

The Thomas Morse O-19E (3 View)

THIS plane bears the name of an illustrious group of the civilian and army aircraft of the U.S.A., dating back from the Glenn Curtiss era. At the present time this company is owned by the Consolidated Aircraft Company of Buffalo.

This plane dates back to about 1927, when the U.S. Army seriously turned its eyes to the merits of all-metal construction. After several experimental models, the plane was formally accepted and about 270 of them were built. The plane was built

up around both liquid-cooled and air-cooled engines. The liquid-cooled engine model was slightly modified but in general appearance was similar to the O-19E. It could maneuver as easily as the ordinary training biplane and yet was very fast.

