

8th ATTACK WING

LINEAGE

8th Wing Headquarters (Attack), constituted, 15 Oct 1921
Redesignated 8th Attack Wing, 8 May 1929
Inactivated, 18 Oct 1929
Demobilized, 1 Oct 1933

STATIONS

Richards Field, Kansas City, MO, 1922-1929
Inactive 1929-33

ASSIGNMENTS

Third Army
Sixth Army

COMMANDERS

Maj Guy V. Head, Feb 1922-13 Sep 1922
Cpt Richard E. Wiles, 13 Sep 1922 Jun 1927
Unknown, Jun 1927-18 Oct 1929
Inactive, 18 Oct 1929-1 Oct 1933

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 15 October 1921 as 8th Wing Headquarters (Attack), assigned to the Third Army and allotted to the Seventh Corps Area. Headquarters initiated in February 1922 at Richards Field, Kansas City, MO. Redesignated as Headquarters, 8th Attack Wing on 8 May 1929. Inactivated on 18 October 1929 at Richards Field by relief of personnel. Withdrawn from the Seventh Corps Area and demobilized on 1 October 1933.

Subordinate units: 304th Pursuit Group 1923-33, 322nd Pursuit Group 1923-24, 320th Observation Group 1923-33, 321st Attack Group 1923-33.

Air Force Order of Battle

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