

VESTABURG

The Assembly meetings at Rock Lake closed Sunday evening and on Monday the many campers who were there from various places in Michigan as well as those from Vestaburg broke camp and returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Melater of Cleveland, Ohio, who were former business people of Vestaburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keamer of Toledo who have been here visiting at the home of Mrs. Frank Murphy, sister of Mrs. Melater, and Mrs. Kramer, left Monday to auto to their home and were accompanied by Mrs. Murphy who will also visit her parents in Toledo.

De Witt Murtough has moved his garage at the west side of the foundation he is making to erect a store and will remodel it and put in an ice cream parlor.

The Help Aid society of the Delo District near Winn came to Vestaburg Wednesday, July 27, to spend the day at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Tanner. This is an annual event as Rev. Tanner has been pastor of the Delo District at various times.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Sanders and son, Jack, and Mrs. Sanders' sister, Miss Fern Marvin, of St. Louis were Sunday visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jello Hare.

Edwin McDole is preparing to build a barber shop on one of the lots recently sold by Wm. Carls to Emory Howard west of the John Berquist store.

SETHON

Mrs. Howard Dendell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Noy Jones, at Palo. Mrs. Hyatt is nursing at the James Donohoe home.

Harry Moening of Lansing called on friends here Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nickert spent Saturday at Mt. Pleasant visiting their niece, Ruby Jason, who is attending the summer school.

Ralph Rolfs is enjoying a visit with his parents from Illinois. Mrs. A. VanHeek has been entertaining a niece and some friends from Indiana.

All roads lead to the U. B. campgrounds Sunday. Mrs. Steven Shepherd is entertaining a brother from Lansing. John Jarvis and Glenn Wilcox spent Monday in Ionia on business.

Their wives accompanied them as far as Lyons and spent the day with friends. Mrs. Andrew VanDoelan is gaining slowly. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Morse start on

an auto trip this week. They will visit in southern Michigan and Illinois.

The New Haven L. A. S. meets this Thursday for an all day meeting, with Mrs. Verne Gardner, Pot luck dinner. The six weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clay died Thursday, after several weeks of suffering. The funeral was held at the home Friday. Glenn Wilcox was in Detroit on business Wednesday.

There is a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Downing. Mrs. Lloyd Downs and daughter, Doris, of St. Louis spent Sunday here at the Wm. Troub home.

ELWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Courter entertained relatives from Grand Rapids last week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Slingluff entertained relatives from Meadville, Pa., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ohmer, Jr., of Yale are the proud parents of a baby boy. Mrs. Ohmer was Miss Carrie Bailey formerly of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller are the proud parents of a baby boy.

The Misses Hazel Shoemaker and Agatha Romine were in Riverdale Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Weather-wax are spending their vacation at Cadillac.

Arlene Fairchild of Alma spent the week end at the home of Clarence Fairchild. Several from here attended dances at Riverdale and Crystal Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson were Riverdale callers Saturday night.

Levi Pritchard was a business caller in Alma Saturday. Mrs. Arthur Murphy and daughters, Dorothy and Doris, Mrs. Harry Tubbs and daughter, Mavis, of Mt. Pleasant are spending the week at Bass lake.

Shirley Wiltshire was a Riverdale caller Saturday evening. The Misses Mary and Thersa Wiltshire of Marshall are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wiltshire, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woodard are entertaining relatives from Grand Rapids this week. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fisher were Alma callers Wednesday evening.

UNION FARMERS' CLUB PICNIC The Farmers' clubs of Gratiot county will hold a union picnic at the park in Ithaca Friday, August 11. The organization and business session will be held at 11 o'clock a. m.

Mrs. Louise Campbell of the Agricultural College will deliver an address in the afternoon. Those who have heard Mrs. Campbell say she is one of the best speakers in the country. All who can should hear her.

WRIGHT SCHOOL

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Webb entertained thirty of her relatives Sunday at a family reunion. Guests were present from Fostoria, Ohio, Lansing, Shepherd, Midland and Greendale.

Lewis House of North Star spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rock-fellow. Mr. and Mrs. Davis and family of Elsie and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Rodgers of St. Louis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lentz.

Ervin Hunter is spending a couple of weeks visiting his grandma in Midland county. Mr. Coleman and Mr. Lanphere have improved the looks of their barns by adding new roofs.

TOWN LINE

J. E. O'Bryant of Shepherd spent Monday with his uncle, Frank Whitcraft was a business caller in St. Louis Friday. Mrs. J. McCully has returned from her visit near Ithaca.

Miss Mildred McCully called on Mrs. Iva Whitcraft Thursday afternoon. Miss Mildred McCully is visiting friends and relatives in Owosso this week. Mrs. F. Whitcraft called on Mrs. Matt Johnson Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Matt Johnson has received news from her son, Rex, who expected to be home soon, to the effect that he will not be home until February. Cured of Stomach Trouble and Constipation.

Rachel Cribble of Beaver Dam, Ohio was sick for two years with stomach trouble and constipation, taking one medicine after another with only temporary relief. "My neighbor spoke so enthusiastically of Chamberlain's Tablets" she says "that I procured a bottle of them at our drug store to try. A few days treatment convinced me that they were just what I needed. I continued their use several weeks and they cured me!"—11-4w

Coming—Denman Thompson's "Old Homestead" with New York cast—advertisement. RIVERDALE Mr. and Mrs. J. Rundo are visiting relatives at Rockford and Kalamazoo.

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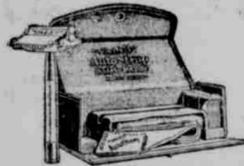
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Harold Hyde was home from Butternut over Sunday. Use It—Then Decide We Will Lend You A Valet AutoStrop Razor for a full thirty day trial.

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MURPHY'S DRUG STORE

The chautauqua held at Riverdale last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, was a great success and enjoyed very much by the town people and vicinity.

Mrs. David Dutt entertained relatives from Detroit over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bywater, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lacey, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nunamaker and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Birdsall are enjoying a week's outing at Rock Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams were in Alma Friday. Mrs. Nettie Rose has gone to Belding to remain until fall. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Richards spent Thursday at Crystal.

Glenn Hudson is spending a two weeks vacation with friends at Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vandemark, Mrs. George Skoff and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Norton have returned from a two weeks outing at Houghton lake.

Miss Hazel Moble, who has been in San Diego, California, since last October, is expected home this week, and will remain with her mother in Kalamazoo for some time.

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