

### Wins Cluster



Staff Sergeant Charles P. Bednarik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bednarik, 521 East Fifth Street, has been awarded the First Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal for "meritorious achievement in aerial combat over Germany and enemy occupied Europe."

This announcement was made recently in England by Major General William E. Kepner, Commanding General of the Second Bombardment Division.

A waist gunner on a B-24, Liberator heavy bomber, Sgt. Bednarik entered the Army August 16, 1943. He is a former student at Bethlehem Technical High School.