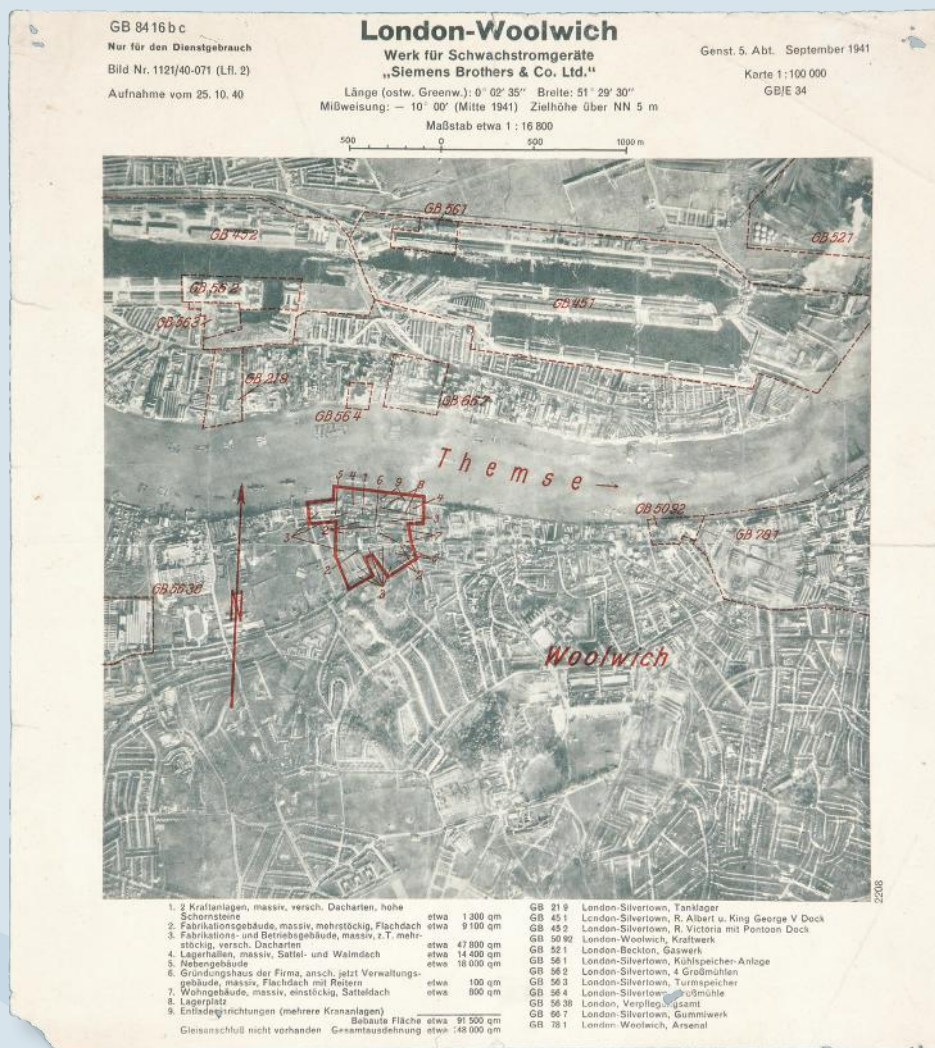




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The **heavy and frequent bombing attacks** on **London** and other cities was known as the 'Blitz'. Night after night, from **September 1940 until May 1941**, German bombers attacked British cities, ports and industrial areas. This map was used by the Germans to identify which part of Woolwich to bomb.





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The British government was worried about the threat of cities being bombed by the Germans. Children, mothers with babies and people with disabilities were evacuated from the cities. They were moved to the countryside where it was considered to be safer. Being an evacuee must have been scary and exciting at the same time. The children had to leave their families and homes behind and try to fit in with host families in the country.

This is the content of a child's suitcase in 1939 as he was leaving for the countryside, away from the possible bombings.



Imagine you have to pack your suitcase tomorrow to leave for the countryside away from your family and everything you know. What would you bring with you? Write down a list below:

