Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

February 12, 1959

Sixty World War I veterans and 40 members at large of the Louis Bowman American Legion Post of Crystal Falls attended a special commemorative dinner held at the Legion Suite at the Crystal Inn (400 Superior). Toastmaster Beno Webber, along with post commander Ben Willman, paid tribute to the group of WWI veterans attending claiming it was the largest turnout of its kind ever to be held in the Upper Peninsula.

Arrangements were completed by Mr. and Mrs. Hubert West for the purchase of the Joseph Oravec home (826 Harrison). "Buddy" along with his wife Rita and two year old son Ken, who currently reside at 112 N. Fourth Street, will move to their new residence at the conclusion of the current school year. Oravec, a Michigan State Highway Department employee has been promoted to position as bridge engineer for the City of Detroit. West is associated with his father Aval in the operation of West's Mobil Service located at the Southwest corner of Crystal Avenue and North Fifth Street.