Operations at Municipal Airport zoom in Passenger, Mail, Freight Activities

Although operations at the Lake-Point (now known as LAFAYETTE) have been subject to discussion and controversy, the airport continues to grow and improve. The new terminal building, completed in 1935, has increased the capacity of the airport to handle more passengers and cargo. The terminal has a modern design with ample space for passengers and luggage, and it is equipped with the latest in security and transportation technology.

LAFAYETTE AIRPORT — The improvements in facilities and passenger traffic through the Lafayette Municipal Airport within the past three months have been revealed by the following data: passenger traffic has increased by 20%, cargo traffic by 15%, and general aviation activity by 10%. The airport now serves approximately 75,000 passengers and 10,000 tons of cargo annually.

The growth of the airport is reflected in the increase of aircraft operations. In 1935, the airport handled 500 aircraft operations, including commercial flights, private charter flights, and military exercises. By 1950, the number of aircraft operations had increased to 2,000 per month, with an average of 60,000 passengers and 1,000 tons of cargo handled each year.

In conclusion, the Lafayette Municipal Airport is a vital link in the transportation network of the region, providing a range of services to passengers and cargo carriers. The airport continues to expand its facilities and improve its operations to meet the growing demands of the transportation industry.