

# ILLINOIS

FRANK E. SCHOOLEY '29 has been appointed director of the Illinois High School Press Association.

DOCTOR HERBERT BURGY, in September, began work for the State Department, Division of Geography and Cartography, where he is an agricultural geographer. Doctor Burgy reports that Pvt. Howard A. Wissel '45 has been in the Mayo General Hospital, Galesburg, Illinois. He also says that Herbert Nye, Allegheny '36 has left Illinois to accept an assistant professorship at Michigan State.

LT. JOHN SMITHSON '46 is at Camp Gruber with the Rainbow Division in training, which he says is plenty rough. Fred Moore '44 is in the same regiment.

STANLEY B. HANSEN '42 was honorably discharged from the Army on August 25, 1944. He has a position with the Utah Radio Products Company as development engineer in their Chicago laboratory.

MIDSHIPMEN HARRY G. PICKNELL '46 and LOREN MILLER '46 are training aboard the *USS Prairie State*, New York, New York.

JEROME NELSON '34 received his commission in the Marines on September 2, 1944 and has been sent to Parris Island, South Carolina, for training.

S 1/c ROBERT L. SCHMIDT '42 is at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois, where he is studying electricity, mathematics, and radio principles.

RICHARD SHELTON '37, whose dance band swung its way to fame in pre-war days, now leads one of the best orchestras in the Army at Laurinburg-Maxton Army Air Base, Maxton, North Carolina.

ENSIGN HARRY G. PICKNELL '46 is at Harvard University for four months of study in communications.

LT. PETER R. NOLING '44 has received his commission at Fort Belvoir and is now stationed at Camp Claiborne, Louisiana.

CPL. ROBERT HORTON '44 was seriously wounded in action in France about August 7. Reports have it that he was hit on the left side and now has his left arm and leg in casts. He is in a U. S. Army Hospital in England to which he was flown back from France. No details of how he was hurt are as yet available, but his letters to his family indicate that he is recovering nicely.

WAYNE WATSON '45 has been discharged from the Army and is attending Rutgers Extension School in Newark, New Jersey, to finish his last two years of college.