

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

May 18, 1961

Acting on a recommendation by the Iron County Mine Inspector, Reino Anderson, the Iron County Road Commission has closed a section of the Tobin – Alpha road just North of the Dunn Location. Anderson reported there was evidence that the ground under the road bed was giving way posing a definite threat of a major cave in. Investigation of old Dunn Mine maps shows a portion of an old underground stope extends under the roadway. A new bypass around the area is being discussed but responsibility as to who is to cover the costs of the relocation of the road is ongoing between the Inland Steel Co. which owns the mineral rights on the property and Iron County.

The Wisconsin-Michigan Power Company is making plans to enlarge and improve the public access area on the Peavy backwaters at the end of the Lake Mary road in Mastodon Township. The improvements at the site, commonly known as LaBombarb's Landing, will not affect the boat livery business which for many years been operated by Mrs. Serena LaBombarb.