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John Marsch has been awarded the contract (\$14,045.25) by the Iron County Road Commission for the fill required for the approaches to the new bridge currently being constructed over the Paint River at the bottom of Superior Avenue. Approximately 30,000 cubic yards dirt will be required for the project which will be obtained from the Dalpra property located southeast of the existing bridge which will remain in use until the new bridge is completed next year. The new bridge's location is north of the current structure and will be raised on the east end to help eliminate the steep hill which now has to be negotiated heading east of the old bridge.

The new home of the Louis Bowman Post of the American Legion was formally dedicated on November 29th with appropriate ceremonies in their rooms located at the newly constructed Crystal Inn building (400 Superior). Located on the former site of the Lockwood Hotel which was destroyed by fire on August 7, 1918, the new Crystal Falls Hotel would not have been possible without the leadership and monies supplied by the Legion.

