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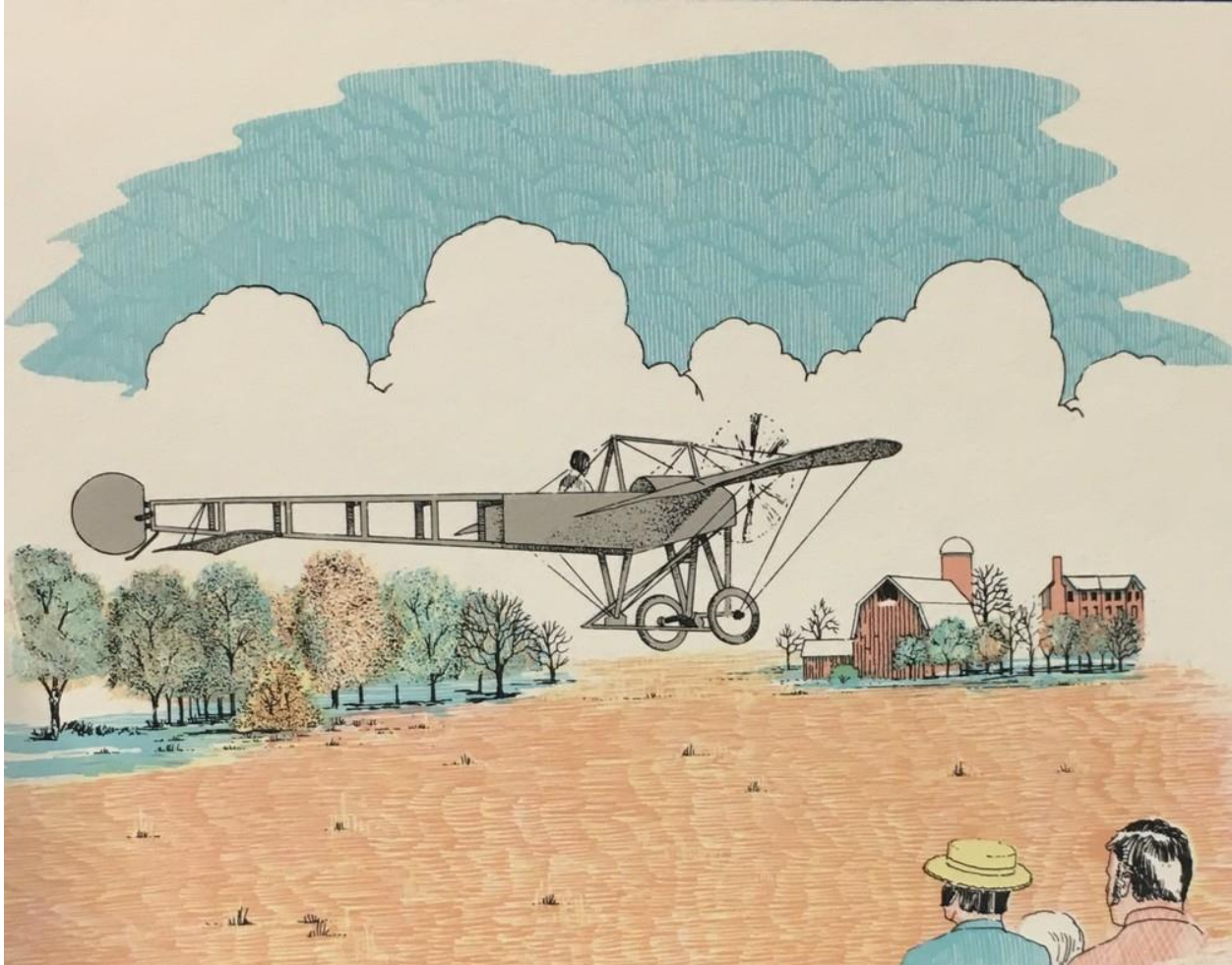
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Clyde Cessna's Family Farm

Central to the career of Clyde Cessna, founder of Cessna Air, was his Rago farm where he worked on both aviation and agriculture. He used it to support himself and his family through his innovative and risky career as an aviator. The farmstead that was home to Kansas aviation pioneer Clyde Cessna was foundational to his success and to his development as an inventor both in the air and on the ground.



Drawing of Clyde Cessna flying Silverwings over the family farm

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[Race Pilot Roy Liggett with the CR2, "Miss Wanda"](#)

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