

# 613 AAF BASE UNIT

## MISSION

Part of the Air Proving Ground Command, the 613 AAF Base Unit is responsible to that headquarters for technical, tactical, and administrative efficiency.

## LINEAGE

613 AAF Base Unit  
Organized, 1 Apr 1944

## STATIONS

Phillips Field, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD

## ASSIGNMENTS

AAF Proving Ground Command

## COMMANDERS

Col Eugene L. Strickland<sup>1</sup>

## HONORS

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

## EMBLEM

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<sup>1</sup>Unit yearbook. *Proving Ground, MD, Det D, Det E, 1340 SCU (Station Complement), 1340 SCU (Medical Detachment), Ballistic Research Laboratory, 613 AAFBU. 1947.*

**MOTTO**

**OPERATIONS<sup>2</sup>**



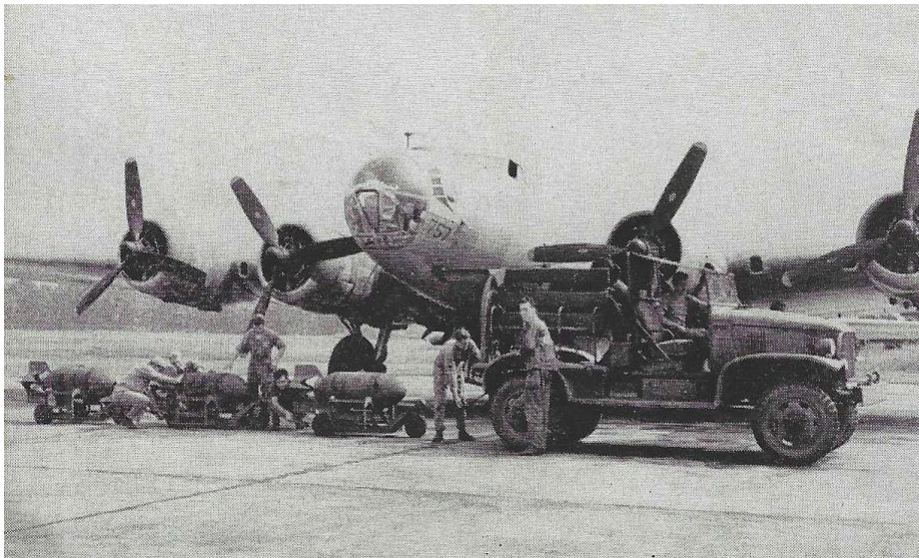
613th AAF Base Unit armorers servicing a P-38's .50 machine guns.

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<sup>2</sup>Unit yearbook. *Proving Ground, MD.*

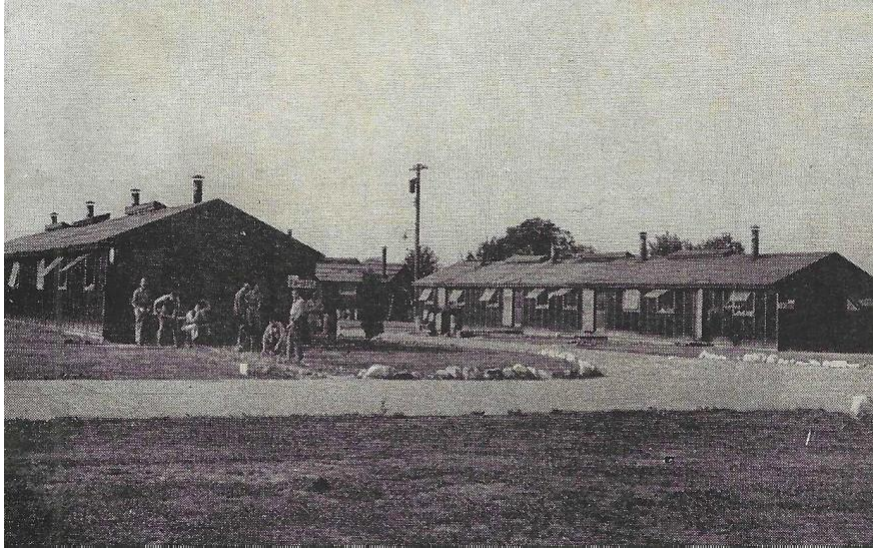


613th AAF Base Unit armorers hauling 1,000 pound bombs to plane.



613th AAF Base Unit armorers checking bomb load for a B-17 on the flightline.



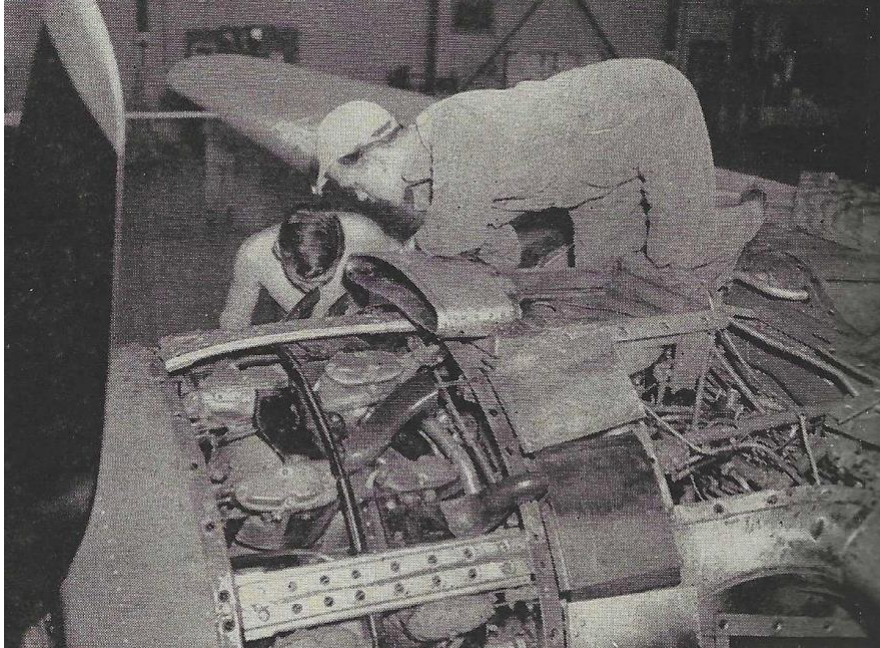


613th AAF Base Unit enlisted men's barracks

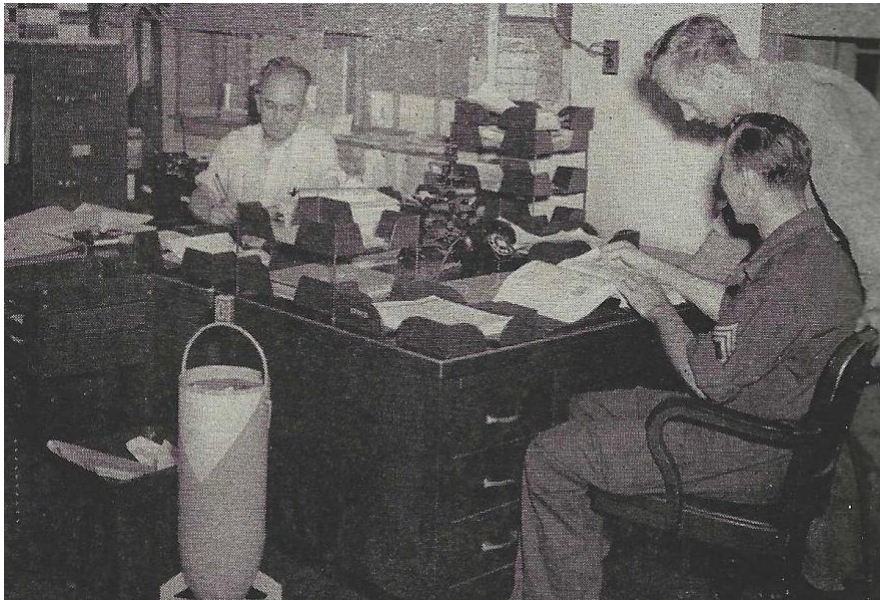


613th AAF Base Unit Operations office.



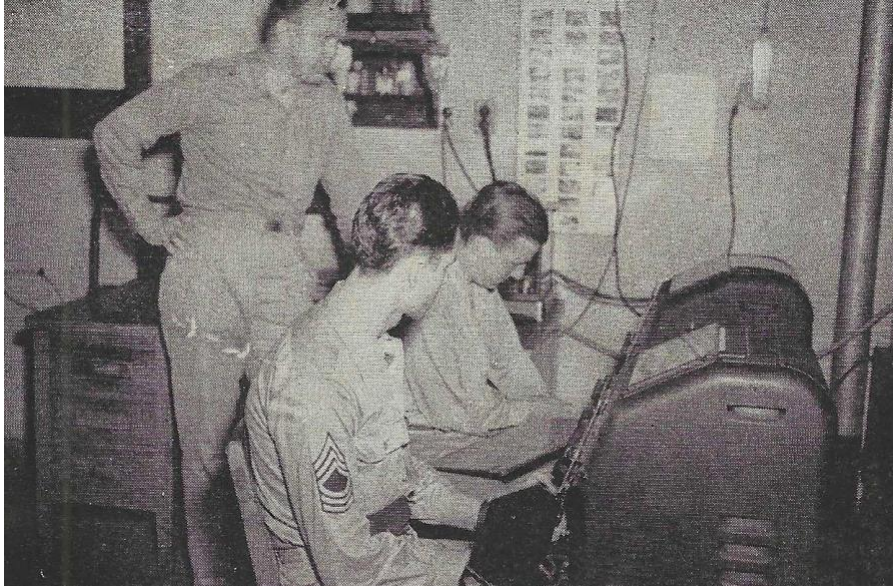


613th AAF Base Unit Engine Inspection



613th AAF Base Unit Supply Office





613th AAF Base Unit Weather office



613th AAF Base Unit Control tower man signals a plane into takeoff position.