ARMY EDITOR

Whenever military events take new or sudden turn some civilians begin to view the soldier as a veritable fountain of reliable information. Over night the man in uniform becomes a walking ency-

It isn't so bad that people want to look on men of the Army as such learned creatures. The-trouble is that occasionally a soldier will accept the proffered cloak of wisdom and begin to enlighten his less informed fellowmen. The result is not an uninformed listener but a confused listener as well.

These self-styled experts on military affairs may be divided into civilian knows. If he knows any three groups, the information center volunteer, the "don't quote me, but-" type, and the silent "no comment" character who smiles and nods knowingly in reply to every

The " ese may be found is an audience. wherev Usually perature of his hot air can be measured in a few seconds.

The "Don't quote me" guy is far more deadly but the trained observer can spot him by the way he glances furitively over his shoulder to see if anyone else is listening and begins with "now don't quote me, but-" The third type is most danger- fering well-paying jobs, he had to

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ous. And ironically enough he is forced into his role of sage and counselor. In order to impress his questioner and at the same time not reveal his own ignorance he brushes every inquiry aside with a brisk "no comment," But occasionally someone asks, "About the plan to move the Hawaiian Islands to the South Pole - but I suppose you're not allowed to discuss it, are you?" and modestly the "no comment" character brightens and

inswers, "Yep, that's right," Whenever a soldier is asked about military affairs and he repeats what he has read in the news paper then he can be considered a well informed man. If he says any more he's a fool. Trying to ob-NO MAN is too busy to serve God. He may think he is, but the tain inside information from a soldier is a wast of time. The man in excuse will not stand. There are

- he won't tell it!

the Army knows exactly what the

Selectees The 1950 selectee's reaction to military duty is going to be quite different from that of his older brother nearly ten years ago. The average inductee in 1940 went into the Army with an attitude closely akin to that of a criminal facing a 12-month sentence. He was solely intent upon doing 365 days and getting out. There was nothing in the Army he wanted and the Army him. After all, just when the coun-

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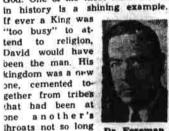
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before. He was surrounded by enemies who kept him was going to get less even from at war most of the time. He was commander-in-chief of the army, chief justice of such courts as there were, chief executive in civic affairs; and furthermore, the times were not "normal" but turbulent in the extreme. Still he had time for religion. He led in that as in everything else.

SCRIPTURE: II Samuel 8:1-5; 6-7; 9; 22; Panims 24; 51 DEVOTIONAL READING: 1 Chron-icles 29:10-19.

Great Man's Faith

too many busy men who do serve

God. One of the most famous men

Lesson for July 30, 1950

Public Religion

THE first thing he did as king was to conquer the "unconquerable" city of Jerusalem, which had been in enemy hands for hundreds of years. And the next thing he did was to bring the Ark to Jerusalem and settle it there, making Jerusalem not only the civil but the religious capital of the nation.

In an almost spectacular way the king made himself sponsor for the organized religion of his people. For centuries before David, the Ark and all the formal worship that went with it had been stuck off in minor towns, inaccessible and unpopu lar, in fact disregarded by most of the people, as the book of

Now David, by bringing the Ark to Jerusalem and selecting for it a site on the city's highest hill, made sure that in his realm religion would never be an obscure thing. Sometimes we hear people say, "I believe in Christianity but not in the church." That is like saying "I believe in justice but not in the courts." "I believe in love but not in marriage." "I believe in education but not in schools."

David knew that if organized, public religion has to hide in holes and corners, it will not only lose respect, but people will soon forget all about it. The Ark was not an idol; neither is the Church. But if the Ark then, and the Church now, do anything else for religion, at least they keep it out where people can't help knowing about it.

Private Religion

DAVID knew, as some of his successors did not, that public worship is not the whole of religion. His personal relationships were con-trolled by his religious faith.

Take the case of Mephibosheth (chap. 9) for instance. If David had followed the usual pattern, he would have had poor Mephibosheth beheaded before breakfast. For the young man was the one remaining andson (so far as we knew of David's bitter enemy, King Saul.

In those days you always went on the principle that if a man was your enemy, so were all his relatives. It was generally true, too; and under the customs of those days Mephibos-heth might have been expected to plan revenge, sooner or late for his grandfather's and father's deaths.

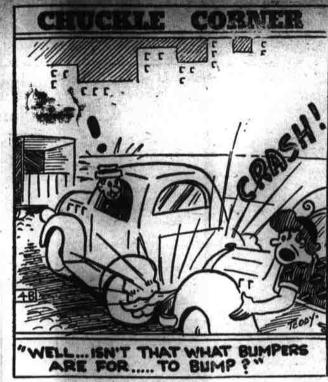
David did not let him sink into obscurity but gave him what we would call a pension, a princely one too, treating him as if he were one of his own family.

The Inner Life WELL, religion has its outside but it also has its inside. Public worship and loving your neigh bors are not the root of religion bu its fruit. The roots of it are deep within the soul. And David had that true faith which comes from within

He was humble, not proud, as Psaim. 24 shows. Great king-though he was, he knew there is only one King of Glary. He was confident, as every leader must be; but his confidence was based not on himself but on his God. (II Sam. 21, which is respristed as Psaim 18.)

is re-written as Pealm 18.) shamefully did, he did not make excuses for himself or sink with easy satisfaction into his worst self. If to be a saint is to be without sin, If to be a saint is to be without then David was no saint (and you are one?). But if being a saint means that in spite of sin one comes to have the cleansing kind e that Psalm 51 rec

content with \$21 a day



stations. His initial pay will begin at \$75 per month and will jump to \$80 as soon as he completes his basic training. Few young men today can step into jobs that will leave them this amount of "spending money" after deductions for equal food, clothing and shelter have been made. Nor does this comparison take into consideration valuable services provided for the soldier free of charge such as dental and medical attention and Post Exchange privileges.

There'll be no wooden rifles and hay rake howitzers for the new citizen-soldier when he learns his lessons of warfare. He'll have the real thing - weapons that will work and trained instructors to teach him how to operate them. Nor will the 1950 draftee miss NOTICE

the moral and spiritual environment and counsel he had at home. The Army's Character Guidance program will see to this. When barracks, shops and warehouses were being torn down at Army installations at the end of the war, chapels were left untouched and since that time have been kept in excellent repair and ready for im-And there'll be no idle mom-

no. When he isn't working or in training activities there will be innumerable forms of recreation and entertainment for his relaxation.

The 1950 selectee is going to be quite a different man from his 1940 prototype and his reaction to Army life is going to prove it, too.

In The General County Court

NORTH CAROLINA. DUPLIN COUNTY.

MARTHA HILL

JOHNNIE HILL

The above named defendant Johnnie Hill, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the General County Court of Duplin County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff to secure an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the ground that the plaintiff and the defendant have lived separate and apart for more than two years next preceding the bringing of this action; and that the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the General County Court of Duplin County, in the Court House, in Kenansville, N. C., within tweet days after the 5th day of August 1950, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in this action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court

complaint. This 3rd day of July, 1950. R. V. Wells, Clerk of General County Court

Wm. E. Craft, Attorney 7-28-4t. WEC

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Commissioners of er of sale contained in certain will offer for sale, for cash in front of the Court House, in Kenansville, orth Carolina, on Monday, July 3. 1950, at the hour of 1:00 o'clock P. M., all those certain tracts or parcels of land situated in the Town of Kenansville, Duplin County, joining the lands of C. E. Stephens, Chinquapin Highway, N. C. Highway No. 24, Kenansville Baptist Church, Mrs. Fannie Cooper, and known as a part of the Bone Yard, of the Town of Kenansville, and being described as follows:

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ference being made and had for more complete and accurate description of same. The fence located on said ground

is to be excepted and removed. Advertised this the 15th day of June, 1950.

Duplin County. By A. C. HALL, Chairman H. E. Phillips, Attorney 7-30-2t. D.CO.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of H. G. Campbell, deceased, late of Duplin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Beulaville, N., C. on or before the 8th day of July, 1951, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 8th day of July, 1950. Vallie Campbell, administratrix of H. G. Campbell Grady Mercer Attorney for the relief demanded in said for administratrix

8-18-6t, GM NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

UNDER DEED OF TRUST

NORTH CAROLINA.

COUNTY OF DUPLIN. Under and by virtue of the pow-

deed of trust executed by Willie Oscar Chambers. Mae Saunders, dated the 8th day of May, 1946, and recorded in Book 441 at page 203 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Duplin County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said deed of trust being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Kenansville, North Carolina, at noon Tuesday, August 1st. 1950, the property conveyed in said deed of trust the same lying and being in Faison township, Duplin County, and more

particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the Western edge of the A.C.L. right-of-way 16 feet from the northeast corner of the William Holmes tract and being on the line of a field road, and runs thence with the line of bottom, however, those heavy for said field road and parallel with William Holmes line, S. 76-40 W. 830 feet to a stake, 16 feet from William Holmes, northwest corner, thence North 13-2 W. 430 feet to a

an action entitled as above has County Court of Duplin County the defendant upon the ground that the bringing of this action; and that the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the General County Court of ty days after the 5th day of August 1950, and answer or demur to the the plaintiff will apply to the Court complaint.

This 1st day of July, 1950. Wm. E. Craft, Attorney

State Collgee **Answers Timely Farm Questions**

Q. What can be done to control A. Wilt is soil borne and the only practical control measure is to

plant in a new location. Q. What is the best way to apply lime to alfalfa?

A. Mixing the lime in the top four inches of the soil is considered the best method.

Miss Elsie Byrd of Wilmington is home on her vacation. She, her mother and Conrad were in Kinston

Miss Emma Chambers of Kinston spent Sunday with her mother Mrs.

Statesville are visiting his mother Mrs. Ida Stroud.

SPORTS AFIELD

It takes a different angling pro cedure to catch bass in mid-summe when you must fish deep. The time to look for them in deep water is when you can't find them in shallow water. That time varies.

Summer bass fishing requires that you seek out the deep spots, generally off weed beds, reefs or points, and learn how to fish them near the bottom.

If you're wondering what lures to use; any that will sink to the their size, especially metal ones are most convenient and sink fas-

Another trick of getting them down is drifting slowly. Bass are'-

Middleton's tract; thence his line in a southeasterly direction to a stake in the line of the A.C.L. Right-of-way; thence S. 13-20 E. 220 feet to the beginning, contain-

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R. V. Wells, Clerk of General County Court 7-28-4t. WEC

wilt which is killing tomatoes?

Pleasant View

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Byrd and family spent Friday at Wrightsville Beach.

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nt feeding well in mid-summer and they're in no mood to chase some-thing. But if a lunker sees a plug moving slowly past him with an occasional pause and twitch to make it seem alive, not mechanical, he's very likely to swim languid ly up and bite it.

There's another imperative rea son for fishing deep lures very slowly, with pauses. If you don't do that, the bow of your line in the water brings the lure right up. So during mid-summer, fish your plugs slowly and close to the bottom in deep water.

Welfare Case Workers To Meet

Raleigh - Caseworkers in the State's 100 counties of public welfare will hold district meetings of their Caseworke" Association on September 13-14, it was decided at a meeting of a planning commit-tee with officials of the State Board of Public Welfare here this week.

Caseworkers attending the discussions will take part in a study of typical welfare cases recently served by county welfare departments, hear addresses on various phases of their work, and hold short business sessions of their associa-

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