

CASPIR Aircraft Accident Cards

Serial: AX488

Title: Avro Anson Mk. I serial:AX488 Accident Card

Author: Royal Canadian Air Force (RCAF)

Subject: This accident involved 1 aircraft on 1943-November-11. Anson I s/n AX488. This accident involved 2 people. Compton JH, Turner KH

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Link: <https://caspir.warplane.com/aircraft/serial-search/aircraft-no/200000123#AX488>

PURPOSE OF FLIGHT:

Instrument Instruction

TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

Port Motor #1 intake valve broke. (Chronic failure)

NATURE OF ACCIDENT:

On climbing 7000' at 400' per minute & 90 miles an hour, the port motor quit, and would not start again. When climbing pressure on that motor about 10 lbs. higher than stbd., but went back to 65 on reaching height and was at 65 when it quit. Pilot Compton returned to airport on single engine and made normal landing.

COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT:

FINDINGS:

SUMMARY No.

11/10/43/V#101

CLASSIFICATION:

54. Engine failure in the air.

SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS:

33. Technical defect.

ACTION TAKEN:

NIL.