

# **287<sup>th</sup> AERO SQUADRON**

## **MISSION**

## **LINEAGE**

287<sup>th</sup> Aero Squadron Organized Apr 1918  
Redesignated Squadron D, Chanute Field, IL, Jul 1918  
Redesignated 287<sup>th</sup> Aero Squadron, Dec 1918  
Demobilized, Dec 1918

## **STATIONS**

Wilbur Wright Field, OH  
Chanute Field, IL  
Aviation Gen Sup Dep, Americus, GA

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

## **COMMANDERS**

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

### **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

## **EMBLEM**

## **MOTTO**

## **NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

On 15 December 1918, the 112th and the 287th Aero Squadrons left the field for Americus, Georgia, one of the chief winter flying fields outside of the fields at San Antonio, Texas. Their

departure depleted the field's complement to less than 400 men. The two squadrons were amalgamated into the Aviation General Supply Depot Detachment once they reached their destination.

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