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Serial: 4185

Title: de Havilland Moth, Tiger I serial:4185 Accident Card

Author: Royal Canadian Air Force (RCAF)

Subject: This accident involved 1 aircraft on 1941-January-09. Tiger Moth s/n 4185. This accident involved 1 person. Petts JR

Keywords: RCAFTiger Moth ,4185,16 EFTS,16 Elementary Flying Training School,Edmonton Ontario,1941-January-09,PettsRCAF L20

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PILOT | OTHERS | AIRFRAME FAILURE | ENGINE FAILURE

CAUSES OF ACCIDENTS

JU. TECH. DISOB. NEG'NCE INEXP'NCE MISCEL. INSTRUCT. FLT. CONTR. OTHERS PRIMARY FL. CONTS. MOV. SURFS. STAB. SURFS. W. STRUTS LAND. GEAR FLOATS FUSE. OR HULL TAIL SKID OR W. ENGINE MOUNT. MISCEL. UND'TD PRIMARY FUEL SYS. COOL. SYS. IGNIT. SYS. LUB'N SYS. ENG. STR. AIRSCREW A. ENG. CONTS. MISCEL. UND'TD

PRIMARY HAND.G. INSTS. WEATHER DRKNS. AL'G SURF. OTHER UND'TD PRIMARY TAXYING LANDING TAKE-OFF FLIGHT STAT'RY

MISCELLANEOUS CAUSES

STAGE OF FLIGHT

TYPE OF A/C

TYPE OF ENGINE

CATEGORY A B C D

FATAL INJ. 3RD. INJURY

UNIT	COM.	PLACE	DATE	TIME
# 16 E.F.T.S. EDMONTON, ALTA.	4	EDMONTON, ALBERTA.	9-1-41. H.Q. FILE	1350

A/C TYPE	No.	CRASH CAT.	SE	ME	DAY	NIGHT
TIGER MOTH	4185	D.				

NAME	RANK	No.	DUTY	INJURIES	SERIOUS: FATAL	SERIOUS: INJURY
PETTS, J.R.	LAC	R 61373	P	UNINJURED		

CARD SERIAL No.

TYPE A/F & ENGINE	No.	EXTENT OF DAMAGE	REPORT FORM	SERIAL No.	DATE	HOURS FLOWN BY PILOTS: INST.	NIGHT	ON TYPE: DUAL	ON TYPE: SOLO	TOTAL: DUAL	TOTAL: SOLO	LAST 6 MOS.
TIGER MOTH		NIL	D.14		14-1-41							
GYPSY MAJOR 87005/7185		SLIGHT	D.14		14-1-41							

SIGNAL No & DATE	UNIT No. & DATE	COM. No. & DATE	REPORT	FILE	DATE

NATURE OF ACCIDENT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 RAF

DUTY ON WHICH ENGAGED:

SOLO PRACTICE OF SEQUENCE 7 , 15 , 17

NATURE OF ACCIDENT AND STAGE OF FLIGHT:

ENGINE FAILED JUST AFTER TAKE-OFF. PUPIL MADE SATISFACTORY LANDING WITHOUT DAMAGING AIRCRAFT MUCH.

PRIMARY CAUSE:

SEIZURE OF DISTRIBUTOR BEARING ON MAGNETO CAUSING FAILURE

SECONDARY CAUSE OR CONTRIBUTING FACTORS:

COURT OF INQUIRY, INVESTIGATING OFFICER OR COMMANDING OFFICER'S REPORT: OFM/ADP/ES/EM/D/0 ~

COMMANDING OFFICER'S REPORT

DATE: 14-1-41

COMPOSITION:

S/L J.L. BERVEN.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

ACTION TAKEN:

(A) DISCIPLINARY (B) TECHNICAL (C) OTHER

D.14 APPROVED BY A.M.T. 30-1-41

RECORDED BY DATE

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