

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

December 10, 1959

Crystal Falls Public Schools has begun a boy's intramural basketball program under the supervision of Bob Boldt and Hartley Larson. The program consists of six teams in each the 5th and 6th grade level and 7th and 8th grades and four teams at the High School level. Both the High School and Forest Park gyms will be used for eight games scheduled for each Saturday. The 5th & 6th grade teams each have eight players while the 7th & 8th grade and high school teams have seven players.

A preliminary report from the Michigan Conservation Department reports that hunters killed approximately 108,000 deer in Michigan during the November 15-30 regular and special firearm season, the best harvest since 1952. Although the Department's preseason estimate total of 113,000 was not reached this marks the sixth straight season of increase. Under this year's liberalized special seasons, the antlerless take of 46,000 approached the quota set by the Department. A record 15,828 deer were brought South across the Mackinac Bridge 2,500 above the previous high total set last year. An estimated 450,000 hunters to the woods this season.