

# 339<sup>th</sup> OBSERVATION GROUP

## MISSION

## LINEAGE

HQ, 339th Observation Group constituted in the Organized Reserve, 31 Mar 1924

Initiated, May 1926

Inactivated, 19 May 1928

Reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 339th Observation Group, 1 Oct 1933

Reorganized, 20 Jun 1935

Inactivated, 3 Nov 1936

Disbanded, 31 May 1942

## STATIONS

Not initiated 1924-1926

Temple, TX, 1926-1928

Inactive 1928-1935

Temple, TX, 1935-1936

Inactive 1936-1941

## ASSIGNMENTS

XVIII Corps

## COMMANDERS

Unknown, May 1926-19 Apr 1927

1LT Clarence L. Solomon 19 Apr 1927-May 1927

Cpt Joe Thurmond, Jan 1928-19 May 1928

Inactive, 19 May 1928-20 Jun 1935

Maj William C. Lewis, 20 Jun 1935-3 Nov 1936

Inactive, 3 Nov 1936-7 Dec 1941

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

### **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

## **EMBLEM**

## **MOTTO**

## **NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 31 March 1924, assigned to the XVIII Corps, and allotted to the Eighth Corps Area. Initiated in May 1926 with headquarters at Temple, TX. Inactivated 19 May 1928 at Temple by relief of personnel. Reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 339th Observation Group on 1 October 1933. Reorganized 20 June 1935 at Temple, TX. Designated mobilization training station was Kelly Field, TX. Withdrawn from the Eighth Corps Area 5 June 1936 and allotted to the Second Corps Area. Inactivated 3 November 1936 at Temple by relief of personnel. Englewood, NJ, designated as headquarters on reorganization, but the unit was never organized at that location. Location 7 December 1941—Inactive. Disbanded 31 May 1942.

Subordinate squadrons: 371st Observation Squadron 1924-33, 561st Observation Squadron 1924-33, 365th Observation Squadron 1933-41, 366th Observation Squadron 1933-41, 569th Service Squadron 1924-36

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Air Force Order of Battle

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### Sources

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