



Saskatchewan Virtual War Memorial

In memory of
Pilot Officer
Walter John Gramson
who died on 29 Jun 1944

Service details

<i>Conflict</i>	WWII
<i>Service</i>	RCAF
<i>Unit</i>	No. 76 Squadron, Royal Air Force
<i>Rank</i>	Pilot Officer
<i>Service number</i>	J87203
<i>Date of death</i>	19440629
<i>Cause of death</i>	killed in action



Narrative history

J87203 Pilot Officer (No. 76 Squadron RAF pilot) Walter John Gramson (b.1919) of Delisle was KIA 19440629 and buried at Dieppe Canadian war cemetery, Hautot-sur-Mer, Seine-Maritime, France. Gramson's Halifax was shot down during a raid on Blainville-sur-Leau. He was the son of Lawrence Edward Gramson, who came from London, England, to the Peveril district in 1905, and Mary Madeline (Kirch) originally of Fredericton, New Brunswick. They farmed from 1918 at NE32-34-8-W3 across the road from Walter's namesake grandfather's homestead. Walter was farming when he enlisted at Regina early in 1942, leaving a wife Veronica Marie (Schock) and a daughter Eileen Mary at Macklin.

Memorial information

<i>Saskatchewan rural municipality for commemoration</i>	345 - Vanscoy
<i>Grave or memorial location</i>	Dieppe Canadian war cemetery, Hautot-sur-Mer, Seine-Maritime, France (Link to Commonwealth War Graves Commission web page: http://www.cwgc.org/find-a-cemetery/cemetery/2031200/DIEPPE%20CANADIAN%20WAR%20CEMETERY,%20HAUTOT-SUR-MER)
<i>Honour roll location(s)</i>	Delisle
<i>Geo-memorial</i>	Gramson Lake
<i>Geo-memorial location</i>	59.997222222222,-102.715833333333
<i>Geo-memorial NTS map reference</i>	64M15

Personal information

<i>Date of birth</i>	19191027
<i>Place of birth</i>	Delisle
<i>Enlisted on</i>	19420316
<i>Place of enlistment</i>	Regina
<i>Residence on enlistment</i>	Delisle
<i>Occupation</i>	farmer



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PDF documents on the Saskatchewan Virtual War Memorial web site

[Attestation](#)

[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 3.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-3.pdf)

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[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 4.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-4.pdf)

[Bio by Blair Neatby](#)

[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 10.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-10.pdf)

[Burial record](#)

[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 9.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-9.pdf)

[Family history form](#)

[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 7.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-7.pdf)

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[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 8.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-8.pdf)

[Occupational history form](#)

[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 6.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-6.pdf)

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[https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson WJ J87203 - 5.pdf](https://svwm.ca/images/wc_ww2/e_j/Gramson%20WJ%20J87203%20-5.pdf)

Links to external web pages

[Memorial - Delisle](#)

<http://www.cmp-cpm.forces.gc.ca/dhh-dhp/nic-inm/sm-rm/mdsr-rdr-eng.asp?PID=1130>



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