

ACCIDENT CLASSIFICATION

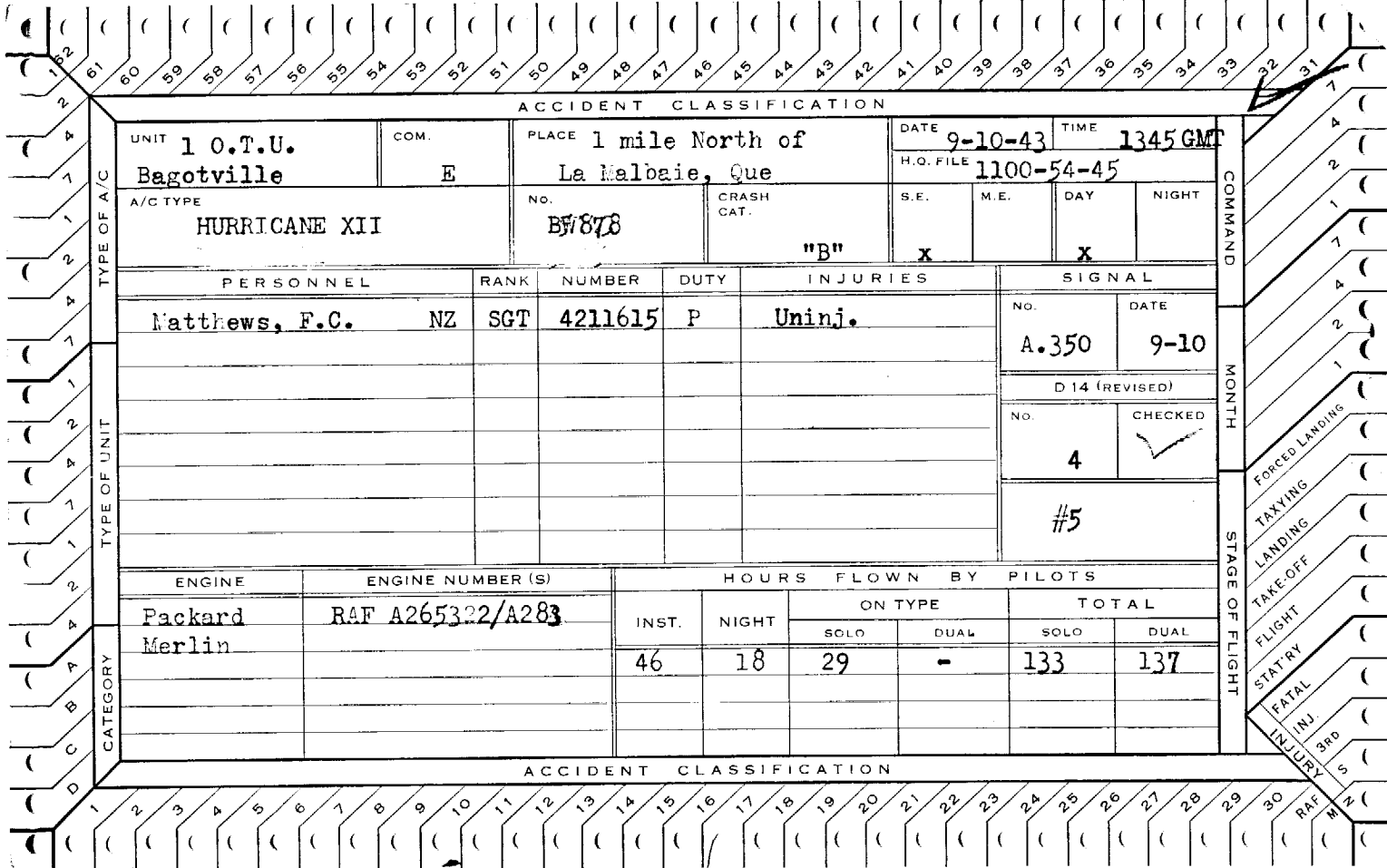
UNIT 1 O.T.U. Bagotville		COM. E	PLACE 1 mile North of La Malbaie, Que		DATE 9-10-43	TIME 1345 GMT	
A/C TYPE HURRICANE XII		No. BW878	CRASH CAT. "B"		S.E. X	M.E.	DAY X
PERSONNEL		RANK	NUMBER	DUTY	INJURIES		SIGNAL
Matthews, F.C.		NZ SGT	4211615	P	Uninj.		NO. A.350
							DATE 9-10
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ENGINE		ENGINE NUMBER (S)		HOURS FLOWN BY PILOTS			
Packard		RAF A265322/A283		ON TYPE		TOTAL	
Merlin				INST.	NIGHT	SOLO	DUAL
				46	18	29	-
						133	137

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TYPE OF A/C  
TYPE OF UNIT  
CATEGORY

COMMAND  
MONTH  
STAGE OF FLIGHT

FORCED LANDING  
TAXIING  
LANDING  
TAKE-OFF  
FLIGHT  
STATRY  
FATAL  
INJURY



PURPOSE OF FLIGHT:

Formation flying.

NATURE OF ACCIDENT:

When authorized out for formation flying become lost above clouds. Broke cloud vicinity Baie St. Paul Que., and finally force landed wheels up one mile North of La Malbaie, Que.

TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

No Technical failure.

**D/F facilities here would have obviated this accident.**

COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT:

FINDINGS:

SUMMARY No.

*FI/PCB/PA*

CLASSIFICATION:

~~17. Disobedience of Standing Orders.~~

*Forced Landing.*

*17*

SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS:

~~51. Lost~~

*Disobedience of Orders 41*

ACTION TAKEN:

Pilot placed on charge.  
Pilot has been warned not to carry out exercise above cloud.