

PLANE ENGINE PASSES TESTS

Chevrolet Product Is Given

Approved Type Certificate

The new Chevrolet aircraft engine, developed by Louis Chevrolet has passed its fifty-hour test and has been given an approved type certificate by the Department of Commerce, it was announced yesterday by Mr. Chevrolet.

The engine is manufactured by the Chevrolet Aircraft Corporation, a subsidiary of the Glenn L. Martin Company, of Middle River. It was said that the engine developed greater horsepower per pound of weight than any aircraft engine of similar type in the United States.

Production In Prospect

With the passing of the tests, it is expected the company will prepare to place the engine in production for commercial use, possibly in a light plane to be developed by the Martin company.

The engine, which weighs only 280 pounds, is of the inverted type, air-cooled, with four cylinders in line. By inversion of the motor greater visibility is gained for the pilot.