NEW PLANES FOR NAVY:

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801 Naval Air Squadron (which flew bi-plane fighters as far back as 1932) now has the Blackburn Buccaneer. At Lossiemouth Royal Naval Air Station the Squadron was commissioned again, having been disbanded two years ago. From Vice Admiral Dreyer, Lt. Commander Anson received the Commissioning Warrant. He proceeded to brief his men, preparatory to a flying display. He was to lead them on a flight showing the capabilities of the Blackburn Buccaneer. It is a low level strike aircraft equipped to deliver both nuclear and conventional weapons.

A twin jet aircraft, the Buccaneer is designed to fly low enough to avoid detection by radar until the last minute. It can be directed against an enemy in any weather, day or night.