

880 GUARD SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

880 Guard Squadron

STATIONS

Hill Field, Utah

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

The last contingent of the 8th Transport Squadron arrived from San Antonio. The first came on 5 April 1941. Equipped with C-33 transport airplanes the squadron moved men and material between Air Corps stations in the western states and maintained the planes it used. As the first military carrying organization on the field, the 8th handled administrative, rations and quarters matters for military personnel formerly attached to the Ogden Air Depot. The Squadron's total strength on this date was four officers and 32 enlisted men. After it departed for Kellogg Field, Michigan on 23 May 1942, the 880th Guard Squadron and the 31st Air Depot Group assumed support functions., 29 Jun 1941

The task of supporting military personnel on the base, with the departure of the 8th, fell to the 880th Guard Squadron.

Ogden Air Depot activated the 880th Military Police Component with four officers and eight enlisted men furnished by the Provost Marshal. In August 1942 it was called the 880th Military Police Aviation Squadron, later the 880th Guard Squadron., 26 Apr 1942

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