

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

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

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

Ref: Oprep A No. 127 for 24 hrs. ending midnight 27 Sept 1944  
Mission or Operation No. 146 97th CW FO 2-570

A. Short Narrative of Operation:

Target Forêt de Parroy  
Place of take-off Strip A-55  
Place of landing Strip A-55  
Take-off time 0842 Landing time 1132  
Time over target 1019 - 1020 Bombing Altitude No attack  
Nature of mission Bombing Other None  
Weather 10/10 cloud cover, base 6000 feet, tops 7500 ft.  
Results No attack due to weather.  
Enemy opposition None

B. Type & model of aircraft:

1. Dispatched 32 A-20G  
6 A-20J

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

3. Abortive due to:  
(1) Weather: 29 A-20G  
6 A-20J  
(2) Personnel: None  
(3) Mechanical: 3 A-20G - icing of pitot tube and loss of airspeed indicator.  
(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

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## D. Total operational flying hours

a. Day (Sunrise to sunset) A-20G 88:20  
A-20J 17:35

b. 'Night (Sunset to sunrise) None

## E. Ammunition by calibres:

A-20G 100,800 x 50 cal.

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

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 188 x 500 lb GP Inst N 1/100 T  
A-20J 36 x 500 lb GP Inst N 1/100 T

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 188 x 500 lb GP  
A-20J 36 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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