

County lines

LAST WEEK 'the paper' featured Burket's centennial celebration with a front page photo of three of Burket's oldest citizens including Eva (Burket) Eherenman. Eva dropped in our Warsaw office to inform us that Virgil Doran identified the horse that was in the 1909 photo as "Ol' Madge" owned by William Moon.

She also commented that the old postcard photo featured on last week's front page had been given to her father, Joseph Burket, by a representative of the A. H. Perfect and Company, John Watt. By the way, did anyone notice the chickens in the middle of 1909 Burket, Main St.?

the paper

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and 95 more 'Singles Only' ads this week.
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August 25, 1982

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Overlong breaks

At a time when schools are resuming classes, parents and teachers must re-evaluate the children's schedule. Leading educator John Goodlad, dean of the school of education at the University of California at Los Angeles, believes school children are being cheated of valuable instruction time by too long lunch periods and recesses. He says elementary school kids are actually taught for 4½ hours a day and some get as little as 18½ hours of instruction per week. However, Goodlad doesn't think longer time is the solution. "I'm not asking for a longer school year. I'm asking that we use the time we've got."

Top brew

Canada's Molson brewery conducted a survey and discovered that 75 per cent of



regularly and one out of four claims to drink beer daily with lunch. The men at the top prefer domestic beer at home but many choose imported brands during office hours. It seems the working-man's brew is working its way to the top.

Reimbursed for waiting

Americans are aware of the rising cost of doctor bills, but one man, Con Sellers, decided his time was worth as much as the doctor's. The Wilderville, Oreg., resident said, "I decided if the doctor could bill me for his time, I could bill him for mine." And indeed he did. When the doctor refused to pay, Sellers took him to small claims court where the doctor had to pay \$85 plus \$35 for court and travel costs. Sellers decided it was a giant victory for everyone who's ever waited in a doctor's office.

Talking television

The Japanese have developed another technological break-through with a television that talks to viewers. If the ultra sonic waves detect a person sitting too close, the set says, "Watch from a distance, for your eyes' sake." Another part of its vocabulary tells you to turn down the sound so you don't annoy the neighbors. When the set is turned off, the TV responds, "Have a good night's sleep."

attaboy

Our Attaboy this week goes to a private physician, Dr. Jay Herman, and a former bartender, David S. Nolan, from Baltimore, Md., who tested 16 people who had uncontrollable hiccups. The men used a lemon wedge saturated with angostura bitters and relieved 14 or 88 per cent of the patients within a minute of taking the "cure." "All our subjects had alcohol-induced hiccups that were unresponsive to traditional treatment. But our results confirm the success with the treatment that David Nolan had while working as a bartender," said Dr. Herman. He further noted, the lemon must be eaten rapidly without the rind for effectiveness.

REMINISCING — Three of Burket's oldest citizens gathered to reminisce over old photographs taken in the early years of the town's history.

From left to right are Henry Kiefer who will be 96 on September 2; Eva (Burket) Eherenman, 83; and Virgil Doran, 92-year-old owner and operator of the Black Oxide plant for 30 years in Burket. The old pictures were brought out for the 100th birthday of the railroad town. (Photo by Gail Widmoyer)

Burket celebrates 100 years

By GAIL WIDMOYER

Burket, located near Highway 25 south of Warsaw, was founded in 1882 and is celebrating its centennial on August 28 and 29.

The town, originally named Bellevue, is one of the many "railroad towns" in this area. As the name implies, Bellevue originated as a result of the railroad passing through the area.

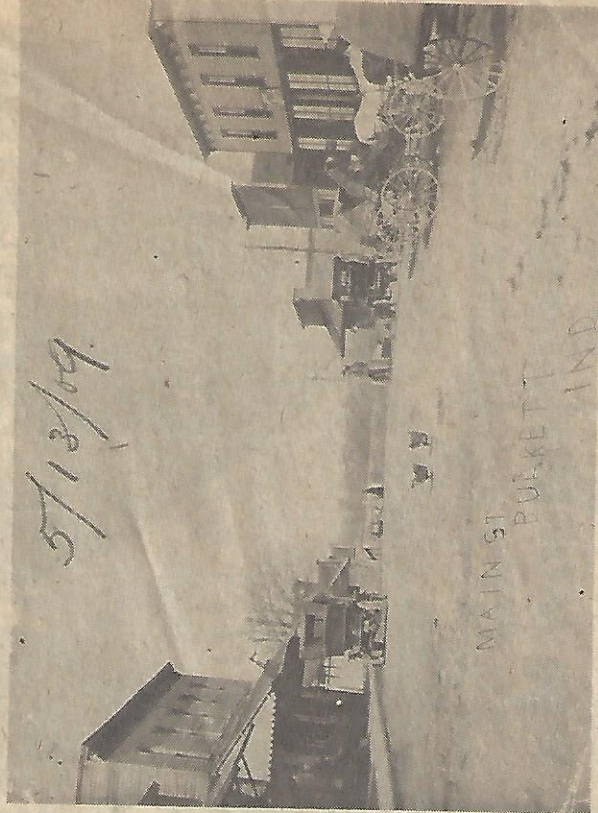
However, the name had to be changed because of confusion between the Indiana town and an Ohio town with the same name. Therefore, Bellevue's name was changed to Burket after Elias Burket, the founder of the railroad town.

Many events are scheduled for the week end celebration including eating stands, games, contests, flea markets and town-wide garage sales.

The schedule of events for Saturday and Sunday is:

- Saturday, Aug. 28**
9:00 a.m. — One mile run; horse-shoe pitch
9:30 a.m. — Five kilometer run
10:00 a.m. — Cutie contest
10:45 a.m. — Citizen of the year award presentation
11:00 a.m. — Toddler trot
12 noon — Garden tractor pull; greased pole contest
1:00 p.m. — Cheerleader superstar contest
2:00 p.m. — Tobacco spitting contest

- 3:00 p.m. — Tug-o-war
4:00 to 7:30 p.m. — Fireman fish fry
6:00 to 8:00 p.m. — Music by "Night Riders"
8:00 p.m. — Auction
Sunday, Aug. 29
10:00 a.m. — Gospel singing group
10:30 a.m. — Community sing
11:00 a.m. — Rocky Stone
12 noon — Community picnic lunch
1:00 p.m. — Rocky Stone
1:30 p.m. — Costume and beard contests
2:30 p.m. — Barber shop group sing

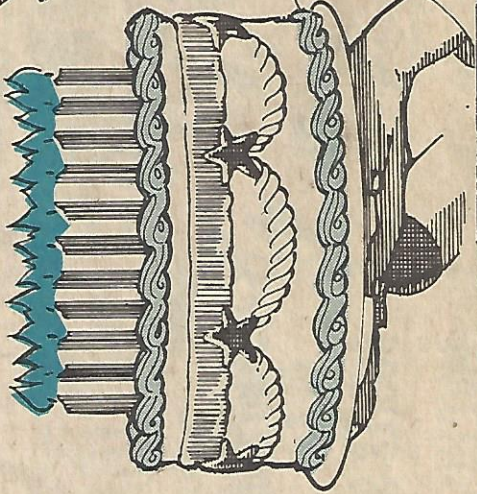
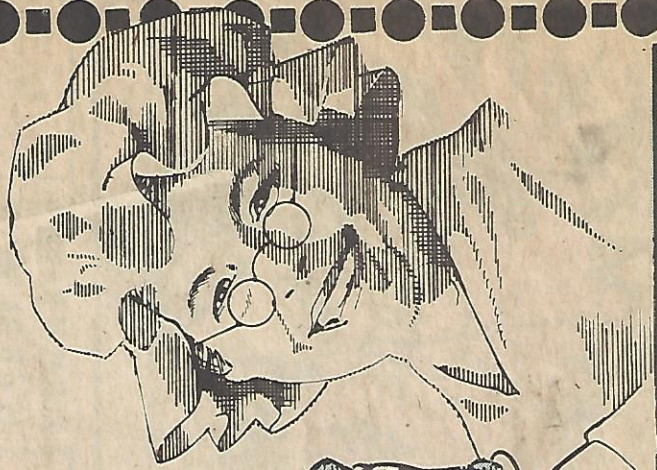


MAIN STREET 1909 — This photograph shows the main street of Burket in 1909 and was brought out to help people imagine what the town was like 100 years ago.

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Welcome To The . . . Burket Centennial Celebration!

This
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August 28 & 29



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- Limestone
- Fertilizers
- Soil Analysis

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- 9 a.m. — 1 Mile Run; Horseshoe Pitch
- 9:30 a.m. — 5K (3.1 Mile) Run
- 10 a.m. — Cuffie Contest
- 10:45 a.m. — Citizen Of The Year Award
- 11 a.m. — Toddler Trot
- 12 Noon — Garden Tractor Pull
- 12 Noon To 6 p.m. — Grease Pole Contest (12 & Under)
- 1 p.m. — Cheerleader Superstar Contest
- 2 p.m. — Tobacco Spitting Contest



3 p.m. — Tug-Of-War (1300 Lbs. & 1

Woman)

4-7:30 p.m. — Fireman

Fish Fry

6-8 p.m. — Band . . . The

"Night Riders"

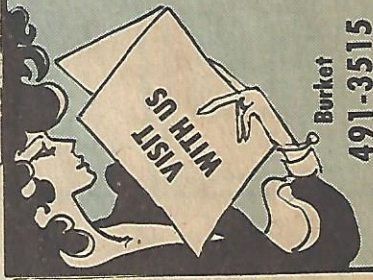
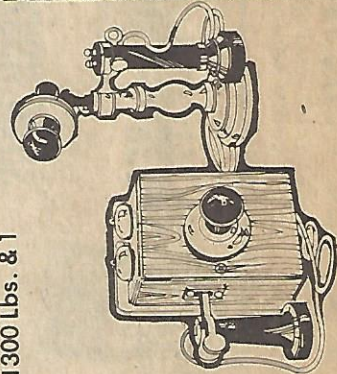
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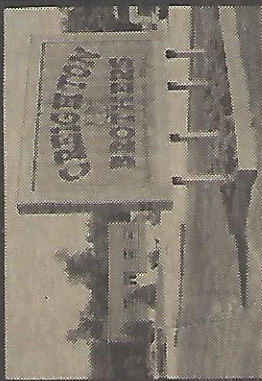
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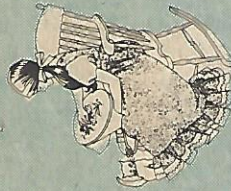
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And Shelled Corn**

OLD ROAD 30 WEST, WARSAW

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- 11 a.m. — Rocky Stone
- 12 Noon — Community Picnic Lunch
- 1 p.m. — Rocky Stone
- 1:30 p.m. — Costume & Beard Contests
- 2:30 p.m. — Barber Shop Group Sing

Activities will be held at the school yard . . . bring your lawn chairs!!

Please bring all your family and friends and help us celebrate our town's 100th Birthday!!



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Burket Centennial

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OLDEST TO YOUNGEST — A group of Burket citizens took time out from the centennial celebration preparations to pose for a photograph. Ages of the local people range from 95 years to eight weeks old.

Pictured above are Bryon Shaffer, Henry Kiefer, Tim Warstler, Eva Eherenman holding Sarah McSherry, Scott Warstler, Virgil Doran and Jason McSherry. (Photo by Gail Widmoyer)

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BURKET SCHOOL CHILDREN — This un-dated picture was taken years ago of the Burket School children and is one of the relics responsible for the image of Burket in 1882, the founding year.

Pictured above are: Emma Graff, teacher; Don Smith, grade four; Dennis Jones, grade five; Gaylord Doran, grade four; Orvill Slifu, grade four; Everett Robinson, grade four; Tom Eggeston, grade five; Charley Blue, grade five; Trudy Davis, grade five; Treva Hartman, grade four; Janice Warren, grade four; Burl Brigsby, grade four; Royce Tucker, grade six; Frances Snyder, grade five; Jess Warren, grade four; Carl Mendel, grade five; Respa VanDorn, grade five; Ida Mathews, grade five; Ruth Baugher, grade five; Alva Shatto, grade six; Arthur Linn, grade five; Esko Jones, grade five; Percy Newby, grade five; Ben Cunningham, grade five; Bernice Goshert, grade six; Clancie McSherry, grade five; Roy Goshert, grade seven; Jake Smith, grade seven; Lilly McSherry, grade seven; Fred Kurtz, grade seven; Claude Howard, grade six; Lena Hartman, grade six.