry held the metal patterns for London Underground's Johnston wood letter. Granby drew influence from Gill Sans and the geometric sans serifs Futura, Erbar and Kabel.

