

1918

SEPTEMBER 12
U.S. COLONEL BILLY MITCHELL
DEMONSTRATES EFFECTIVENESS
OF MILITARY AIR SUPPORT
OF GROUND FORCES

1919

MAY 16 - 27
FIRST TRANS-ATLANTIC AIR CROSSING
FLIGHT OF THE NC-4
COMMANDER AND NAVIGATOR
LCDR. A.C. READ

1919

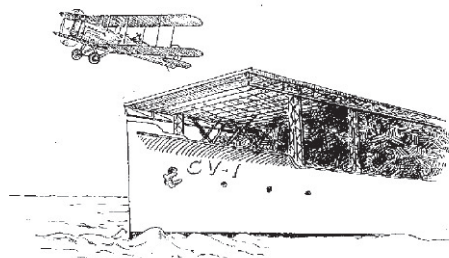
JUNE 14 - 15
FIRST NONSTOP
FLIGHT ACROSS THE ATLANTIC
BRITISH CAPT. JOHN ALCOCK AND
LT. ARTHUR WHITTEN BROWN

1919

FIRST SUSTAINED INTERNATIONAL
COMMERCIAL PASSENGER SERVICE,
BETWEEN PARIS AND BRUSSELS

1922

MARCH 20



USS LANGLEY
FIRST AMERICAN AIRCRAFT CARRIER
IS COMMISSIONED

1923

IN-FLIGHT REFUELING INTRODUCED

1924

FIRST AROUND-THE-WORLD FLIGHT
U.S. ARMY AIR SERVICE
DOUGLAS WORLD CRUISERS



PYLON 3
Monument to a Century of Flight
Kitty Hawk, North Carolina