

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

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

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

Ref: Oprep & No. 79 for 24 hrs. ending midnight 18 June 1944
Mission or Operation No. 79

A. Short Narrative of Operation:

Target Forêt de Conches
Place of take-off AAF Station 170
Place of landing AAF Station 170
Take-off time 0942 Landing time 1232
Time over target No attack Bombing Altitude No attack
Nature of mission Bombing Other None
Weather 10/10 stratocumulus with tops 5,000 feet. Visibility 10 miles plus
Results No attack
Enemy opposition None

B. Type & model of aircraft:

1. Dispatched 30 A-20G's
6 A-20J's

2. Attacking target (indicate target) or completing mission.
None

3. Abortive due to:
(1) Weather: 30 A-20G's - 10/10 stratocumulus tops to 5,000 feet
6 A-20J's
(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 where known

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

7. Damaged (give category & cause) None

8. Sorties 30 A-20G's
6 A-20J's

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D. Total operational flying hours

a. Day (Sunrise to sunset) A-20G's 82:30
A-20J's 19:55

b. Night (Sunset to sunrise) None

E. Ammunition by calibres:

a. Total carried into air A-20G's 94,500 x 50 cal.-A-20J's 12,600 x 50 cal.
 b. Expended on operations A-20G 720x50 cal(testing) A-20J 144x50 cal(testing)
 c. Lost on wrecked or missing a/c None

F. Bombs, flares, etc. used:

a. Total carried into air: A-20G 72x500 GP 1/10N 1/100T (6 a/c bomb load 6x500GP)
A-20J 14 x 500 GP 1/10N 1/100T (1 a/c bomb load 6x500 GP)

b. Expended on operations: None
 (List targets separately)

c. Jettisoned A-20G 14 x 500 lb GP

d. Lost or wrecked on missing a/c None

e. Total Returned A-20G 134 x 500 lb GP
A-20J 30 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. Dcs None

c. Damaged None

For the Commanding Officer:

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