

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

October 16, 1958

Krist Oil Company has opened its new "Ultra-Modern" Service Station located just west of Crystal Falls on Hwy US-2 near the Odgers Location with 600' of frontage along the highway. The building erected by Caspian Construction Company is of modern design, constructed of brick and faced entirely with plate glass. Four pumps will service motorists while still another will dispense fuel oil and a fuel route truck will service area residents with bulk gasoline and fuel oil. Ed Skibo, formerly employed at the Book Mine in Alpha will operate the business locally. Krist Oil Company owns similar stations at Long Lake, Wisconsin and five locations in West Iron County.

Rev Wilbert G. Ruohomaki of Frederick, South Dakota, has accepted the call to serve the Emmanuel Lutheran Church of Crystal Falls and Bethany Lutheran Church of Amasa. He replaces the Rev. Martin Halinen who has served the congregations for the last ten years. Rev. Ruohomaki is a native of Ishpeming, 1947 graduate of Ishpeming High School, graduate of Suomi College in Hancock and ordained from Suomi Seminary, Fairport, Ohio.



Rev. W. G. Ruohomaki