

120 BALLOON COMPANY

MISSION

LINEAGE

Balloon Company No. 120 constituted in the National Guard and allotted to the state of Illinois, 1921

Redesignated as the 120th Balloon Company on 25 Jan 1923

Placed on the deferred list, 2 Jul 1923

Withdrawn from allotment to the National Guard and demobilized, 17 Sep 1927

STATIONS

Not organized 1921-1927

ASSIGNMENTS

15 Balloon Group

36 Balloon Group, 25 Jan 1923

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

Constituted in the National Guard in 1921 as Balloon Company No. 120, assigned to the 15th Balloon Group (VI Corps), and allotted to the state of Illinois. Rockford, IL, designated as headquarters on organization, but the unit was never organized at that location. Redesignated as the 120th Balloon Company on 25 January 1923 and assigned to the 36th Balloon Group (VI Corps). Placed on the deferred list on 2 July 1923, unit requirement transferred to the Organized Reserve as a Deferred National Guard unit, and replaced by the 470th Balloon Company. Withdrawn from allotment to the National Guard on 17 September 1927 and demobilized.

Air Force Unit Histories

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Sources

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