DATA SHEET 380TH BOMB GROUP AIRCRAFT

				No. 103		
SERIAL NO.: 42-734		42-73449	MOST POPULAR NOSE ART NAME:	(NONE)		
MODEL:	B-	24J-45-CO	MFR: Consolidated-San Diego			
			CONTRACTOR'S NO.:	3019		
INITIAL MFG DATE:		10/15/1943	MFG COMPLETION DATE	E: 10/21/1943		
FIRST FLIGHT DATE:		10/24/1943	MOD CENTER DATE:	10/29/1943		
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USAAF ACCEPTANCE DATE: TO STAGING AREA DATE:		11/11/1943	STAGING PLACE:	Topeka		
OVERSEAS FLIGHT DATE:		11/29/1943	DEPARTURE PLACE:	Fairfield, CA		
OVERSEAS ARRIVAL DATE:		12/02/1943	DESTINATION:	Townsville		
MOD COMPLETED OVERSEAS:			OVERSEAS MOD PLACE:			
ASSIGNMENT:		380/528	ASSIGNMENT	12/10/12		
STATION:		Fenton	DATE:	12/1943		
FIRST MISSION:		01/06/1944	WHERE (1 ST MISSION):	Shipping, Manokwari		
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WHERE TERMINATE	D: <u>\</u>	Wandemann Bay, Voge	ekopf, New Guinea			
STRICKEN OFF CHARGE: _		10/10/1946	WHERE REMOVED:	AFMSC		

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AIRCRAFT RECORD CARD

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Model:	B-24J-45-CO				

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MAINTENANCE CREW

Serial No.: _	42-73449	Nose Art:	(NONE)	
Model:	B-24J-45-CO			

	SSN	Rank	Name
Crew Chief(s):			Not Available in Current Records

	SSN	Rank	Name
Mechanic(s):			Not Available in Current Records

Notes:

(NONE)

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Another "J" model B-24, but this one has braced pitot tubes on both sides, no side windows to the bombardier compartment and the earlier, A6A hydraulic nose turret.

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View of a Sister Ship

Source: Horton, Best in the Southwest, p. 292.

MISSION RECORD

SN	42-73449	NOSE ART	(NONE)	MODEL _	J-45-CO	
SQDN ASSGD	528	MFR	Consolidated-San Diego	M #	449	
LOCATION:	Australia					
NOTES:						

	DATE	MISSION	MISSION		CREW	ACFT		
NO.	(M/D/Y)	#	TYPE	TARGET	#	CMDR	SQDN	RESULTS/NOTES
1	01/06/1944	FEN III-48	Recce	Shipping, Boela, Manokwari	1	Hastings	528	Abort, Weather
2	01/07/1944	FEN III-49	Recce	Shipping, Manokwari, Boela	1	Hastings	528	Missing in Action This Mission