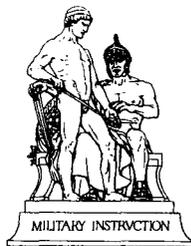


ARMY LINEAGE SERIES

ARMOR-CAVALRY

Part I:
Regular Army
and
Army Reserve

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3d SQUADRON, 17th CAVALRY

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LINEAGE

Constituted 1 July 1916 in the Regular Army as Troop C, 17th Cavalry. Organized 9 July 1916 at Fort Bliss, Texas. Inactivated 26 September 1921 at Presidio of Monterey, California. Disbanded 9 March 1951.

Reconstituted 1 March 1957 in the Regular Army and consolidated with 11th Airborne Reconnaissance Company (see ANNEX); consolidated unit designated as Troop C (Reconnaissance) (Airborne), 17th Cavalry, assigned to 11th Airborne Division and activated in Europe. Relieved 1 July 1958 from assignment to 11th Airborne Division. Inactivated 15 November 1958 in Europe. Activated 15 March 1962 as Troop C (Air), 17th Cavalry, at Fort Knox, Kentucky. Inactivated 16 January 1963 at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Redesignated 1 February 1963 as Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 3d Squadron, 17th Cavalry, and assigned to 11th Air Assault Division (organic elements concurrently constituted in the Regular Army). (Troop B [Air], 3d Squadron, 17th Cavalry, activated 7 February 1963 at Fort Rucker, Alabama.) 3d Squadron (less Troop B), 17th Cavalry, activated 19 March 1964 at Fort Benning, Georgia. Relieved 30 June 1965 from assignment to 11th Air Assault Division. Inactivated 1 July 1965 at Fort Benning, Georgia. Activated 25 November 1966 at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

ANNEX

11th Tank Company constituted 16 November 1921 in the Regular Army. Activated 19 November 1921 at Camp George G. Meade, Maryland. Assigned 26 August 1941 to the Hawaiian Division. Relieved 1 October 1941 from assignment to the Hawaiian Division. Disbanded 23 April 1942 in Hawaii.

Reconstituted 10 September 1947 in the Regular Army. Activated 20 September 1947 in Europe. Inactivated 1 November 1948 in Germany. Redesignated 28 February 1949 as 11th Reconnaissance Company. Activated 30 April 1949 at Camp Campbell, Kentucky. Redesignated 15 July 1950 as 11th Airborne Reconnaissance Company and assigned to 11th Airborne Division.

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

- *Central Pacific
- Northern France
- Rhineland
- Ardennes-Alsace
- Central Europe

Vietnam

- *Counteroffensive, Phase III
- *Tet Counteroffensive

DECORATIONS

None.