



ATTACKED!

300 TIMES SINCE
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It has taken team-work. Many as are the faces appearing on these pages, you see only a few of those whose combined efforts made our achievements possible.

Above: a few of the Sub-Depot boys.

Below: the staffs of Operations and Intelligence and the sections identified with them.

IT has been a long time since that little handful of Flying Fortresses set out for Antwerp and brazenly challenged the Luftwaffe to battle. Since then your Group has returned day after day to Germany or German-occupied territory. It adds up to more than 300 missions now, missions that helped to pave the way for the invasion of the Continent and for the rush across France and for the crossing of the Rhine and for the steady, relentless march on Berlin. Sometimes the weather wouldn't be too good; sometimes the fighter opposition would be overwhelming; sometimes the flak would be next thing to unbearable. But despite any and

all conditions, the Group went out day after day to add its weight to the Allied pressure. And now we look back over two years to that first mission . . . and we're proud of it . . . proud of the way a puny midget shook its fist at the Luftwaffe, proud to know that even in the face of terrific opposition we always went back to fight again. More than 300 times now.

