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Since the first of April 1946, the Embry-Riddle Company has taken charge of the flight training of 43 regular officers of the French Navy.

Four French instructors and a supervisor who were respectively instructors and group leader in the U. S. Navy at the time our training was undertaken by the latter, are supervising the progress made by our student-pilets.

According to these officers, the training given by Embry-Riddle is in all respects equal to that of the U. S. Navy. The only difference is that actual machine-gun practice is not included.

The efficiency of the instructors, the training syllabi and the security reach as high a standard as in the U. S. Navy.

The training given at Homestead included a refresher course in primary, and a full course in basic and advanced training.

No accidents have occurred.

I take great pleasure in thanking here Mr. Nate E. Reece Jr. whose understanding and cooperation have greatly contributed to the success of our training.

Homestead, july 22 1946.

/s/ Commander de Scitivaux

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