

# North Adams Couple Returns Home After Family Reunion

Home again after a joyous Thanksgiving weekend trip are the E. A. Linders of Westchester road. Their busy weekend began when they motored to New York city and met their son and daughter-in-law, the Jacques Linders, who had just flown in from England on a leave.

Meeting her grandparents for the first time was Laurie Anne, born in England, Oct. 1. Jacques Linder is a lieutenant with the United States Air Force and is stationed in England. He expects to be returning to the States when his tour of duty comes to a close April 30.

After the happy reunion the Linders all motored to Birmingham, N. Y., to visit the Annie Fletchers, Mrs. Jacques Linders' parents.

The John Badgers and son, Bruce, of Green Bay, Wis., arrived in Birmingham to spend the week with friends and relatives. The Badgers have been living in Green Bay for the past year and a half, moving from Bolingbroke drive, Leonard lane.

The first part of their visit was spent with the Robert Varsons of Westwood drive and the last few days with the E. A. Linders of Westchester road, relatives of Badgers.

The Jack Smiths and children, John and Karen, of Bolingbroke drive, spent Thanksgiving day in Rising Sun, Ind., with Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

On Friday evening the Smiths attended the candle lighting ceremony at Mrs. Smith's brother, Clinton Buddenberg to Dorothy Peters, in Lawrenceburg, Ind. While there they visited Mrs. Roy Buddenberg, Mrs. Smith's mother.

The Edson Burtons of Etowah drive are home after an exciting two weeks in Texas and Mexico. The first few days of their trip was spent in Dallas, Tex., where they attended a convention for mortgage bankers.

Mexico City, with its colorful countryside, was their next stop. The Burtons toured the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe and found the bull fights most exciting. Five days were spent in Acapulco before returning again to Mexico City and their homeward.

Wanted: A father's cheerful voice that has a chuckling ring to it. The "voice" may be tall, short, skinny or fat. It is needed to help fill in for "Santa Claus" by telephone, between the hours of 5:30 and 9 p.m. on Dec. 12 in the Harlan school area. The job is small but the rewards are great!

For those interested in giving a little of their time, call Mrs. Tyrus Homewood of Walnut Hill drive.

The "knitting group" of the Osage garden club met at the Meadowlark drive home of Mrs. Edward Hopper Nov. 25.

Finishing their knitted articles for their bazaar at the Community house Dec. 7, were, Mrs. John Kohl, Mrs. Robert Brandon, Mrs. H. G.

# Society

will be Mrs. William Armstrong and Mrs. Robert Wallace.

The girl scouts and brownies of Harlan school have recently organized and are now making plans for the coming year.

Mrs. Norman Sullivan of Kirkcaldy road is the leader of the sixth grade class of girl scouts. The troop has not as yet been registered. The group of 19 meet at Mrs. Sullivan's home once a week. Assisting Mrs. Sullivan are Mrs. Douglas Brown of Meadowlark and Mrs. Robert Dieffenbach of Far Hill drive.

A "golf luncheon" was hosted by Mrs. George Jones at her bowling road home Nov. 15.

Those attending were North Adams residents who played golf together weekly throughout the past summer and fall season. Now with winter here they enjoy discussing the game and making plans for getting the group back on the course next spring.

Present were: Mrs. Bryce Beecher of Ramsbury road, Mrs. Robert Boyer of Fox Run, Mrs. John Costello of Squirrel road, Mrs. John Hamilton of Eastwood road and Mrs. Olavi Koskinen of Squirrel road.

The Bernard Jacobsons of Bolingbroke drive entertained at a buffet dinner party Nov. 23, in honor of Jacobson's birthday.

Enjoying the evening were, the Peter Jacobsons of Laneragan drive, the Mervin Jacobsons and the Philip Bettsdorfs of Westchester village and the Robert Richardson of Pleasant Ridge.

Houseguests of the Norman Sullivan residence on Kirkcaldy road over the Thanksgiving weekend were the William L. Munroes and sons, Donald and Gordon, of Camp Hill, Pa., and Mrs. Gordon T. Munroe of Drexel Hill, Pa., brother and mother of Mrs. Sullivan.

The William Munroes returned last Sunday while Mrs. Gordon Munroe will visit here through the Christmas holidays.

The John Virgins of Meadowlark drive entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morrison during the Thanksgiving holiday weekend. The Morrisons are relatives of Mrs. Virgins' and are visiting from Sumner, Pa.

The last of the "get acquainted coffees" for teachers and parents of the Harlan school have been planned.

Miss Jane Fortin, kindergarten teacher, met morning class mothers at the Kenneth Gage home on Wenderow road Wednesday evening. Assisting Mrs. Gage were Mrs. Robert Holt and Mrs. John Gilbert.

Mrs. George Vuelker of Hadlington road hosted a coffee for Mrs. Marilyn Bremmer, first grade teacher, Mrs. Paul Metzler and Mrs. J. K. Tucker, homeroom teachers, assisted the hostess.

On Dec. 11, Mrs. V. James Ford will have a coffee for Miss Carol Shepard, third grade teacher, at her home on Burnley drive. Assisting Mrs. Ford during the evening

# Junior Women's Club Completes Project

Birmingham Junior Women's club met Tuesday for their regular meeting at the Community House. Members dressed 25 Good-fellow dolls to be distributed at Christmas and brought gifts for all the patients at Sister Kenney Polio Center in Farmington.

Mrs. Edward Falberg, president, is leaving for out of state, and vice president, Mrs. Charles Martz will preside. Guest speaker for the meeting was Ethel Upshogrove, and Cestan Spina.

The cub scouts of den 4 served cookies that they made themselves at the close of the meeting.

The newly formed Webelos den, headed by Elmer Flaxton, assistant cub master, will begin their activities. The Webelos include, Gary Altman, Bill Barnes, Donald and Douglas Clark, Tom Rosmusen

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Girl scout troop 39 consists of fifth grade girls. Mrs. J. Lyman Bryan of Fox Run is the leader with Mrs. Mark Hall of Walnut Hill as co-leader. They meet on Wednesdays in the Bryan home.

The newly formed brownie troop of fourth graders meet Mondays at the school. Mrs. Charles Howson of Laneragan drive is brownie leader and co-leader is Mrs. Brady Brenton of Walnut Hill drive.

Brownie troop 936 meet Wednesdays at Harlan school and are third grade girls. Their leader is Mrs. A. R. McNaughton of W. Big Beaver road, with Mrs. F. Dean Barnett of Weatherlane as co-leader.

Mrs. Norman Schealer of Buckingham is the neighborhood chairman of the area.

Newcomers to Laneragan drive are the William H. Kerns of Atlanta, Ga. Kern is with Mcgraw Hill Publishing Co. as the Midwest representative of Magazine Purchasing Week, a magazine, which has not been published. They have two children, John, 4, and Ginny, 2.

Kern is the author of the book "The Silent Continent" which tells of his experiences on an Antarctic expedition during the latter part of '46 and part of '47. On one of his trips in the Antarctic he and crew members were in a plane crash. Two weeks went by before they were found and rescued.

Among the interests the Kerns enjoy are swimming and golf.

The Loren Nalls are newcomers to Butternut Hill drive, formerly of Wing Lake. They have four children, Mrs. T. H. Latimer of Birmingham, Loren Nall, Jr. of Detroit, Robert J. Nall and Thomas C. Nall of Walled Lake.

Before retiring Nall was an engineer with Detroit Edison Co. Bridge and traveling are interests the Nalls enjoy.

Mrs. Joan Hogan was honor guest at a dance Nov. 18 in the multi-purpose room of Eastover school.

Mrs. Hogan, fourth grade teacher at Eastover, gave many hours of her time in establishing the Eastover school library. An attractive scroll made by Mr. William Heaton, was presented to her during the evening by the PTO.

The cub scouts of pack B-14 viewed the "Courtship of Miles Standish," put on by den 5, at their Nov. 25 meeting in the multi-purpose room of Eastover school. Taking the part of Miles Standish was John Cox, Steven Crook portrayed John Alden, Mark Wolong as Priscilla, and Steven Roland as the Reverend.

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