

DUTY ON WHICH ENGAGED:	COURT OF INQUIRY, INVESTIGATING OFFICER
Dual cross country navigation flig	ht. Investigating Officer's Report
NATURE OF ACCIDENT AND STAGE OF FLIGHT:	DATE: 8-3-42 FS// 1
Aircraft was returning from Amherst N.S. when it had to make a forced landing into Minas Basin, totally damaging it and drowning both pilot	S.L. N.S. Anderson (C784)(P)(GL) No. 8 S.F.T.S.
PRIMARY CAUSE:	PROCEDURE BE ENDORGED. 2. THERE BE AN INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE THE POSSIBILITY OF PROVIDING THE CIVILIAN CONCERN WITH FACILITIES TO DECODE WHEATHER REPORTS WHEN THEY ARE IMMEDIATELY RECEIVED. (AT THE PRESENT TIME THIS MUST BE DONE BY AIRFORCE PERSONNEL WHO ARE NOT ALWAYS AVAILABLE. 3. THAT No. 17 E.F.T.S. BE ADVISED TO CHANGE THEIR CROSS COUNTRIES SO
23. not Thown	THAT FLIGHT OVER EXPANSES OF WATER ARE NOT CARRIED OUT: OR IF THEY AREA ACTION TAKEN: (A) DISCIPLINARY (B) TECHNICAL (C) OTHER NIL CONCLUSIONS OF A. I. B.
SECONDARY CAUSE OR CONTRIBUTING FACTORS:	THE AIRCRAFT WAS FORCED DOWN ON WATER THROUGH REASONS WHICH MUST REMAIN OBSCURE AND THE TWO OCCUPANTS WERE DROWNED. THE INVESTIGATION DISCLOSES SLACKNESS IN FLYING DISCIPLINE AT THE SCHOOL CONCERNED AND THE AIR OFFICER COMMANDING HAS TAKEN IT UP WITH THE MANAGEMENT OF THIS SCHOOL. A FURTHER REPORT FROM THE AIR OFFICER COMMANDING, IS BEING REQUESTED CONCERNING THE POINTS TAKEN UP WITH THE SCHOOL.
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