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29,585 cases of jaundice, with 62 deaths, occurred in the Army among men vaccinated with certain batches of anti-yellow fever vaccine but following a change in the method of producing the vaccine and restriction of its use to men destined for service in yellow fever endemic areas, cases of the jaundice stopped.

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Your attention is directed to Science of December 11, 1942, in which T. D. A. Cockerell, Citrus Experiment Station, Riverside, California reviews F. W. Edwards new book "Mosquitoes of the Ethiopian Region." III. Culicine adults and pupae. Mr. Cockerell says "Its 499 pages include descriptions of all the species, many illustrations, and very interesting comments on species and varieties, geographical distribution and broad topics with regard to distribution".

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In "Time" of February 1, 1943, there appeared on page 40 some very interesting comments about malaria, anti-malarial chemicals, and their use. The chemicals discussed are quinine, atabrine, plasmochin and totaquine.

PERSONAL NOTES

From Science Magazine, January 29, 1943:

Dr. William B. Herms, professor of parasitology and head of the Division of Entomology and Parasitology of the University of California, has been called to active duty by the War Department as Lieutenant-Colonel in the Sanitary Corps. He has been a Reserve Officer since 1924 and has been called for duty at the Army Medical Field Service School, Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania. He will be

instructor in tropical medicine, having specialized in work on malaria, typhus fever and other diseases of the tropics. Professor E. O. Essig, Professor of Entomology, will act as head of the division during Professor Herm's absence.

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Earl D. Potter, formerly with the Middlesex County (N.J.) Mosquito Extermination Commission and more recently with the U. S. Public Health Service at Columbia, S. C., was drafted and entered the U. S. Army in January, 1943. He is stationed at Camp Gordon, Augusta, Georgia.

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Capt. John W. Scott of Union County, N. J. is now stationed at Camp Phillips, Kansas.

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Major Louis Stearns, Delaware and past-president of our Association has written interesting letters from "Somewhere close to the front".

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Lieut. Robert Armstrong, Mass. is stationed at the First Service Command Laboratory, Jamaica Plain, Mass. Lieut. Armstrong has requested articles on "Experimental Work done with micronized paris green on Aedes larvae" and "Use of chloropicrin emulsion (larvicide emulsion) on mosquito larvae in general". Any information on these two topics will be welcomed by the Committee on Publication and will very likely be of help to Lieut. Armstrong.

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