

Ragnar Gustafson

9/15/51

Hit by flak. Smelled smoke. Then  
disrupted. On way back, left wing burnt  
into flame.

Not his crew.

Washed in a reef fold. Had trouble collaring  
chute. Hung in ditch abt 12' deep.  
Spd chute in hole in bank

Found by family. That night brought in  
ford.

Several days later moved to Chalet de la  
neft where German came.

Smith

Chute opened in plane.  
Got spare chute  
Disrupted leg w/ chute

Picked up by French. Put on courier  
plane.

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