

SC-121 Wright Flyer Photos, 1910

(3 items)

Item List

1. Black and white photograph of the Wright Flyer during take off
2. Black and white photograph of the Wright Flyer in the air
3. Black and white photograph of the Wright Flyer landing.

According to the donor of the photographs the flight was taken on May 20-25, 1910 at Sims Field now Wright Field in Dayton, Ohio. The flights were flown to achieve the altitude record and got up to 1800 feet a new record. The airplane was a 1909 Wright Flyer transition model or the number 2 design. The photos were taken by Mr. Martin of Springfield, Ohio who rode the inter-urban car from Springfield to Dayton, and met Wilber Wright on the train and Wilber invited him to come and witness the flight. The pictures were taken with a Kodak Brownie Hawk Eye camera.