

HEADQUARTERS
416TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L)
Office of the Commanding Officer

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Commanding General, Ninth Air Force, APO 696, U. S. Army. (REAR)
Attention 26th Statistical Control Unit.

From: 416th Bombardment Group (L), APO 140, U.S. Army.

Ref: Oprep & No. 127 for 24 hrs. ending midnight 5 August 1944
Mission or Operation No. 113 97CW FO 161 - 467

A. Short Narrative of Operation:

Target Marigny Campiegne M/Y
Place of take-off AAF Station 170
Place of landing AAF Station 170
Take-off time 1005 Landing time 1332
Time over target 1205 Bombing Altitude 12,000 ft.
Nature of mission Bombing Other None
Weather Over target and elsewhere - 2 to 3/10 clouds, tops 10,000 ft, vis 10 mi.
Results Exc, exc, good, exc, exc, good.
Enemy opposition Weak inaccurate HFF at Abencourt.

B. Type & model of aircraft:

1. Dispatched 30 A-20G
6 A-20J
2. Attacking target (indicate target) or completing mission.
29 A-20G Marigny Campiegne M/Y
6 A-20J Marigny Campiegne M/Y
3. Abortive due to:
 - (1) Weather: None
 - (2) Personnel: None
 - (3) Mechanical: 1 A-20G returned early - sparks in radio section (no sortie)
 - (4) Other: None
4. Missing (i.e. cause and place unknown) None
5. Destroyed - before reaching target None
giving cause where known _____
6. Destroyed - over or after leaving None
target giving cause where known _____
7. Damaged (give category & cause) None
8. Sorties 29 A-20G
6 A-20J

D. Total operational flying hours

a. Day (Sunrise to sunset) A-20G 97:45
A-20J 20:40

b. Night (Sunset to sunrise) None

E. Ammunition by calibres:

a. Total carried into air A-20G 94,500 x 50 cal.
A-20J 12,600 x 50 cal.

b. Expended on operations A-20G 720 x 50 cal. A-20J 144 x 50 cal. (testing)

c. Lost on wrecked or missing a/c None

F. Bombs, flares, etc. used:

a. Total carried into air: A-20G 154 x 500 lb GP 1/10 N 1/100 T
A-20J 30 x 500 lb GP 1/10 N 1/100 T

b. Expended on operations: A-20G 150 x 500 lb GP
 (List targets separately) A-20J 30 x 500 lb GP

c. Jettisoned None

d. Lost or wrecked on missing a/c None

e. Total Returned A-20G 4 x 500 lb GP

G. Own Personnel Casualties:

Type of Casualty	Pilot	Co-pilot	Nav	Bomb	R.Gun	E.Gun	T.Gun
Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Missing in Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seriously Wounded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slightly Wounded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

H. Enemy aircraft by type or description (tentative claims):-

a. Destroyed None

b. Prob. Dos None

c. Damaged None

For the Commanding Officer:

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