

Gerald N. Gorrell Enrolls As Aviation Cadet

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Maxwell Field, Ala., Feb., 6—Cadet Gerald N. Gorrell, son of Mr. and Mrs Alva E. Gorrell of R. R. 1, Newton, Ill., is now enrolled as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School for Pilots at Maxwell Field, located on the out-skirts of Montgomery, the capitol of Alabama.

Here the new class of cadets is receiving nine weeks of intensive military, physical and academic training preparatory to beginning their actual flight instruction at one of the many primary flying schools in the Army Air Forces Southeast Training Center

Cadet Gorrell attended Newton Community High School, 1932-36, and Eastern State Teachers College, 1938-40. He has ten months previous service, prior to being appointed an Aviation Cadet at Camp Crowder, Mo. on June 10, 1942. Before his entry into the U. S. Army, he was a rural school teacher.