Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

September 17, 1975

Thad Stender, Forest Park School Music teacher has replaced Pat Osterby as the new director of the Crystal Falls Community Band. The all-volunteer band performs at the Bass Festival, Rodeo parades and other public events including the Crystal Manor, Iron County Medicare and Senior Citizens Centers.

Albert "Mink" Sartori won the Crystal Falls Men's Golf Club Championship by defeating perennial champion Dick Mettlach. It was Sartori's first title after a long golf career on the local links. Mettlach has won eight titles, including the last seven in a row. The match was played in late season cold weather with the temperature of 38 degrees at tee-off time. Keeping in the family, Mink's wife Olga won the women's club championship by defeating Alda Martin.

The much anticipated high school football contest between the undefeated and top rated Forest Park Trojans and Norway Nights was won by Norway (14-13). The game was marred by a "controversial" penalty call against the Trojans for illegal lineman downfield on a pass play that video tape later showed the receiver had caught the ball behind the line of scrimmage.