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

TO: Commanding General, Ninth Air Force, APO 696, U. S. Army.
Attn: 26th Statistical Control.

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

Ref: Oprep A No. 183 for 24 hrs. ending midnight 3 October 1944
Mission or Operation No. 151 97th CW FO#10-579

A. Short Narrative of Operation:

Target Duren Marshalling Yards

Place of take-off AAF Station A-55

Place of landing AAF Station A-55

Take-off time 0951

Landing time 1236

Time over target 1106

Bombing Altitude No Attack

Nature of mission Bombing

Other None

Weather 10/10 cloud cover in two layers - 1st layer 6500-7000' -2nd layer 10500-11000'

Results No Attack

Enemy opposition None

B. Type & model of aircraft:

1. Dispatched A-20G's 27

A-20J's 9

2. Attacking target (indicate target) or completing mission.

None

3. Abortive due to:

(1) Weather: A-20G's 27

A-20J's 9

(2) Personnel: None

(3) Mechanical: None

(4) Other: None

4. Missing (i.e. cause and place unknown) None

5. Destroyed - before reaching target None
giving cause w here known

6. Destroyed - over or after leaving None
target giving cause w here known

7. Damaged (give category & cause) None

8. Sorties A-20G's 27

A-20J's 9

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0.6155

D. Total operational flying hours

a. Day (Sunrise to sunset)

A-20G's - 7440

A-20J's - 2240

b. Night (Sunset to sunrise)

None

E. Ammunition by calibres:

A-20G's - 85050 x .50 calibre

a. Total carried into air

A-20J's - 18900 x .50 calibre

b. Expended on operations

None

c. Lost on wrecked or missing a/c

None

F. Bombs, flares, etc. used:

a. Total carried into air:

A-20G's 152 x 500 GP Fused 1/10W 1/100T

A-20J's 54 x 500 GP Fused 1/10W 1/100T

b. Expended on operations:

None

(List targets separately)

c. Jettisoned

None

d. Lost or wrecked on
missing a/c

None

e. Total Returned

A-20G's 152 x 500 GP

A-20J's 54 x 500 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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