

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

## **MISSION**

## **LINEAGE**

305<sup>th</sup> Balloon Company constituted, 29 Jul 1921  
Initiated, 4 Nov 1921  
Redesignated 305<sup>th</sup> Balloon Squadron, 1 Oct 1933  
Inactivated, Sep 1937  
Disbanded, 31 May 1942

## **STATIONS**

Trenton, NJ, 1921-37  
Inactive 1937-41

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

42nd Balloon Group (redesignated as the 542nd Balloon Group on 20 February 1924)

## **COMMANDERS**

## **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

## **EMBLEM**

## **MOTTO**

## **NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 29 July 1921 as the 305th Balloon Company, assigned to the 42nd Balloon Group (redesignated as the 542nd Balloon Group on 20 February 1924), and allotted to the Second Corps Area. Initiated on 4 November 1921 at Trenton, NJ. Redesignated as the 305th Balloon Squadron on 1 October 1933. Inactivated about September 1937 at Trenton by relief of personnel. Status: Disbanded on 31 May 1942.

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Air Force Order of Battle

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### Sources

*US Army Order of Battle 1919-1941*. Steven E. Clay. Combat Studies Institute Press. US Army Combined Arms Center. Fort Leavenworth, KS. Nd.