



<p>1940 The war years added extra challenges with how to feed the nation. Because of petrol rationing electric delivery vans had to be used. Warburtons were delivering 1,300 loaves per hour.</p>	<p>1876 After a slump in the grocery trade, Ellen has the clever idea to make bread. Her first batch of four loaves and six flour cakes sell out within the hour and two weeks later they rename the shop 'Warburtons the bakers.'</p>	<p>1897 Henry is now the owner of the bakery which is so successful they need to buy a bigger shop. He buys the diamond Jubilee Bakery and another shop on Blackburn Road.</p>	<p>1921 Warburtons take delivery of their first ever semi-automatic wrapping machine. Billy and Henry Warburton are now part of the business.</p> 	<p>1870 It all began in Bolton in a small grocery shop. Thomas Warburton and his wife Ellen set up the shop with Thomas's brother George. They still own this shop which is situated around the corner from Warburtons head-quarters.</p>	<p>2003 His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh opens the 11th Bakery in Enfield North London.</p>
<p>1913 Henry's business has expanded to a workforce of 24 including 6 delivery vans. He starts to build a new model bakery on Hereford Street.</p>	<p>1930 Through years of hard work as a baker and local councillor, Henry Warburton becomes mayor of Bolton.</p>	<p>1880 Thomas Warburton buys a horse and cart to start a delivery round. He asks his nephew Henry to help him because the business is growing.</p>	<p>2009 The Bristol Super Bakery opens, capable of producing 1.5 million products a week!</p> 	<p>2011 The whole product range undergoes a makeover with fresh, bold and co-ordinated designs!</p>	<p>1976 The centenary year celebrates 100 years and they build a new bakery in Burnley. Tom and George cut the centenary cake!</p>

