

309th ATTACK GROUP

MISSION

LINEAGE

309th Attack Group constituted, 15 Oct 1921

Initiated, 21 Jan 1922

Inactivated, 1 Dec 1929

Reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 309th Attack Group, 1 Oct 1933

Disbanded, 31 May 1942

STATIONS

Not initiated 1921-1922

Municipal Airport, Chicago, IL, 1922-1929

Inactive 1929-1941

ASSIGNMENTS

11th Attack Wing

COMMANDERS

2Lt Kent A. Alcorn, 21 Jan 1922-19 May 1922

Cpt Stephen D. Day, 19 May 1922-10 Feb 1923

Unknown, 10 Feb 1923-1 Apr 1925

Cpt John N. Thorpe, Jr., 1 Apr 1925-May 1925

Maj Charles A. Reid, Dec 1925-11 Mar 1926

Maj John N. Thorpe, Jr., 11 Mar 1926-1 Dec 1929

Inactive, 1 Dec 1929-7 Dec 1941

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 15 October 1921, assigned to the 11th Attack Wing (Sixth Army), and allotted to the Sixth Corps Area. Initiated on 21 January 1922 with headquarters at the Municipal Airport, Chicago, IL. Inactivated 1 December 1929 at Chicago by relief of personnel. Reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 309th Attack Group on 1 October 1933. Conducted summer training most years with units of the 1st Pursuit Group at Chanute Field, IL.

Subordinate squadrons: 425th Attack Squadron 1921-41, 426th Attack Squadron 1921-41, 427th Attack Squadron 1921-41, 428th Attack Squadron 1921-41, Air Park No. 339 1921-23, 339th Service Squadron 1923-36

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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