309th BALLOON SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

309th Balloon Company constituted and organized, 29 July 1921 Initiated, Sep 1922 Inactivated, 3 Dec 1926 Redesignated 309th Balloon Squadron, 1 Oct 1933 Disbanded, 31 May 1942

STATIONS

Not initiated 1921-1922 Pittsburgh Airport, Pittsburgh, PA, 1922-1926 Inactive 1926-1941

ASSIGNMENTS

43rd Balloon Group (Later 543rd Balloon Group, 20 Feb 1924)

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 29 July 1921 as the 309th Balloon Company, assigned to the 43rd Balloon Group (redesignated as the 543rd Balloon Group on 20 February 1924), and allotted to the Third Corps Area. Initiated in September 1922 at Pittsburgh Airport, Pittsburgh, PA. Inactivated on 3 December 1926 at Pittsburgh by relief of personnel. Redesignated as the 309th Balloon Squadron on 1 October 1933. Status: Disbanded on 31 May 1942.

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Sources

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