13 AIRSHIP COMPANY

MISSION

LINEAGE

Balloon Company No. 13
Inactivated, 26 Jul 1922
Redesignated 13 Balloon Company, 12 Feb 1923
Redesignated 13th Airship Company on 24 March 1923
Organized, Jun 1930
Inactivated, Jun 1932
Demobilized, 1 Oct 1933

STATIONS

Camp Mills, NY, 1919 Garden City, NY, 24 Jun 1919 Ross Field, CA, 24 Jul 1919-1922 Inactive 1922-1930 Chicago, IL, 1930-1932 Inactive 1932-1930

ASSIGNMENTS

Army Balloon School 23 Airship Group, 24 March 1923

COMMANDERS

Capt Charles P. Clark, Jan 1920

1st Lt Karl S. Axtater, 14 Dec 1920

Capt Harold E. Weeks, 3 Jan 1921

1st Lt Karl S. Axtater, 17 Feb 1921

Capt Lester T. Miller, 25 Apr 1921

Capt Garth B. Haddock, 21 Jun 1922

Unknown, Jun 30-Jun 1932

Inactive, Jun 1932-1 Oct 1933

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

Arrived at the port of New York, NY, on 18 June 1919 on the S.S. Duca Degli Abruzz as Balloon Company No. 13.

Withdrawn from the Ninth Corps Area on 1 September 1928 and allotted to the Sixth Corps Area.

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.

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Sources

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