

18 years after

2577

12th September 1958

THE ENGLISH COUNTRYSIDE ECHOED TO THE ROAR OF NAZI

Eighteen years ago ~~the greatest battle for the world was fought~~
BOMBERS. [^] ~~in.~~ The target was London and Britain's chief airfields -
the prelude to invasion.

~~English countryside~~ - A "gallant few" rose to meet the Nazi
invader. Flying their tiny Spitfires and Hurricanes, they triumphed
over incredible odds...to win immortal fame

One of that "immortal few" who won the Battle for Britain was fighter
ace Group-Captain Johnnie Johnson... He shot down 38 Nazi planes.

Today, Group-Captain Johnson has exchanged his lone fighter for
Britain's latest V-Bomber... He is Station Commander at Cottesmore -
where the first squadron of Handley-Page Victor Bombers has begun
operation service with the R.A.F.

Britain's Biggest and deadliest V-Bomber - the Victor is so advanced
that the 1958 airmen who man them are trained, and kept together, to
fly as a team. (3)

Far different from Johnnie Johnson's war-time role as a lone fighter
ace. SOUND.

The Spitfire was about thirty feet long: its top speed around ~~500 mph~~ ^{350.}

And the Victor, with four turbo-jet engines. About ~~20~~ ³⁰ times ~~the~~

HEAVIER THAN ~~the~~ of the Spitfire - it's the biggest aircraft ever to fly faster
than the speed of sound.

~~Did you notice a great change in flying wartime~~
Spitfires and this super-bomber?

~~Victor Bombers~~
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Yes The Victor may well be the last of Britain's manned bombers. Equipped
with Britain's secret "stand-off nuclear bomb" it will be the latest
and the greatest of them all.