

DATA SHEET
380TH BOMB GROUP AIRCRAFT

No. 069

SERIAL NO.:	<u>42-64045</u>	MOST POPULAR NOSE ART NAME:	<u>ATOM SMASHER</u>
MODEL:	<u>B-24D-20-CF</u>	MFR:	<u>Consolidated-Fort Worth</u>
		CONTRACTOR'S NO.:	<u>294</u>
INITIAL MFG DATE:	<u></u>	MFG COMPLETION DATE:	<u>09/07/1943</u>
FIRST FLIGHT DATE:	<u>09/09/1943</u>	MOD CENTER DATE:	<u>09/01/1943</u>
USAAF ACCEPTANCE DATE:	<u>09/10/1943</u>	MOD CENTER PLACE:	<u>Tucson</u>
TO STAGING AREA DATE:	<u>09/25/1943</u>	STAGING PLACE:	<u>Eglin Field, FL</u>
OVERSEAS FLIGHT DATE:	<u>12/21/1943</u>	DEPARTURE PLACE:	<u>Fairfield, CA</u>
OVERSEAS ARRIVAL DATE:	<u>12/24/1943</u>	DESTINATION:	<u>Townsville</u>
MOD COMPLETED OVERSEAS:	<u>Nose turret</u>	OVERSEAS MOD PLACE:	<u>Townsville</u>
ASSIGNMENT:	<u>380/530</u>	ASSIGNMENT DATE:	<u>04/1944</u>
STATION:	<u>Fenton</u>		
FIRST MISSION:	<u>04/07/1944</u>	WHERE (1 ST MISSION):	<u>RCM</u>
NO. OF MISSIONS:	<u>13 AU</u>	TERMINATION DATE:	<u>08/29/1944</u>
WHY TERMINATED:	<u>Completion of Mission with 380th, Transferred</u>		
WHERE TERMINATED:	<u>Darwin</u>		
STRICKEN OFF CHARGE:	<u>03/07/1945</u>	WHERE REMOVED:	<u>ACC</u>

NOTES: (1) Initial Mfg Date: Not recorded at Fort Worth; (2) Radar Ferret; (3) Temporary Assignment; involved in accident, scrapped 12/29/1944, location unknown. Like DUCHESS OF PADUCAH, this was a Ferret aircraft.

MAINTENANCE CREW

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

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

Notes:

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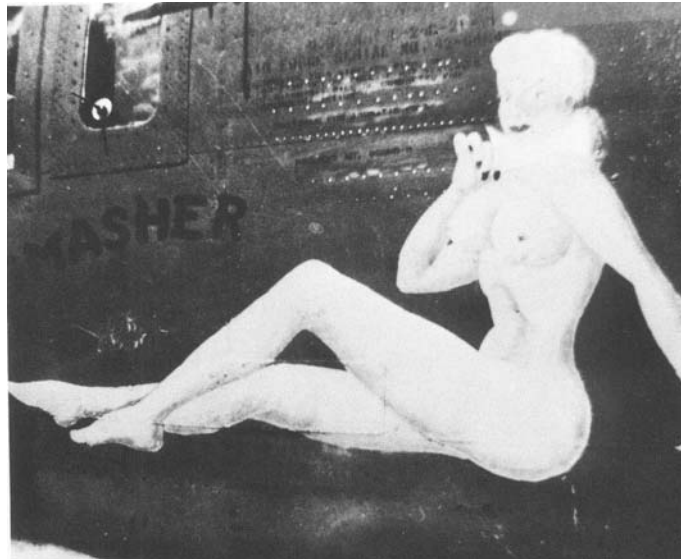
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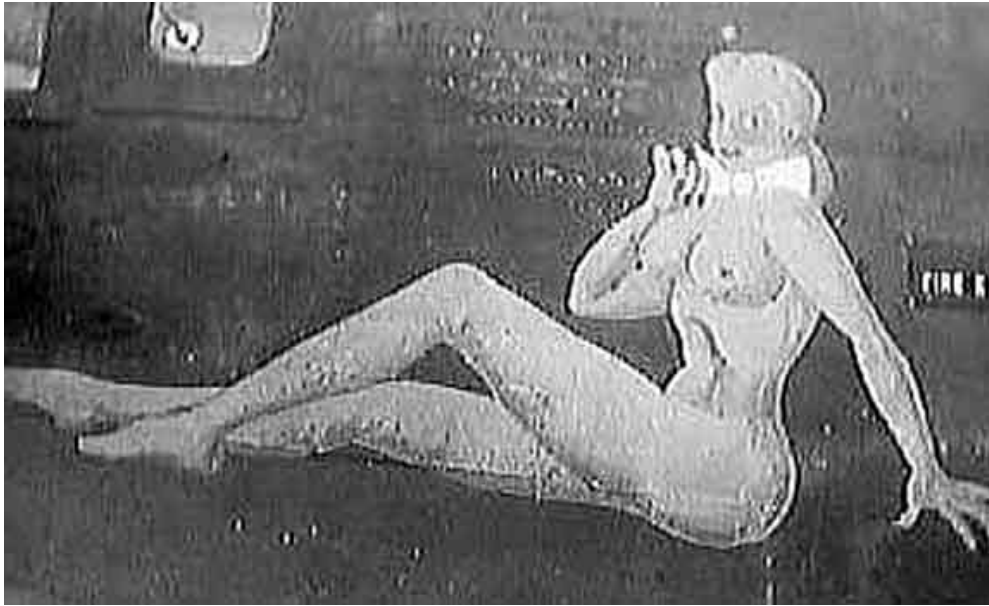
Left Side



Source: Le Evers, via Gary Gray.



Source: Horton/Horton, King of the Heavies, p. 149.



Source: <http://www.b24bestweb.com/atomsmasher.htm>



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Right Side



Source: Horton/Horton, *King of the Heavies*, p. 149.



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*Source: Harry Boller Collection, courtesy of his daughter, Linda Phillips.
(Email to the 380th from Bob Tupa and Dan Stockton)*

MISSION RECORD

SN 42-64045 **NOSE ART** ATOM SMASHER **MODEL** D-20-CF
SQDN ASSGD 530 **MFR** Consolidated-Fort Worth **M#** 45

LOCATION: Australia

NOTES: All Missions: Special Missions-Australia

NO.	DATE (M/D/Y)	MISSION #	MISSION TYPE	TARGET	CREW #	ACFT CMDR	SQDN	RESULTS/NOTES
1	04/07/1944	FEN II-65	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
2	04/10/1944	FEN II-66	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
3	04/13/1944	FEN II-67	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
4	04/16/1944	FEN II-68	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
5	04/19/1944	FEN II-69	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
6	04/22/1944	FEN II-70	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
7	04/25/1944	FEN II-71	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
8	04/28/1944	FEN II-72	Search	RCM	X,67	Jarek	530	
9	08/18/1944	FEN III-63	Search	RCM	67	Jarek	530	
10	08/21/1944	FEN III-64	Search	RCM	67	Jarek	530	
11	08/24/1944	FEN III-65	Search	RCM	67	Jarek	530	
12	08/26/1944	FEN III-67	Search	RCM	67	Jarek	530	

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SN 42-64045 NOSE ART ATOM SMASHER MODEL D-20-CF

SQDN ASSGD 530 MFR Consolidated-Fort Worth M# 45

LOCATION: Australia

NOTES: Mission 13: Special Missions-Australia

NO.	DATE (M/D/Y)	MISSION #	MISSION TYPE	TARGET	CREW #	ACFT CMDR	SQDN	RESULTS/NOTES
13	08/29/1944	FEN III-69	Search	RCM	67	Jarek	530	
14	09/1944							Transfer to 43rd GP