

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

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Otto Eckola and his brother John from the Lind District were celebrating last Sunday and called on a friend at the Dunn Location accompanied by Henry Salo, another old "friend ". They began discussing many things as friends will, their tongues being occasionally oiled by a little bad whiskey, soon reaching such a heat that the brothers undertook the use of knives in an effort to convince Henry of their side of the facts. Henry's hands were cut rather severely and the police took the brothers to jail. Otto and John were each fined \$60 or given the alternative of a jail sentence besides taking care of Henry's doctor bill.

Dave Mendelson who has maintained a dry goods store in Alpha for many years has decided to sell out and quit the business. Mendelson stated that Alpha was too small for two dry goods store hence his decision to quit. It is likely that Dave will join his father Abe in the operation of his store in Crystal Falls (132 Superior).