

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

June 30, 1960

A large dispersal auction is scheduled for the Kalla Walla Farms located near Pentoga in Sections 20, 29 & 30 - T42N/R33W. Owner Rudolph Vogel, a Chicago investment broker, is selling his milk cow herd, related milking equipment and farm equipment. Vogel purchased the property from the Montambo Estate and derived the name from Kalla, the most beautiful Lake in Finland and Walla an abbreviation for the Indian phrase Walla Walla meaning twin lakes, representing the two Maggie Lakes on the property.

A crowd of approximately 500 persons was on hand for the dedication of the new Iron County Airport located south of Crystal Falls near Horse Race Rapids on the Panola Plains in Section 26 – T42N/R32W. The airport has a 3,700' bituminous pavement runway running northwest / southeast with a utility building. The development of the airport has cost over \$100,000 to date which Iron County contributing \$25,000, State of Michigan \$25,000 and \$50,000 by the United States Federal Government. Dedication speakers describe the airport as the "finest little flying field in the U.P.