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MOSQUITO PILOT'S FIRST VICTIM

An enemy aircraft shot down by a Fighter Command intruder during the night fell to the sergeant-pilot of a Mosquito patrolling the enemy airfield at St. Trond, not far from Liege, Belgium.

"One of the flare paths was lit up, when we arrived over the target", he said today. "We saw an enemy aircraft and we made no mistake: it went down in flames".

The pilot who thus scored his first victory, was born in Uruguay and educated at British schools in Monte Video. He was a clerk in a motor repair shop until December 1940 when he sailed for England to join the R.A.F.

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