

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

September 9, 1948

Bonnie Marie Tiske and Ray Allan Ponchaud were chosen Miss and Master Crystal Falls Jr. in a contest held last week by the VFW Auxiliary to raise money for the Post's building fund. The two cousins were chosen by gathering the most votes from among a list of children under five years of age who were nominated. Others included Dianne Enstrom, Alice Erickson, Mary Ann Mattson, Adrienne Mlinarcik, Sharon Pesonen, Mary Smokevitch, Patricia Turk, Joel Anderson, Dean Bauman, Willis Broad and Albert Smokevitch.

A total of 809 children from Crystal Falls and Mansfield Township are enrolled in school for the 1948-49 school year an increase of 34 over last year almost entirely due to the transfer of Mansfield Township children to Crystal Falls as the result of a July school election when Mansfield voters moved to close their country-style one room school. The high school enrollment totals 200 students which include 39 seniors, 7th & 8th grades (124) and K-6th (485).