

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

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Tennis enthusiasts of Crystal Falls are welcoming the construction of new tennis courts at the Odgers Mine located just west of the City Limits. Since the Forest Park court was put in playing condition last summer, interest in the game has been growing. Officials of the Corrigan, McKinney Steel Company, owners of the property, will make a considerable outlay for the cost of the project which will add greatly to the development of the sport of tennis locally. The two courts are being built between the carpenter shop and the highway extending north and south. Each court will be 42' wide and 102' long, thus providing the regulation playing court size 38' x 78' with a 12' back court at each end and 2' on each side. The courts will be tipped slightly to the east thus providing immediate drainage and entirely surrounded with drainage tile making it possible to use the courts even during wet weather. Backstops and other permanent equipment will be erected in a substantial and ornamental manner.