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WAR CASUALTIES

Airmen Killed And Missing

The following air casualties were announced on Saturday:—

Flying Officer Eric Neil Baker, reported missing on air operations. Mother: Mrs. C. S. Baker, 31 Simla Crescent, Khandallah, Wellington.

Sergeant Noel Mizpah Stanger, R.N.Z.A.F., reported killed in an aircraft accident. Sergeant Stanger was educated at the Waimate High School. Father: Mr. P. G. Stanger, Enfield, North Otago.

Sergeant R. S. Callinan, R.A.F., previously unofficially reported missing, now presumed killed. Brother: Mr. Callinan, 8a Hamilton Road, Herne Bay, Auckland.

Airman Presumed Killed

The following casualty in the N.Z.E.F. was announced yesterday:—

Flying Officer John Noel Collins, R.N.Z.A.F., previously reported missing on air operations, now presumed killed. Next-of-kin: Mr. B. Collins, 3 Rangitoto Avenue, Remuera, Auckland.

The following air casualty was also reported:—

Sergeant John Archibald McQuarrie MacMillan, R.N.Z.A.F., reported missing on air operations. Father, Mr. J. MacMillan, 163 Anzac Place, Wanganui.

Sergeant MacMillan was born in Scotland, but was educated in Wanganui. Before enlistment in the Royal New Zealand Air Force, he was employed by the New Zealand Railways at Hunterville.

WANGANUI PILOT OFFICER MISSING

Pilot Officer Arthur James Falconer, who has been posted missing as a result of air operations on February 21, is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Falconer, St. John's Hill, Wanganui. He was educated at Wanganui Technical College, where he matriculated in 1933. He enlisted in October, 1939, and went overseas last June.

AMERICAN AID

Ambulances And Canteens For Dominion Troops

Advice has been received in Wellington that the Anzac War Relief Fund of New York, which has already provided tangible and much-appreciated assistance for New Zealand troops, expects to ship in March 15 ambulances to New Zealand troops in Egypt and five to Wellington. Five mobile canteens for the New Zealand forces in the Western Desert are also being built and will fill a long-felt want.

These canteens will be on long chassis with dust-proof, van-type bodies, and will be fitted with dual rear wheels and desert tyres. Their equipment will include primus cookers and kerosene refrigerators.

YULE SMILE

"A young fisherman was transferred to the Northern Patrol—somewhere between Shetland's and Iceland, where the sea is very rough.

But he continued to write cheerful letters to his mother—like this: "Dear Mother—Everything is marvellous. We have six meals a day—three down and three up!"

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The little London evacuee billeted at a farmhouse looked at his breakfast egg, then pushed it aside.

"What's wrong, Jimmy?" asked his new "mother." "Aren't you going to eat your egg?"

"No. 'taint a proper 'un, lidy," said Jimmy. "Proper 'uns have 'Denmark' on them. This ain't got nothin' on it."

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