# 21st BOMBARDMENT WING

### LINEAGE

## **STATIONS**

New Orleans, LA, 1940-41 Barksdale Field, LA, 1941

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

### **COMMANDERS**

Brig. Gen. Walter H. Frank 1 Nov 40-8 Apr 41 Lt. Col. Clarence H. Welch 8 Apr 41-19 Jun 41 Col. Junius H. Houghton 19 Jun 41-1 Oct 41

#### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers** 

**Campaign Streamers** 

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers** 

**Decorations** 

**EMBLEM** 

**EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE** 

**MOTTO** 

**NICKNAME** 

#### **OPERATIONS**

Constituted in the Regular Army on 19 October 1940. Activated on 1 November 1940 at New Orleans, LA. Transferred on 2 April 1941 to Barksdale Field, LA. Inactivated on 1 October 1941 at Barksdale Field, LA. Location 7 December 1941—Inactive. Disbanded 15 December 1942.

Subordinate units: 30th Bombardment Group 1940-41, 38th Bombardment Group 1940-41, 2nd Reconnaissance Squadron 1935-40, 15th Reconnaissance Squadron 1940-41.

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Sources Air Force Historical Research Agency. U.S. Air Force. Maxwell AFB, AL.