

1964- An Initiation lamp was given to the Post for their Birthday. Allegan was challenged with our Unit for Membership contest, and their Unit refused to participate. 4th District decided to drop challenges. Bingo prizes were sent to V.A. Hospital in Battle Creek. Unit entertained ladies of V.F.W. Auxiliary as a "Thanky you" in appreciation of use of their Hall when our Post was destroyed. Pictures of the event were published in their National Magazines. Unit endorsed Madeling Chadden as 4th District Treasurer. Junior Auxiliary marched in Memorial Day Parade and Miss Poppy rode in a Convertible car. 4th District Commander Michael Donavan gave an interesting talk at one of our banquets. Mrs Bessie Kiethly was given her 40 year pin. Loretta McGhan selected to go to Girls State. Ecuador was the Foreign study country. 4th District gave a new 50 star flag to Girls State at opening session. Unit started savings stamps program. Unit presented 50 star flag to Junior Auxiliary. Mrs Bernice Clarke presented the flag and gave a history of the flag and how it got its nickname "Old Glory" and told that the flag always flies over General Drivers grave. Dorothy Bartholomew was re-elected as Unit President. Mothers Day Hankies were sent to V.A. Hospitals as well as Cold Star Mothers. Marquerite Chadden received the 4th District award

for her Americanism Essay - senior group. A fourth of July picnic was held on the Post grounds with members of Post and Auxiliary and their families. Delegate to Department Convention reported "Have a Heart Stamps" had purchased a Station Wagon and School Bus for the American Legion Childrens Home. Patricia Donaldson was elected as Department President. Ninety day reports to District President was discontinued. Been warmer was sold from Post kitchen and money to be used for shubbery around Home. Junior Auxiliary make scrapbooks for Hospitals. District dues were raised to 20¢ per capita. Unit donated the usual to Goodfellows.