

137 BALLOON SERVICE COMPANY

LINEAGE

Balloon Park No. 17 Constituted in the National Guard and allotted to the state of Colorado, 1921

Redesignated 137 Balloon Service Company, 25 Jan 1923

Placed on the deferred list on unit requirement transferred to the Organized Reserve as a Deferred National Guard unit, 2 Jul 1923

Withdrawn as a Deferred National Guard unit on and allotted permanently to the Organized Reserve as 487 Balloon Service Company, 11 January 1927

STATIONS

Not organized 1921-1926

ASSIGNMENTS

51 Balloon Group

551 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 Park No. 17, assigned to the 51st Balloon Group (VIII Corps), and allotted to the state of Colorado. Redesignated as the 137th Balloon Service Company on 25 January 1923 and assigned to the 551st Balloon Group (VIII 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 487th Balloon Service Company. Withdrawn as a Deferred National Guard unit on 11 January 1927 and allotted permanently to the Organized Reserve as the 487th Balloon Service Company. Concurrently withdrawn from the Eighth Corps Area and allotted to the Seventh Corps Area.

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Sources

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