

396th PURSUIT SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

396th Squadron (Pursuit) constituted in the Organized Reserve, 15 Oct 1921

Initiated, 7 Mar 1922

Redesignated 396th Pursuit Squadron, 25 Jan 1923

Inactivated, 8 Apr 1930

Demobilized, 1 Oct 1933

STATIONS

Not initiated 1921-1922

Newark, NJ 1922-1930

Inactive 1930-1933

ASSIGNMENTS

302nd Pursuit Group

COMMANDERS

1Lt J. F. Mullen, 7 Mar 1922

Cpt John C. Rorison, 10 Jun 1922

Cpt Cyrus F. Smythe, 18 Aug 1923

Cpt Rutledge B. Barry, 16 Jul 1924-15 May 1925

Unknown, 15 May 25-Aug 1926

Cpt Douglas T. Goodale, Aug 1926

Cpt Donald Hudson, 2 Dec 1926

Maj Eric T. Bradley, 6 Apr 1929

Maj Donald Hudson, 9 Dec 1929-8 Apr 1930

Inactive, 8 Apr 1930-1 Oct 1933

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 15 October 1921 as the 396th Squadron (Pursuit), assigned to the 302nd Pursuit Group (Fourth Army), and allotted to the Second Corps Area. Initiated on 7 March 1922 at Newark, NJ. Redesignated as the 396th Pursuit Squadron on 25 January 1923. Inactivated on 8 April 1930 at Newark by relief of personnel. Conducted summer training at Mitchel Field, NY. Demobilized on 1 October 1933.

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.