

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

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A new field course containing 14 targets has been added to the shooting facilities of the Crystal Falls Bowmen located just North of Runkle Lake in a beautiful stand of Norway Pines. The Falls Bowmen, now 30 strong also have a course located near Memory Lane Resort set up to simulate conditions encountered while hunting deer in their natural habitat.

Willie Wiiks, 41, son of Mrs. Hannah Wiiks of the Dunn Mine Location, sustained serious injuries in a freak accident which occurred at the Art Peterson farm in Mansfield. Performing cleanup operations around a large circular saw Wiiks apparently forgot the saw was still running and attempted to stand erect as he cleared sawdust from under the machine. He sustained deep gashes to his back and head. While being rushed to town for treatment at the Crystal Falls Municipal Hospital his driver had to wait several agonizing minutes at the bottom of Superior Avenue to allow a passing ore train to clear the crossing.