

Staffieri, Benedict F.

**Ends Basic Course 1944  
As Aviation Cadet**

Aviation Cadet Benedict F. Staffieri, 21, of Hellertown, has completed nine weeks of basic pilot training at the Coffeyville, Kansas Army Air Field, and has gone on to an advanced school of the AAF Training Command at Abee Army Air Field at Victoria, Texas. When he completes his single engine training, he will receive the silver wings of an AAF pilot. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Staffieri, of 1203 New Jersey Avenue, Hellertown. He attended the University of Alabama in 1941 and 1942, and Lehigh University in 1942 and 1943.

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