

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

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

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

Ref: Oprep A No. 97 for 24 hrs. ending midnight 6 July 1944
Mission or Operation No. 91 97th CW FO 112-410

A. Short Narrative of Operation:

Target Epemnon Railway Embankment.
Place of take-off AAF Station 170
Place of landing AAF Station 170
Take-off time 0709 Landing time 1106
Time over target 0907 Bombing Altitude 11,000 - 12,000 feet.
Nature of mission Bombing Other None
Weather 2/10 scattered clouds, visibility 12 miles.
Results Gross, Gross, Fair, Fair, Poor, Poor.
Enemy opposition Moderate accurate HVT from Maintenon to Chateauf.

B. Type & model of aircraft:

1. Dispatched 30 A-20G
6 A-20J
2. Attacking target (indicate target) or completing mission.
30 A-20G Epemnon Railway Embankment
6 A-20J Epemnon Railway Embankment
3. Abortive due to:
 - (1) Weather: None
 - (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 None
6. Destroyed - over or after leaving None
target giving cause w here known None
7. Damaged (give category & cause) 4 A-20G and 1 A-20J category A
2 A-20G and 1 A-20J category AC
8. Sorties 30 A-20G
6 A-20J



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D. Total operational flying hours

a. Day (Sunrise to sunset) A-20G 112:10
A-20J 19:50

b. Night (Sunset to sunrise) None

E. Ammunition by calibres:

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

b. Expended on operations A-20G 720 x 50 cal. A-20J 124 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 120 x 500 lb GP 1/10 N 1/40 T
A-20J 24 x 500 lb GP 1/10 N 1/40 T

b. Expended on operations: A-20G 113 x 500 lb GP
 (List targets separately) A-20J 24 x 500 lb GP

c. Jettisoned A-20G 1x500 lb GP

d. Lost or wrecked on missing a/c None

e. Total Returned None

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. Des None

c. Damaged None

For the Commanding Officer:

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