CASPIR Aircraft Accident Cards

Serial: DK752

Title: Fairey Swordfish Mk. II serial:DK752 Accident Card

Author: Royal Canadian Air Force (RCAF)

Subject: This accident involved 2 aircraft on 1943-November-25. They are: Fairey Swordfish s/n HS324, Fairey Swordfish s/n DK752. This accident involved 4 people. Barton RE, Henderson JY, Fraser HE, Burrows CA

Keywords: RCAFFairey Swordfish ,DK752,1 NAGS,1 Naval Air Gunnery School,Lake George,1943-November-25,Barton,Burrows,Fraser,HendersonRCAF L20

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ACCIDENT CLASSIFICATION

UNIT	COM.	PLACE	DATE	TIME
1 N.A.G.S.	E	Lake George Vicinity.	25-11-43	1600

H.Q. FILE 1300-HS 324

A/C TYPE	NO.	CRASH CAT.	S.E.	M.E.	DAY	NIGHT
SWORDFISH SWORDFISH	HS324 D K 752	"D" 1 "E" 1	x		x	

PERSONNEL	RANK	NUMBER	DUTY	INJURIES
Burrows C.A.	P/O	J26446	P	Uninj.
Barton R.E.	A/LAC	114030	PP	Uninj.
Herderson J.Y.	A/LAC	X112531	PP	Uninj.
Fraser H.E.	Sgt.	R50370	P	Uninj.

SIGNAL

NO. T717 DATE 26-11

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NO. CHECKED ✓

#2

ENGINE	ENGINE NUMBER (S)
PegasusXXX	338882/P36572
PegasusXXX	140778/P33574

HOURS FLOWN BY PILOTS

INST.	NIGHT	ON TYPE SOLO	ON TYPE DUAL	TOTAL SOLO	TOTAL DUAL
-	-	150	.30	295	121
-	-	78	.-	177	113

TYPE OF A/C

TYPE OF UNIT

CATEGORY

COMMAND

MONTH

STAGE OF FLIGHT

FORCED LANDING
TAXYING
LANDING
TAKE-OFF
FLIGHT
STATY

INJURY
FATAL
INJ.
3RD
S

ACCIDENT CLASSIFICATION

PURPOSE OF FLIGHT:

T.A.G. Training.

TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

NIL.

M.T.
A.M./C.L.
A.M./S.

NATURE OF ACCIDENT:

Due to an error in judgement the pilot of H.S.324 got too close to H.S. 752 and his propellor touched the extreme tip of the port lower main plane of H.S. 752. Both aircraft returned to base and landed safely. Damage to both a/c was slight.

COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT:

FINDINGS:

SUMMARY No.

CLASSIFICATION:

~~26. Collision in the air.~~ 21

21. Collision - a/c

SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS:

~~32. Pilot error.~~

ACTION TAKEN:

Pilots Log Book endorsed.

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