306 AAF FLYING TRAINING DETACHMENT (PRIMARY)

MISSION LINEAGE 306 AAF Flying Training Detachment (Primary) **STATIONS** Bruce Field, Ballinger, TX **ASSIGNMENTS WEAPON SYSTEMS** PT-19 **COMMANDERS** Maj James Tipton Maj Landon E. McConnell Maj Robert C. Templeton **HONORS Service Streamers Campaign Streamers Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers Decorations EMBLEM MOTTO**

OPERATIONS

Fred Harmon Training Center



Maj James B. Tipton



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Maj Robert C. Templeton



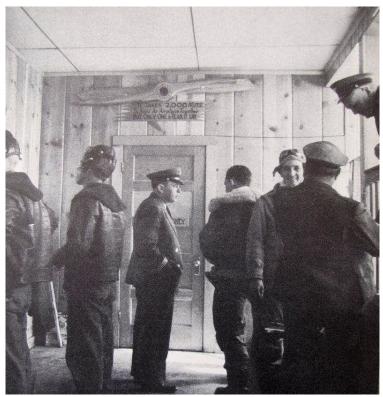
Cadets heading to their planes.



306th AAF Flying Training Detachment (Primary) PT-19 banking over Texas.



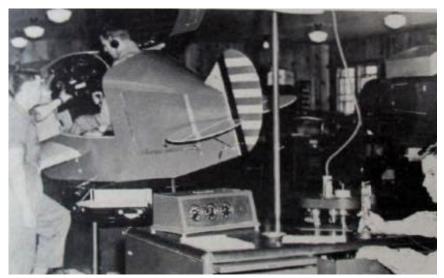
306th AAF Flying Training Detachment (Primary) flightline



Cadets at Bruce Field, Ballinger, TX



Civilian contractors servicing PT-19s.



Link trainer, Bruce Field, Ballinger, TX



Civilian instructor briefing cadets on the wing of a PT-19 at Bruce Field.



The cadet's motivation!

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