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DEATH OF AIRCRAFTSMAN N. E. TOPP

Much sympathy will be felt for Mr. and Mrs. E. P. TOPP, of 96 High-street, in the loss they are bearing by the death of their only child, **Norman Edwin TOPP**, who passed away on Saturday at the age of 18. Of a quiet and studious nature, young TOPP had a passionate love for aircraft and had constructed many models at home. After leaving school he became an apprenticed electrician at Messrs. SAUNDERS-ROE's, but a few months ago his keenness to join the R.A.F. led to his asking and receiving permission to be released. During his short service he had made rapid progress and his abilities revealed the prospect of a very promising career which unhappily has been so tragically cut short. The remains were brought home for burial yesterday (Friday) afternoon.