

# **4<sup>th</sup> BALLOON SQUADRON**

## **LINEAGE**

4th Balloon Company constituted, 18 Oct 1927  
Inactivated, Jun 1932  
Redesignated 4<sup>th</sup> Balloon Squadron, 1 Oct 1933

## **STATIONS**

Not organized 1927-1930  
Chicago, IL, 1930-1932  
Inactive 1932-1941

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

25<sup>th</sup> Balloon Group  
26<sup>th</sup> Balloon Group, 8 May 1929

## **WEAPON SYSTEMS**

## **COMMANDERS**

## **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

## **EMBLEM**

## **MOTTO**

## **OPERATIONS**

Constituted in the Regular Army on 18 October 1927 as the 4th Balloon Company, assigned to the 25th Balloon Group, and allotted to the Eighth Corps Area. Fort Sam Houston, TX, designated as headquarters on organization, but the unit was never organized at that location. Withdrawn from the Eighth Corps Area on 1 September 1928 and allotted to the Sixth Corps Area. Relieved from the 25th Balloon Group on 8 May 1929 and assigned to the 26th Balloon

Group. Organized by June 1930 with Organized Reserve personnel as a RAI unit at Chicago, IL. Inactivated by June 1932 at Chicago by relief of personnel. Withdrawn from the Sixth Corps Area on 1 October 1933 and allotted to the Eighth Corps Area. Concurrently redesignated as the 4th Balloon Squadron. Designated mobilization training station was Post Field, OK. Mobilization assignment was to support the training of the Field Artillery School.

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