

CASPIR Aircraft Accident Cards

Serial: 6947

Title: Avro Anson Mk. I serial:6947 Accident Card

Author: Royal Canadian Air Force (RCAF)

Subject: This accident involved 1 aircraft on 1944-April-27. Anson I s/n 6947. This accident involved 4 people. Roos RB, Savage JP, Simpson TA, Woods NC

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ACCIDENT CLASSIFICATION

UNIT # 5 A.O.S. Winnipeg, Man		COM. 2	PLACE Stevenson Field St. James, Man.		DATE 27-4-44	TIME 1615			
A/C TYPE ANSON I		NO. 6947	CRASH CAT. "E"		H.Q. FILE 1100-69-47				
PERSONNEL		RANK	NUMBER	DUTY	INJURIES				
Woods, N.C.		Sgt	R204745	P	Nil				
Roos, R.B.		LAC	R253087	AB	Nil				
Savage, J.P.		LAC	R253900	AB	Nil				
Simpson, T.A.		LAC	R258929	AB	Nil				
ENGINE		ENGINE NUMBER (S)		HOURS FLOWN BY PILOTS					
Cheetah IX		112699/AS13238 Nil A10613/AS31007 Ser,		INST.	NIGHT	ON TYPE		TOTAL	
						SOLO	DUAL	SOLO	DUAL
				56	24	67	118	109	150

TYPE OF A/C
TYPE OF UNIT
CATEGORY

COMMAND
MONTH
STAGE OF FLIGHT

7
4
2
1
7
4
2
1
1
FORCED LANDING
TAXYING
LANDING
TAKE-OFF
FLIGHT
STATRY
FATAL
INJ
3RD
S
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ACCIDENT CLASSIFICATION

PURPOSE OF FLIGHT:

Air Bomber fam. flight.

NATURE OF ACCIDENT:

Stbd engine failed after changing fuel tanks. Pilot attempted to clear but engine continued to backfire, so shut off engine and returned to base on single engine.

TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

Stbd engine # 5 exhaust rocker standard broke with result that # 1 cyl. intake valve dropped and parts went through the engine.

COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT:

FINDINGS:

SUMMARY No.

CLASSIFICATION:

54. Engine failure in the air.

SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS:

33. Technical defect.

ACTION TAKEN:

Nil