Diamond Drill
Out of the Past

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Strict regulations will be in effect for Catholics during the Lenten season. According to the Most Rev. Thomas L. Noa, bishop of the Marquette diocese, all wartime dispensations from fast and abstinence have been revoked. Catholics between the ages of 21 and 60 are obligated by church law to fast every day in Lent except Sundays. On fast days, only one full meal, either at noon or in the evening is permitted, with two ounces of food and some liquid allowed in the morning and about eight ounces of food for lunch or supper. Catholics over seven years old are to abstain from meat, which includes use of meat broth or soups, on all Wednesdays and Fridays in Lent. The sick, infirm, convalescent, those engaged in hard labor or nursing mothers are excused from fasting.

Walter Diele is a proud fisherman after spearing three northern pikes on Way Dam. The total weight of the three fish totaled 63 pounds with the two "small" ones weighing 19 and 18 pounds and the large one weighing in at 26.5 pounds. The big fish is being mounted by taxidermist Tom Kerrigan and will grace the wall at Rogge's Resort on Way Dam.