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#### JET AGE AHEAD



THE curtain will go up on the nation's long-heralded Jet Age in 1959 when major airlines begin operating propellerless planes which will spam the continent in four and a half hours.

Thirty Douglas DC-8 jetliners have been ordered by United Air Lines at  $\alpha$  cost of \$175,000,000, which includes spare parts. The price of each plane is \$4,750,000 as compared with \$1,750,000 for  $\alpha$  DC-7, currently the world's fastest attiliner:

The DC-8 will be powered by four Pratt & Whitney J-57 engines. Each engine will have an output of more than 10,000 pounds of thrust. (At 375 miles an hour a pound of thrust is equal to one horsepower.) The J-57 now is in use on various types of millitary aircraft.

The mighty J-57s will give the DC-8 a cruising speed of 550-575 miles an hour at allitudes of 30,000 to 40,000 feet. United's version of the plane will provide accommedations for either 112 first class or 140 coach passengers, in addition to 7,000 pounds of mail and cargo. Pressurization will keep the cabin air rich in oxygen while the plane cruises at high allitudes. At

a height of 23,000 feet, for example, the cabin atmosphere will be the same as at sea level.

DC-8s will be larger than present piston-engine, propeller airliners. The sweptback wings of the jetliner will measure 185 feet from tip to tip. It will have an over-all length of 140 1/2 feet and a tail height of 42 1/3 feet. The gross weight will be 242,500 pounds, or more than 120 tons.

Passengers on DC-8s will be able to have brackfast in New York, lunch in Los Angeles and dinner in Honolulu. Their flight will be smooth, vibrationless and comparatively quiet. Engineers are at work on devices to reduce jet take-off sounds.

United's engineers and techniciams spent long years in research and study on jet aircraft before the company decided to order DC-8s. In 1950 two experts were sent to Europe to make a survey of jet progress. They liew in the Vickers Viscount, which has propellers powered by a turbine engine. They also went up in the de Havilland "Comet," a pure jet plane without propellers.

Late in 1952 United began "flying"

theoretical jet airliners. This was done by pretending that two jet planes were flying a daily round-trip between San Francisco and New York. Flight plans were drawn up just as for real flights, specifying the altitudes at which the jets would fly, their fuel loads, weight of passengers and cargo, and estimated times of arrival at en route check points and airports.

The speed and direction of the winds at the altitudes at which the imaginary jets were flying were determined by meteorologists. Then they figured out how much the winds held back or speeded up the flight. The rate at which fuel was used up also was taken into account. When it was time for the plane to arrive at destination, a dispatcher would check to see if it could be fitted into the traffic which the tower controllers were handling.

United operated its imaginary jet planes for 15 months. Since the aircraft had no existence beyond assumptions made on paper, the company called it a "Paper Jet" project. Meteorologists, dispatchers, engineers and technicians got a good idea of what future jet operations would entail. It was learned, for example, that the weather conditions over United's system were excellent for jet airliners.

After the "Paper Jet" project was completed, United's engineers began consulting with experts of the Douglas Aircraft Company and the Boeing Airplane Company. In this way, the manufacturers learned what the airline desired in a passenger jet plane and officials of the airline found out how far the manufacturers could go in building such a plane.

Later, using information which the manufacturers supplied, United built a mockup of a jet airliner at its maintenance base in San Francisco. The mockup consisted of the entire passenger cabin, complete with windows, a stewardess buffet, and other authentic fixtures. Perched high on scaffolding, the dummy fuselage looked something like a rocket ship without nose or tail.

The mockup was studied and tested to determine the best seating arrangements, where to locate the buffet, lavatories and other furnishings. Two kinds of windows were placed in the sides to learn which type would give future passengers the best views. Stewardesses were brought in for their opinions on how the facilities would lend themselves to better service of passengers.

Meanwhile, various types of equipment which United purchased to use with piston-engine planes were designed so that it would not become obsolete when the jetliners arrived. A new type of food truck, for example, was built with a hoisting device which lifts the food containers right up to the door of a plane. This cuts the time required for food delivery to half of what it is at present, taking into account the fact that around servicing of jets will have to be faster.

As a final step in its preparation for jets, United's engineers and officials went into the factories of the aircraft builders to see their plans and assembly lines. All the facts on dimensions, performance and servicing requirements were gathered for study. Charts and graphs were prepared, statistics compiled and comparisons made.

On the morning of October 25, 1955, the facts gathered during the preceding five years were turned over to United's board of directors at Chicogo. The board carefully went over each detail, point by point, and reached its decision. Thus, United became the first domestic airline to order propellerless airliners, usherina in this nation's let Age.

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