

CASPIR Aircraft Accident Cards

Serial: AJ729

Title: North American Harvard Mk. II serial:AJ729 Accident Card

Author: Royal Air Force (RAF)

Subject: This accident involved 1 aircraft on 1943-March-20. Harvard II s/n AJ729. This accident involved 1 person. Sloan RW

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DUTY ON WHICH ENGAGED:
Formation flying practice.

COURT OF INQUIRY, INVESTIGATING OFFICER
OR COMMANDING OFFICER'S REPORT:

NATURE OF ACCIDENT AND STAGE OF FLIGHT:
A/C landed with U/C retracted.
Pilot noticed that U/C warning horn kept blowing and green light would not come on and mechanical indicator would not go forward. Carried out correct procedure but was forced to land with U/C retracted.

DATE:
COMPOSITION:

D-14
DM

RECOMMENDATIONS:

PRIMARY CAUSE:

~~33. Technical defect.~~

~~Actuating rod for red warning light on micro switch was sticking, causing red light to stay on. U/C horn was blowing at $\frac{1}{4}$ throttle instead of $\frac{5}{8}$ throttle. No notification of these defects on L.14.~~

ACTION TAKEN:

(A) DISCIPLINARY (B) TECHNICAL (C) OTHER

NIL.

SECONDARY CAUSE OR CONTRIBUTING FACTORS:

~~34. Wheels up landing.~~

~~35. etc Defect.~~

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