

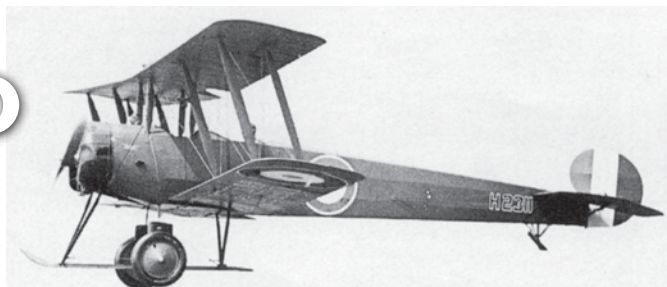
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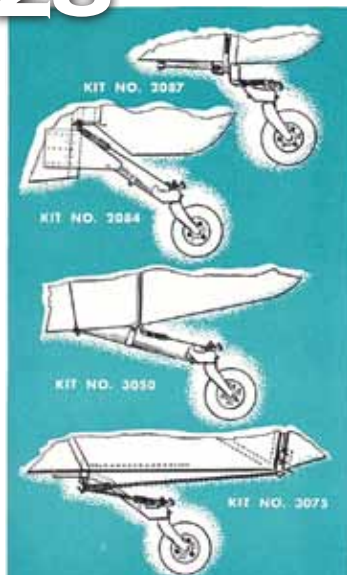


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BACK COVER: With a nod to longtime EAA editorial contributor Bob Whittier, who reminded us of this cover, we bring you the seasonally appropriate cover artwork by Stewart Rouse of the December 1933 issue of *Model Airplane News*, featuring a Christmastime message stamped in the snow to greet the pilot of the "New Heath Parasol."

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