

CASPIR Aircraft Accident Cards

Serial: 3615

Title: Fleet Fort serial:3615 Accident Card

Author: Royal Canadian Air Force (RCAF)

Subject: This accident involved 1 aircraft on 1943-July-23. Fleet Fort II s/n 3615. This accident involved 2 people. Lett RM, Shanley AR

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) PURPOSE OF FLIGHT:

) W/T Exercise.

) TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

) Stbd. brake shows evidence of partial seizure, plates being slightly warped.

) NATURE OF ACCIDENT:

) Pilot executed three point landing, and rolled along slowing down. Suddenly A/C swerved sharply to right, after pilot had taken hand off throttle, preparatory to letting flaps up. Pilot used port brake sharply, but was unable to correct swing. Port wheel buckled and A/C came to rest approx. 160° from landing direction.

) COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT:

) FINDINGS:

) SUMMARY No.

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) CLASSIFICATION:

) 32. Pilot error.

) SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS:

) 46. Brake failure.

) ACTION TAKEN:

) Nil.