Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

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Norbert Dishaw recently arrived from Albion, Michigan where he has been employed for the past five years in the mechanical department of the Albion Evening Recorder Newspaper, to assume his duties as the new linotype operator for the Diamond Drill Newspaper. Norb, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dishaw (Second Street) is a 1943 graduate of Crystal Falls High School and an Army Veteran who served overseas in the European campaign during WWII.

First of the weekly services of the newly-organized Baptist Chapel of Crystal Falls was held Tuesday evening with Rev. Lloyd Mattson pastor at Iron River officiating. Plans for establishing a Baptist Chapel in Crystal Falls under the sponsorship of the First Baptist Church of Iron River were disclosed following an organizational meeting where local officers were elected. Mrs. Lorraine Jarp (President), Mrs. Rudy Enstrom (Secretary) and Mrs. Wally Heikkinen (Treasurer).

The City of Crystal Falls has lost $1,119 in taxes as a result of a loss of population decrease according to 1950 census figures. The 1950 census reported the Crystal Falls population total of 2,316 as compared to the 1940 census of 2,641.