

42 OBSERVATION GROUP

MISSION

LINEAGE

42 Observation Group constituted, 1 Oct 1933

Organized, 7 Nov 1933

Disbanded, 1941

STATIONS

Mitchel Field, NY, 1933-41

ASSIGNMENTS

II Corps

COMMANDERS

Capt Roy A. Mullen, 7 Nov 1933-Jan 1934

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Regular Army on 1 October 1933, assigned to the II Corps, and allotted to the Second Corps Area. Organized on 7 November 1933 with Organized Reserve personnel as a RAI unit at Mitchel Field, NY. Relieved from the II Corps in 1941 and disbanded.

Subordinate Squadrons: 97th Observation Squadron 1935-37; 102nd Observation Squadron 1933-40; 119th Observation Squadron 1933-40; 302nd Observation Squadron 1933-40; 42nd Service Squadron (RAI) on 1933-36

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