

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

November 7, 1924

The fire drills held at the Forest Park Elementary School and High School showed that the students exited the buildings in rapid time. The High School with an enrollment of 280 pupils marched out in 45 seconds and the Forest Park elementary with 900 pupils were emptied in 90 seconds.

About forty-five Lind District School students celebrated Halloween at the school house decorated with orange and black crepe paper upon which were pasted witches, cats, bats, owls and moons. The children bobbed for apples in a tub of water and tried to eat doughnuts suspended from the ceiling while blindfolded. The shoe contest was great fun where every contestant took their shoes off and put them in a pile. After mixing the pile each person had to find their own shoes and lace them up. The highlight of the shoe contest was the fact that Eino Koski could not get his shoes on again and had to be helped by two of his classmates. Relay races consisted of which team could carry the most chalk on a piece of paper.