Hospital notes

Admitted

Kenneth Story, Lexington; Mrs. Clarence Biddle, Mrs. Aline Clark, Baby Kennett Smoot, Mrs. G. T. Jolly, Mrs Alice Humphries, Mrs. Arta Insko, Baby Rex Ann Jones Mrs. Roy Cartmill, H. C. Herbarousville, Ky.; Carl Ishmael, Myers; Sarah Sue Barnett, Ewing.

Dismissed

Miss Nellie Crump, Mrs. Joe Crawford and baby, Billy Wayne Flora, Mrs. Layon Holar, Mrs. Clarence Biddle, Baby Kennett Smoot, Floyd Purcell, Mrs. Roy Cartmill, Mrs. Bruce Wood, Mrs. Aline Clark, Mrs. Edna Boyd, Rev. Ann Jones, Miss Helen Willoughby, Kathy Jones, Carlisle; James N. Collington, Barlow, Ky.; John Cobb, Detroit, Mich.; Kenneth Story, Lexington.

Surgery

Mrs. G. T. Jolly, Charles Whaley, James Williams, Carlisle.

METHODIST CHURCH

Gwinn H. Bierley, pastor

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Youth Fellowship, 6:30
Evening Service, 7:30
Mid-week Prayer Service, 7:30

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6:00 — Presbyterian Youth Fellowship
Wednesday at 6:30 Dinner Meeting of the Men of the Church.
You will find a welcome at church.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Lanis E. Kineman, Minister

The Lord's Day, January 10, 1960
9:30, The Church at Study.
10:30, The Church at Worship. Sermon Topic: "The First Human Family."
6:30, Jr. and Carol Choir Practice.
7:30, Evening Evangelistic Hour. Sermon Topic: "The Bible—The Missionary Book."
7:30, Wednesday, January 13. The Christian Family Hour

Spain still finding gold

The Spain that President Eisenhower will visit December 21 is still discovering gold in the New World.

But now the land of castles and castanets is using its loot to become a strong member of the Western defense team instead of a world conqueror.

About 400 years ago, conquistadors such as Cortes and Pizarro squeezed approximate- ly 500 million dollars worth of gold and silver out of America for Spain's warts and put her at the top of the nations emerging from feudal Europe for a century, according to World Book Encyclopedia, which resigned as "the mistress of the world and the queen of the ocean." Her pipe-carving empire included Portugal, The Netherlands, Naples, Sicily, the Philippines and conquests in Africa.

But Spain was too busy living the high life to build the foundation for an economically healthy, industrialized nation. Behind the glitter of old Moorish castles and the gaiety of the bull ring, modern Spain is, next to Portugal, the poorest country in Western Europe.

Three-fourths of the people make their living from the soil but crude farming methods have kept the crop yield low and the farmer poor. Spain's wealth of minerals made her one of the richest provinces of the Roman Empire, but a lack of fuel and transportation have hampered production.

Yet Spain is an asset to the West—as President Eisenhower's visit implies—simply because of her location. Straddling the Iberian Peninsula, the country dominates the gateway to the Mediterranean and a major approach to Western Europe and Africa. Cut off from the rest of Europe by the Pyrenees, Spain, in the eyes of U. S. military leaders, could serve as a second line of defense on the continent.

In 1953, the U. S. and Spain signed a 20-year defense agreement. In return for the establishment of U. S. military bases, Spain received an initial payment of 141 million dollars for her armed forces and 85 million dollars in economic aid.

In the past six years, Spain has received more than one billion dollars in economic aid from the U. S. This time, however, the money is paying roads and building factories instead of keeping the idle rich and dazzling the world.

BOWSHER OPENS TV SHOP

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bowsher have opened the Bowsher TV shop in the room formerly occupied by the Allison restaurant in the Greater building on Broadway.

From Cairo

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a Roman bath, Philistine Hyksos, houses, the earliest Phoenician inscriptions extant (discovered in Byblos in 1922 but go back to the 13th century B.C.) and a Stone Age cemetery. It was quite an interesting afternoon. I wondered if I would be able to get the right bus back to the capital I needed to have. Three dirty smiling boys undertook to be my guide, gave me a flower each, and when they put me on the bus asked for and got Thackeray's pen.

The ride back was eventful. The driver kept driving up and down the main street of the village until he had the bus filled and then we were off for Beirut. Along the way one of the passengers got sick and had to stop. We did and the driver bought a "Coke" and drank it while we washed. The man became kept eyeing me and I had made up my mind that he thought I was a spy or something but about that moment the paper sack he was carrying broke and hundreds of coins spilled out all over the floor. We stopped the bus and all of the passengers got down and around helping him pick them up.

It was in Beirut that I got up enough courage to wash my wash and wear suit. And believe it or not when it was dry it looked as though it had just come from the laundry.

I was told that it was too difficult to get to Damascus. It is almost behind the Iron Curtin. It is only an hour and a half drive from Beirut but takes almost a full day to get there. If you are lucky, since they have many check points and hold you up at each one for hours I decided not to try to go to Syria and got reserva- tions on Air Jordan for Amman and Jerusalem and left on Monday afternoon I was connected about an hour late as it had Tel Aviv on it and Jordan saved it for you plus the country if you have been in Israel. However the officials didn't look at my ticket, they the air people and all was well.

PLEASE DON'T TELL

By Don Damis

HARRY BENDIX sat at the kitchen table omnivorously devouring the buns and eggs Jean had cooked for him.

"More mad money, dear?" she asked blandly.

Another slice," he said, without turning his head to look at his tall attractive wife.

Jean inserted a slice of white bread in the chrome-plated toaster. She stood there waiting for it to pop, wondering if she should try and talk him out of what he proposed to do today. Then, suddenly, the thought of Joe Bennett flashed through her mind.

"Are you really going to turn Joe in to the vice president?" she asked tremulously.

He swallowed a mouthful and turned to face her.

"Joe is a crook!" he said.

Quickly, she sat opposite him and ran fingers through his red hair.

Turning Joe in will only make you unpopular with the other employees," she warned.

He looked at her crossly.

"I'm unpopular now," he said. "But Joe is your friend, Harry," said she—desperately. "How could you hurt him?"

"Joe's been playing shoddy merchandise from the manufacturers. They've been getting plenty. I can prove all this but the vice president thought it was a good up with his job."

"I think that basically Joe Bennett is a good fellow," she murmured. "If he has accepted bribes it must be for a very good reason."

Harry knuckled his eyes.

"Joe's not married," he said. "From what I can see it looks as if he's going to be a bachelorhood. What could be that reason?"

A faint smile parted her lips, showing white symmetrical teeth.

"Promise me you won't cheat?" she said, ignoring his question for a few seconds. Then he said in an even tone.

"All right But I'm doing it against my will."

The heave a sigh of relief, as she lowered her hands from the table to the thick cork.

At the office, Harry had completed forgotten about the matter. Joe Bennett had not showed up for the day and an assistant he had assumed the re- sponsibilities with no apparent pleasure.

Harry turned the car onto the gravel-topped driveway. The brakes squealed as he came to a halt Slowly, he walked to the front door and entered the living room of his white clapboard house. He was under the assumption that Jean was asleep.

Noiselessly, he entered the bedroom. Jean was not asleep. He peered at the white sheet of paper on the bureau. Quickly he unfolded it and read

Harry

The decision I have made today was not made instantaneously. You have been very kind by not turning in Joe. I profoundly appreciate this. Joe has, by accepting bribes accumulated a small fortune. But, my dear Harry, Joe has been a reason very special reason—for him accepting the fortune I've known Joe for three years and during this time we have been having clandestine dates. I love him dearly. He has asked me to leave the country with him today and I have decided to accept the temptation. Since he has everything I've ever wanted in life—which includes his small fortune—I've accepted his offer—in the utmost alacrity.

Good bye Harry

Jean

BRICK'S ESCAPADE

By D. L. Alexander

WHILE employed as a guard at the State Prison I observed that the few who escaped always did so in the winter time when travelling was hazardous And always after going a few miles they would hide up some place where if they had any money, they would buy what provisions they could as long as it lasted. When it was exhausted, the one who had provided for them would report their whereabouts to the authorities for the twenty five dollars reward offered for their capture

Such wasn't the case with Brick Diamond, however. He made his getaway in the spring when it was no hardship to sleep under the sky and provender could be had by raiding gardens along the route of his escape. The weeks passed without any trace of him Prison routing was mentioned occasionally and by that time the officials had made up their minds that only chance would discover his whereabouts and lead to his capture.

Brick had been charged with a major crime and was sentenced to serve ten years He had been a model prisoner and his conduct had been excellent. The guards recognized this and had grown lax, consistently their attention more on the inside and they were prone to cause trouble For his part, Brick had resolved to accept his fate with resignation. He was quiet in demeanor, friendly to all, and had the respect of the guards and other inmates.

Memories of him became dim with the passing of time and the pressure of duties. A month passed and I received permission from the warden to spend a short period with my wife and daughter at Bellbrook, many miles distant. The bus on which I made the trip was late in arriving, and after getting to my house I discovered my family had gone to church. I probably not break my spell

decided to join them there and upon entering dropped into a pew near the door.

The Community church was not without a regular pastor for some time and the pulpit was often supplied by a seminary in a near by city I glanced over the congregation, located my wife and daughter and then resumed his study.

The man in the pulpit fairness in his sermon as I entered the door and then resumed his talk I noticed his gaze often centered on me but thought nothing of it The sermon was a good one in the evils that men do and the punishment they receive It was well rendered and seemed to be spontaneous I thought "The young man will make a mark in the world if he continues to preach as well as he does now."

The sermon came to an end finally the young man pronounced the benediction and the choir began singing the closing hymn.

The preacher stepped to the door and began shaking hands with the members of the congregation as they passed out I followed but at first failed to see them left the church. I'm really glad to meet them I recognized him as Brick Diamond.

"What're you doing here?" I enquired I rose to my feet.

"I'm doing some-how I'm always wanting to do. After all, God I'll go back to it if I ever have the chance."

"I'm sorry, Brick, but I'll have to take you back. That was an excellent sermon you delivered I know it came from your heart and was the result of hour thought."

"Thank you, Sir," he replied He smiled weakly, and continued "Now years have will probably not break my spell

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In Technicolor
Jeff Chandler
Fess Parker
Nicole Maurey

WED.-THURS., JAN. 13-14
"AL CAPONE"
Rod Steiger
Fay Spain

PERSONALS

Billy Courtney Clark left Monday for Chicago to take a business course

Mr and Mrs. Emery Clark Jr returned to their home in Auburn, Ala. Monday where he will resume his college course

Mr and Mrs. Robert T Fish- er had the following relatives for dinner Sunday at their home on Elm street Mrs C. B. Pumphrey, Mr and Mrs. Robert Harlow Lexington, Mr and Mrs. Bob Pumphrey and family of London and Miss Mary Frances Fisher

Miss Margaret Gibson has returned to her home in Hardesburg after a visit with Mr and Mrs Joe F Conley

Among the relatives from out of town here during the week to see Mr. Bruce Sexton who remains ill at his home on West Main street were Mr and Mrs Walter Joslyn, Hamilton Ohio Mr and Mrs B N. Northcutt and Mrs N R. Glass- cock, Mrs. Yank Allison, Mrs. Dora Hammonds Kathy Sue Jones, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. Chester Ockerman, Charles Whaley, James Williams, Carlisle; John C. Cobb, Detroit, Mich.; James O. Collington, Barbourville, Ky.; Carl Ishmael, Myers; Sarah Sue Barnett, Ewing.

SOCIETY

SOCIETY NEWS

During the absence of Mrs. Edna Keller, please phone or bring your social news items to, Mrs. Kay Fisher at the Mercury office., phone 98. After 5 p.m. call 137.

Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinkenbeard, Walton; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clinkenbeard and D. B. Clinkenbeard.

Mrs. George W. Taylor has returned from spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Grannis and family in Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Bruce Wood, who has been in the local hospital for three weeks, was able to be moved home. Saturday. Miss Betty Wood of Louisville, was here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Sherrod and two little girls were guests of Mrs. S. W. Keller, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Angus Jacobs entertained with a family dinner at their home Sunday, Dec. 27 Twenty-three were present Mr. and Mrs. W. H Denton and daughters Misses Bessie Thompson of Circleville, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Denton and daughter Patti Jo, and Little Master Kirk Flora of Carlisle were supper guests Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Coleman Games and children Brenda and Larry of Radford, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Angus Jacobs and family Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H Denton of Flemingsburg and Mrs. Angus Jacobs accompanied Mrs. Bessie Thompson to her home in Circleville, Ohio. Sunday after- spending the holidays with relatives

John S. Jacobs of Morehead State College, spent the Christmas Holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Jacobs and family

Mr and Mrs H. R. Sale of Morgan field Ky. are the parents of a daughter, Cindy Lewis of Frankfort Mr and Mrs H C. Galbraith, Miss Judy Galbraith and Miss Mary Catherine Allison of Lexington and Miss Pat Allison of Syracuse, N Y were guests during the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. A V. Allison.

Rev. and Mrs. R L. Alexander and son, Billy, of Washington, N. C., spent Christmas with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Alexander.

Cadet Tobitt Elder returned to Augusta Military Academy Ft. Defiance, Virginia, Monday after spending the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Warren Fisher and Mr. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Linville were guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Linville during the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Augustus Verdery of Atlanta, Ga. were guests during the holidays of Dr. B. F. Reynolds and family.

Mrs. Mae D. Owens of Lexington visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poling of Silver Springs, Maryland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Wilson.

Miss Jessie Kerr of Maysville spent Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Henry and Mr. Henry

Miss Lottie Call who has been a patient in the Veterans hospital in Louisville has returned to his home near Moorefield

Mrs. Raymond Crawford spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. C. Bowen and Minerva.

Mrs. Crawford Blaine, Ky., spent Thursday night with Mrs. Willie Swartz and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Moore, Charlotte and Malinda Moore, Donnie Rawlings, Mr. and Mrs Raymond Crawford were dinner guests New Year's day of Mrs Willie Swartz, of Myers

Mr and Mrs. Raymond Crawford of Port Hueveme, Calif., who have been visiting with her mother, Mrs Willie Swartz, and other relatives, left Saturday morning for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., enroute to their home. They were accompanied to Fort Lauderdale by Mr. and Mrs. W T Kimes

Mrs. Lanis Kineman returned home Tuesday from Patterson, N. J. Her mother remains quite ill at the Patterson, N. J hospital.

Pvt. J P Blount returned to Ft Riley, Kansas, by plane last Thursday, having concluded a 15 day furlough with the family of Mrs Hubert Blount.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Gaource of Saltwell, had as weekend guests, Mrs. Gaource's mother, Ollie Chatten, of Franklin, Ohio and her brother and family. Mr and Mrs Carl Hounshell, and three children

G C Myers has been confined to his apartment since Saturday suffering with an infected foot.

Mr and Mrs Millard Smart entertained Wednesday night with a supper party for Mr and Mrs Boyce George and Henry. Mr and Mrs Sam George, Mrs. Clayton Curtis and Jane. Miss Malinda Kelley. Mr and Mrs Don Smart and Kathleen. Douglas Gates, Frankie Davis. Mrs. Chris Ousland Linda. Mrs. Dovalee Ritchie, Carlisle and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hunt of Millersburg.

Auxiliary To Meet

The National Guard Auxiliary will meet Thursday, Jan. 7, at 7 p.m. at the Armory.

P.T.A. Meetings

The Moorefield P.T.A. will meet Friday, Jan. 8. 2 p.m. at the school.

The Nicholas County Grade school P.T.A. will meet Jan. 11, at 8 p.m. fast time. The program will be on Safety.

Attends Dance School

Luther Whitaker attended the Country Dance School at Berea College under the direction of Miss May Gadd, New York City. Mr. Whitaker was pictured with Mrs. Mary Owens, Pittsburgh, in Saturday's Courier Journal demonstrating a Danish Country Dance called "Lady's Pleasure."

Wesley Sub-District To Meet

The Wesley Sub-District will hold its regular monthly meeting January 18 at 7:30 (EST) at the Methodist Church in Flemingsburg. The topic for the program is the two Mission Study themes for the coming year. There will be a filmstrip on Africa and a short playette on The Church's Mission in Town and Country with members of the Flemingsburg M.Y.F. participating. All M.Y.F. groups in the Sub-District are urged to attend.—Ann Lee Forge

Younger Women's Club To Meet

The Carlisle Younger Woman's club will meet Jan. 11, 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Robert Coatney.

The Literature and Drama department will present the Rev. Robert Raborn, who will show films of his recent trip to the Holy Land.

Mrs John Hamilton will give the spiritual values. Mrs. Jack Morrison will be co-hostess.

Here for Howell Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. John Howell, Parkersburg, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riggs, Louisville; Mrs Harry Jennings, Miami, Fla.; Mrs. Elizabeth Potts, Mrs. Elisabeth Jones, Owens Ratliff, Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dillon, Atlanta, Dr. Harry Taylor, Paris, Mr. and Mrs. A. M Freed, Mrs. Glynn Bauserman, Mrs. Robert Hopkins, Miss Faureen Crockett and Mr. and Mrs. John Crockett of Berry Wilson.

Methodist Intermediate Fellowship

The Methodist Intermediate Fellowship met Monday night, December 28 at the home of Mrs. Clyde Redding. The following members were present: Jeanette Roberts, Sharon Geary, Judy Crawford; threa surer, Paula Guthrie. Committee members were present: Donna Berry, O. K. Curry and Anthony Hamilton. The following leaders were chosen for the programs during the month of January: D. Paula Cummins, O. K. Curry, 17, Leanne Roberts, 24, Sue Tapp, 31, Judy Crawford

King-Alexander

Mrs. Malinda King, Elliston, and Mr. Clarence Alexander, Carlisle, were united in marriage on the afternoon of Dec. 22, at the Bourbon County hospital where he has been a patient for the past month. He was a native of Robertson county.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ella McCord, Paris; a daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Wagoner, Lexington; a granddaughter, Mrs. Everette Gravitt, Winchester; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren and a cousin, Miss Nellie Crump, Carlisle

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Dec. 28, at the Davis funeral chapel by the Rev. G. R. Tomlin. Burial in Paris cemetery. Pallbearers Everett Gravitt Jr., Ray Black, Walter Ferguson, Earl Wagoner, H. J. Wagoner and Raymond Wagoner

Richard Wilson

Richard Wilson, 76, retired farmer, died of a heart attack at 3:15 a.m. Dec. 30, at his home on Strother street, Mt. Sterling. A native of Montgomery county, he was a member of the Somerset Christian Church.

Survivors include two sons, Irvine Wilson, Mt. Sterling, and Frank Wilson, Lexington; a daughter, Mrs. Katherine Lovelace, Mt. Sterling; four sisters, Mrs. Lela Baugus and Mrs. Bertha Stockdale, Mt. Sterling; Mrs. Omer Calvert, Lexington, and Mrs. Nina Baugus, Carlisle; a brother, Edward Wilson, Winchester, and six grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Dec. 29 at the Mitchell-Douglas funeral home by the Rev. Danny Joe Howard. Burial in Machpelah cemetery. Pallbearers Keller Stockdale, Clarence Baugus, Wells Summay, Warren Campbell Jr., Harold Schultz and Bedford Henry.

Somerset

by Ann Ockerman

Our community extends heartfelt sympathy to the Workman family at the loss of their loved one, Mr. J. Will Workman.

Johnnie Grimes of Sturgis, Michigan, was a weekend visitor of many friends and relatives in our community. Ronnie Holester also of Sturgis, accompanied him here.

Members of the East Union church and Sunday school met Sunday at the home of Mrs. Margaret Brierly and Alpha. 37 members were present.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Carlon Vice were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Reister of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen T. Bromagen and family entertained Mrs. Allen Bromagen, Bonnie and Patty Bromagen and Albert Mathews with a Xmas Dinner.

Mrs. Glenn Clay and family spent Xmas Holidays in Kings Mt., North Carolina, with her family.

Recent visitors of Ann Ockerman were, Mrs. Kenneth Stephenson, Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Cole, the Glenn Clays, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bramlett, Sgt. John D. Garland, Ft. Knox; Mr. and Mrs. Allen T. Bromagen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Workman and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Workman and son of Hamilton, Ohio.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Workman were Mr. and Mrs. Burl Workman and son Tommy of Hamilton, Ohio.

ATKINSON NAMED AGRICULTURAL CHAIRMAN

Julian Atkinson, assistant cashier, of the Farmers Deposit Bank, Ewing, has been named as county Agricultural Chairman of Fleming County for the Kentucky Bankers Association.

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