140th OBSERVATION SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

140 Squadron (Observation) constituted in the National Guard and allotted to the state of Illinois, 1921

Placed on the deferred list and transferred to the Organized Reserve as a Deferred National Guard unit, and redesignated 558 Observation Squadron, 2 Jul 1923

Withdrawn from allotment to the National Guard and the Sixth Corps Area and demobilized, 17 Sep 1927

STATIONS

Not organized 1921-1927

ASSIGNMENTS

335 Observation Group

COMMANDERS

HONORS Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

Constituted in the National Guard in 1921 as the 140th Squadron (Observation), assigned to the 335th Observation Group (VI Corps), and allotted to the state of Illinois. Placed on the deferred list on 2 July 1923, transferred to the Organized Reserve as a Deferred National Guard unit, and redesignated as the 558th Observation Squadron. Withdrawn from allotment to the National Guard and the Sixth Corps Area on 17 September 1927 and demobilized.

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