Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

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Thursday is Crystal Falls Day at the Iron County Fair to be held in Iron River September 12th to September 15th. The Dickinson County Fair at Norway was attended by more than 1,000 Crystal Falls Area Residents. To encourage visitors to the Iron County Fair Iron River Businesses have published advertisements in the Diamond Drill to promote the event which include; Cleaning & Dye Works, Hewett Grocery, Iron River Creamery, Iron River Transportation Co., Joseph's Tog Shop, Majestic Café, Miss Pryne's Women's Shop, Nolinberg's Bakery and Schook's Resaurant.

The land clearing movement in the Upper Peninsula went into high speed last week with the announcement that millions of pounds of "sodatol", the cheapest war-salvaged explosive yet offered will be available for blasting stumps and stones. This new explosive is being used to replace "picric acid" another war-salvaged explosive whose supply was recently exhausted. "Sodatol" is a mixture of TNT and sodium nitrate properly dried, ground and mixed contained in a double wrapped cartridge.