## 826 MEDICAL AIR EVACUATION SQUADRON

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The 826th was destined to be only a training one. We were all anxious to go trained special and

definitely were the best! The enlisted men even bought a black cocker spaniel as a mascot. We had all had our shots, our 201 files were complete all we needed was orders. The 826th was broken up and personnel sent out as replacements. They called all of us leaving Bowman at that time the 830th. When we reached Hickam Field, we were divided into 2 groups one flew to

Saipan and the other down under. I was put in charge of the Saipan group. Our biggest job was bringing to Saipan the injured from Leyte. It was a long hard trip. We left at 5AM and returned about 7PM or later. There was no camouflage for the plane.
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