Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

October 5, 1923

Automobile license plates are being delivered to the Michigan County Clerks offices by the officials of Jackson Prison where the plates are made. The 1924 plates are yellow with black numerals and considerably larger than the plates from past years being 5 and one-half inches high and fifteen and one-half inches long. Plates for commercial vehicles will be different than those of passenger cars.

An effort to take the life of Michigan Deputy Game Warden Max Jager and wreck his home on Adams Street in Iron River failed when a charge of dynamite hurled by unknown would-be assassins missed the open window at the rear of his house and exploded outside the residence. Windows in the Jager home and neighboring buildings were shattered and the siding was torn free from the walls of the residence facing the explosion. Officer Jager, one of the craftiest and most determined wardens in the Upper Peninsula, has recently arrested a number "suspected" violators and undaunted by the attack set out the following morning in pursuit of any game law dodgers.

