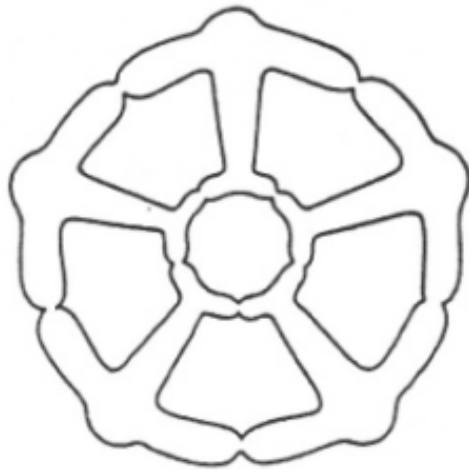


HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON, 5 AIR BASE GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

Constituted and organized Station Complement, Hamilton Field, 1 Mar 1935
Reorganized and redesignated Base Headquarters and 5 Air Base Squadron, 1 Sep 1936
Redesignated Base Headquarters and 5th Air Base Squadron (2 Group), 6 Dec 1939
Redesignated Base Headquarters and 5 Air Base Squadron (Double), 1 Feb 1940
Reorganized and redesignated Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 5 Air Base Group, 1 Sep 1940

STATIONS

Hamilton Field, CA

ASSIGNMENTS

General Headquarters Air Force

COMMANDERS

Col Clarence L. Tinker, 1 Sep 1936
Col Davenport Johnson, 7 Nov 1936
Lt Col Clinton W. Russell, 26 Feb 1938
Col John F. Curry, 12 Apr 1939
Col Shepler W. FitzGerald, 1 Sep 1940
Col Lowell H. Smith, Feb 41-1 Sep 1940

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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MOTTO

OPERATIONS

Constituted and organized 1 March 1935 as the Station Complement, Hamilton Field. Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1936 as Base Headquarters and 5th Air Base Squadron and assigned the General Headquarters Air Force. Reorganization effected by transfer of personnel and equipment from the 69th and 70th Service Squadrons. Redesignated on 6 December 1939 as Base Headquarters and 5th Air Base Squadron (2 Group). Redesignated on 1 February 1940 as Base Headquarters and 5th Air Base Squadron (Double). Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1940 as HHS, 5th Air Base Group.

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