

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

February 6, 1974

The Forest Park School District has called off school due to the high rate of absenteeism rates over 30% due to the flu and colds. Other Iron County Schools and several throughout the Upper Peninsula have been closed due to the "bug".

Athletic Director, Ron Johnson, advised that the Forest Park School will participate in the Skyline Conference in basketball and track beginning in the 1974-75 school year. The Trojans have been playing a non-conference schedule with the collapse of the Land O' Lakes Conference. Other league schools include Carney, North Central, North Dickinson, Republic and the newly consolidated NICE district combining National Mine and Champion.

Karen Kosonen, Forest Park High School Senior, has been selected for the 1974 Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen Award. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilho Kosonen (714 W. Superior) has been exceptionally active in Forest Park sports and extra-curricular activities in addition to being nominated as an Outstanding Teenager of America selection for 1973.