

338th OBSERVATION GROUP

MISSION

LINEAGE

HQ, 338th Observation Group constituted in the Organized Reserve, 31 Mar 1924

Initiated, 6 Apr 1925

Inactivated, 1 Oct 1929

Reorganized and redesignated Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 338th Observation Group, 1 Oct 1933

Reorganized, Aug 1935

Disbanded 31 May 1942

STATIONS

Not initiated 1924-1925

Temple, TX, 1925-1929

Inactive 1929-1935

Temple, TX, 1935-1941

ASSIGNMENTS

VIII Corps

COMMANDERS

Unknown, 6 Apr 1925-Apr 1927

Cpt Ralph W. Stone, Apr 1927-16 May 1928

LTC Barnard Cummings, 16 May 1928-1 Oct 1929

Inactive, 1 Oct 1929-Aug 1935

Cpt Ben W. Barclay, Aug 1935-10 Dec 1936

LTC Charles W. Mason, 10 Dec 1936-Jul 1937

Unknown, Jul 1937-7 Dec 1941

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 31 March 1924, assigned to the VIII Corps, and allotted to the Eighth Corps Area. Initiated on 6 April 1925 with headquarters at Temple, TX. Inactivated 1 October 1929 at Temple by relief of personnel. Reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 338th Observation Group on 1 October 1933. Reorganized by August 1935 at Temple. Disbanded 31 May 1942.

Subordinate squadrons: 315th Observation Squadron 1933-41, 320th Observation Squadron 1933-41, 328th Observation Squadron 1933-41, 365th Observation Squadron 1924-33, 366th Observation Squadron 1924-33, 350th Service Squadron 1933-36, 380th Service Squadron 1924-33

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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