

BUCKHORN SCHOOL, MADISON COUNTY, MISSOURI

Games Played			Community Meetings and Special Days Observed	
			DAY OBSERVED	Mo. Day
Baseball	Rabbit's Nest	Fox and Geese		
Indoor Baseball	Flying Dutchman	Farmer in the Dell		
Volley Ball	Pom Pom Fallaway	Muffin Man		
Hand Ball	Hill Dill	Trades and Professions		
Foot Ball	Blind Man's Buff	Follow the Leader		
Soccer	Fisherman	Indian Club Race		
Basket Ball	Black Man	Butterflies		
Captain Ball	Ruth and Jacob	Relay Races		
Checker Ball	Prisoner's Base	Mulberry Bush		
Dodge Ball	Basta the Beeds	London Bridge		
Four in the Pit	Stone	Wind and the Flowers		
Bombardment	Herr Day Jack	Simple Tag Games		
Swat Ball	Stealing Sticks	Car and Mouse		
Tether Ball	Two Deep	Black and White		
Counter Ball	Garden Scamp	Hand Over Head Best Tag		
Strike Ball	Squirrel and Nut	Bird Catcher		

Record of Visitors

Name	Date	Name	
Helen Whitener		M. D. Robbins	9-1
Helen Johnson	4-7	Dr. E. E. Higgins	
Mae Johnson		Mr. & Mrs. Otto Senter	
Ophia Simpson		Stella Henson	
Gladys Simpson		Mrs. Graham	
Edith Myers		Mr. & Mrs. Ethel Whitener	
Mrs. Barrington		Mr. Martin O. Kewaga	
Ruby Barrington		Mrs. M. M. Myers	
Kelly Bennett		Mrs. Mrs. I. H. Pugh	
Judith Bennett		Mrs. S. B. M. Felway	
Cynthia Pugh		Mrs. Arley Myers	
Willard Dea		Juanita Senter	
Ray Howie			
Juanita Senter			
Arley Myers			
Mr. Simpson			
Mr. Senter			
Mr. Myers			
Juanita Myers			
Mr. Myers			
Mr. Senter			

The above were found in the records of Florence Whitener, teacher. She had the best information on the school day. The games that were played and the visitors that came. Why is Juanita Senter a visitor and not in school? Some of the others were suppose to be students also.

1934

Teacher: Loyd Ward

Students:

Wilda Brewington

Dorothy Henson

Dorothy Gipson

Lorene Hovis

Wilbur Bennett

Elba Gipson

J. C. Murray

Irene Hovis

Margie Allen

Another 1934 with no teacher name attached.

I added it just because it was different names than the list before.

1934

Wendell Darnell

Elsie Gipson

Homer Gipson

Raymond Gipson

Vernon Gipson

Millie Henson

Lois Hovis

Betty McKelvey

Marie McKelvey

Norma Jean Mouser

Billy Myers

Jessie Myers

Letha Stevens

Woodrow Stevens

Naomi Whitener

Thelma Whitener

Bonnie Allen

Brown Allen Jr.

Reba Barrett

Clayton Hovis

Freeman Hovis

Paul Krueger

Hugh Senter

William Senter

Charles Stevens

Eugene Allen

Eva Barrett

Herman Brewington

Alta Gipson

Elenora Gipson

Leonard Gipson

B. D. Hawn

Charles Johnson Jr.

Robert Krueger

Paul McKelvey

Aubrey Myers

Clifford Myers

Austin Gipson

Oscar Gipson

Ola Gipson

Freeman Henson

Ralph Hovis

Ray Senter
Dolly Gipson
Dorothy Henson
1933
Teacher: Beulah Nisbet
Students
Raymond Barrett
Milburn Graham
Harley Henson
Craig Hawn
Geraldine McKelvey
Ray Hovis
Paul Whitener
Loyd Henson
May Johnson
Loretta Darnell
Medford Darnell
Harold Wright
Curtis Pugh
Arthur Gipson
Juanita Senter
Jewell Gipson
Hazel Barrett
Gladys Gipson
Gilbert Huffman
Willard Darnell
Truman Graham
Ruby Brewington
Lily Johnson
Minnie Hawn
Esther Barrett
A crate of maps was received

Freeman Huffman was born 1-7-31 at Trace Creek and lived at the upper Big Creek east prong. He graduated in 1946 with the 8th grade and his teachers were Ruby Harris, and Arthur Gipson. His parents farmed, timber, highway work, mom worked at home. He hung out at the creek, barn, and log woods. Others in his class were Willard Hovis, and Norma J. Whitener. He thought it was a nice place. Ike Pugh had the post office and a gas pump down by the high front porch by a sycamore tree across creek from school. Later Crawford's had a store by the highway and later a post office. George Huffman had a store down from the schoolhouse. The road use to go by the schoolhouse across the creek. Going "n" it went in front of Tom Senter's place up the creek past Big Creek Baptist Church

Ed Johnson's class was Clark Bollington, Mert Hovis, Goldy Barrett, Eva Gipson (her daughter ran post office), Jewell Darnell, and Mrs. Nesbit was the teacher. Buckhorn had a water-powered sawmill. The millstone can still be seen around 900 yards south west of bridge in Buckhorn. He remembers when Lindberg crossed the Atlantic in 1927 because he had a radio then

Ed wouldn't go to school so he had first grade at home. He met Florence when she came to Buckhorn with Amanda Whitener and talked at the stove. Ed and Florence played peek a boo in the store.

1929

President: John Hovis

Clerk: J.D. Barrett

Board: Thomas Senter, Lewis Gipson

Teacher: Lola Hughley Alexander

Students

Howard Henson

Urban Murry

Truman Graham

Lloyd Henson

Artie Gipson

Ophia Gipson

Ruby Barrett

Ester Barrett

Minnie Hawn

Roy Whitener

Lester Carmach

Ellen Bombs

Lillie Johnson

Benton Barrett

Vernon Hovis

Eddie Johnson

Florence Whitener

Helene Pugh

Goldie Barrett

Eva Gipson

Myrtle Hovis

Ruth Gipson

Feb 26, 1929

Same board

Howard Skaggs

Carl Scaggs

Denver Skaggs

Oscar Skaggs

Clyde Carmack

Charley Stephens

Freeman Hovis

Craig Hawn

James Darnell

Oscar Gipson

Austin Gipson

Raymand Barrett

Dorothy Henson

Dollie Gipson

Irene Darnell

Wilda Brewington

Pauline Berry

Elsie Berry

Zola Gipson

Edgar Gipson

Edward Stephens

Elba Gipson

Marvin Stephens

Loretta Darnell

May Johnson

Irene Hovis
Lillie Skaggs
Gladys Gipson
Hazel Barrett
Jewel Darnell]
Juanita Senter
Helen Whitener
Jewel Gipson
Harley Henson
Arthur Gipson
Milburn Graham
Ray Hovis
Paul Whitener
Si Skaggs
Curtis Pugh
Clyde Whitener
Linn Coff
Gilbert Huffman
Elza Gipson
Flossie Brewington
Ethel Cox
Ruby Brewington

1926 or 1928
Teachers
Lula Darvis
Lola Hovis? Alexander
Students;
Gladys Gipson
Hazel Barrett
Curtis Pugh
Arthur Gipson
Paul Whitener
Elba Gipson
Harley Henson
Helen Myers

A class remembered 1925 or so
Charles Randall, Ethel Barrett, Lola Alexander, Lulu Davis, Lily Johnson Tripp, Roy Whitener, Minnie Reimler, Ophia Gipson, and Ruby Barrett. These students are still living and love to tell about the Buckhorn days.

NOTE: Names in parentheses are the parent name. All names are Buckhorn students unless noted behind the parent name.

Some of the board meeting records show Big Creek District and others have Albright included in minutes.
Dates are used at the start of the school year, as 1941 to 1942

I did not change the spelling even if I recognized the recorders error. I apologize for any unintentional spelling errors I have made.

Joy Whitener mentioned that you could attend school until the age of 23 if you paid a fee.

Feb 26, 1929

NAMES OF PUPILS.

To TEACHER:		Sex	Age	Class
Write names of pupils in grade 1 at top; then write names of grade 2, then those of grade 3, etc.				
1.	Howard Skaggs	M	5	B
2.	Carl Skaggs	M	9	B
3.	Denver Skaggs	M	11	B
4.	Oscar Skaggs	M	7	B
5.	Glyde Darnack	M	5	B
6.	Charley Stephens	M	8	B
7.	Freeman Harris	M	6	B
8.	Ernie Harris	M	7	B
9.	Jamba Darnell	M	6	B
10.	Oscar Kipson	M	9	B
11.	Quentin Kipson	M	9	B
12.	Raymond Barrett	M	6	B
13.	Dorothy Benson	F	7	B
14.	Dollie Kipson	F	7	B
15.	Ernie Darnell	F	9	B
16.	Hilda Brewington	F	6	B
17.	Pauline Berry	F	5	B
18.	Alsie Berry	F	7	B
19.	Zola Kipson	F	9	B
20.	Edgar Kipson	M	13	B
21.	Edward Stephens	M	10	B
22.	Alba Kipson	M	11	B
23.	Marvin Stephens	M	12	B
24.	Loretta Darnell	F	7	B
25.	May Johnson	F	9	B
26.	Ernie Harris	F	9	B
27.				

28.	Billie Skaggs	F	12	B
29.	Gladya Kipson	F	12	B
30.	Harold Barrett	F	9	B
31.	Jewel Darnell	F	11	B
32.	Juanita Senter	F	8	B
33.	Helen Whitner	F	9	B
34.	Jewel Kipson	F	8	B
35.	Harley Nelson	M	9	B
36.	Arthur Kipson	M	9	B
37.	Milburn Graham	M	11	B
38.	Ray Harris	M	9	B
39.	Paul Whitner	M	9	B
40.	Ly Skaggs	M	14	B
41.	Quinty Berry	M	9	B
42.	Glyde Whitner	M	11	B
43.	Ernie Harris	M	12	B
44.	Albert Huffman	M	10	B
45.	Alba Kipson	M	12	B
46.	Flossie Brewington	F	14	B
47.	Othel Cox	F	12	B
48.	Ruby Brewington	F	10	B
49.				
50.				
51.				
52.				

ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOL BOARD FOR ENSUING YEAR

President, Mr. John Harris Address, Buckhorn, Missouri
 Clerk, Mr. J. D. Bassett Address, Buckhorn, Missouri
 Member, Mr. Lewis Kipson Address, Buckhorn, Missouri
 Member, Mr. Thomas Senter Address, Buckhorn, Missouri

The organization of the board should be completed before this report is sent in. See Section 11215, R. S. 1919.

TEACHERS REPORT

Name of School Buckhorn Dist. No. 53 Date Sept. 6, 1948
 Teacher's Name Helene Lipscomb Birth Date Feb. 28 1927
Month Day Year
 Teacher's School Address Buckhorn Home Address Greenville
 Term Commences Aug. 30 Length of Term 8 mo. Salary \$ 135.00 Per Mo.

TRAINING

Education	School Attended	Total Credit	Hours in Ed.
High School	<u>Greenville</u>	<u>17 units</u>	
College	<u>Mo. S. College</u>		<u>8 hrs</u>

No. Hours in Education 8 No. Hours in other Courses _____ Total 8 Hrs.
 Degree held if any _____ What College or University _____
 List all professional courses in Education and Psychology. _____

Major _____ Hours completed _____; Minor _____ Hrs. Completed _____
 Kind of certificate County 3rd Issued by Whom? Co. Supt. No. _____
 Date of Issue _____ Date of Expiration _____ Registered? _____
 Do you have a health certificate? Yes Is it registered with Co. Supt? _____
 When did you last attend College? 1945 Where? Mo. S. Cape Girardeau

EXPERIENCE

Did you teach last year? No No of terms taught including this year 2
 No. terms taught in this county including this year 2 In present position 1
 Are you a member of the State Teacher's Association? Yes Member of N. E. A. _____
 What Teacher's Magazines have you subscribed for? Grades Teacher

NUMBER ENROLLED BY GRADES

1st Gr.	2nd Gr.	3rd Gr.	4th Gr.	5th Gr.	6th Gr.	7th Gr.	8th Gr.
<u>8</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>				

PRELIMINARY SURVEY OF SCHOOL CONDITIONS

Did district clerk furnish you with a copy of the last enumeration? Yes
 Have you checked to see if all children who should be in school? Yes
 Was building cleaned before the opening of school? No
 Were the weeds on schoolground cut before school opened? No
 Condition of toilets Good
 Are the flag, pole, and rope in condition for use? No
 Are you supplied with crayon and erasers? Yes Broom? Yes Dust Pan? No
 Wastebasket? Yes First aid kit? Yes Was floor recently oiled? No
 Kind of water supply Well Has it been tested for purity? Yes
 Do you have good window shades? Yes Kind of Heater Stove
 Condition of Heater Poor Is the fuel for next winter on school ground? No
 Has the Board made arrangements for kindling wood? _____ For janitor service? Yes
 Are all window panes in good condition? No How many missing? one
 List the following as Good, Fair, or Poor: Blackboard Poor; Maps _____;
 Globe _____; Pupils' Desks Poor; Teacher's Desk Fair; Teacher's Chair Good;
 Reading Charts and Cards Poor; Attendance Register _____; Bulletin Board _____;
 Musical instrument (Kind and Condition) Piano Fair; Thermometer none;
 Duplicator _____; Hand Washing Facilities None;
 Title of latest approved set of Encyclopedia and copyright date _____

Is there a P.T.A. organization or other patrons organization in district? No
 Give name of President of organization _____
 List improvements made during past summer _____

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1922 pictures Mr Clubb believed to be the teacher.



I don't have too much information on this picture except that it has a Concordia College time line.



This Certificate is given

Roy Whitener

Of School District No. 53, Madison County, Missouri, is
commended for **Excellence in Spelling**

having received five Spelling Certificates for one hundred perfect
recitations.

Given at Fredericktown, Missouri, this 26th day of January, 1925

Alice M. Stroup
Teacher.

Charles M. Johnson
County Superintendent of Schools.

Lily Johnson Tripp born 2-1-17 born in Marquand. Teachers Charles Randal and possibly later taught by Mr. Greenville

Minnie Hawn Reimler was born 7-10-17 in Buckhorn and went to Buckhorn school for 6 years. Lola Alexander and Lulu Dorris was her teacher. Her parents farmed and ran a sawmill. She remembers hanging out at Big Creek. Minnie started the Buckhorn reunions.

Jessie Myers born 5-16-28 and went to school at Buckhorn 1936-1943. His teachers were Geraldine Graham, Florence Whitener, Audrey Bennett, Arthur Gipson, Paul Beshers, and Jerry Henson. He hung out at the Buckhorn store. Raymond Gipson and Bill Myers were in his class.

Helen Whitener Myers was born 7-10-1919 on the Farhquar Farm. She went to Buckhorn 1926-1928. Her teachers were Lulu Dorris, and Lola Alexander and her classmates were Gladys Gipson, Hazel Barrette, Jewell Darnell, Ray Hovis, Curt Pugh, Arthur Gipson, Paul Whitener, Elba Gipson and Harley Henson.. She mentions the Lloyd Ward Store west of the creek.

1920 Class lists
President: John Hovis

Clerk: J. D. Barrett
Board: Lewis Gipson, Thomas Senter
Teacher: Lola Hughley-Alexander
Class:
Howard Skaggs
Carl Skaggs
Denver Skaggs
Oscar Skaggs
Clyde Carmack
Charley Stephens
Freeman Hovis
Craig Hawn
James Darnell
Oscar Gipson
Austin Gipson
Raymond Barrett
Dorothy Henson
Dollie Gipson
Irene Darnell
Wilda Brewington
Pauline Berry
Elsie Berry
Zola Gipson
Edgar Gipson
Edward Stephens
Elba Gipson
Marvin Stephens
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Loretta Darnell
May Johnson
Irene Hovis
Lillie Skaggs
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Paul Whitener
Si Skaggs
Curtis Pugh
Clyde Whitener
Linn Coff
Gilbert Huffman
Elza Gipson
Flossie Brewington

1920 continued
Ethel Cox
Ruby Brewington
Howard Henson
Urban Murry
Truman Graham
Lloyd Henson
Artie Gipson
Ophia Gipson
Ruby Barrett
Esther Barrett
Minnie Hawn
Roy whitener
Lester Carmack
Ellen Combs
Lillie Johnson
Benton Barrett
Vernon Hovis
Eddie Johnson
Florence Whitener
Helene Pugh
Goldie Barrett
Eva Gipson
Myrtle Hovis
Ruth Gipson

Brown Allen was born 3-22-26 in Sligo MO and lived with his granpa Charles Barrett. He had Geraldine Graham for the 1st through 3d grade. His mother was a schoolteacher. He helped start the Buckhorn reunions.

The following Letter Carriers were taken from Marilyn "Boots" Revelle nee Meyers mother's book: Grant Clubb carried from Gravelton every other day -short time. 2. Henry Kennip (or Kenney sp?) along about this time was changed to Marquand and daily mail. 3. L. F. M. Hovis 1907 to 15. 4. Omer Whitner 1915 to 19, his son Sam Rauls carried for corn midition(sp) for a while in 1919. 5. Caleb Shetley, R. C. Huffman, Pink Huffman, carried to 1923. 6. Hill Myers 1923 to 27. 7. Walter Burkhart 1927 to 31. 8. Thos Senter, Orla Myers, W. R. Myers 1931 to 35. 9. Silas Brewington 1935 to 39. 10. Vernon Myers 1939 to 43. 11. Frank Ward 1943 -47. 12. Arthur Gipson 1947---

Post Master in Cascade: J. N. Butts 1907 or 08, J. T. Moser till 1917, Gus O. Wagner 1917 to 18, H. W. Bennett 1918 to 22, Gus Clubb 1922 to 31, Ida Harris 1931, Virginia Shell no date.

The Post Office was established about 1901 in Buckhorn with Sherman Clubb the first postmaster. It was first on the east side of Big Creek from the school house and in a short time moved west of the school house about 200 feet. 2nd was J. E. Brewington who kept the P.O. a few years and resigned . 3d J. L. Brewington (son of 2nd P. M.) kept the office till about 1909 when it got to be a money order P.O. and he resigned. The Post Office

moved north a short distance from the school house. 4th Walter McKelvey 1909 to about 11, 5th Ben Graham 1911 to about 16, 6th Thos Alexander 1916 to about 18, 7th A. A. Moser June 1918 to Jan 1919 being a cripple man he wasn't able to continue and he resigned. No one else took his place so the P. O. was suspended and people either had to go to Marquand or Cascade for their mail. In the fall of 1919 the P. O. was re-established at the same old place, north of the school house, until about 1924 when it was moved to the east side of the Creek where it first began. 8th J. H. Pugh 1919 to Dec 8, 1941 at the time of his death when Chas Barrett took over for 2 or 3 months, 9th Mrs. J. H. Pugh, 10th George Huffman, 11th Grace Crawford who had a grocery in Buckhorn.

The following Marilyn "Boots" nee Meyer Revelle found this list of teachers in her mother's things. David Farquahar 1898-99, Anna Farquahar 1899-00, James Huffman 1900-01, M. M. Alexander 1902-02, Eligah Simmons 1902-03, Barney Brewington 1903-04, Minnie Griffin 1904-05, Julia Huffman 1905-06, Arthur Ennis 1906-07, Harry Kelly 1907-08, K. V. Propat 1908-09, E. S. Sityes 1909-10, E. S. Sityes 1910-1911, school house burned Mar 5, 1912, Byrd Spradling 1912-1913 new building, E. S. Sityes 1913-1914, Albina Limbaugh 1914-1915, Carrie Stroup 1915-16, Ruth Barrett 1916-17, Ruth Barrett 1917-18, Etta Clubb 1918-19, Alice Stroup 1919-20, Carrie Stroup 1920-21, Ethel Barrett 1921-22, Lenord Ward 1922-23, Charles Rendals 1923-24, Alice Stroup 1924-25, Lula Dorris 1925-26, Blanch Venable 1926-27, Lula Dorris 1927-28, Lola Alexander 1928-29, Beulah Nisbit 1929-30, Clark Hovis 1930-31, Lola Alexander 1931-32. Two teachers: Beulah Nisbit 1932-33 and Dorothy Bennett 1932-33, Loyd Ward 1933-34 and Florence Whitener 1933-34, Loyd Ward 1934-35 and Geraldine Graham 1934-35, Silas Dees 1935-36 and Florence Whitener 1935-36, Silas Dees 1936-37 and Geraldine Graham 1936-37, Ethel Henson 1937-38 and Florence Whitener 1937-38, Arthur Gipson 1938-39 and Audry Bennett 1938-39, Paul Bishues 1939-40 and Audry Bennett 1939-40, Arthur Gipson 1940-41 and Dorothy Mouser 1940-41, Arthur Gipson 1941-42 and Mabel Dees 1941-42, Geraldine Henson 1942-43 and Verna Myers, Lord Cooper 1943-44 and Margaret Whitener 1943-44, Mr. Young and Marie Gipson teachers, Ruby Harris and Miss Cook principals 1944-45, Eligah Tripp primary, Ruby Harris 1945-56 and Grace Edwards 1945-46, Nellie Burris and Mrs. Whitener 1946-47, Marie Gipson and R. C. Stanfield 1947-48, R. C. Stanfield and Mrs. Helen Gipson 1948-49, Miss Violet Braswell and Mrs. Helen Gipson 1949-50, George Huffman 1950-51 one teacher, Dale Berry 1951-52, Distance(?) with others in all voted for reorganization, Walter Bridges Jr. and Mrs Chas. Myers 1952-53, Walter Bridges Jr 1953-54, Mrs Edd Hovis 1954-55, Mrs. Edd Hovis 1955.

Buckhorn Notes from Mrs. Dees

Gravelton had a mission church to Fredericktown

Keanees Rhodes, Kinder, Mosiers came from around Charlotte. Her brothers came when they were 12 and 14.

Stroups lived at Conover, North Carolina. Their faces are painted on the office wall at the Museum.

Mosier was the first Lutheran Minister to hold church at Gravelton.

Millers Chapel at Castor was formed by Grahams. Amanda (Graham) Whitener was Baptist and had a beautiful voice. She would leave Big Creek after a revival and stop in the store to get crackers and chocolate covered sugar cubes. Roy would wait at school for her to come by on the way home to share in this treat Told by Roy Whitener and Mrs. Dees

There was a mill between Gravelton and Cascade, by Troy Hovis house. It was owned by John Hovis, and Benn Whitener.

Emma and Ella died during WWII of the flu. They did house work for Grandpa Clubb.

Tom Bennick well educated man who taught at Cascade. Married Skaggs daughter. Lou and Anna Skaggs married. Tom Bennick gave all the books for a library at Cascade and then the school burned. Tom

Bennick and Anna had Walter Bennick, a Judge, to marry them. Walter Bennick went to Flat River to college, he had a Model T. Old college was on Flat River and back on a hill.

George Hovis, Grace Hovis, Prof. Wagner, Otto Senter, and Gus (Mrs. Dees dad) had a hotel in Cascade

Tom Bennick and Ephraim Senter were different politics. This made it hard when Mary Susan Senter wanted to marry Tom. Whitener's and Stroups was for south in the civil war and the Senter's for the north.

Other Buckhorn conversations overheard.

Ike Pugh sold out store to George Huffman and George moved store across the creek to the west.

Amanda Whitener had a store across the creek in the Lords House on 313. Elmer Gibson went to buy dry beans there. That was the first dry beans he knew about and then he called the beans Aunt Susan's beans after that.

When Henry Hovis died Henry Senter bought the house from the descendants. 1 year later it burned. He then had logs planned in Gravelton Mill to rebuild. His barn burned in 1941

Curt Pugh is Olys son. The school, post office, and store was east of the creek until 1905 to around 1910. Helen Pugh had one of the first 1924 Model T and kept it only one year.

33 Hollows Train would back into hollow and load logs.

Rev Wagner was depot agent where Jim Gatamy lives now.

Zimmer gave Aunt Valley gold crown for \$4 and she still has it.

I have more information from my father because I could catch him when I had questions.

Roy Whitener born 4-28-15 born in Buckhorn. Went to 1924 to 1932, Grades 9 and 10 Gravelton and 11 to 12 at Marquand. His class Ophia Gipson, and Ruby Barrett. Ruby's dad took Roy to graduation at Marquand other wise he would have missed. Roy missed the first two weeks of 11 grade because he didn't have a ride so the principle asked him to drive the bus. He said if Roy went to Marquand they would have enough students to have a bus and would dad drive. Then the principle helped Roy catch up on his schoolwork. Roy Whitener used to make arrows out of pinewood, about one foot long, to throw using a leather strap to project it. Teachers Mr. and Mrs. Croft. She was a Kinder on Castor River and her brother was Ray Kinder. Then Maquand's principle was Mr. Clifton Bell. He also taught Roy's sister in law, Ona Cox at Centerville. Roy says he wasn't a very good teacher but he worked you hard. Florence Johnson nee Whitener nearly drowned at Castor Rivers broken bridge. Roy reached out and grabbed her hand to save her. We saw Dr. Wagner at Greenville. Gloria went to him when we were fishing down there. We gave him a carp and he said if we were going to give him a fish he wouldn't charge so much.

Kids caught crawdads for a sales man that stopped for lunch at the creek by school and he gave them each a box of pudding mix. That was the first pudding they had seen.

Grandpa Senter was exceptional. He heard a turkey while he was working and he walked over to the road and shot the turkey aiming toward the creek. When he fired he heard something flopping in the creek beyond. He knew Ophie's cattle had been in the area and thought he shot a cow. He went to the creek and found another turkey.

Rhode/Abernathy chased deer with dogs. Deer all ways circle around.

Cascade had steam water first. Made baths for spinning yarn Bill Moser.

Floyd Whitener worked for Bennett when they use to buy cream. He tested butterfat in cream. Grandad Johnson (per Ed Johnson) would send cream to St. Louis because he thought he was cheated.

Ed Johnson was born in 1912 and remembers WWI. He lived behind Big Creek Baptist church. He grew corn where the lake is now. His dad knew horses. Load cross ties to Marquand and his one horse was scared the other wouldn't pull, so he beat 2nd while first was watching. They both pulled all the way.

Lewis Gipson got shot at Lords house by Kemp. They took Lewis to Marquand and put him on the train to St. Louis. Took out part of lung. He never saw Kemp again. Mr. Cook burned garden fence in fall and spring get more posts and drive in ground w 16lb sledge. He did this every year.

Mrs. Cook would get up in am cook breakfast. Lewis got up and ate. By this time she had the team harnessed. She came upon a turkey in the hickory grove. She jumped it and it nearly beat her to death but she enjoyed eating it.

There was a controversy between free range Baptists and Big Creek Baptists.

David Farhquar was teacher and was Protestant during the Catholic Irish fighting. He didn't like the cross on top of the church so he tore it down.

Joe Gipson lived in Albright brother of Tony Darnell

Gus Clubbs store in Cascade had a bank. Israel Hovis was a teller

Lester's wife had a store with her son. She got mad and took 1/2 of everything and started another store in the same town.

Kathy Whitener Noonan talks about her teacher Margaret Whitener who rented a room from Pugh's in Buckhorn. Kathy Whitener stayed with her once. Harry carried Kathy when it was so cold.

Buckhorn had a mattress and quilt factory

Creek by David's was real deep. Flooded at Hugh's Wedding

Lottie Barrett and Lola Alexander were friends. The Alexander's move to Oregon.

BUCKHORN SCHOOL, MADISON COUNTY, MISSOURI TEACHERS TIME LINES

1913 Etta Clubb, Miss Nesbit, (Geo. R Darnell (48 children.)

1914 Miss Limbaugh (C. S. Stroup (74 children.)

(1916 C. S. Stroup (76 children.)

(1917 C. S. Stroup (60 children.)

1918 Etta Clubb (1918 J. D. Hovis (60 children.)

1922 Etta Clubb

(1925 and 1926 Lula Dorris and Grace Dees in Albright school)

1926 and 1928 Lulu Dorris, Lola Hovis (Alexander)

1929 Lola Hughley Alexander

1930 Beulah Nisbet

1933 Beulah Nisbet

1934 Loyd Ward

1935 Silas Dees

1936 Silas Dees

1937 Florence Whitener

1938 Audrey Bennett

Arthur Gipson

1939 Audrey Bennett

1940 Dorothy Crawell Moser

1941 Mabel BarkerDees Mr. McDowell

Arthur Gipson

1942 Iverna Myers

Jerry Henson

1943 Margaret Whitener

Loyd Cooper

1944 Eliga Tripp

J.W. Young

Marie Gipson

1945 Grace Edwards

Jane Cook

1946 Margaret Whitener

Letty Burris

Mrs. Ruby Harris

1947 Marie Gipson

R C. Staniff

1948 Mary Ellen Graham, Helen Gipson, RC Stanfield

1949 Helen Barrett Gipson

1950 Helen Barrett Gipson

George Huffman

1952 Jr. Bridges

Lenora Myers

1953 Jr. Bridges

Other teachers mentioned but no records

Ethel Hinkle

Ward Alexander

ElnaShanea

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*These are the only years found in the book of apportionments for the school fund at the Fredericktown court House. Most Buckhorn school records must have been included in the whole district.