JET BLAST

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Who Owes Who?

Does the world owe you a living?

If you think it does, you'll never collect, Not in the service anyhow.

You may be good. You may have the stuff that makes a top fighting man or skilled technician. Everything may point to you getting those stripes early and going right to the top. But, with all the natural ability in the world



the-shoulder boy. Not if you operate on the theory that a slick brain is a substitute for hard work. Not if you're strictly a me-firster. Not if you can't take it in stride when things go a little wrong for you as well as when they go right.

Keep a check on your mental balance sheet. You'll be on the credit side as long as you realize it 's you who owe - not the world, your commanding officer or your NCO. (AFPS)

Whenever we meet a person or read about a person the first thing we do is form an opinion about that person. We read biographies. we attend social functions. we learn to know people and form opinions about the personalities we associate with. If that opinion is good we associate with them, if it is not so good we have less to do with them in the proportion of our opinion. Jesus one day asked the Pharisees "What think ye of

the Christ?" This is a very hard question to answer for if they had said, "The Son of God." He would have asked

them "Why do you not follow Him?" If they had said less than that He was the Son of God, then the people would have been disturbed. We have to ask ourselves

this same question "What think we of the Christ?" and we must be very careful how we answer it for if we say "He is the Son of God." then the question is "Why do you not follow Him?" For Jesus said "If you love me. follow me." We cannot side step this question, for we read about Him, we hear about Him. we know Him. and we MIST make a decision as to what we believe. think. about Him and our very life will be patterned after our true answer.

Remember, we can fool none, except ourselves. Then ---- "What think we of the Christ?"

B.S. Power