

AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD
409TH TECHNICAL SCHOOL SQUADRON

Army Air Forces Training Command

HISTORY OF AMARILLO AIR FIELD

One year after the start of its construction, Amarillo Army Air Field typifies the determination and energy of the Army Air Forces Training Command, with a completed building program and a steady production of graduate mechanics and technicians, guardians of the Flying Fortresses, realized even during the latter days of 1942.

Amarillo Army Air Field is located ten miles east of the City of Amarillo, deep in the heart of the Panhandle of Texas.

Since the field was built on a typical barren plain, great care has been taken to enhance its living conditions. More than 25,000 trees, shrubs and bulbs have been planted and carefully nurtured, and in addition a systematic program of soil-erosion prevention has been established and elimination of dust during the windy season has been accomplished by sowing the entire area with native grasses.

On April 1, 1942, Colonel Edward C. Black was relieved of his command at Sheppard Field, Texas, and ordered to activate an AC Technical School at Amarillo, Texas.

Colonel Black issued General Order No. 1 on April 20 and set up his headquarters in the Amarillo Building; the permanent party was housed in the Amarillo Hotel. Field construction was started at the same time. On May 26, the War Department designated the new installation as Amarillo Field.

The first large contingent of permanent party men arrived on the field on September 2 and the first group of potential students arrived the following day. Headquarters offices were moved to the field on September 6 and the first class of students entered upon their course of studies on September 7, under direction of Lieutenant Colonel Paul T. Hanley.

On October 22, Brigadier General Julian B. Haddon assumed command. Lieutenant Colonel Benjamin E. Cheney, the Executive Officer, soon followed the Colonel, who had been transferred to Grand Rapids, Mich. Colonel Cheney was

succeeded as Executive Officer by Colonel Edgar T. Selzer, who had just returned from foreign service. Major N. C. Voshel, the Adjutant, was one of the first officers to arrive after headquarters were established.

The field was so near completion by Armistice Day, November 11, that General Haddon opened it on that day to the public, and a crowd of Panhandle citizens, estimated to number 40,000, visited the technical school to view some of the results of their outlay for war expenditures.

The official name of the field was changed on December 2 to Amarillo Army Air Field.

On December 23, the first class of graduating students were complimented upon the successful completion of their studies at the technical school by Major General Jacob E. Fickel, commanding the Third District, AAF Technical Training Command, Tulsa, Okla.

On March 6, General Haddon was ordered to Washington, D. C., for temporary duty. He was succeeded on March 18 by Colonel Edward W. Raley, with Colonel Selzer serving as Commanding Officer in the interim.

On April 19, Brigadier General H. S. Burwell brought the benefits of many years of distinguished leadership to Amarillo Army Air Field. He continued to stress the primary function of this technical school: The training of expert mechanics and technicians to service Flying Fortresses and keep them flying around the globe to assure an Allied victory.

Late in May a new activity was added to the Field with the assumption of basic training. This branch of training has grown to be one of the major activities of the Field and has as its mission the education of Army Air Forces personnel in the fundamentals of soldiering.

On July 19, Colonel John K. Gowen, Jr., assumed command, becoming the Field's sixth Commanding Officer. He succeeded Brigadier General Burwell.

HISTORICAL AND PICTORIAL REVIEW AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD



A M A R I L L O , T E X A S



Minor Assembly and Disassembly.



Mockup, Turnbuckle Safetying.

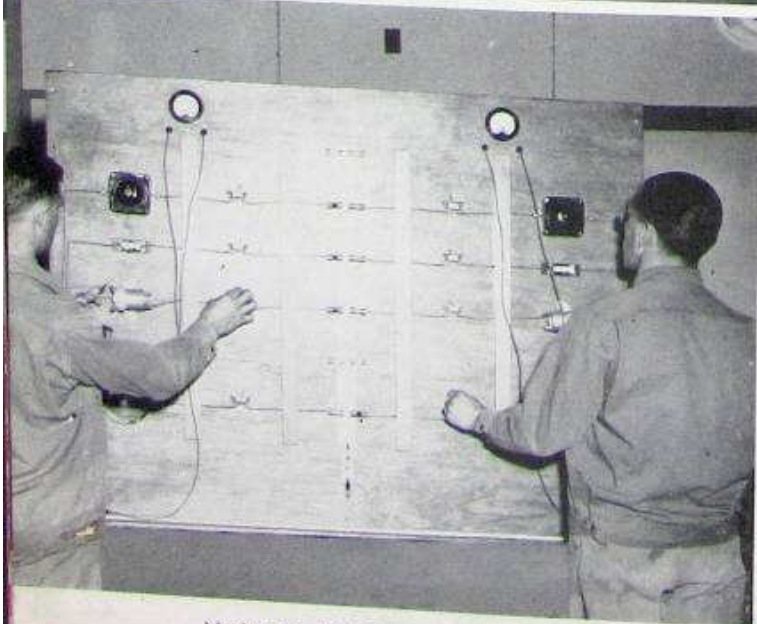
Issue Booth.



Maintenance

The whole school system might logically come under the head of "maintenance," so vast is the field of knowledge and work necessary to "keep them flying." There are certain phases of maintenance, however, that are kept in this particular department, phases that constitute the student's second step in the ladder of advancement which culminates in the expert.

Swaging Terminus on Control Table.



Mockup, Electrical Test.



Torque Wrench Application.



Rivet Checking.



Tube Flare Checking.

Mechanics' Tools

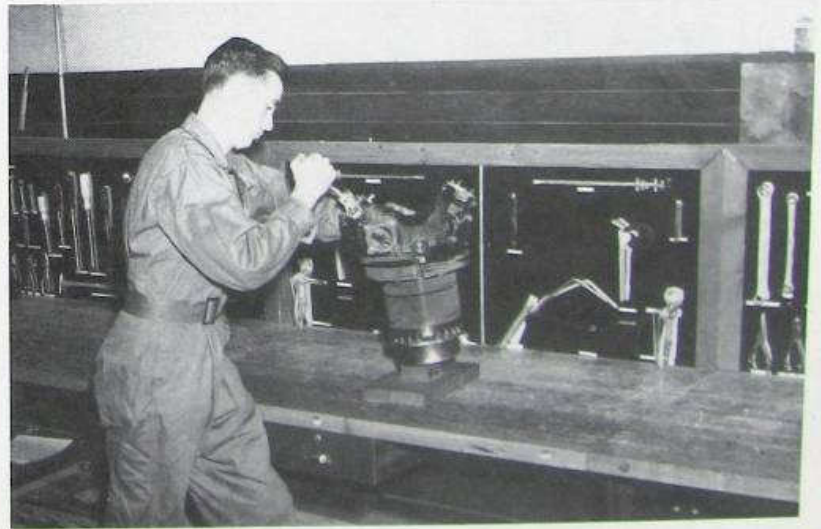
Probably no course of study could be more thorough than that given students at the schools of the Amarillo Army Air Field. The new student spends no few hours in the beginning getting acquainted with the tools and machines he will use. The majority of the students have had no mechanical training whatever, and the techniques he develops in the use of tools and machines will greatly influence his ultimate ability as an airplane mechanic and maintenance man.

In the great building labeled "Mechanics' Tools" are numerous rooms which accommodate from 12 to 25 students in each class, and the classes are in session around the clock! There is not one hour in any twenty-four during which students are not in classes, at drill, at rest, or sleeping. They have one day a week to themselves.

During this familiarizing period students are shown motion pictures of various processes, take part in chalk-talks, and are under supervision of instructors, both civilian and military. It is in these classes that they "get the feel" of hacksaws, files, vices, drills, threading machines, aircraft plumbing tools, riveting tools, soldering, wrenches, and many special tools for various makes and designs of aircraft engines.



Drill Pitch Checking.



Special Tool Employment.

Soldering.

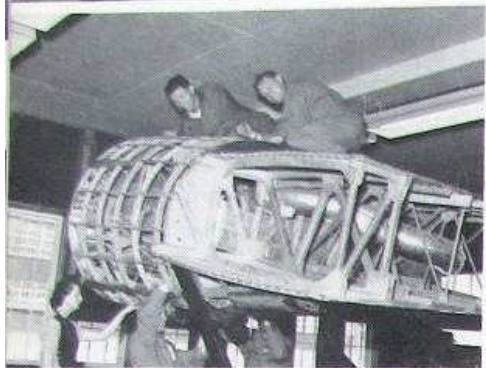
Micrometer Usage.

Minor Assembly and Disassembly.





Model B-17 Mooring.



Cutaway Wing
Showing Induction
System.



Mockup, Warning and Limit
Switches System.



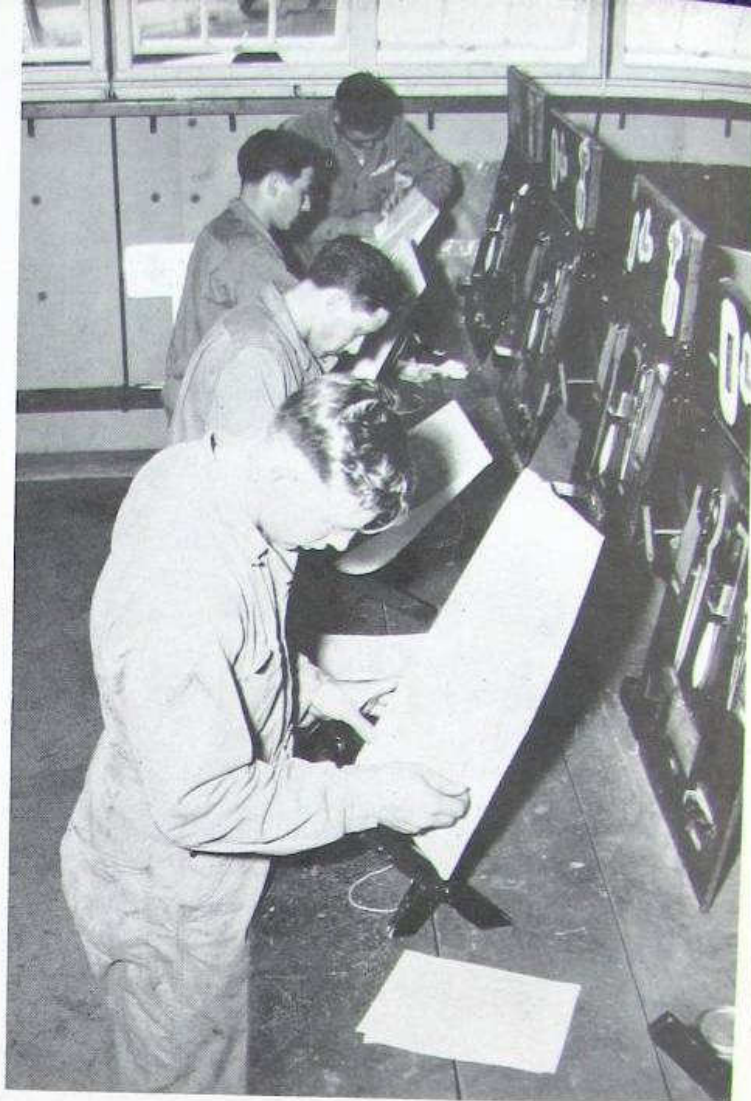
Mockup, Shock
Strut.



Safety Belt Test
Stand.



Seat Installation.



Frame, Fabric Covering and Sewing.

AIRPLANE STRUCTURES

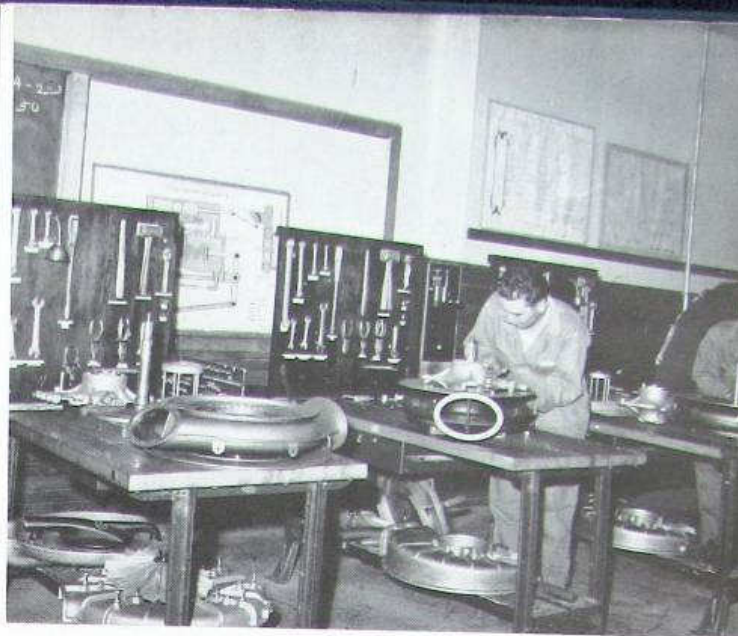
This is the third branch in the school system, and deals with the structural units of an airplane. Students have, up to this point, dealt with the various parts of aircraft. In "Structures" they begin to work on airplanes as a whole, starting from the bottom on wheel assemblies and nomenclature of all parts, and working through to sheet metal and flight controls. Here is their first contact with empinnage, the tail assembly, and other large assemblies which up to now have been studied in mock-ups. "Structures" is something of a milestone in the lives of students for it is here that they begin to "room" all over a Flying Fortress and really discover what makes it tick. It is said that this branch of training is so thorough that more than one experienced pilot who has come in for a looksee has lingered to discover parts he had never seen before.

One complete cutaway of an entire B-17 is the source of never-ending interest for even the most advanced students. Another Fortress which is more often than not the center of interest is one that is made from at least five other airplanes of the same make and design that have been scrapped or wrecked!

There is usually a faraway look in the eyes of students when they examine a Flying Fortress from stem to stern for the first time!



Technical Orders.



Supercharger Maintenance.

Fundamentals

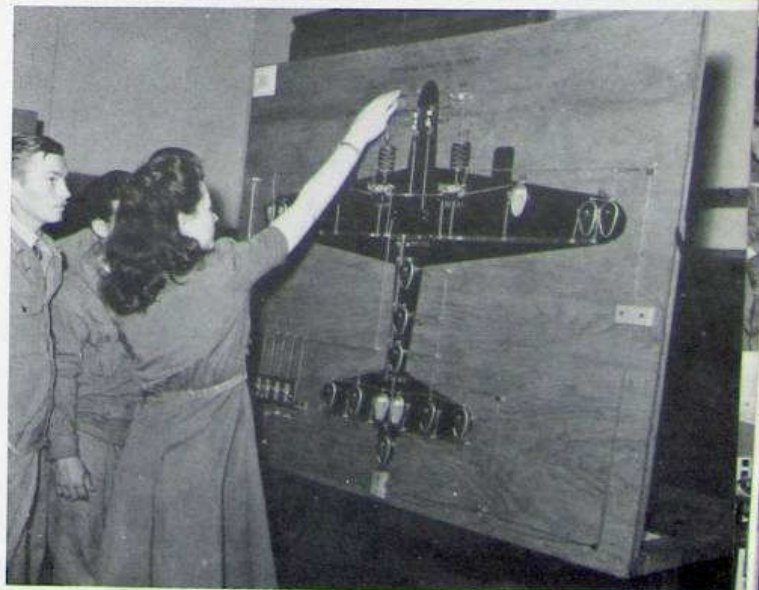
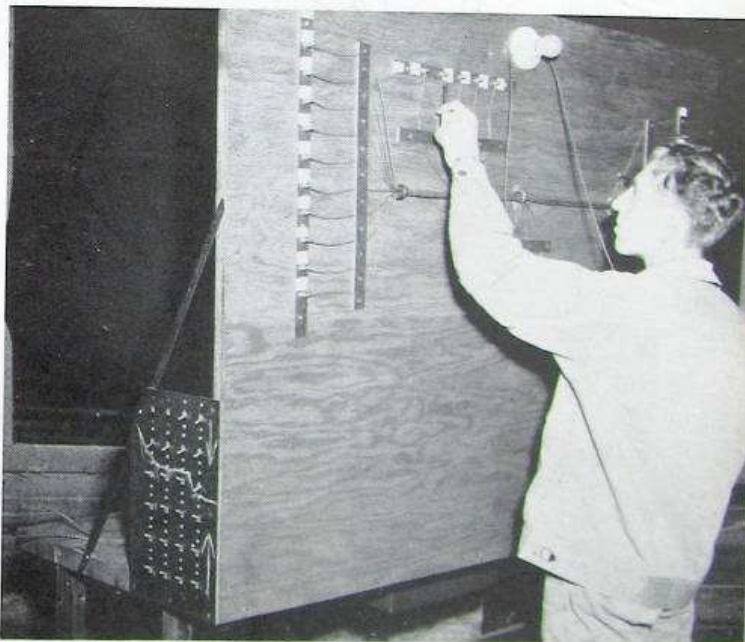
It is here that the student begins to really get his teeth into the enormous task of maintaining an airplane. He is finished with taking some part of an engine apart in the daylight and putting it back together again in total darkness to gain confidence in handling his tools. It now becomes his job to learn cable maintenance, electrical contacts, splicing, fundamentals of electricity, induction and electro magnets, parallel circuits and magnetism, trouble shooting such as finding direct and cross short circuits, tracing circuits, turnbuckles and lock-washers.

Safety in all its many ramifications is stressed in "Fundamentals." Instructors begin here the most important task of impressing upon the students the responsibility that is theirs. Pilots, gunners, bombardiers, navigators—whole crews will have to rely on the safety-mindedness of today's student and tomorrow's expert mechanic.

While in "Fundamentals" the student is also introduced to "Technical Orders." Reams and reams of information and instruction are on file in the library of this department, and the student must familiarize himself with their contents. Supply forms, correct procedures and many others are kept religiously and up to date. Every airplane has a maintenance sheet that tells its whole life history at a glance. Not even a rivet may be removed without the fact being noted. An accurate record of every airplane that leaves the factory for duty with the armed forces is kept from this time to the day its junked parts are disposed of. Even pilots relieving one another while in the clouds must note these reliefs—so that every hour of life in any airplane is recorded as to not only how many hours it flies, but who is piloting it! Besides, every last nut and bolt has its own history. There is probably no machine on earth, the intimate details of which are more fully known, than a military airplane!

The now world-famous B-17, the "Flying Fortress," is the special concern of Amarillo Army Air Field Training Schools. Many others are studied and handled with the same precision, patience and thoroughness, but the Fortress is THE airplane as far as students are concerned!

Mockup, Continuity Testing.



Mockup, Arrangement of Lighting, Ground, Relay, etc., to Show How to Trace Circuits.





C-1 TEST STAND



PANEL MAINTENANCE



Mockup, Compass Compensating



Mockup, Autosyn Wiring

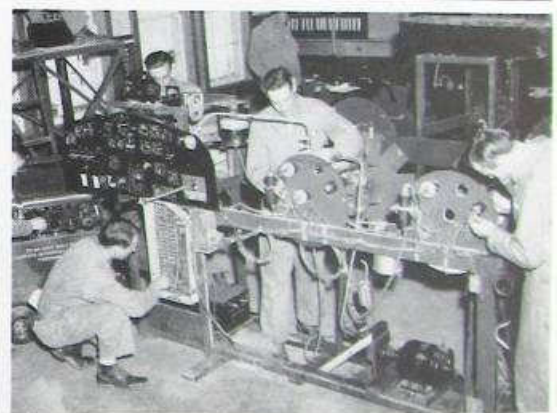
Mockup, Pilot Static System.



Mockup, Thermometer Test.



Mockup, Instrument System.



Instruments

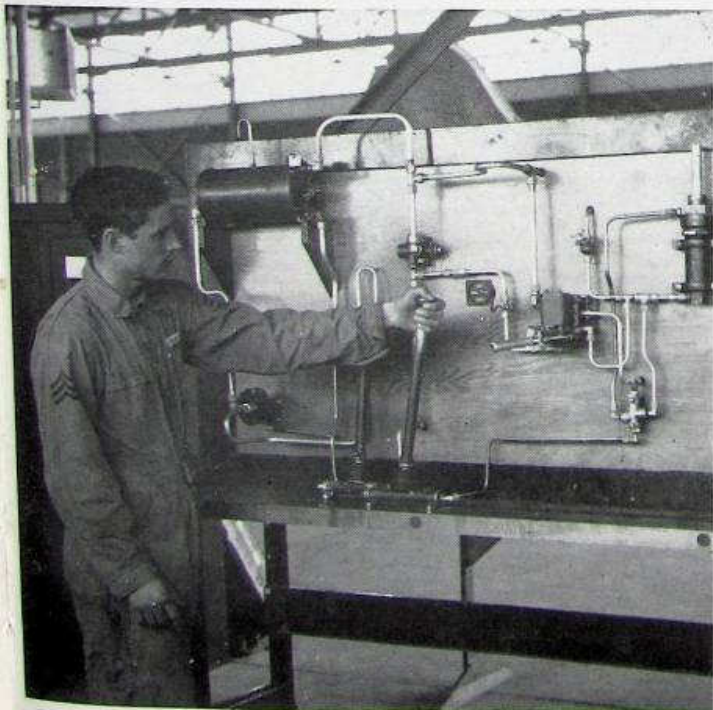


Aircraft instruments constitute one of the most popular parts of student training. They are many and varied, and always a challenge to students with a mind for real precision work. Autosyn instruments and mechanisms, gauges for oil, manifold, de-icing, landing gear, thermometers, tachimeters, fuel level gauges, aircraft gyro instruments and systems, altimeter, rate of climb, air speed—all these and many more, some secret in nature, occupy the study and work periods of students in "Instruments."

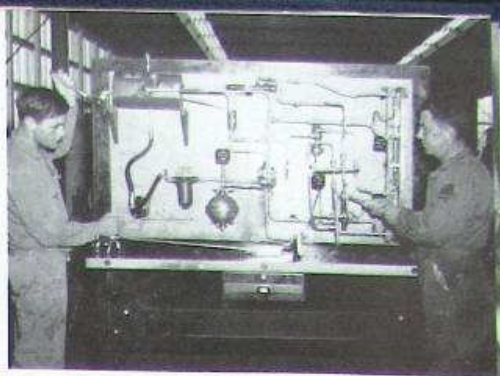
Hydraulic Systems

Virtually all transmission of power in a Flying Fortress is accomplished by means of hydraulic systems. Students who have been home auto mechanics find here vaguely familiar parts, except that they are on a grand scale. He is fascinated by the sure-moving, and many arms, of the air vents around a giant radial engine; he is pleased to discover that the brakes, although many, many times larger than his automobile brakes, work on the same principle; he ponders over the great parts and mechanisms that respond to the pressure of a comparatively small hydraulic cylinder; he gazes in admiration at a giant mockup of a whole B-17 hydraulic system which has been built so that he may see and understand the whole principle of transmission of power by means of hydraulics! Why, this subject is so wide and varied that a fellow might specialize in it!

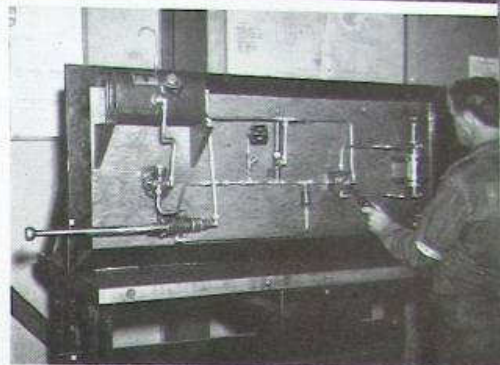
Shuttle Valve System.



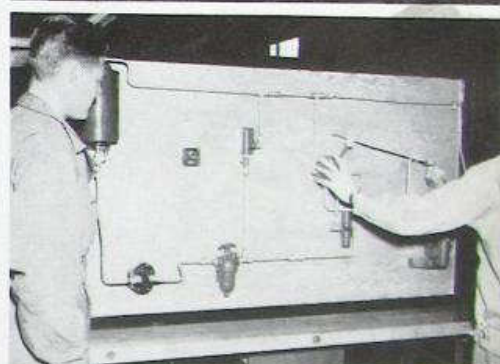
Mockup, Flap Overload Valve System.



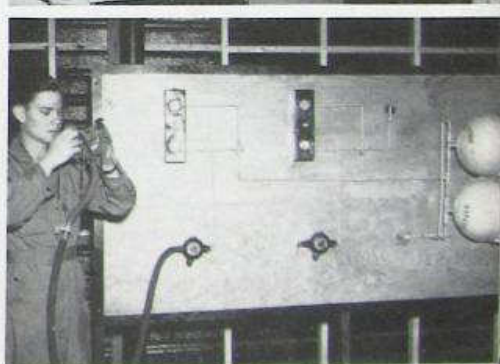
Mockup, Simple Hydraulic System.



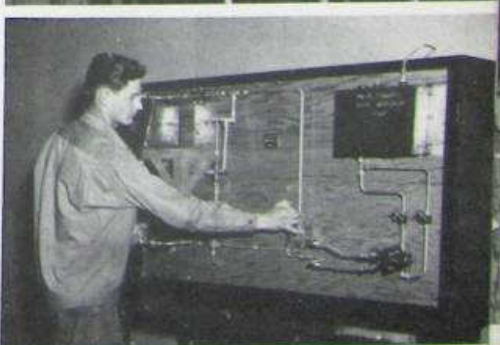
Mockup, Pressure Reducing Valve System.



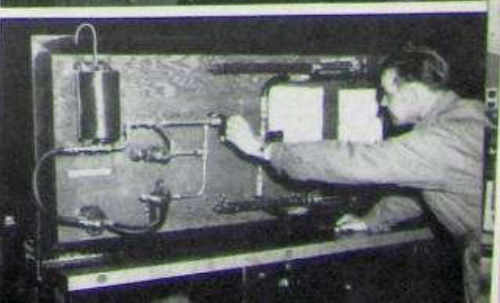
Mockup, Oxygen System.



Mockup, Generator and Motor System.



Mockup, Gun Charging System.

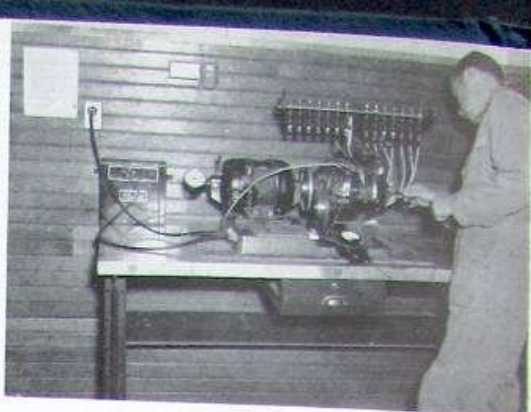




Mockup, Voltage Regulation.

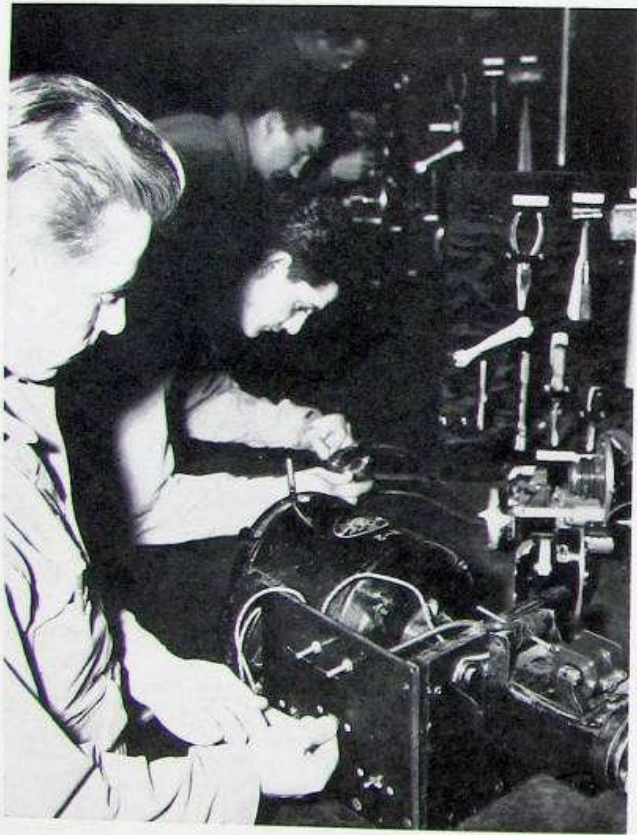


Ignition Harness Tester.



Magneto Test Stand.

★ *Electrical Systems* ★



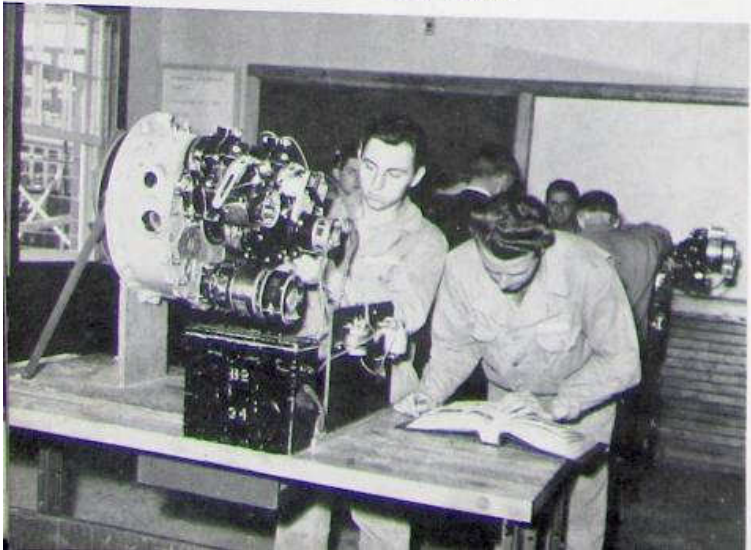
Coil Test Stand.

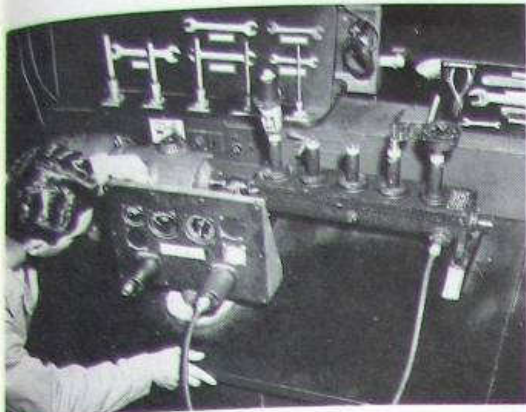


Paralleling of B-17 Engine Generator System.

Starter, Engine Accessory Section.

Mockup, Engine Accessory Section.





Tachometer
Test Stand.



Deadweight
Tester.



Mockup, Cylinder
Head Temperature
Gauge.

Rate of Turn Test Stand.



Engine Nose Section.

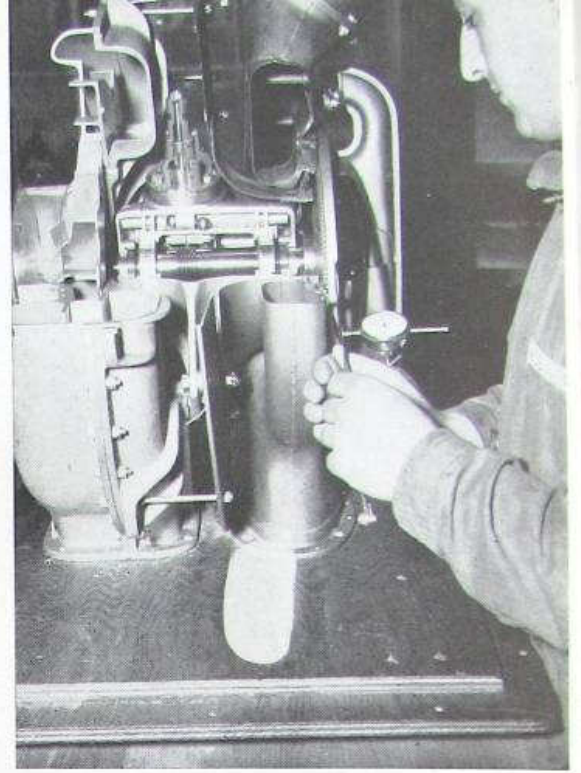
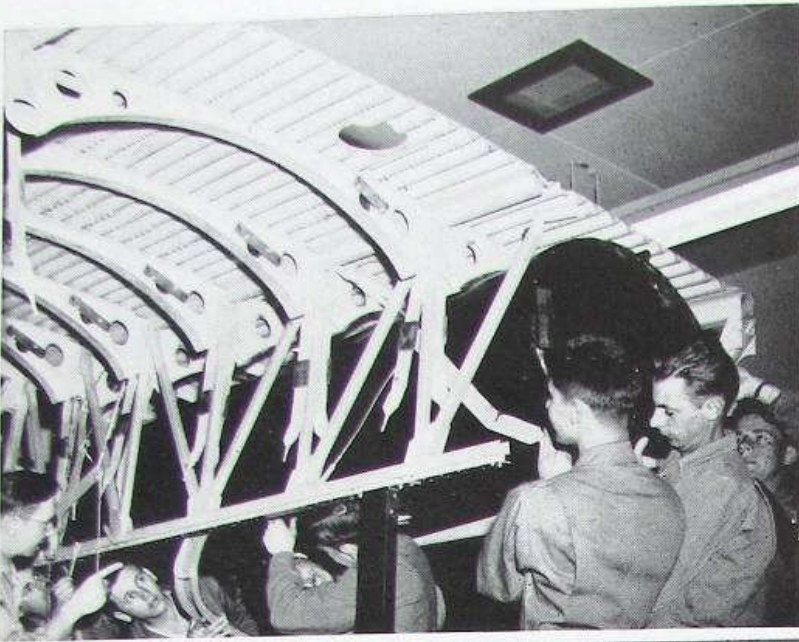
AIRCRAFT ENGINES

Breathes there a man with soul so dead—that he would not like to tinker with an engine—any engine? It is probably safe to state that a student who completes "Aircraft Engines" successfully will be a match for any kind of internal combustion engine thereafter. For in this department, through the medium of the ever-present instructor, motion pictures, slides, books and technical orders, the student learns the principles of aircraft engine construction—disassembly, assembly, pistons, cylinders, nose section accessories, lubrication, induction and exhaust systems, timing, clearance, firing and ignition, and hundreds of other parts of the power plants that keep them up there. As in the other departments, inspection and maintenance procedures are studied intensively and at the close of this course of study he is ready for the intricacies of any type aircraft.

Engine Accessories Section.



Mockup, Wing Tank.



Cutaway, Turbo Supercharger.

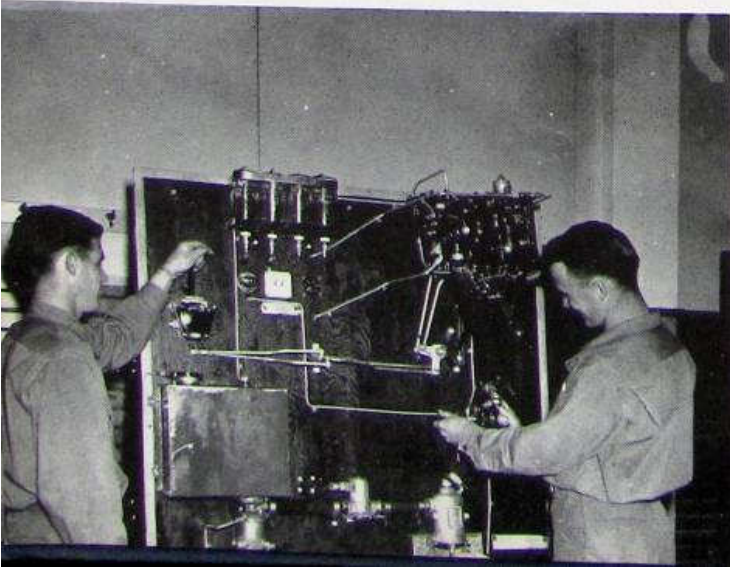


Checking Fuel System Parts.

Fuel Systems

The carburetor is said to be the heart of any gas engine, and it is with this thought that students assemble, disassemble, over and over, to the end that they know they will not be outwitted in the battle area by a carburetor that refuses to carburate until an expert gets to work on it. There are many kinds and types of carburation, and upon graduation the technical student knows all the answers.

Mockup, Fuel System.



Impeller Puller Tool.





Mockup, Lighting Circuit Wiring.



Spark Plug Maintenance.



Spark Plug Testing.

Probably every student has fixed some kind of electrical gadget during his civilian life, and in "Electrical Systems," he is in his glory. There is no end to "things to fix," but the great difference here is precision, no margin for error, and safety.

The student first learns electrical system symbols, and then proceeds to aircraft storage batteries and lighting systems. Giant models, and cut-aways of the real thing, give him every opportunity to delve indefinitely into the mysteries of electricity. This department probably calls for more blueprint reading than any other, a condition which like many others, teaches a student not only the work at hand, but innumerable other crafts and sciences.

During his class periods in "Electrical Systems" the student studies, besides those mentioned, fluorescent lighting, condenser testing, starter systems, operating details, portable power plant maintenance, magnetos, construction, timing, ignition, spark plug, boosters, harness testing, switches, generators, methods of regulation, wiring—and trouble-shooting in all branches.

Generator and Starter Wiring Circuit.



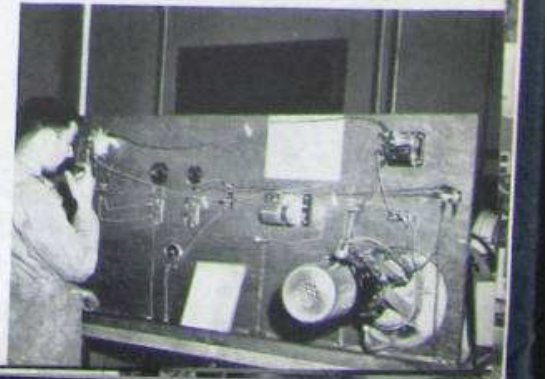
Mockup, Starter Wiring.



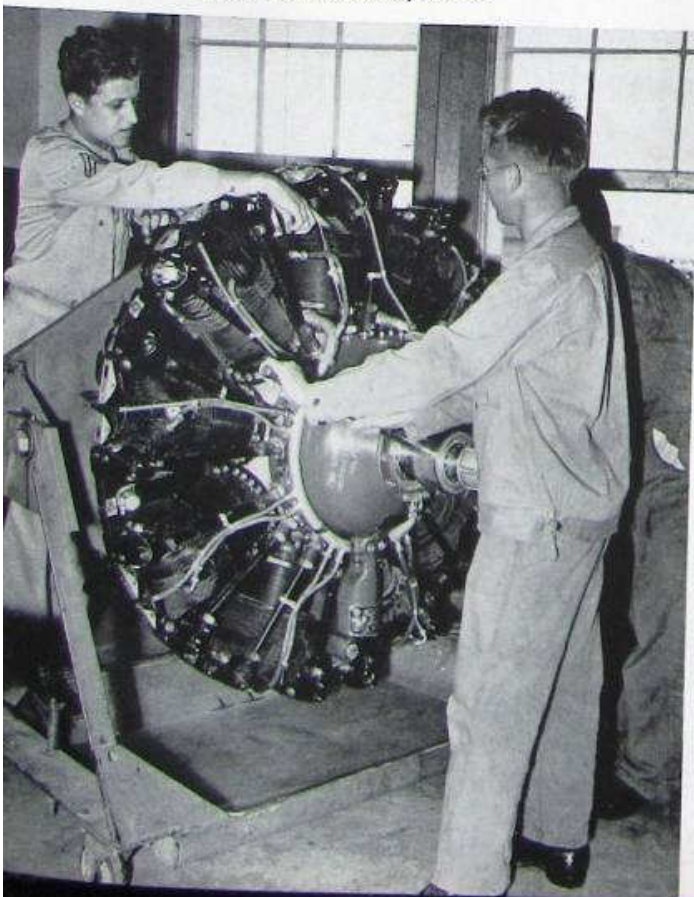
Generator Test Stand.

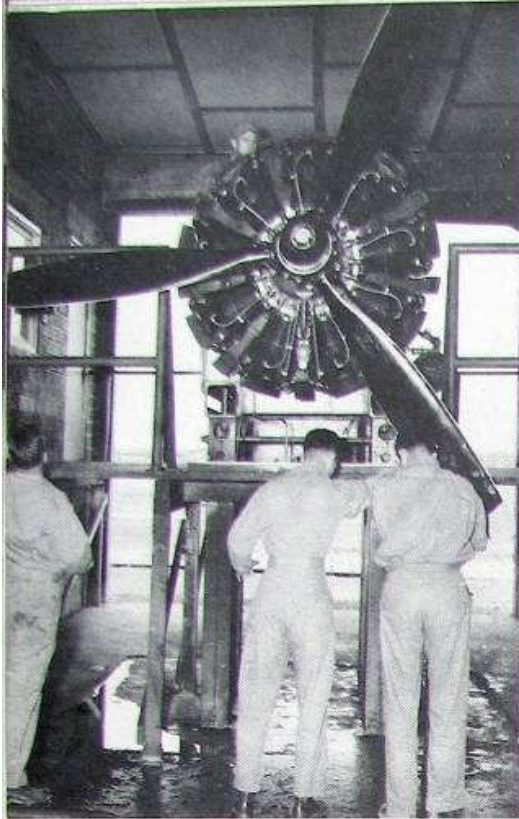


Mockup, Generator Wiring.

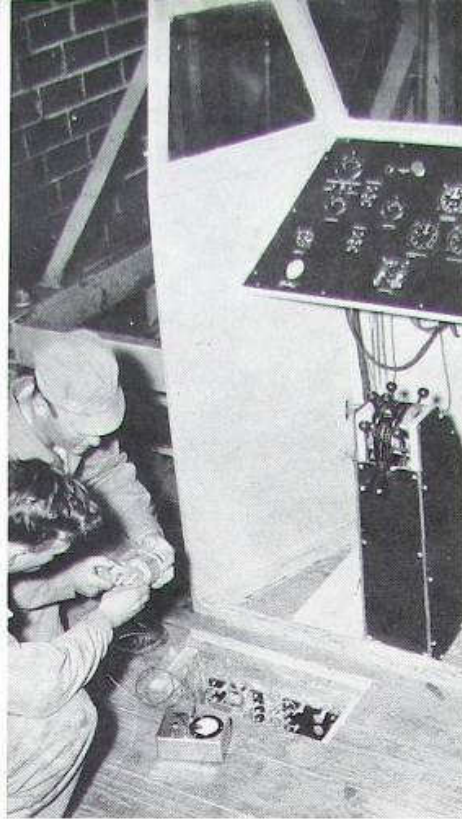


Starter, Engine Accessory Section.





Preflight Inspection.



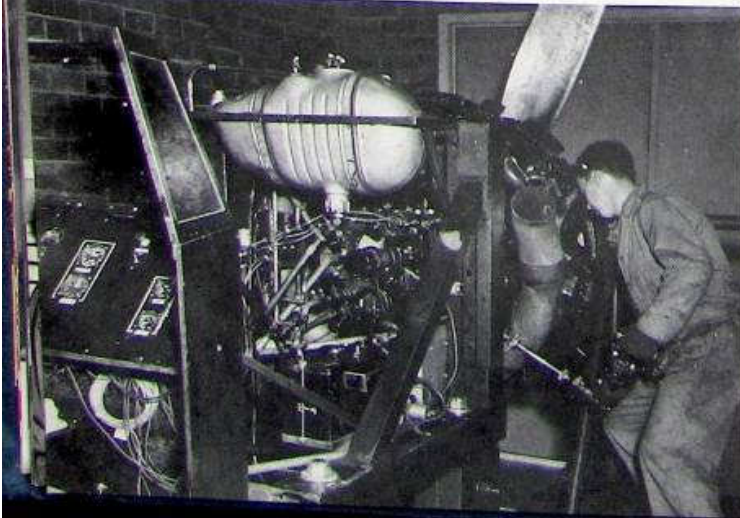
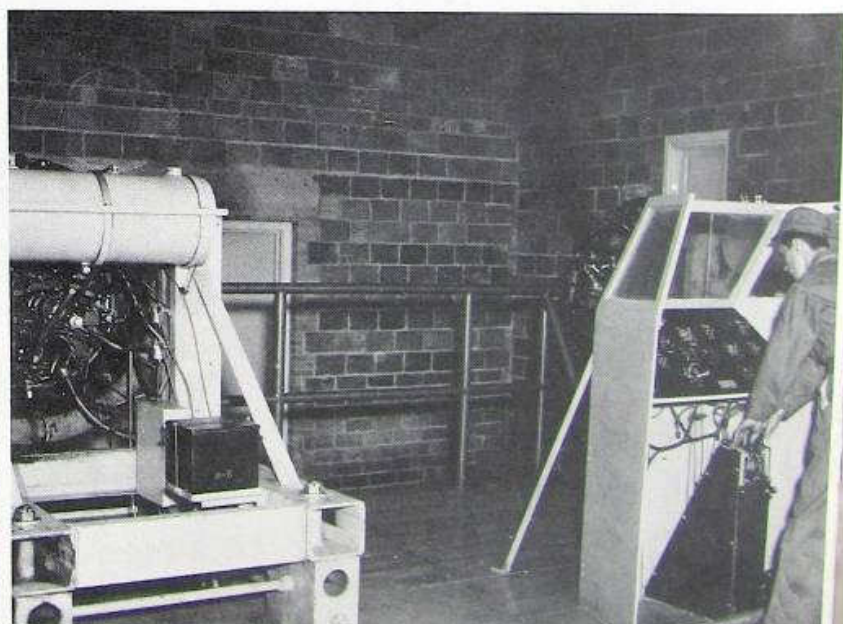
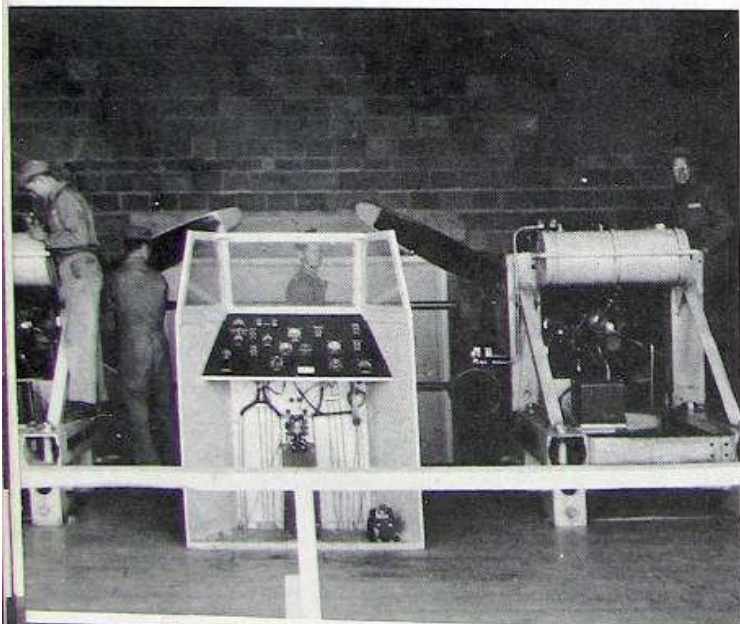
Engine Test Enclosure.



Starter-Energizer Parts Rack.

Below: Twin Engine Testing and Operation.

Below: Engine Starting and Testing.





Bearing Puller.

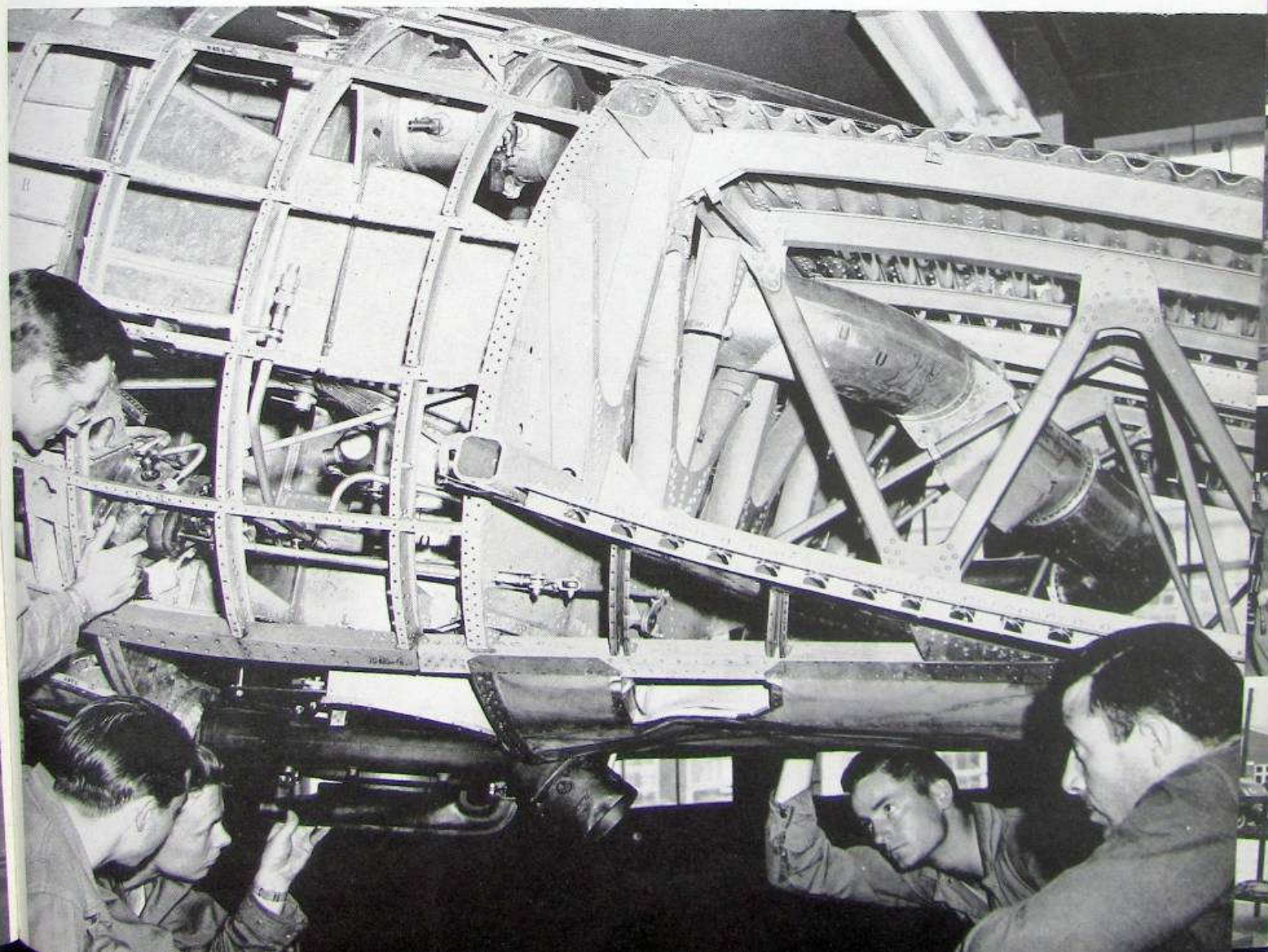


Carburetor Testing Trough.

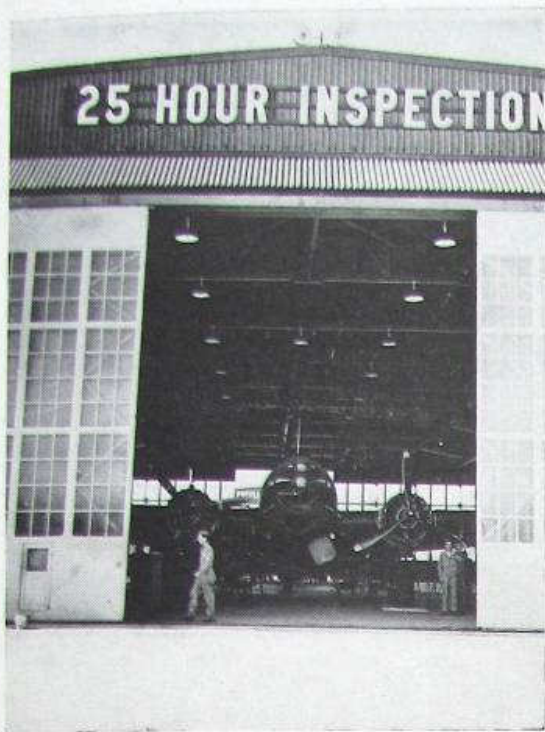


Supercharger Clearance Checking Stand.

Mockup, Induction System.







INSPECTION NO. 2

25 and 50-Hour

The 25-hour inspection is "visible," but the "50" is as thorough as any could be. Students are now reaching that point where they begin to go about their inspection and repair like oldtimers. Just routine, Bud!

1. Tire Maintenance.
2. Control Surface Throw Checking.
3. Landing Gear Retraction Check.
4. Cowling Installation.
5. 50-Hour Inspection on B-T.
6. Propeller Blade Angle Checking.
7. Linkage Adjustment.
8. Power Test.
9. Fuel Tank Safetying.

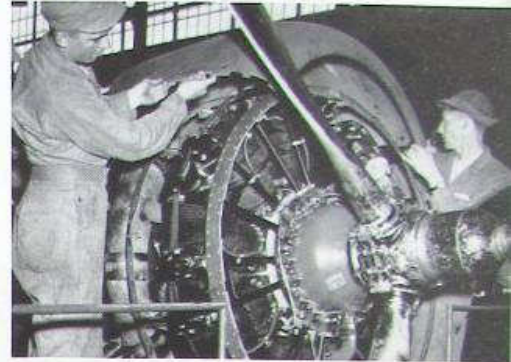


INSPECTION NO. 3

ENGINE CHANGE

To this point students have been repairing and replacing worn, broken and worn-out parts, but in Inspection No. 3 the whole engine must be removed and a completely overhauled one put in its place! The experts-to-be now have to learn about blocks, falls and all kinds of rigging tackle, for a B-17 engine is no small bit of machinery to handle!

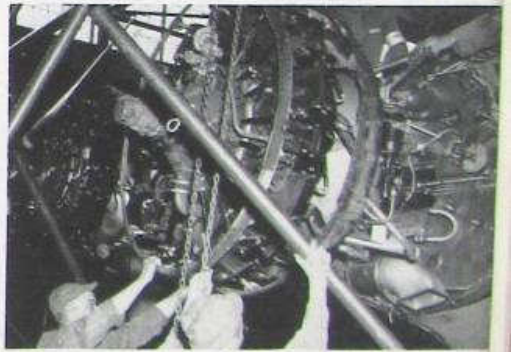
Cowling Installation.



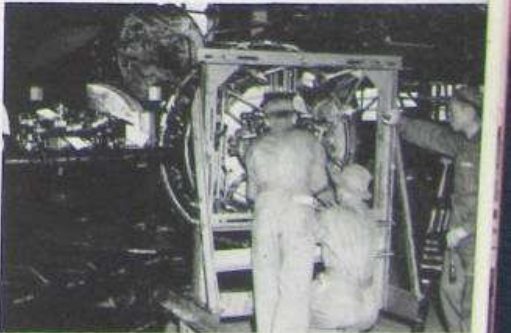
Preparation for Shipment.



Engine Installation.



Engine Accessory Installation.

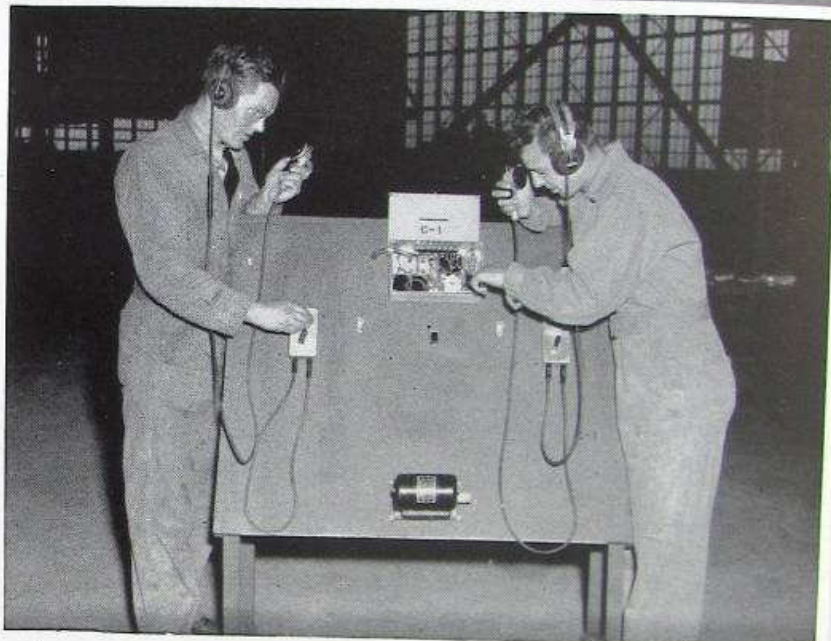


Preparation for Storage.



Engine Operation

Amarillo Army Air Field has the only twin-engine setup for student instruction in the whole Training Command. "Trouble" is the most important word in this department, meaning that here students check airplane engines mounted on test blocks by running them wide open—with test clubs (short, wide propeller blades) to put a more than ordinary load on them, and also to keep them cool. Here again, students study various inspection forms, but it is under the heading, "General Operating Trouble," that they work and study. They are here to learn actual operation of airplane engines. Most students note that "Engine Operation" is also the noisiest school in the system!



Above: Parachute Adjustment. Lower: Mockup, Interphone System.

INSPECTION NO. 1—PRE-FLIGHT AND DAILY

Mockup, Scale Load Computer.



"Pre-Flight and Daily," as the title implies, is the final test of all parts of an airplane before it might safely be taken off the ground, and the daily inspection thereafter. The study here is not unlike a combination of other branches, except that, if possible, it is more rigid. It is at this point of repair and maintenance that there must be no guesswork, for it is the final test before actual flight; it must be right!



Propellers

GRADUATION

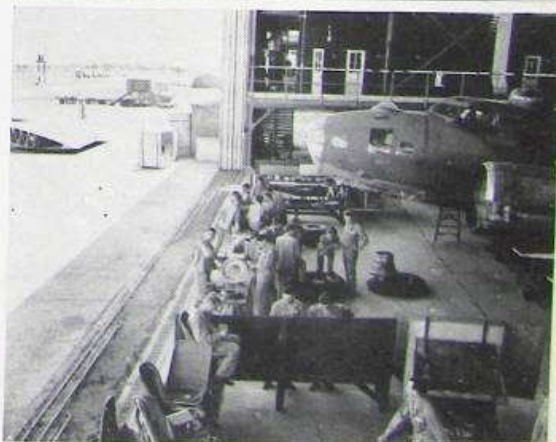
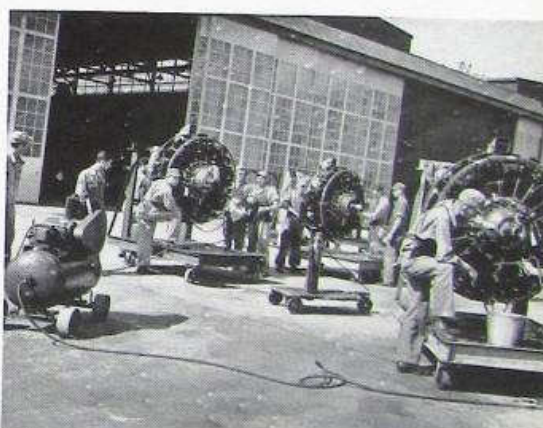
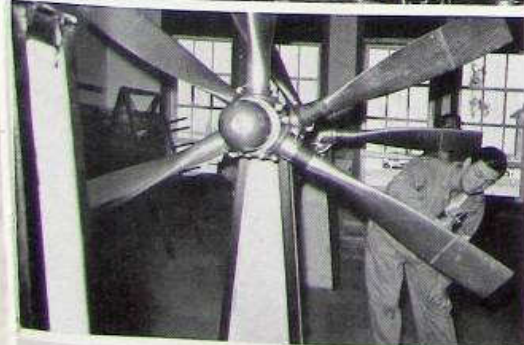
Many have been the inventions for flying an airplane without the standard propellers as we know them, but none have approached the power and drive of the modern "blade." The Flying Fortress, with twelve of them cutting into the air, be it normal or rarified, is probably the queen of them all.

Students learn the hydromatic and Curtis electric systems, removal and installation, construction and operation, and why the propeller is shaped the way it is.

Field Test

Finis! Shops are left behind, and students who have successfully reached Field Test are on the last lap before graduation! Sandwiched in between the many classes of the past weeks has been an almost daily routine of military drill, calisthenics (Amarillo Army Air Field has been judged to have the best physical fitness program in the entire district), medical examinations, shots in the arm, dental examination, and the many other routines in the life of any soldier. Now, even barracks are left behind, and the students move into the Field Test Area—an area of regulation tents, pup tents, dugouts, and camouflaged hangars! Here is the atmosphere of the battle area! Our student now lives, works and plays as he would under actual battle conditions. He walks his post during his trick at guard duty with the thought that an enemy may be lurking just over the hill; he repairs and overhauls B-17's, clad always in helmet and gas mask! An enemy observer MIGHT discover his skillfully camouflaged field hangar!

All his studying of the past is now put to test in the field, and the chances are that, having made the grade to this point, he will graduate. Graduation is also in the field—in front of a dugout! The grind is over. It has not been easy at any time, and tough many times. There has been little liberty; few trips to town; the individual student has been one of thousands; he's virtually lived in fatigue clothes; he has worked at one time or other on all three shifts, which go around the clock! Yes, it was a grind. But now—on Graduation Day—will any student say the result is not worth it? Probably not, for the student, now an expert airplane mechanic, has been privileged to learn, at first hand, the mightiest weapon of war—the airplane! And, when peace finally comes to the United States, and millions of soldiers return to civilian life, the one who has been a successful student of the School will hold an enviable position in a world that will undoubtedly have many opportunities for a man with his particular talents and technics!



AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD

AMARILLO, TEXAS



26 July 1943

To All Officers and Enlisted Men, Amarillo Army Air Field:

Here at Amarillo Army Air Field, we are helping to train two types of soldiers for the Army Air Forces.

Although this Field was established as a training school for mechanics to crew our big bombers, particularly Flying Fortresses, some two months ago we also began giving basic training. Our mission remains the same: To turn out fighting men to man fighting airplanes.

From this Field in the heart of the Texas Panhandle, officers and men go forth to battle for liberty against those who would destroy liberty.

Let us continue to take pride in whatever training we may give in order that we may send against the Axis powers soldiers of the United States Army Air Forces physically, mentally, spiritually, and technically ready to fight.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John K. Jowers, Jr." is written in black ink.

Colonel, Air Corps
Commanding



JOHN K. GOWEN, JR.
COLONEL, AIR CORPS
Commanding

Colonel John Knowles Gowen, Jr., the sixth Commanding Officer of Amarillo Army Air Field, is a veteran pilot. Born January 27, 1894, at Dover, N. H., he first flew 30 years ago, August 1, 1913, and has been intimately associated with military aviation for more than a quarter of a century.

During the first World War he was an instructor in advanced acrobatics, stationed at Rich Field, Waco, Tex. His assignment here is his second in Texas.

During the present war, Colonel Gowen has seen active service in every theater of operations. He has served in the United Kingdom, Gibraltar, Malta, Cairo, the Western Desert in Libya, Iraq, Iran, India, Burma, China, Sumatra, Singapore, Java, and Australia.

The new Commanding Officer of Amarillo Army Air Field was the first G-2, or Director of Military Intelligence, for the United States Army Forces in Australia. Later he became Director of Public Relations for the Allied Air Forces, Southwest Pacific area.

Colonel Gowen has been stationed at Amarillo Army Air Field since

March, 1943, and until his appointment as Commanding Officer he was Director of Operations and Training.

Prior to coming here, upon his return from the Southwest Pacific area, he was Executive Officer of the Southeast Flying Training Center, stationed at Maxwell Field, Alabama, and later Director of College Training for the Southeast Section of the United States.

Colonel Gowen was a newspaper reporter in New Jersey, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and South Carolina until 1914. Successive newspaper positions later included: telegraph editor of the Brockton, Mass., Times until 1916; managing editor of the Charleston, S. C., American until 1917; sub-editor of the Boston American until 1922; make-up editor of the Boston Daily Advertiser until 1924; managing editor of the Boston Sunday Advertiser until 1931; associate Sunday editor of the New York American until 1933; editor and publisher of Now, monthly magazine, a year; and publisher of The Microphone until 1938.

Colonel Gowen returned to active service as a Major on February 4, 1941, and until he went overseas in September of 1941 was stationed in Washington, D. C., with Headquarters Army Air Forces.



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Director of Training, Technical Section



STANLEY E. JORDAN
Major
Director of Training, Basic Training Center

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S-1



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Major
S-2



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Major
S-4





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ANTHONY F. REMESCH
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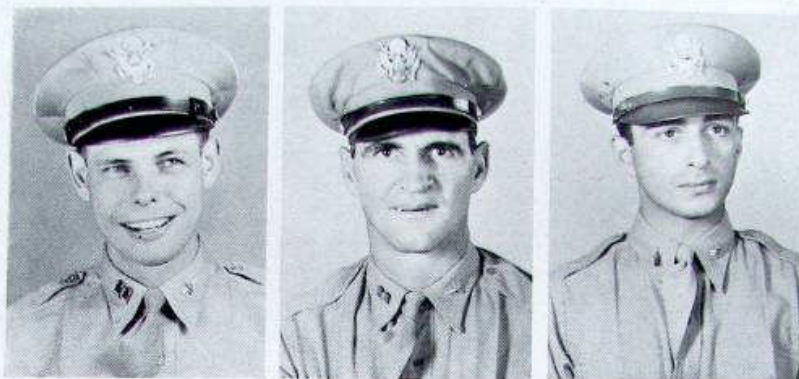


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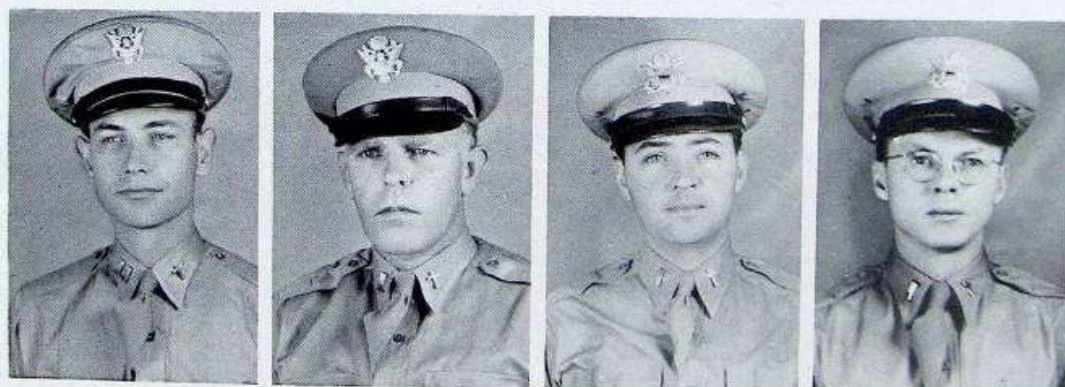


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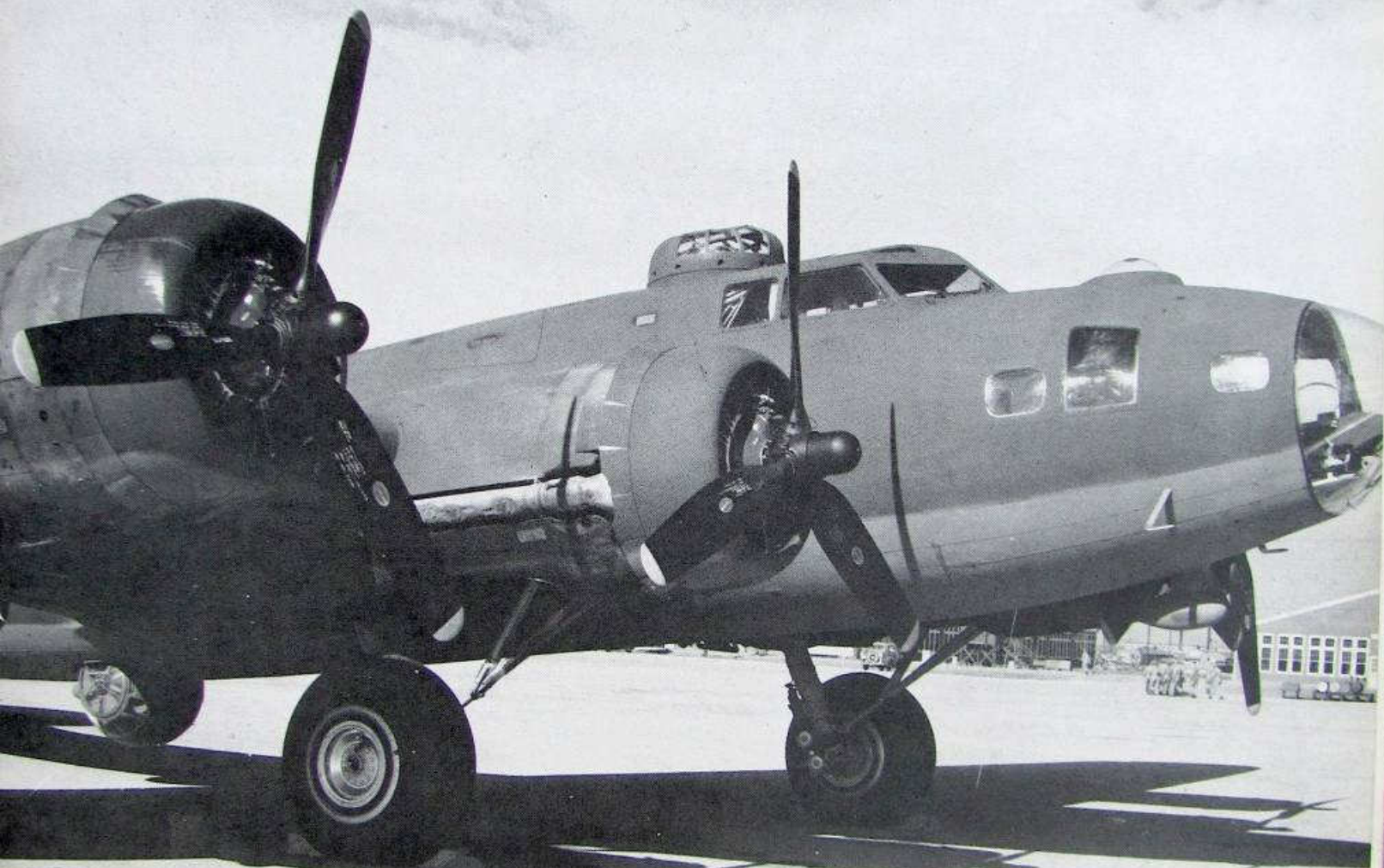


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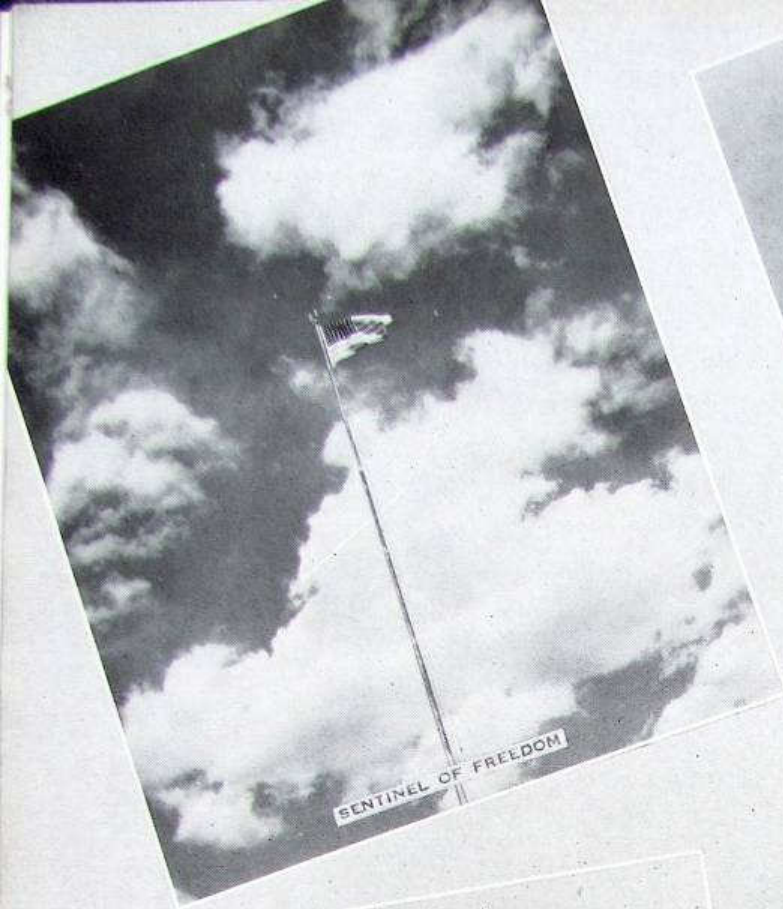
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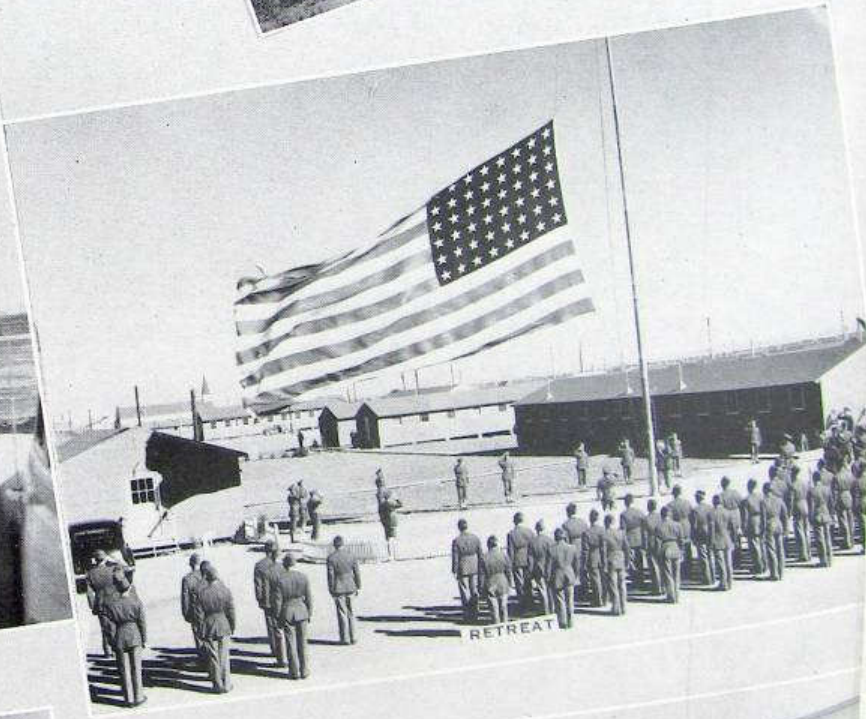
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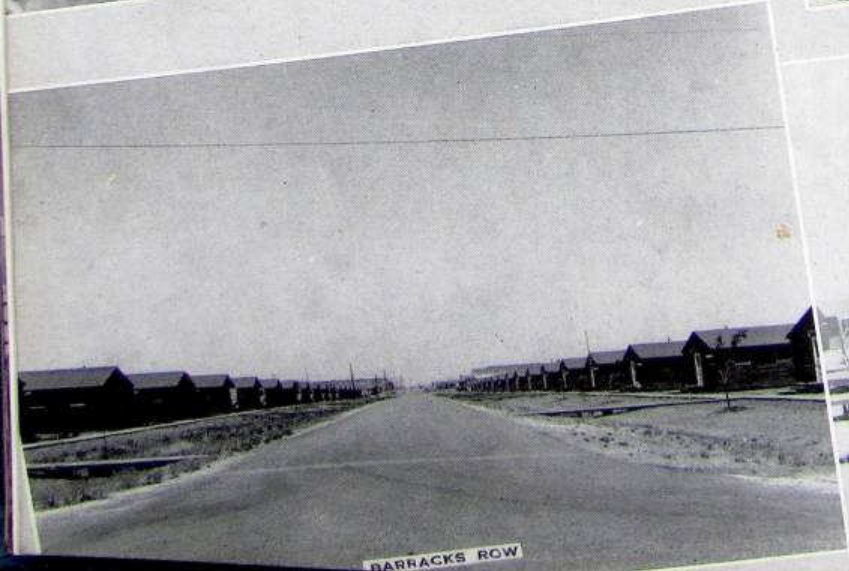
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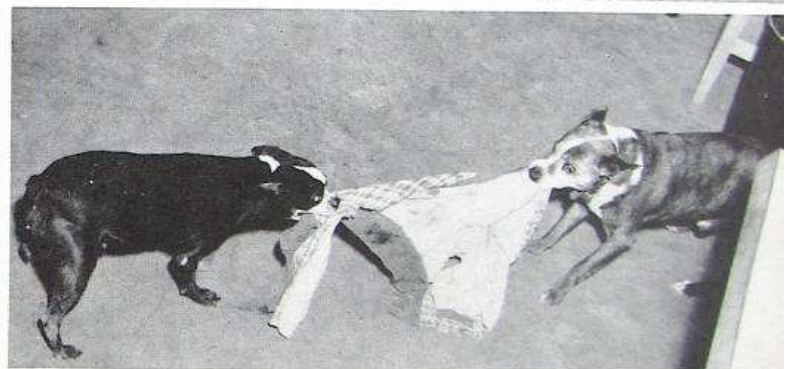
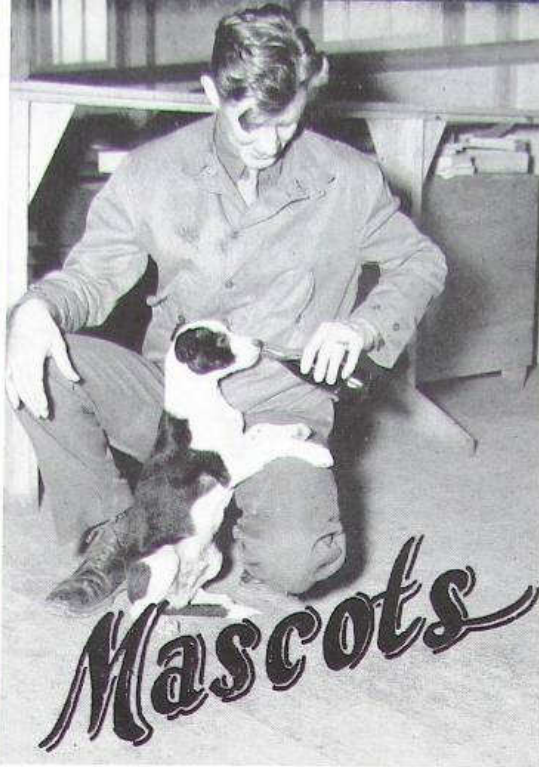
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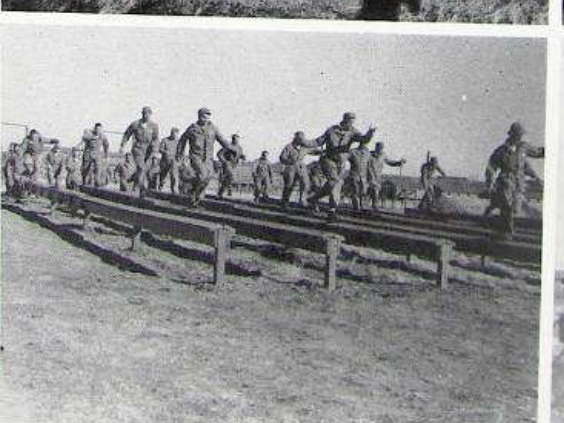
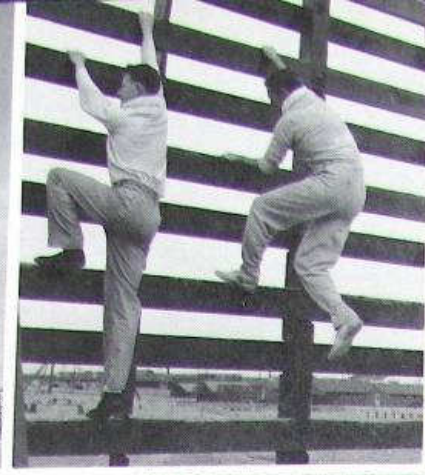


BARRACKS ROW



POST THEATRE





Mass Athletics

Athletic activities at Amarillo are designed to build up the bodies of fighting men, at the same time furnishing a diversion from the usual routines of study and hard work. The athletic program includes such sports as basketball, soccer, track and field trials and other sports events. A few months over the obstacle courses and through the hand-to-hand combat training classes and the soldier is ready to beat the Jap at his own game.



Above: Tops in their line of sports.
Below: Got it!



Puss in the boot.

Open house at Amarillo Air Field.





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Specially trained in answering questions and directing callers at the Post Headquarters to the proper offices and buildings, Mrs. Wilson greets all comers with her well-known and inevitable smile.

AROUND THE FIELD

- 1. Inspection.
- 2. Double bunks for soldiers.
- 3. Auditorium U. S. O.

- 4. Post Exchange.
- 5. Downtown U. S. O.

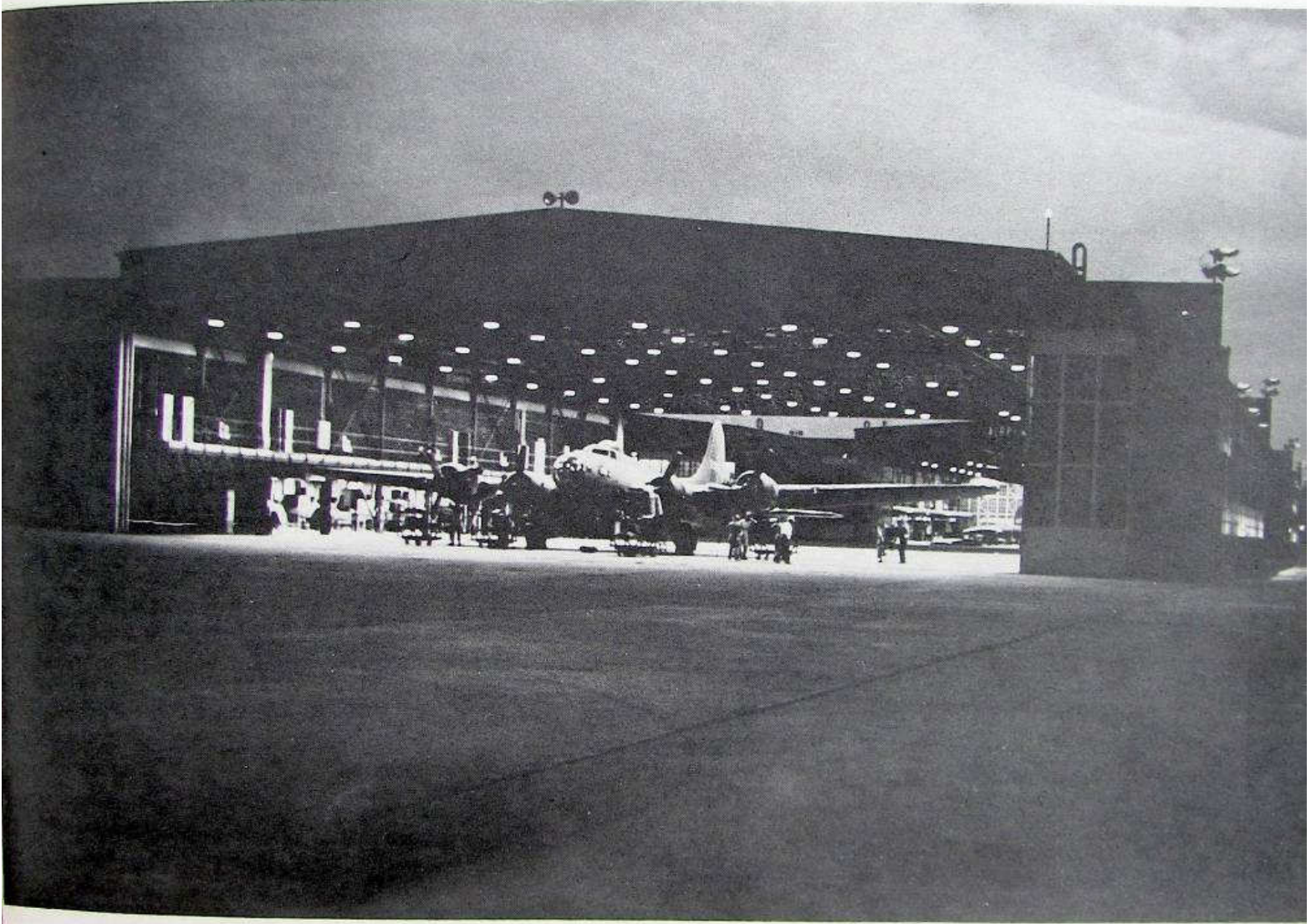
The long and short of it.



The mail room.



409TH TECHNICAL SCHOOL SQUADRON



AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD
AMARILLO, TEXAS



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Major
Commanding 29th Technical School Group



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First Lieutenant
Adjutant



ARCHIE L. BLACK
Captain
Personnel Officer



JOHN J. BISSELL
First Lieutenant
Assistant Adjutant

(Reading from Left to Right)

Master Sergeant Watson, Jonnson; Technical Sergeants Gleaton, Samuel H.; Jeter, Elmo L.; Staff Sergeant Applegate, Francis L.; Sergeant Cordaro, Joseph B.





ROBERT L. THOMPSON
 Captain
 Commanding 409th Technical School Squadron



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Preflight and Daily Hangar.



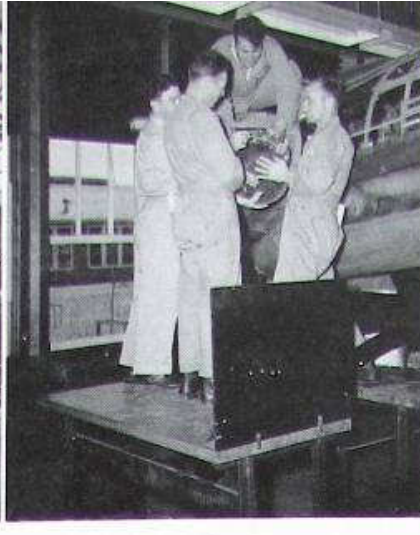
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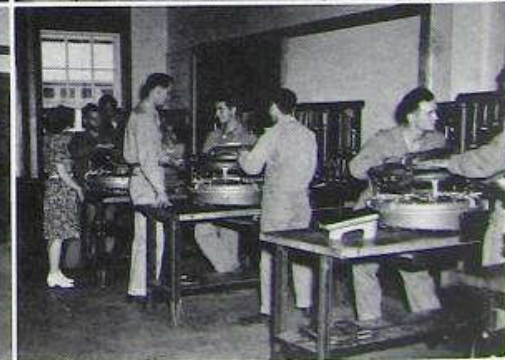
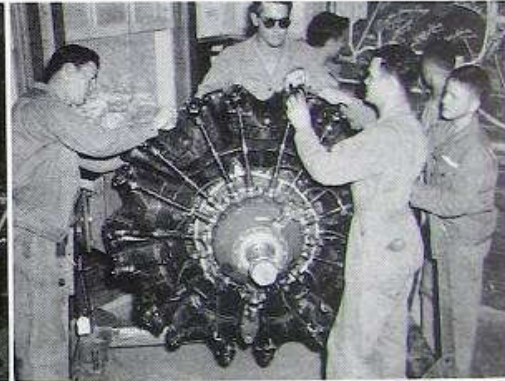
Flight Controls and Mechanisms.

409th Technical School Squadron at Work

Instruction in Hydraulics.

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Lubrication, Induction Systems.



Thermometers, Tachometers and Fuel Level Gauges.

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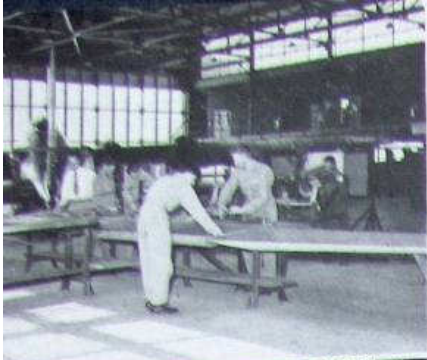
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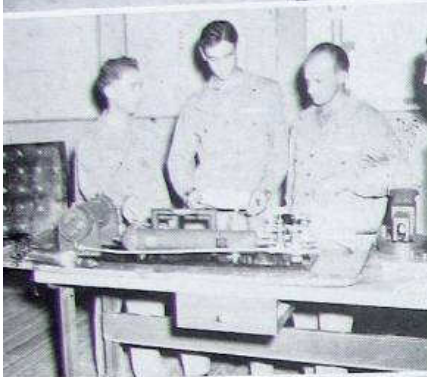




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Units.



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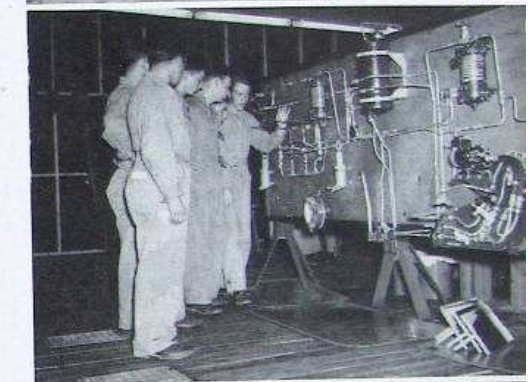
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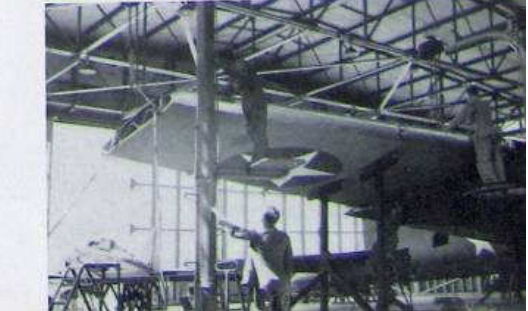
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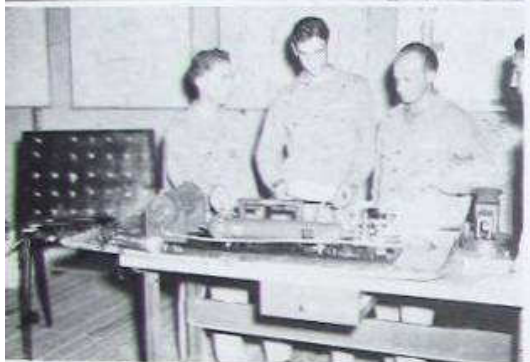




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Trouble
Shooting.



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Wing
Assembly.



409th Technical Training Squadron

at labor
and leisure



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First Row: Staff Sergeant Sterrett, James P.; Sergeants Froid, Oscar E.; Leicht, Raymond H.; Mutchnik, Bert-ram H.

Second Row: Corporal Holder, Boyd; Privates First Class Rupcinski, Chester C.; Wilkinson, Clair E.; Privates Allen, Carroll A.; Paschal, James R.; Ridarick, Joseph W.

Third Row: Private Santacki, Domi-nick J.; Corporals Allen, Eldon L.; Dusenbery, Loren R.; Tharp, Bill; Privates First Class Canada, John O.; Donaruma, Vincent P.

Fourth Row: Private First Class Rushing, Alvin R.; Staff Sergeants Jones, S. E.; Wallace, Charles D.; Privates Prickett, Earl J.; Tarabori, Harry.

Fifth Row: Staff Sergeant LeGate, Cleveland W.; Sergeants Edwards, Guy M.; Powell, Aubrey C.; Private First Class Hertel, Harold J.; Private Lewis, Shelton F.

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Sergeant Smith, Raymond C.

Sixth Row: Privates First Class Biesty, Edward A.; Buchagura, John F.; Debiase, Anthony; Delahanty, Martin; Smolski, Walter; Private Mil-ler, Elton A.

Seventh Row: Privates Myers, George A.; Salamy, Farris J.; Smith, Charles B.; Smith, Raymond C.

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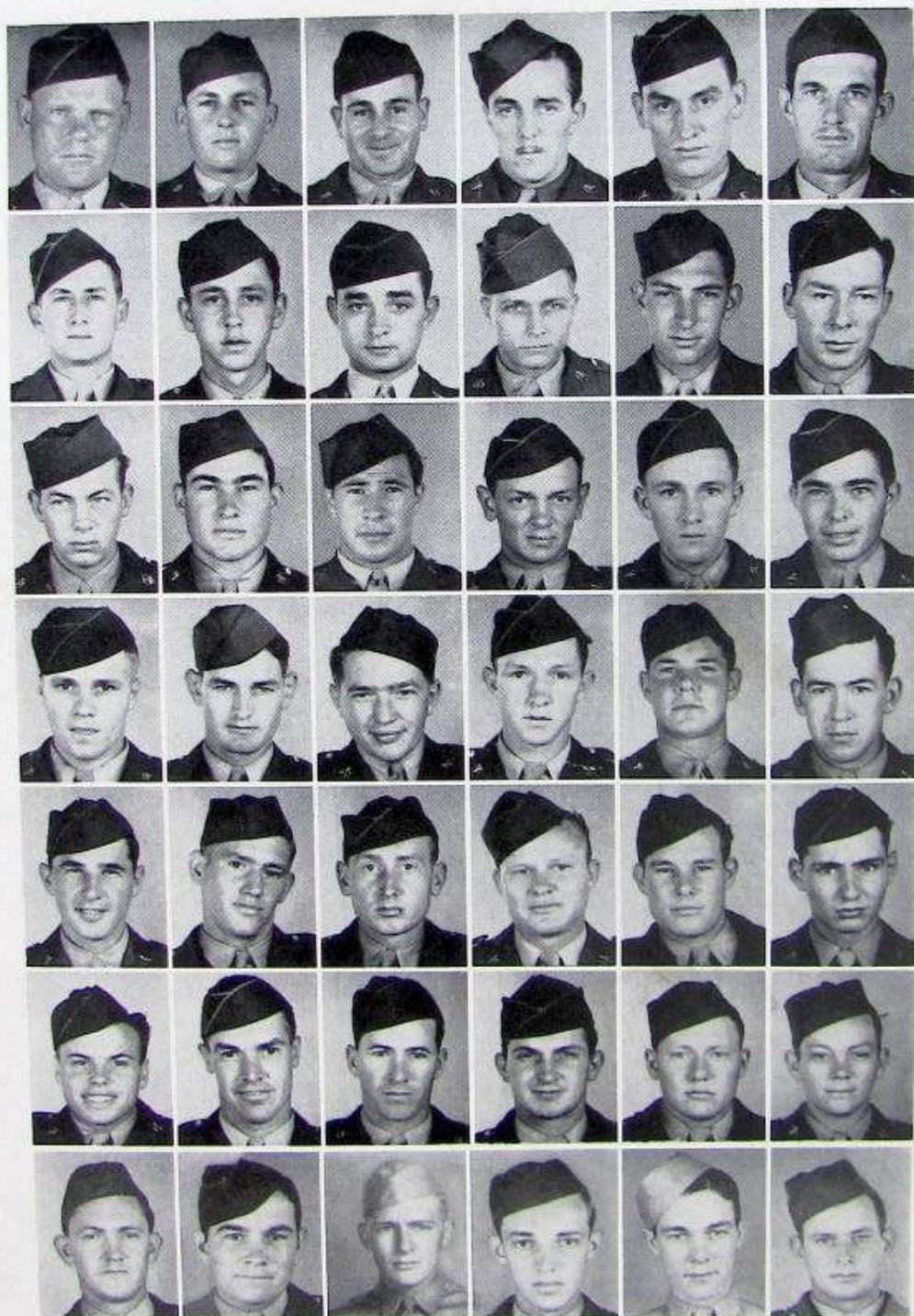
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Fourth Row: Sergeants Brady, James E.; Brown, Guy; Brown, Richard O.; Brown, Robert E.; Brown, Robert W.; Brown, William H.

Fifth Row: Sergeants Bukowski, Casimer L.; Bunn, Harlan D., Jr.; Buntin, William C., Jr.; Burgess, E. T.; Butler, William J.; Calvert, Raymond G.

Sixth Row: Sergeants Carson, Garland C.; Castle, Francis E.; Chase, Archie W.; Coates, John A.; Collins, Robert G.; Crenshaw, Ollie G.

Seventh Row: Sergeants Flannery, Gilbert; Weatherholt, Oliver R.; Corporal Ferguson, Robert H., Jr.; Privates First Class DenBraber, Carl R.; Smith, George L.; Smith, J. L.



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Second Row: Sergeants Fabianski, Joseph E.; Fogelson, Harold L.; Frye, Harry B.; Gallagher, James E.; Galyean, Rayburn D.; Gentile, Albert J.

Third Row: Sergeants Halphen, Leonard P.; Hanks, Lester S.; Herman, John M.; Horton, Allen D.; Houston, Samuel V.; Houts, William S.

Fourth Row: Sergeants Hrygay, Walter; Hunter, Opal R.; Hyer, James J.; Ingersoll, Frank T.; Jackson, Lloyd H.; Keinath, William F.

Fifth Row: Sergeants LaRue, Robert M.; Luba, Leonard A.; Lucera, Gilbert R.; Lyman, George E.; McCroskey, Okey E.

Sixth Row: Sergeants Mitchell, Martin J.; Perry, A. V.; Pierce, Eugene R.; Privitera, Paul J.; Reames, Harris A.; Reijonen, Osmd H.

Seventh Row: Sergeants Rippberger, Jack E.; Ruis, Percy A.; Smith, Lorne G.; Stevens, Howard O.; Thornton, Afton F.; Tolleson, Gordon C.

Eighth Row: Sergeants Viola, Isadore C.; Walter, Roy C.; Ward, Jack F.; Warden, Charles C.; Waters, Henry C.; Webb, Kenneth C.

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Third Row: Privates First Class Alborn, Frank E.; Aleksa, Victor; Allbritton, William H.; Allen, George W.; Allison, Albert H., Jr.; Allison, Lute P.

Fourth Row: Privates First Class Allison, Willie B.; Allwein, Wayne L.; Alton, Mervin G.; Anderson, Harold P.; Angst, Vernon C.; Arett, Richard I.

Fifth Row: Privates First Class Arthur, Avery A.; Ashby, Arvin R.; Ashley, Fred M.; Atkins, James A.; Athey, Burder S., Jr.; Autry, Richard L.

Sixth Row: Privates First Class Bacot, David T.; Bailey, Arnold A.; Bailey, Frank O.; Bailey, Martin D.; Baker, Cecil K.; Baker, Robert E.

Seventh Row: Privates First Class Baker, Robert J.; Baker, Roy W., Jr.; Baker, Scott C.; Bala, Bernard S.; Bale, Alfred E.; Ballard, Newell M.

Eighth Row: Privates First Class Baragas, Thomas; Barnes, Leon O.; Barnett, Jay O.; Barnhart, Carl L.; Barry, Edwin F., Jr.; Barton, Leonard L.

Ninth Row: Privates First Class Bastin, Earl W.; Baugh W.; Baugh, Thomas C.; Beamer, Eugene M.; Becker, Albert K.; Beener, Irvil C.; Benjamin, Robert D.



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J.; Berger, Joseph; Betts, Harry J.

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Bircher, Robert P.; Bivins, Carl F.;
Black, John E.; Blackmer, Harold S.

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Blomquist, Mack C.; Bloodworth, El-
mo G.; Boatright, Paul M.; Boeser,
Gerard G.

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Bordeaux, W. W.; Bork, Burton O.

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Elton B.; Branch, James C.; Brantl,
George J.

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John P.; Brennen, Joseph E.; Brewer,
Val M.; Bright, Harlan D.; Brinks,
Harold W.

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Brooks, Donald L.; Brooks, James G.;
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J.; Bryan, Robert C.; Buchanan,
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Third Row: Privates First Class Carr, Clarence C.; Carroll, J. C.; Carsley, George L.; Carter, Howard M.; Casaras, Pete F.; Case, Donald P.

Fourth Row: Privates First Class Case, James D.; Caskanett, John L.; Cassody, George W.; Cavenah, Julian L.; Chilek, Adolph B.; Chmielowiec, Andrew.

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Sixth Row: Privates First Class Cochran, Adam G.; Cochran, Gladcell M.; Coffin, Clifton; Cohen, Joseph; Coldiron, Jim C.; Cole, James M.

Seventh Row: Privates First Class Collins, Mervel B.; Colman, Terrence R.; Colson, Aubrey C.; Conner, John R.; Corey, Joseph; Cornelius, William F.

Eighth Row: Privates First Class Cottrell, James T.; Craig, Robert N.; Crampton, Dick A.; Cravey, Silas; Crist, Wayne G.; Crowley, William L.

Ninth Row: Privates First Class Crump, Ocie W.; Culpepper, William L.; Cupp, Clifford H.; Currie, Edgar A.; Curry, Arthur D.; Curry, George K.



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Third Row: Privates First Class Deamer, Raymond K.; Deck, William R.; Decker, Daniel G.; Degnan, Lawrence A.; De Marce, Nelson A.; Demyanovich, Emil.

Fourth Row: Privates First Class Dennis, William O.; DeSmet, George C.; Deyoung, John J.; Dill, Ralph A.; Downs, Hubert G.; Doyle, Joseph C.

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Sixth Row: Privates First Class Ellis, Clovis A.; Ellis, Edwin H.; Emmerth, Joseph F., Jr.; Evertse, Peter; Fales, William P.; Fall, John J.

Seventh Row: Privates First Class Farmer, Harvev R.; Farrington, Donald G.; Fehrenkamp, Edgar J.; Fein, Daniel; Felty, Ernest H.; Fidler, Floyd M.

Eighth Row: Privates First Class Finch, Otto H.; Flanagan, Thomas H.; Foster, Donald W.; Foster, John T.; Fowlkes, Robert R.; Fox, John T.

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Fifth Row: Privates First Class Hefley, Norman W.; Herhamer, Herman F.; Highlander, Louis H.; Hoesser, Carnell; Hollomon, Wyatt M.; Holmes, Raymond D.

Sixth Row: Privates First Class Howell, Deams M.; Huffman, Alfred O.; Hunsperger, Junior G.; Hyman, Charles E.; Ivey, R. W.; Jacobs, John A.

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Tenth Row: Privates First Class Kemp, Donald C.; Kennedy, James E.; Kennington, Milas H.; King, John C.; Kinyon, Kenneth J.; Kirchner, Robert J.



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Third Row: Privates First Class Kuza, Theodore A.; Lamb, Walter R.; Lance, Bob J.; Landry, Frank J.; Lane, Richard L.; Lane, Weseley R.

Fourth Row: Privates First Class Lawson, Fred; Layer, Carl; Lee, Cornelius C.; Lehnert, James W.; Lentz, Edward B.; LeRoy, James K.

Fifth Row: Privates First Class Lester, Willie D.; Leszczynski, Chester, P.; Leutzinger, Robert W.; Lewis, Jeff L.; Lewis, Marvey K.; Liljegen, Carl S.; Lilley, Brenton L.

Sixth Row: Privates First Class Lipperd, Moses L.; Little, Albert W.; Littlejohn, Earl J.; Livermore, Joseph S.; Loewen, Cecil C.; Lofaso, Benjamin G.

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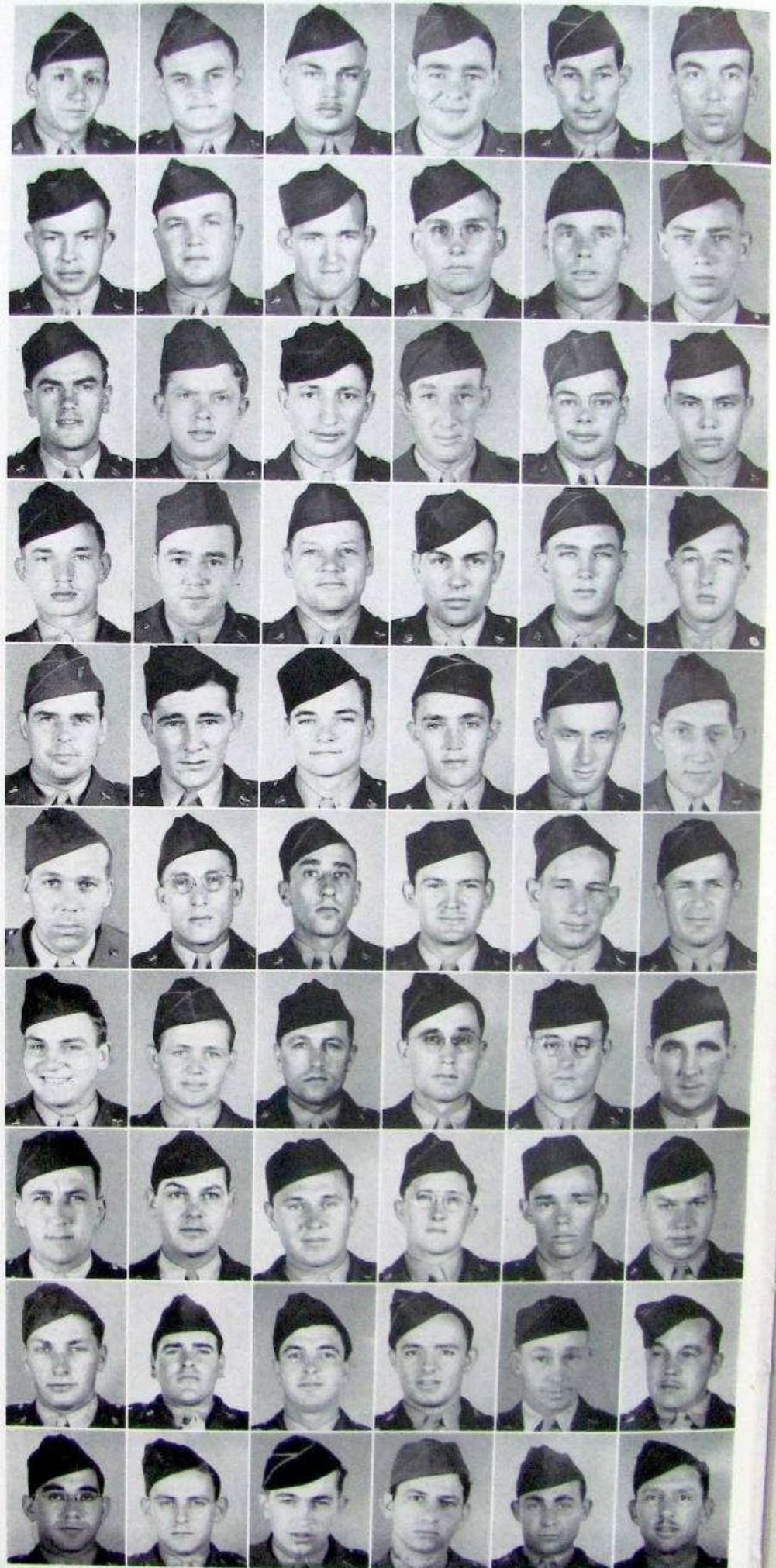
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Third Row: Privates First Class Prussman, William R.; Psencik, Emmett; Puccini, Bernard E.; Pugsley, Martin A.; Raiford, Richard R.; Railing, Benjamin W.

Fourth Row: Privates First Class Ramage, Robert L.; Ramin, John L.; Reid, Lowell A.; Renn, Howard B.; Renfroe, Joe H.; Rexroat, Charles D.

Fifth Row: Privates First Class Reynolds, Harry L.; Richardson, Robert L.; Richter, Wesley H.; Riddle, Billie R.; Roberson, Raymond L.; Roberts, Donald W.

Sixth Row: Privates First Class Roberts, Jeff D., Jr.; Roberts, Leo D.; Roberts, Thomas S.; Robin, Roland; Robinson, Amos G.; Robinson, Brice L.

Seventh Row: Privates First Class Robinson, Oliver R.; Rodden, Elvie L.; Rogers, Lawson C.; Rogers, Roy; Rollo, Joseph J., Jr.; Romano, Michael A.

Eighth Row: Privates First Class Roths, Francis C.; Roxby, Kenneth; Rurode, Kenneth A.; Russell, Woodrow R.; Ruzich, Jack T.; Sabsowitz, Harry.

Ninth Row: Privates First Class Salo, Walter; Sanders, Wilbur R.; Sargent, Harold H.; Savage, Robert V.; Savickas, Edward F.; Scanton, William J.

Tenth Row: Privates First Class Schallan, Daniel W.; Schneider, Calvin R.; Schuller, Theodore M.; Scully, Franklin J.; Seal, Wilburn W.; Shanklin, Carroll J.

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Third Row: Privates First Class Singleterry, James H.; Sisson, Darrel L.; Smith, Dewey C.; Smith, James M.; Smith, Neely S.; Smith, Orville L.

Fourth Row: Privates First Class Smith, Roy S.; Snodgrass, Elan N.; Staggs, R. C.; Starbard, Arthur C.; Starrett, Wilford M.; Stephens, Jack K.

Fifth Row: Privates First Class Stern, Carl; Stewart, Charles R.; Stoldt, F. W.; Stone, Carrol L.; Stopp, Lee J.; Strove, Robert W.

Sixth Row: Privates First Class Stuart, John P.; Sundstrom, Ardmor J.; Swonger, Dale G.; Tansey, John J.; Tarter, Benjamin J.; Taubert, Donald H.

Seventh Row: Privates First Class Taylor, Charles E.; Taylor, John L.; Terry, Lloyd; Theirheimer, Charles L.; Thibault, Nelson L.; Thomas, Donald H.

Eighth Row: Privates First Class Thomas, Fletcher E.; Thomas, Ruel B.; Thompson, Clarence R.; Thompson, Leland T.; Thompson, Marion C.; Thompson, Thomas M.

Ninth Row: Privates First Class Ticknor, Edward C.; Tillery, James O.; Toney, Oma L.; Tricoukes, James N.; Tucker, Robert H.; Tucker, William E., Jr.

Tenth Row: Privates First Class Tuttle, James E.; Tyler, Raymond R.; Valley, James J.; Vaughan, Bruce W.; Veau, Aristide F.; Veazey, Thomas W.



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Third Row: Privates First Class Welles, Cyril W.; Whetsell, Haril E.; Whittington, Nolan E.; Wiese, Clyde A.; Wigley, Robert M.; Wilhite, Harold F.

Fourth Row: Privates First Class Wilkins, Homer J.; Williams, Elvin L.; Williams, Neal W.; Williams, William C.; Willis, Hubert L.; Woelfle, Eugene J.

Fifth Row: Privates First Class Wormington, Dow P., Jr.; Wright, Dewey E.; Young, James R.; Youngman, William A.; Zumalt, Roy L.; Private Alsop, Claud A.

Sixth Row: Privates Bacot, Robert A.; Baluk, Joseph; Brackett, Delbert L.; Brown, James P.; Carlin, John J.; Coburn, Robert G.

Seventh Row: Privates Davis, Jeff L., Jr.; DeRosa, Anthony, Jr.; Dunkhase, Anthony L.; Elich, Doyle H.; Ferber, Benjamin; Fischer, William C.

Eighth Row: Privates Fite, Carl G.; Garner, William, Jr.; Garrett, Jess A.; Gehrke, Alvin; Hendrickson, George C.; Hillman, Floyd W.

Ninth Row: Privates Judge, Ralph L.; King, Lloyd A.; Kobetz, Morton E.; Lanzarone, Anthony J.; LeWalter, Fred F.; Manfredini, Mario J.

Tenth Row: Privates Morris, Alva C.; Nabors, Lester G.; Sauers, Jay B.; Sawyer, Eugene W.; Shkolnik, M.; Sutherland, John F.

