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Born: Patrick Jon Wiebenga (Chuck), p. 2
Kramer: 'Stoking a tiny furnace', p. 3
Born: Johnathan Carl Copley (Joel), p. 3
62nd ann. Jake & Jennie Venhuizen, p. 3
29: Benefit planned for owners of Cottage Pastry, p. 1

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- Jan.** 29: 50th ann. Mr. & Mrs. Robert Van Vuren, Sec. 2, p. 2
Died: Rosemary E. Edwards, 77, p. 2
Died: Grace Bielema, 87, p. 2
Born: Joshua David Huizenga (David), p. 2
Internet users may get new wireless service (CIS Internet), p. 2
Fulton's new mill (Fulton Fiber Mill) is up and running, p. 2
Kramer: 'The bills have it', p. 3
- Feb.** 5: Died: Richard Borgman, 58, p. 2
Died: Helen Heffernan, p. 2
Died: Edward Cole, 82, p. 2
Kramer: 'Wildlife enjoying our mild winter', p. 3
Married: Michael A. Housenga & Missy M. Coborn, p. 3
Born: Noah Benjamin Sterenberg (Doug), p. 3
40th ann. Michael & Barbara Loncar, Sec. 2, p. 3
25th ann. Bruce & Melody VanDrew, Sec. 2, p. 3
Engaged: Harvey Wiebenga & Darlene Martin, Sec. 2, p. 4
- 12: Fulton Book Club celebrates 30 years, p. 1
Died: Mae Hammond, 70, p. 2
Died: Martha Paul, 82, p. 2
Died: Helen White-Farber, 45, p. 2
Died: Paul Morrow, 66, p. 2
58th ann. Clarence & Bernice Workman, p. 2
Kramer: 'Are you feeding an zebraback?', p. 3
Engaged: Joshua Empen & Angela Dykstra, p. 3
59th ann. Bob & Theresa Merema, p. 3
25th ann. Elwyn & Iola Newendyke, p. 3
- 19: City to study building offer by fire department, p. 1
Bolter (windmill) arrives in Fulton, p. 1
Died: Evelyn Kelly, 89, p. 2
Died: 40th ann. Harry & Judi Schaver, p. 2
Kramer: 'Even for a bird...it's not easy to fly', p. 3
Engaged: Daniel Zeeryp & Mika Lynn Hansen, p. 3
68th ann. Peter & Esther Smith, p. 3
66th ann. Corneil & Dena Wilkens, p. 3
Born: Amber Rose Vroman (Eric), p. 3
Engaged: Howard Paysen & Linda Bielema, p. 3
63rd ann. Allen & Dorothy Poel, p. 3
56th ann. Ed & Shirley Wiersema, p. 3
55th ann. Ray & Evelyn Damhoff, p. 3
- 26: New Italian Ristorante opens (Joey's Italian), p. 1
Wooden shoe owners begin decorating, p. 1
Died: Eleanor June Diephuis, 79, p. 2
Died: Beverly Morris, 78, p. 2
Died: Henrietta Hartman, 83, p. 2
Kramer: 'Chicken hawk settles for less', p. 3
Married: Tim McCann & Christine Sikkema, p. 3
Engaged: Scott Snyder & Kelly Buis, p. 3

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- Feb.** 26: Born: Austin Michael Adams (Shane), p. 3
53rd ann. Lawrence & Edna Mae Tegeler, p. 4
55th ann. Ken & Min Huizenga, p. 4
42nd ann. Gordon & Jane Sissing, p. 4
- Mar.** 5: 40th ann. Mitch & Ruth Tiesman, p. 1
48th ann. Wilb & Millie Heun, p. 1
Died: Helen Johnson, 81, p. 2
Died: Paul V. Noeske, 86, p. 2
Born: Kyle Robert Foster (Matthew), P. 2
Kramer: 'And the elbow connected to the...', p. 3
50th ann. Donald & Marilyn Montgomery, p. 3
- 12: Great River Trail council to meet in Albany, p. 1
52nd ann. Robert & Arlene Dykema, p. 1
Died: Annadell Copeland, 79, p. 2
Died: Howard Kaufman, 75, p. 2
22nd ann. Jon & Vicki Lockhart, p. 2
Kramer: 'Coming home at 65 mile per', p. 3
Engaged: Erik Mangelsen & Anna Kutchman, p. 3
50th ann. Art & Donna Goodwin, p. 4
- 19: Died: Charles Damhoff, 89, p. 2
Died: Robert Stolley, 51, p. 2
Died: Kathryn M. Dornbush, 74, p. 2
Born: Jacob Otto Jackson (Ryan), p. 2
Kramer: 'It's mourning...but not sad', p. 3
Born: Kayla Ann Leemhuis (James), p. 4
49th ann. Allan & Lucy Voss, p. 4
60th ann. Otto & Thelma Van Vuren, p. 6
- 26: Gateway Faith Fellowship to open in church building on 11th ave., p. 1
Sunrise Café adds staff, p. 1
The 'Changin of the Pans' (Cottage Pastry), p. 1
Died: Ervin E. Ylitalo, 58, p. 3
Kramer: 'This one is plump and chunky', p. 5
- April** 2: Fulton Marina' present look may change, p. 1
62nd ann. John & Jeannette Wilkens, p. 1
Born: Twins – Tyler & Blake Giddings (Nathan), p. 1
Died: William Ven Huizen, 86, p. 2
Died: Robert E. Stage, Sr., 55, p. 2
Died: Alvin J. Temple, 79, p. 2
Died: Alice B. Feldt, 99, p. 2
Died: Palmer Anderson, p. 2
Died: Marilyn Poole, 73, p. 2
Born: Tyler William Purdy (Bill), p. 2
Born: Elise Nicole Benson (Matthew), p. 2
Kramer: 'The family life of redbreasts', p. 3
25th ann. Edwin & Debra Bielema, p. 3
Engaged: Brandon Donoho & Heather Abbott, p. 4
Married: Robert Abbott & Elizabeth O'Lone, p. 4

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- April** 2: Died: Helen Jane Ploch, 86, p. 10
9: Good attendance at 1st service of Gateway Fellowship church, p. 1
58th ann. Bob & June Sikkema, p. 1
54th ann. Gerald & Jean Norman, p. 1
Died: Elinor F. Kennedy, 89, p. 2
Died: David Lacy, 46, p. 2
58th ann. Bert & Marian Merema, p. 2
41st ann. Bill & Lynne Loerop, p. 2
Kramer: 'But I'm not a seagull', p. 3
55th ann. Ed & Mary Foster, p. 5
16: 62nd ann. Albert & Evelyn Brondyke, p. 1
Died: Nellie G. DeWeerd, 90, p. 2
Died: Gerald Wilson, 86, p. 2
Died: Edward Foster, 76, p. 2
Died: Spencer C. DeJong, 95, p. 2
Kramer: 'A slough full of hungry pelicans', p. 3
Engaged: Matthew Hanegmon & Melissa Kaufman, p. 3
46th ann. LeRoy & Mary Ann Gossard, p. 3
30th ann. Randy & Karen Dykstra, p. 3
60th ann. Bob & Nell Heun, p. 3
23: 55th ann. Mr. & Mrs. Leroy Balk, p. 1
61st ann. Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Sharer, p. 1
Died: Roy Ven Huizen, 94, p. 2
Died: Albert J. Brondyke, 85, p. 2
Born: Jerse Marie Tubbs (Kevin), p. 2
Kramer: 'What's in a howl?', p. 3
Engaged: Dustin Van Zuiden & Pamela Meekma, p. 4
Fulton Fiber Mill cuts ribbon, p. 5
Cottage Pastry grand opening continues through this week, p. 8
30: Died: Jack Sherman, 61, p. 2
Died: Isabel Graham Housenga, infant, p. 2
Died: Marguerite Davis, 71, p. 2
48th ann. Leland & Eunice Swanson, p. 2
62nd ann. Gerald & Marian Ottens, p. 2
Kramer: 'Pigeon, no ... rock dove, yes', p. 3
Born: Ashley Ann Nickols (Jason), p. 3
Engaged: Steve Kane & Tricia Hovey, p. 3
- May** 7: Work has started on new gazebo, p. 1
Engaged: Eric Thunstedt & Gina Anseimo, p. 2
55th ann. Stan & Marge Bielema, p. 3
57th Allen & Marie Dornbush, p. 3
Engaged: Jonathan Kettler & Jawnica Vaverka, p. 4
Kramer: 'The universally known one', Sec. 2, p. 1
Born: Jakob Allen North (Mike), Sec. 2, p. 1
46th ann. Al & Phyllis Heun, Sec. 2, p. 2
Dutch Days pictures, Sec. 2, p. 3

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- May** 14: Drives Athletic Park taking shape, p. 1
Born: Branden Patrick Russell (Brian), p. 1
Died: Frank Zuidema, 90, p. 2
Died: Irving G. Naftzger, Jr., 84, p. 2
Kramer: 'One inch long and just one ounce', p. 3
Married: Curt Mattan & Stacia Lietsch, p. 3
- 21: Engaged: Matthew Birdsley & Jessica Faber, p. 2
25th ann. Jim & Kay Bielema, p. 2
Kramer: '...Blue indigo', p. 3
Engaged: Aaron Krueger & Tonya Temple, p. 3
25th ann. Warren & Joy Stuart, p. 3
Born: Baylee Ann Merema (Ryan), p. 5
Married: Kevin Dale Dykstra & Regina Sue Stuart, Sec. 2, p. 3
- 28: Wooden shoes make big hit during kickoff event, p. 1
Died: Edward J. Carpenter, 94, p. 2
Engaged: David Criss & Kathleen Lowry, p. 5
Graduation Issue – pictures, Sec. 2
- June** 4: A bit of Fulton history is coming down (water tower), p. 1
Died: Herbert J. St. Ores, Jr., 71, p. 2
Died: Carol L. Clark, 61, p. 2
Died: Edna R. Buxton-Boerema, 88, p. 2
Died: Elizabeth Kraft, 96, p. 2
Died: Debra J. Mc Callister, 48, p. 2
40th ann. Mr. & Mrs. Terry Braun, p. 2
Kramer: 'Our pets were not always friendly', p. 3
- 11: Gazebo takes shape, p. 1
Died: Harold Kooi, 77, p. 2
Died: John L. Gerdes, 84, p. 2
Died: Paul E. Bennett, 57, p. 2
Died: Harold R. Harman, 89, p. 2
Kramer: 'The human still love cats', p. 3
Engaged: Eric Wiersema & Lisa Huizenga, p. 3
Engaged: Aaron Maurer & Amanda Norman, p. 3
54th ann. Bill & Betty Schaver, p. 4
52nd ann. Jerry & Betty Boelkens, p. 4
Born: Zachary Joseph Matzen (Mark), p. 4
Married: Jesse Jacobs & Kelly St. Ores, p. 5
Born: Dylan Belle Merema (Corey), p. 5
Married: Bryce William Manning & Jessica Gehant, p. 7
- 18: 56th ann. Paul & Loretta Harter, p. 1
50th ann. Donald & Ruth Dykema, p. 2
43rd ann. Dick & Maxine Whistler, p. 2
37th ann. Les & Julie Dornbush, p. 2
49th ann. Harold & Helen Smith, p. 2
45th ann. Harlan & Gen Tiesman, p. 2
Born: Micah Scott Bonestroo (Scott), p. 2
Kramer: This dog didn't bark a virus warning', p. 3

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- June** 18: Born: Anna Grace Brown (Mark), p. 3
Married: Scott Snyder & Kelly Buis, Sec. 2, p. 1
Married: Howard Paysen & Linda Bielema, Sec. 2, p. 4
- 25: Tank (water) no more', p. 1
Matcon is new industry for industrial park, p. 1
Died: Richard L. Miller, Sr., 68, p. 2
44th ann. Henry & Katherine Smith, p. 2
Kramer: 'They have a different side', Sec. 2, p. 1
Engaged: Kent Vanderploeg & Danielle Kalina, Sec. 2, p. 1
Engaged: Darrell Dornbush & Amber Keisel, Sec. 2, p. 1
- July** 2: Died: Viola R. Bush, 79, p. 2
Died: Randall Lawton, 52, p. 2
Drives Park making progress, p. 2
54th ann. Ed & Nora Bush, p. 2
Come sit a spell (new gazebo), p. 2
50th ann. Robert & Arlene Stuart, p. 3
Kramer: 'A beautiful transformation of the ugly worm', Sec. 2, p. 1
39th ann. Marion & Karen Vander Vinne, Sec. 2, p. 1
Born: Elle Marie Davis (John), Sec. 2, p. 1
61st ann. Willis & Harriet Schaver, Sec. 2, p. 1
- 9: Died: Gladys Kustes, 91, p. 2
Died: Marilyn Poole, 73, p. 2
Kramer: 'The painted one travels', p. 3
Engaged: Paul Vander Bleek & Sarah Chaplin, p. 3
25th ann. Dwayne & Candie Schipper, p. 3
Married: Steve Kane & Tricia Hovey, p. 4
- 16: Park gazebo dedicated, p. 1
Died: Wilma Tucker, 78, p. 2
Kramer: 'A big stranger joins them', p. 3
Born: Ivy Louise Van Kampen (Sean), p. 3
- 23: 1st Gateway construction begins, p. 1
Died: Verle L. Hawk, 83, p. 2
Died: Vernabelle J. Morgan, 76, p. 2
Died: Wilbur H. Brinkman, 83, p. 2
Died: Paul Vander Vinne, 76, p. 2
Died: Katherine B. Fahey, 90, p. 2
Died: Lester Nelson, 92, p. 2
Kramer: 'This new bug thrives on skeletonization', p. 2
Kramer: 'Here's two noisy redheads', p. 3
50th ann. Harold & Susan Wright, p. 4
Engaged: Adam Huizenga & Megan Steele, p. 4
50th ann. Russell & Marilyn Muur, p. 8
- 30: It's a family affair (Freedom Motorsports), p. 1
Died: Bernard Norman, 71, p. 2
Born: Ryan James Thoreson (Jon), p. 2
Kramer: '80 million years old ... but nears extinction', p. 3
25th ann. David & Brenda Sheckler, p. 3

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- July** 30: Married: Jonathan McInerney & Fuchsia Diefenderfer, p. 3
Married: Paul Veldhouse & Lynn Temple, p. 5
Married: Stephen A. Brown & Stephanie Van Zuiden, p. 6
- Aug.** 6: City approves loan to Wildwood Farms buyer, p. 1
Born: Lexi Olivia Lane (Michael), p. 1
Died: Joan Y. Domsalla, 67, p. 2
Died: Harold C. Parker, 80, p. 2
Died: Emma Anderson, 81, p. 2
Engaged: Scot Schaumburg & Kimberly Huizenga, p. 2
50th ann. Warren & Wilma Beukema, p. 2
55th ann. Vince & Wilma Hoogheem, p. 2
59th ann. Ikey & Mary Engelkens, p. 2
Kramer: 'This killer is in name only', p. 3
40th ann. William & Mary Medenblik, p. 3
Engaged: Corey Council & Renae Reusche, Sec. 2, p. 1
- 13: New additions to Drives Park, p. 1
Bald Eagle Nursery changes owners, p. 1
62nd ann. John & Edna Johnson, p. 1
Died: David Krikovich, 88, p. 2
Kramer: 'Just a fly-in hotel', p. 3
Engaged: Brandon Litherland & Shelly Price, p. 3
Engaged: Mark Temple & Amber Driscoll, p. 3
34th ann. Jerry & Val Bush, p. 3
- 20: Died: Suzanne I. Petersen, 72, p. 2
Died: Rosemary Seagp, 86, p. 2
Kramer: 'Do hummingbirds piggyback?', p. 3
Born: Leah Ryene Graham (Ryan), p. 3
37th ann. Phil & Joyce Hook, p. 3
50th ann. Robert & Ruth Venema, p. 4
Born: Andrew Jay Bosch (Steve), p. 6
40th ann. Robert & Sandra Foster, p. 6
- 27: 43rd ann. Clair & Marcia Lathrop, p. 1
Died: Robert F. Larson, 83, p. 2
Services for Rosemary Seago, 86, p. 2
Died: Harry Petersen, 75, p. 2
Died: Lawrence A. Ashpole, 89, p. 2
57th ann. Bernard & Dorothy Engelkens, p. 2
36th ann. Arvid & Diane Housenga, p. 2
42nd ann. Larry & Sandy Senior, p. 2
55th ann. Carl & Wilma Vander Eide, p. 2
Kramer: 'A little gentleman in velvet', p. 3
Engaged: Joshua Pessman & Maria Yoeckel, p. 3
Engaged: Joseph Rannfeldt & Kimberly Balk, p. 3
Immaculate Conception bells removed, p. 7
- Sept.** 3: Died: Matt Law, 77, p. 2
Kramer: 'No charge for backyard tents', p. 3
60th ann. Allen & Bernice Sikkema, p. 6

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- Sept.** 3: 65th ann. Hans & Ellen Larsen, p. 6
10: Drives, Inc. dream becomes a reality in August, p. 1
Born: Aiden Alexavier Taylor (Zach), p. 1
Died: Ruth Durkee, 55, p. 2
Born: Cailyn Nicole Piercy (Chad), p. 2
Kramer: 'To be dinner of the diner', p. 3
Engaged: Andrew Bentley & Staci Hartman, p. 5
Married: Curt Snyder & Alison Voell, p. 5
50th ann. John & Alberta Dykhuizen, p. 6
17: Mark Evers Woodworking Shop expands again, p. 1
63rd ann. George & Ellamae Moldermaker, p. 1
Born: Riley Rae Spooner (Jeremiah), p. 1
Credit Union (1st Gateway) opens in Fulton, p. 1
Died: Charlie Eissens, 82, p. 2
Died: S. Neil Robinson, 62, p. 2
Died: Marie Van Zuiden, 90, p. 2
Died: Glen Goodell, 82, p. 2
Died: Kenneth Schroeder, 88, p. 2
Born: Kyle Austin Ritterbush (Jon), p. 2
Kramer: 'This bedroom sleeps 404', p. 3
57th ann. Sebert & Phyllis Dykstra, p. 3
24: Picture This opens in mall, p. 1
Grand opening of Stamping Sensations, p. 1
56th ann. Harold & Beverly Bonneur, p. 1
Contractor starts business in Fulton (Matt Kirst Home Imp.), p. 1
Born: Maison Elizabeth Huisenga (Daren), p. 1
Died: Raymond E. Kennedy, 77, p. 2
Died: Alice Hansen, 84, p. 2
45th ann. Arnold & Marilyn Huizenga, p. 2
Born: Kara Sue Stoecker (Chet), p. 2
Born: Brook Richard Graham Mason (Rick), p. 2
Kramer: 'A beautiful transformation of the ugly worm', p. 3
57th ann. Fred & Helen Hine, p. 3
50th ann. Ray & Marge Brondyke, p. 6
Engaged: Scott Deters & Sarah Johnson, p. 6
Oct. 1: 58th ann. Marvin & Beulah Hook, p. 1
48th ann. Dick & Ruth Buikema, p. 1
New beauty shop opens in Fulton (Bittersweet Salon), p. 1
Died: Dena Wilkens, 89, p. 2
Died: Richard Harrison, 57, p. 2
41st ann. Roland & Elsie Foster, p. 2
Kramer: 'Being a deer is no picnic in the fall', p. 3
Born: Faith Marie Hovious (Shawn), p. 5
Born: Caroline Marie Stone (Jason), p. 5
56th ann. Jean & Leona Borgman, p. 7
50th ann. Don & Carol Hook, p. 9
Engaged: Ryan Olson & Mindy Thornton, p. 9

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- Oct.** 8: Sign over canyon (Heritage) to foundation, p. 1, 2
48th ann. Robert & Shirley Buikema, p. 1
Born: Elizabeth Ann Dornbush (Kevin), p. 1
Died: Earl Diephuis, 92, p. 2
Died: Dorothy Scudder, 90, p. 2
Died: James Schaver, 90, p. 2
Died: Mary A. Hoyer, 69, p. 2
Kramer: 'The angel bird sticks around', p. 3
Born: Luke Benjamin Saavedra (Hugo), p. 9
Born: Ella Katherine Penca (Jeff), p. 9
- 15: 64th ann. Clarence & Adeline Rus, p. 1
Ribbon cutting for Bittersweet Salon, p. 1
43rd ann. Ken & Karen Fanderclai, p. 1
Died: John Johnson, 88, p. 2
Died: Harry A. Near, 85, p. 2
Died: Glenn W. Bartlett, 90, p. 2
Kramer: 'This lady gets us angry', p. 3
Born: Kye Alan Smeltzly (Mike), p. 3
Born: Son of Matt & Krista Van Engen, p. 3
- 22: Ribbon cutting held for 1st Gateway, p. 1
Plans made for dredging Fulton Marina, p. 2
Died: Melvin E. Letcher, p. 2
Died: Linda Roman-Bland, 42, p. 2
54th ann. Allen & Della Mae Deelsnyder, p. 2
50th ann. Raymond & Darlene Hook, p. 3
54th ann. Ray & Thelma Dykstra, p. 3
- 29: Drives, Inc has change in ownership, p. 1
43rd ann. Dick & Irma Bland, p. 1
Died: Floyd LaShelle, 84, p. 2
Died: Ivy Arians, 92, p. 2
Died: Larry A. Noble, 60, p. 2
Kramer: 'Holy moley, they're still busy', p. 3
25th ann. John & Leah Kustes, p. 3
Born: Averie Rose Herr (Jason), p. 3
Married: Aaron Krueger & Tonya Temple, p. 5
- Nov.** 5: Died: Theresa Ven Huizen, 91, p. 2
Kramer: 'A spunky bird...as busy as a squirrel', p. 3
- 12: Rebecca Huizenga begins new law practice, p. 1
Died: Donald J. Huizenga, 85, p. 2
Died: Owen Curtis, infant, p. 2
Died: Denis C. Ryan, 57, p. 2
Died: Daniel R. Barsema, 42, p. 2
Kramer: 'Black at both ends...white in the middle', p. 3
25th ann. Jerry & Diane Engelkins, p. 8
- 19: 47th ann. Leon & Joyce Ottens, p. 1
Died: Martha Balk, 92, p. 2
Died: Pauline Westplate, 85, p. 2

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- Nov.** 19: Died: Mary E. Lindsay, 71, p. 2
Cullen storage yard abandoned, p. 2
Kramer: 'Life can hide come winter', p. 3
60th ann. Wilbur & Adeline Port, p. 3
- 26: Died: Helen M. Mostek-Winterton, 95, p. 2
Kramer: 'Just what is a Tukki', p. 3
Ribbon cutting for Berry Vine Gifts, p. 3
51st ann. Gary & Donna Dykstra, p. 6
- Dec.** 3: Died: Beatrice M. Huggins, 102, p. 2
Died: Loretta Goodell, 78, p. 2
Kramer: 'But it's just a coot', p. 3
54th ann. Len & Lois Spangler, p. 3
57th ann. Ray & Alva Meurs, p. 3
- 10: Plans revised for Fulton Marina project, p. 1
Died: Irene E. Keisel, 87, p. 2
Died: Jean L. Giddings, 76, p. 2
Kramer: 'And all through the hous....but maybe a mouse', p. 3
Immaculate Conception dedicate Carillon Chimes, p. 4
Engaged: Charles Bruns & Sara Stuart, p. 5
- 17: Died: Clarence E. Glazier, 86, p. 2
Died: Irene B. Hoeksema, 91, p. 2
Kramer: 'Cardinals not the only red of Christman', p. 3
Engaged: Bruce Ytsen & Joan Wiebenga, p. 5
38th ann. Art & Ella Kramer, p. 5
55th ann. Ike & Mary Temple, p. 5
Born: Zachariah Robert Dykstra (Shane), p. 5
Born: Drew Nolan Dykstra (Brent), p. 5
- 24: Died: Gary L. Pessman, 58, p. 2
Died: Bernadine J. Durkee, 88, p. 2
50th ann. Fred & Mary Jane Fiet, p. 2
52nd ann. Clarence & Jean Kettler, p. 2
57th ann. Marvin & Betty Decker, p. 2
25th ann. Frosty & Joetta Erickson, p. 2
25th ann. David & Martha Harris, p. 4
Married: Dustin T. Van Zuiden & Pamela L. Meekma, p. 6
Kramer: 'The colors of Christman', Sec. 2, p. 3
- 31: Died: Joseph W. Keegan, 89, p. 2
Died: Lyle J. Henderson, 85, p. 2
Married: Joshua A. Cramer & Kelly S. Houzenga, p. 2
Kramer: 'The flying reforester', p. 3

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- Jan.** 7: Died: Michael C. Knight, 72, p. 2
Died: Sidney Durkee, 59, p. 2
Died: Sophie Johnson, 86, p. 2
Kramer: 'Trying to save the eye', p. 3
Julie to celebrate 25 years at the café (Albany), Sec. 2, p. 2
Born: Peyton Rae Sanderson (Mike), Sec. 2, p. 3
- 14: Our National Bird here in great numbers, p. 1
57th ann. Joe & Audrey Postma, p. 1
Died: Joe Haan, 86, p. 2
Died: Hans P. Larsen, 90, p. 2
Kramer: 'The 'coop' nearly scared em to death', p. 3
65th ann. Elmer & Lena Meurs, p. 3
- 21: Born: Jeffrey Alan Peters (Alan), p. 1
50th ann. Robert & Grace Rowland, p. 2
Kramer: 'Nature facts you might not know', p. 3
- 28: Another effort begins to open prison, p. 1
Died: Wilbert G. Wilkens, 78, p. 2
Died: Bettie N. Hall, 83, p. 2
Died: Leona Kramer, 69, p. 2
Kramer: 'Build em a house', p. 3
- Feb.** 4: 59th ann. Howard & Gertrude Huizenga, p. 1
Local farm family burns corn for heat, p. 1
Died: Charmion Murphy, 70, p. 2
Died: Jay Bielema, 84, p. 2
Died: Marie Buikema, 94, p. 2
Died: Charles Machamer, 77, p. 2
Died: Marvin Geerts, 80, p. 2
63rd ann. Henry & Marian Meinsma, p. 2
Kramer: 'Through the air...with the greatest of ease', Sec. 2, p. 1
- 11: Died: Harriet Barber, 84, p. 2
Died: Lois Norman, 78, p. 2
Died: George Schaver, 92, p. 2
Died: Randy Whitney, 34, p. 2
30th ann. Mr. & Mrs. Arnold VanderEide, p. 2
59th ann. Clarence & Bernice Workman, p. 4
Kramer: 'The evil smelling seecawk', Sec. 2, p. 1
- 18: Born: Sydney Renee Hotchkiss (Rich), p. 1
Died: Loren Tiesman, 60, p. 2
Engaged: Sean Dolan & Sara Stiles, p. 2
Engaged: Sean Ohrt & Amy Driscoll, p. 2
Born: Jeremiah Timothy LaFleur (Tim), p. 2
50th ann. Robert & Carolyn Ziegler, p. 3
Born: Tucker Brady Jepson (Bart), p. 3
69th ann. Peter & Esther Smith, p. 4
Kramer: 'The tale of five million cotton balls', Sec. 2, p. 1
- 23: 64th ann. Allen & Dorothy Poel, p. 1
Efforts continue to finish Great River Trail, p. 1

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- Feb.** 23: Millers begin spring tasks at windmill, p. 1
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Died: Wallace Brown, 89, p. 2
Died: Walter White, 81, p. 2
56th ann. Ken & Min Huizenga, p. 2
43rd ann. Gordon & Jane Sissing, p. 2
57th ann. Ray & Belva Bielema, p. 2
40th ann. Thomas & Thelma Warner, p. 2
57th ann. Ed & Shirley Wiersema, p. 2
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Born: Ava Grace Carlson-Jenks (Jeff), p. 4
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Died: Russell Nelson, 94, p. 2
Died: Thelma Wierenga, 89, p. 2
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- 10: History of downtown buildings pt 3, p. 2
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Died: Esther C. Howe, 94, p. 3
Died: Fred Luker, p. 3
50th ann. John & Lorraine Bennett, p. 3
Engaged: Brain Loschen & Allie Huizenga, p. 5
- 17: Died: Norma Bush, 79, p. 2

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50th ann. Allen & Carol Zuidema, p. 3
- 31: Died: Shirley J. Wiersema, 80, p. 2
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- Nov.** 7: Ground breaking held for Albany municipal building, p. 1
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Died: Robert W. Howard, 63, p. 2
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- 14: Ribbon cutting at Golden Wok Chinese restaurant, p. 1
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- 21: Died: Epe Boerema, 90, p. 2
Died: Claire Peter Heun, 77, p. 2
Died: Ellis Ottens, 91, p. 2
Married: Michael P. Custer & Tiffanie Swearingen, p. 3
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- 28: Died: Tony Komlanc, Sr., 88, p. 2
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Engaged: Philip Schmitt & Stephanie Lindley, p. 3
25th ann. Steven & Kathy Bearsley, p. 3
Born: Paige Addison Cramer (Joshua), p. 3
- Dec.** 5: Died: Lorraine Musk, 62, p. 2
Died: Ricky Engelkins, 47, p. 2
Died: Paula Maxson, 50, p. 2
Married: Kurt Hook & Tamara Stottlemyre, p. 3
- 12: Died: Arnold Hartman, 90, p. 2
- 19: Died: La Verta Balk, 80, p. 2
Died: Leona Borgman, 82, p. 2
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- 26: Died: Donald Reedy, 69, p. 2
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- 9: Died: James A. Dornbush, p. 2
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- 16: Company One expands in Fulton, p. 1
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- 23: Issue missing
- 30: Died: Dwight L. Nicol, 70, p. 2
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- 13: Died: Arletta M. Dornbush, 97, p. 2
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- 20: Died: Charles H. Kettler, 92, p. 2
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- 27: Agri-King dedicates the Del Curley conference center, p. 1
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Died: Maila Tollstam, 39, p. 2
67th ann. Raymond & Mary Tegeler, p. 3
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- Mar.** 5: Died: Allen R. Holesinger, 77, p. 2
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Died: Fay E. Morgan, 84, p. 2
Died: Marcile K. Jones, 86, p. 2
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- 19/18: Died: Marjorie J. Bielema, 85, p. 2
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- 26: Died: Mark Douglas Walters, 38, p. 2
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- Apr.** 2: New caretakers at Heritage Canyon (Tomman's), p. 1
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Born: Caydence Noelle Eads (Aaron), p. 3
- 9: Died: James Houzenga, 79, p. 2
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- 16: Died: Frances M. Rus, 87, p. 2
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- 23: Died: Kathryn M. Mitchell, 84, p. 2
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- 30: Engaged: Jonathan Kallenbach & Shelley DeWeerd, p. 2
Engaged: Michael Barsema & Erin Wegner, p. 2
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- May** 7: Dutch Days pictures – p. 1
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- 14: Died: Jeanice D. Brown, 72, p. 1 (vehicle accident)
Died: Glenn H. Barr, 85, p. 2
Died: Eleanor J. Schipper, 89, p. 2
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- 21: Ribbon cutting for Brinkman's re-opening, p. 1
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- 28: Incendiary device found at Fulton Middle school, p. 1
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Died: Steven John Stromquist, 52, p. 2
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Died: Katherine H. Butler, 97, p. 2
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25th ann. Philip & Laura Schaver, p. 3
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Born: Ayden John Ketelson (Jason), p. 4
- 11: Died: E. JoAnn Remrey, 69, p. 2
Died: Henry Bos, 92, p. 2
Died: Kathryn A. Gerber, 82, p. 2
Died: Torie Joy Sampson, 42, p. 2
Died: Dorothy Rosalina Van Drew, 82, p. 2
50th ann. Harvey & Roberta Bush, p. 5
- 18: Died: Donna J. Cole, 77, p. 2
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50th ann. Harlan & Genevieve Tiesman, p. 6
- 25: Died: Harvey J. Bush, 71, p. 2
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- July** 2: Died: Ellamae Moldermaker, 88, p. 2
Died: George W. Moldermaker, 91, p. 2
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Born: Sara Ann Foster (Matthew), p. 3
- 9: Died: Lawrence E. Parker, 59, p. 2
Died: Robert B. Parkinson, 88, p. 2
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50th ann. James & Joan Huett, p. 3
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- 16: Façade grant approved for former Bud's IGA, p. 1
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Engaged: Dan Meumann & Tammy Helbing, p. 3
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- 23: Fulton receives grant for museum (cultural center), p. 1
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- 30: Died: Raymond E. Carpenter, 49, p. 2
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- 13: Albany's 40th ann. Miss Flame Celebration, p. 1; see also 8/20/2008, p. 1
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Engaged: Doug Bryan & Jonnie Beth Walerius, p. 3
- 27: The Story of Fulton (history), Nellie Bastian, reprint, 3rd installement, p. 2
50th ann. Joe & Donna Haan, p. 3
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- Sept.** 3: Died: Prudence E. Brookstra, 92, p. 2
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Died: Mary Ellen Graf, 85, p. 2
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- 10: Died: Larry C. Mason, 68, p. 2
The Story of Fulton (history), Nellie Bastian, reprint, 5th installement, p. 2
Married: Travis Frazier & Molly McKee, p. 3
Born: Averie Faith Criss (David), p. 3
- 17: The Story of Fulton (history), Nellie Bastian, reprint, 6th installement, p. 2
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- 24: Ribbon cutting at Company One, p. 1
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- Oct.** 1: Died: Marilyn R. Gibson, 63, p. 2
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- 8: Died: Linda L. Yeager, 59, p. 2
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- 15: Died: Jennie Housenga, 97, p. 2
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- 28: Died: Barbara E. Kramer, 76, p. 2
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- 13: Died: Viletta M. Atherton, 76, p. 2
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- 10: Discussion continues on Martin House Agrmt, p. 1
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50th ann. Ron & Nancy Shear, p. 3
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Died: Allen Poel, 91, p. 2
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50th ann. Donald & Lois Kelly, p. 3
Born: Reid Beckett Ludin (David), p. 3
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- July** 1: The Complex fundraiser begins, p. 1
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Died: Harold H. Huggins, 87, p. 2
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8: Windmills arrive in Fulton, p. 1
Died: Joe R Dannels, 66, p. 2
Died: Gerald B. Wingett, 70, p. 2
Engaged: Eric Roquet & Katie Merema, p. 3
Born: Maddex Jay Tyler (Adam), p. 3
15: Died: Linda L. Kohl, 68, p. 2
Died: Henry C. Smith, 81, p. 2
Died: Robert S. Tucker, 90, p. 2
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22: Died: Effie Klimstra, 101, p. 2
Died: Raymond E. Reedy, 76, p. 2
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29: Heartland Hospice ribbon cutting, p. 1
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Died: Edward Ellsworth Smaltz, 90, p. 2
Died: William Frank Weeks, 75, p. 2
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Engaged: Kyle Martin & Lisa Stuart, p. 3
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- Aug.** 5: The complex closes in on \$100,000, p. 1
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Died: Edward L. Reimers, 88, p. 2
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- Aug.** 5: Engaged: George Graham & Elizabeth Ball, p. 3
Open house and ribbon cutting at Naftzger hog farm (Albany), p. 8
- 12: Kiwanis Park marks 40 years, p. 1
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Ribbon cutting at Wilson's Floral, p. 2B
- 19: Died: Ruth Hamstra, 91, p. 2
Died: Pauline S. Stratton, 89, p. 2
Died: Henry F. Kennedy, 67, p. 2
50th ann. Arnold & Sally Wiebenga, p. 3
65th ann. Sid & Margaret Dykstra, p. 3
60th ann. Jay & Dorothy Ann Van Zuiden, p. 3
- 26: Died: Marilyn Joy Aggen, 83, p. 2
Died: Juanita Bowen, 82, p. 2
Died: Dorothy Poel, 93, p. 2
Born: Jonah Ivan Lutz (Joe), p. 3
Newton Zion Reformed church celebrates 100 years, p. 5
Drilling for cultural center geothermal system, p. 2B
- Sept.** 2: Died: Lois Ann Abbott, 76, p. 2
Died: Jacque L. Housenga, 65, p. 2
Died: Margery M. Naftzger, 88, p. 2; see also 9/9/2009, p. 2
Died: Ronald R. Whitten, 75, p. 2
Died: Thelma Abbott, 89, p. 2
Engaged: Seth Kaiser & Erin Janson, p. 4
- 9: Died: Maynard R. Venema, 68, p. 2
Died: Alberta Decker, 73, p. 2
Married: Philip Schmitt & Stephanie Lindley, p. 3
Engaged: Matthew Robinson & Betsy Temple, p. 3
- 16: Berg Pharmacy (Terry Tufty retires) closes, p. 1
Died: Cora De Jong, 86, p. 2
Died: Richard L. Jenkins, 83, p. 2
Died: Elvin Norman, 94, p. 2
Died: Joyce E. Tollenaar, p. 2
50th ann. Ernest & Anita Schroeder, p. 3
Born: Kamryn Grace Dykstra (Eric), p. 3
Married: Mark Clarkson & Michelle Lin Wheat, p. 3
- 23: Schmaling Memorial Library celebrates 100th birthday, p. 1
Died: Lee A. Vander Schaaf, 91, p. 2
Died: Richard A. Johnson, 62, p. 2
Died: Irvin M. Workman, 87, p. 2
Died: Cynthia S. Milnes, 52, p. 2
Born: Addison Marie Christiansen (Eric), p. 3
- 30: Died: Dorothy L. Wierenga, 69, p. 2
50th ann. Thurman & Roberta Houzenga, p. 3
- Oct.** 7: Died: Kenneth Bush, 90, p. 2
Died: Pauline R. Kraft, 82, p. 2
Died: Marian J. Merema, 84, p. 2
Windmill cultural center open house, p. 3

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- Oct.** 7: 25th ann. Larry & Julie Damhoff, p. 4
Born: Jacob Roy Rupe (Tony), p. 4
Fulton Corp. designated an Illinois Centennial Business, p. 8
52nd ann. Marvin & Genevieve Huizenga, p. 6
- 14: Died: Gladys L. Balk, 80, p. 2
Died: Betty H. Thompson, p. 2
Trinity Reformed Church celebrates 80th birthday, p. 6
- 21: Schmalin Memorial Library 100th birthday celebration this weekend, p. 1
Lincoln Highway gazebo installed, p. 1
The Grout House painting, p. 1, 8
Died: Lois A. Spangler, 79, p. 2
Died: Samantha L. Martin, 39, p. 2
Died: Elsie J. Lawson, 71, p. 2
Rites for Joyce Balk Tollenaar, p. 2
60th ann. Raymond & Thelma Dykstra, p. 3
Engaged: Adam Hamstra & Becky Sue Dykstra, p. 3
Born: Addison Kay Horton (Ryan), p. 3
A sight to behold – chimney swifts, p. 8
- 28: Schmaling concludes 100th ann. Celebration with time capsule burial, p. 1
Died: LaVonne M. Musk, 79, p. 2
Died: Edna K. Johnson, 93, p. 2
Died: Dorothy A. Zuidema, 95, p. 2
Died: Richard Kreis, p. 2
Died: Jennie Venhuizen, 94, p. 2
Old Man River Crew visits Fulton, p. 5
- Nov.** 4: Ribbon cutting at The Velvet Pod., p. 1
Died: Marvin Oshann, 87, p. 2
Died: Violet Sharer, 94, p. 2
Died: Harold W. Cos, 80, p. 2
Died: Joseph W. Dahl, 63, p. 2
Died: Kathleen Mary Armstrong, 67, p. 2
Died: Kathryn L. Hamilton, 82, p. 2
Died: Horace Lee Rice, 72, p. 2
- 11: Died: Marian M. Enright, 92, p. 2
Died: Clifford E. Faber, 82, p. 2
Died: Robert G. German, 74, p. 2
Died: Robert A. Vandendooren, 80, p. 2
Ribbon cutting at Bowtech, p. 3
40th ann. James & Linda Dykstra, p. 4
Married: Matthew Ewoldsen & Kimberly Sue Janssen, p. 4
- 18: Introducing Hunter's Ridge Phase II, p. 1
Federal Inspectors tour Thomson prison, p. 1
Died: Arthur L. Sikkema, 84, p. 2
Died: Frances I. Thomsen, 89, p. 2
50th ann. Gary & Winnie Larson, p. 3
60th ann. Frank & Maxine Faley, p. 3

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- Nov.** 25: Died: Leroy Junior Balk, 84, p. 2
Died: Marian I. Houzenga, 84, p. 2
Died: Grace Van Zuiden, 81, p. 2
Fulton added to Ronald Reagan Trail, p. 3
Adoption: Sierra Isabella Rose Foster (Brian & Rebecca), p. 3
- Dec.** 2: Wagner Pharmacy coming soon, p. 1
Died: Marjorie J. Hartman, 88, p. 2
Died: Mary Ellen Geronzin, 1000, p. 2
50th ann. Ken & Arlene Schaver, p. 3
- 9: Died: Rosemary LeForge Apel, 86, p. 2
Died: Rosemary Fanderclai, 80, p. 2
Died: Marjorie Lorraine Mattie, 88, p. 2
Died: Jennie C. Rose, 74, p. 2
Died: Dan Wiebenga, 65, p. 2
- 16: Thomson Correctional will be acquired by federal government, p. 1
Died: Vada I. Drury, 97, p. 2
Died: Ilene G. Snyder, 58, p. 2
Died: Homer J. Pessman, 97, p. 2
Services for Daniel L. Wiebenga, 65, p. 2
- 23: 50th ann. Gilbert & Lois Lawrenz, p. 3
20th ann. Mike & Ruth Foley, p. 3
Engaged: Matthew Rhoades & Tara VanZuiden, p. 3
- 30: Died: Elizabeth R. Tervelt, 90, p. 2
40th ann. Donald & Janice Stage, p. 3
Born: Ellie Marie Cagle (Jeremy), p. 3