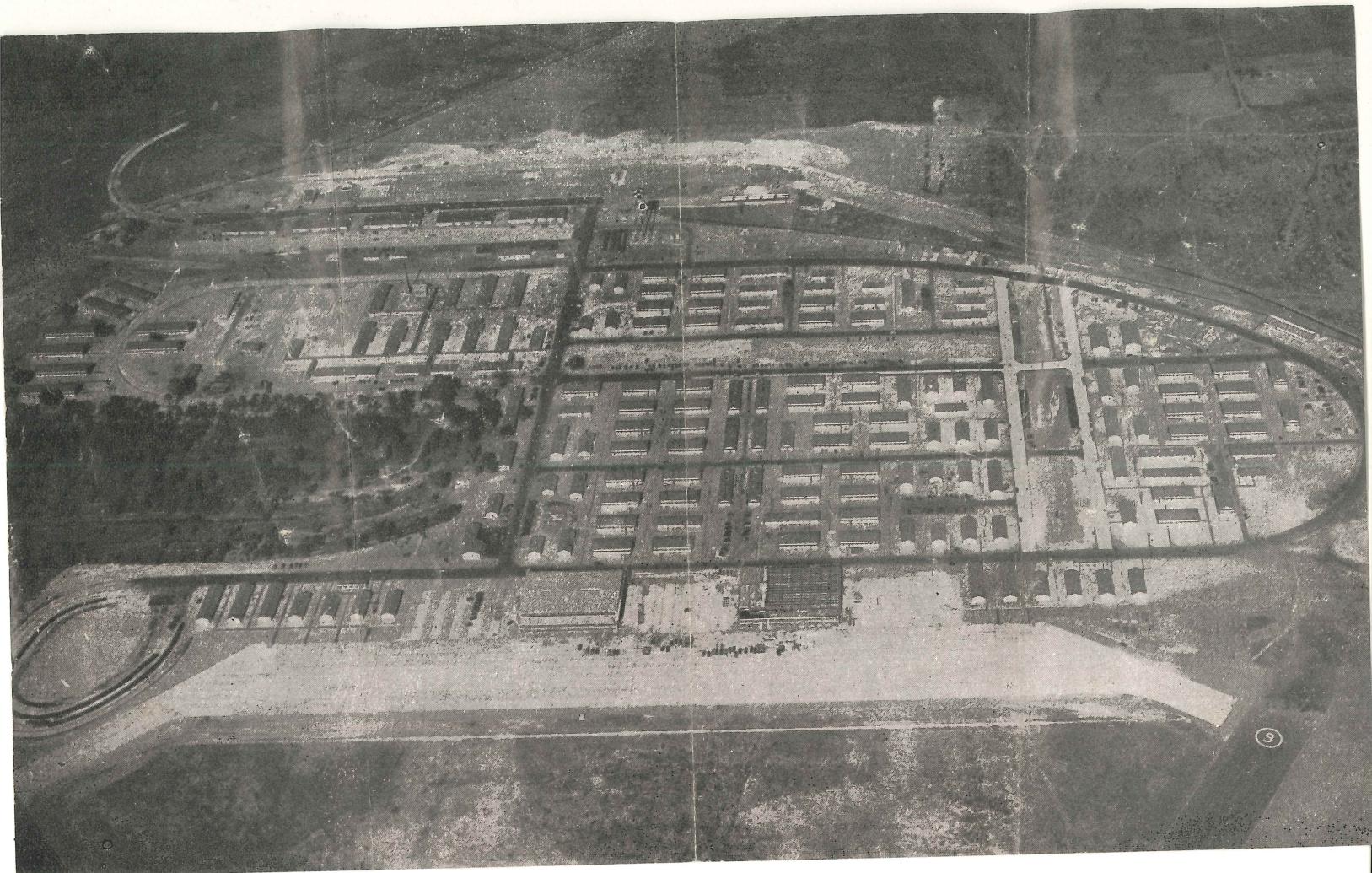


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A well, with a 100,000-gallon water tank; a sewage disposal plant, paved streets and sidewalks; railroad spur, concrete parking apron 200 by 2,000 feet, and other items also were built in the first three months.

Cost of the original project has been estimated at about \$8,000,000. New units now under construction will amount to \$500,000.

Major Michael Grimaldi was constructing quartermaster in charge of the original project. On February 1 additional work was transferred to the U. S. Engineer Corps under Colonel F. W. Altstaetter, district engineer.

Goode Construction Corporation of Charlotte, N. C., is general contractor for both projects, with Burge & Stevens, of Atlanta, as architect-engineer, and Espy Paving & Construction Company, of Savannah, sub-contractor.

The Air Base started operations last October 1, utilizing existing facilities of the airport. A temporary tent camp was set up for use during construction.

About 3,500 officers and men are stationed at the base, making up the 35th Air Base Group, the 27th Bombardment Group (Light), the 3rd Bombardment Group (Light) and the 17th Bombardment (Light) Wing Headquarters.

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SAVANNAH AIR BASE

The Savannah Air Base, under the command of Brigadier General Lewis H. Brereton, is a complete community located on the north end of Savannah's Municipal Airport, which has been leased to the Army Air Corps.

First project of its type contracted for under the new defense program in the United States, the Air Base was ready for occupancy last January 1, less than 90 days after ground was broken.

Additional units are now being built to increase the capacity, and existing runways are being improved and increased in size.

To meet a 90-day schedule, early work was continued after dark under floodlights; but despite the haste, construction is sound and includes such comforts as forced hot air heating systems with filters, modern plumbing in each building, and screens throughout.

The original project included 182 buildings—55 barracks for 3,500 men, 18 mess halls, 20 warehouses, 2 massive hangers, 14 administration buildings, 150-bed hospital, fire headquarters, post exchange, officers' quarters, and various other buildings.

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Instrument Re- r e m o r F e l t at Southeast



—Official AAF photo

KEEP 'EM FLYING—Hunter Field maintenance men, including mechanics, engineers, armorers, radio men, and inspection crews, worked around-the-clock to speed light and medium bombers and other aircraft to the war in Europe. Hunter Field claims all records for efficiency and volume of staging activities in the country. At peak periods, planes left Hunter Field every hour and fifteen minutes, twenty-four hours a day.

Hunter Field Sets Record for Staging

More Than 7,000 Planes With Full Crews Ready for Combat Went Through Great Airfield—All Aviation Praises Feat

More than seven thousand planes, including light and medium bombers, and more than sixty thousand air-crew members were staged from Hunter Field during the critical war years, 1943-1945, to take their places with the Army Air Forces operating in the European and Mediterranean theaters of operations, according to figures released yesterday by Col. Ralph G. Lockwood, commanding officer of Hunter Field.

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"The newspaper critic summed up briefly as follows: The Constitution was prepared by the General Assembly and no constitutional convention. Second, it is impossible for the voters to ratify all the changes separately on each change from the Constitution. Third, it incurs expenses of the state very

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"Of course it is impossible for voters to vote on each proposed change separately. It was equally true when the Constitution of 1877 was voted on and it was amended. It is the parts of a Constitution that if some were rejected, wild confusion would result, and the Legislature faced with the task of reconciling the entire document would probably have to rewrite it. Any thinking person immediately sees that this is true. Now, as for the increases which are so viciously attacked by the Morning News editor,

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BONDS

NEW YORK. July 26 (AP).—Large areas of the bond market ended behind minus signs of major fractions to around 2 points today, reflecting surprise in financial quarters generally over the British election results.

Following is a selected list of today's high, low and closing prices of bonds on the New York Stock Exchange and sales of principal bonds:

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