



Turning out airplanes for Uncle Sam is a huge industry. The above shows the wing room in an airplane factory. Wing construction is a delicate process. Every piece must fit perfectly and be of the best material.

AIRPLANES IN THE MAKING

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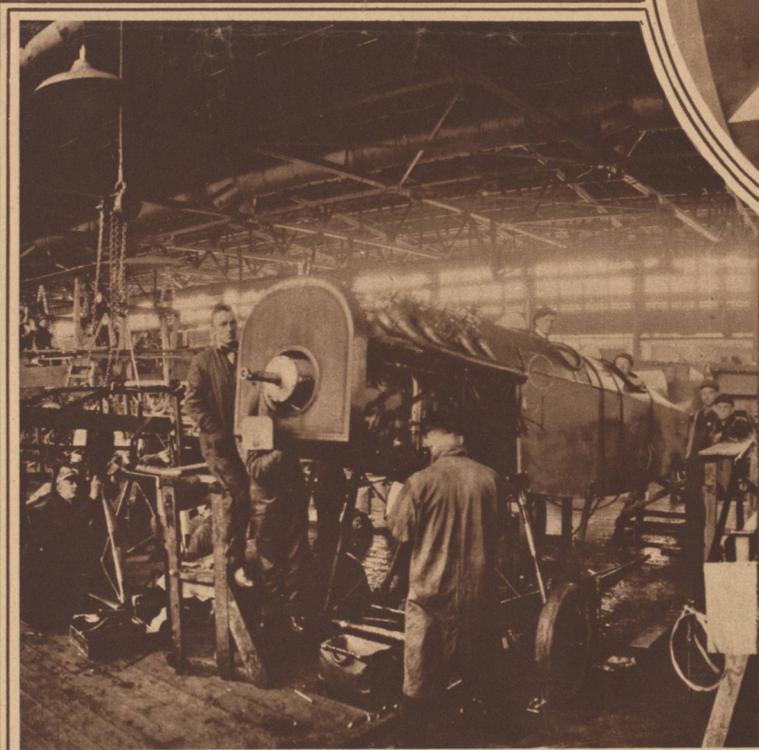
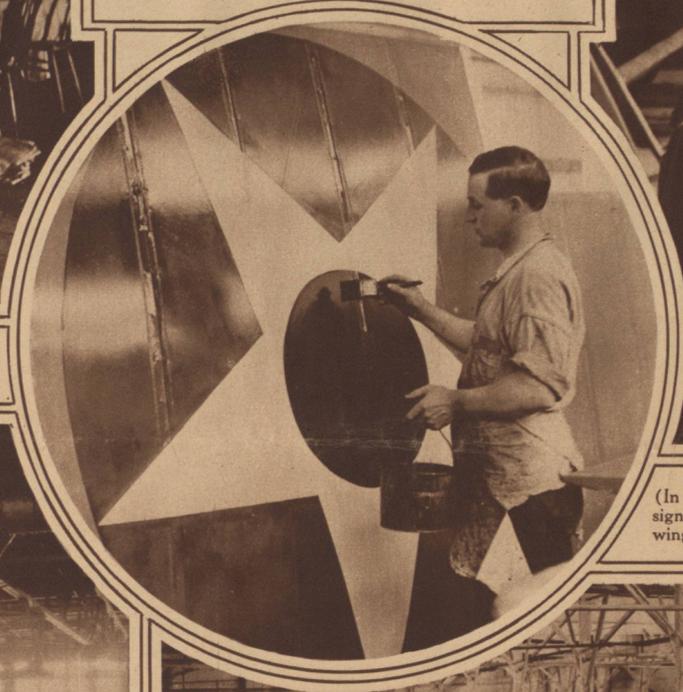


Stitching cloth which is to enter into the making of wings.

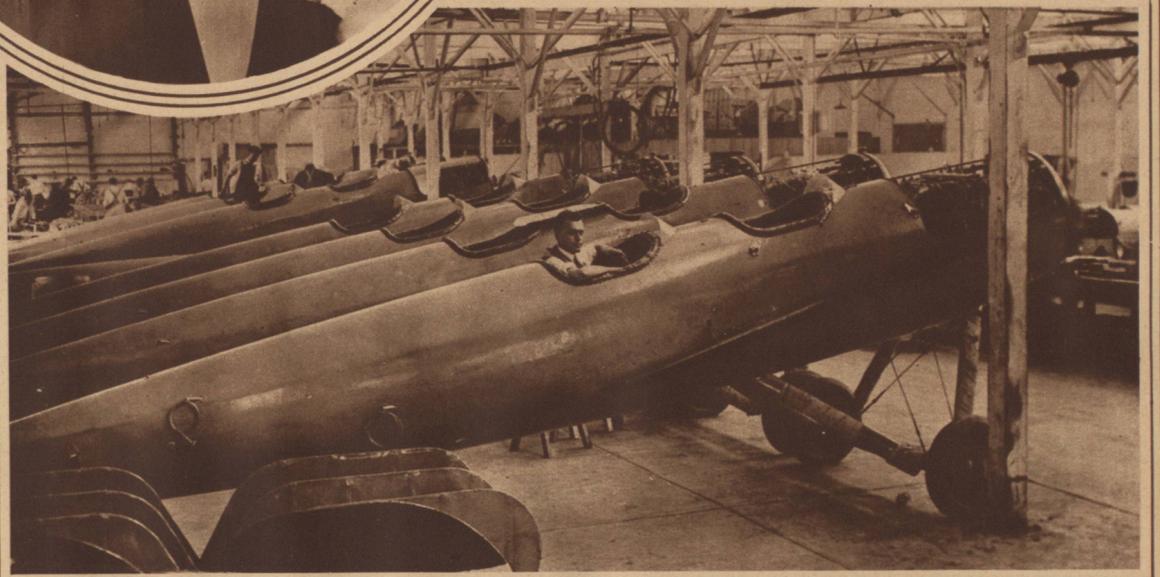


(In the circle)—Painting the insignia on one of the finished wings.

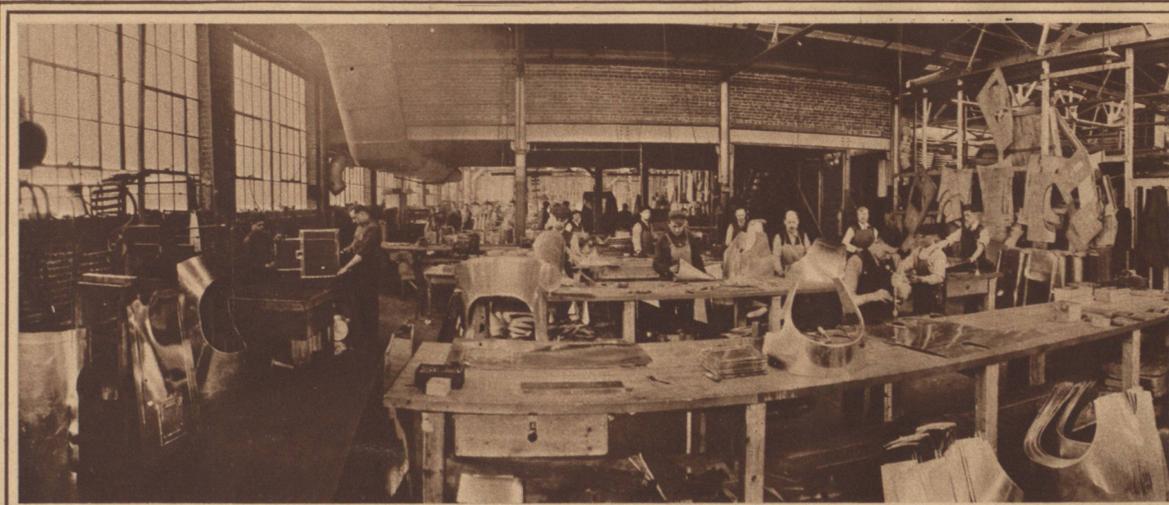
This busy little machine is cutting and stitching linen strips used in joining the linen on the wings.



Here mechanics are shown building airplane bodies and installing the motors.



They're queer looking objects, these airplane bodies still minus the wings.



Cutting out and shaping the pieces of metal covering for the front parts of airplane bodies.



This section of the shop is sacred to the propellers.