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HOLT HIGH SCHOOL

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DEDICATION



The Holt High School students and faculty proudly dedicate this book, the RAMPAGES to the community of Holt. They sincerely wish to express their appreciation of the townspeople, who make up their community and support their school. The students could not possibly hope to prepare themselves for their part in life without this source of education, which is provided to them by the community.

RAMPAGES

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COMMUNITY



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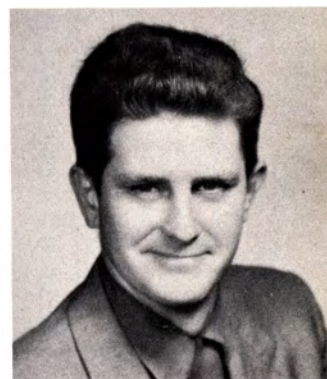
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PRESENTS

THE

SENIORS

OF OUR

COMMUNITY



CARLTON MASON
 "Some say the world is made for fun and frolic and so do I."
 Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Varsity Club 3; Play Club 4; Hall Monitor 3; B. & G. 1; Class Pres. 3,4; Prom. Comm. 3.

GARY WILSON
 "Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow we study."
 Football 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Muffler Staff 2; Hall Monitor 4; Varsity Club 3,4; Vice-Pres. of Class 4; B. & G. 3; Movie Club 3; Annual Staff 2.



GLORIA SHAVER
 "Her friendship is a sunny smile and she always makes her class worthwhile."
 Chorus 2; Prom. Comm. 3; Jr. Play Comm. 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Sec. of Class 4; Prophecy Comm. 4.



JANET POTTER
 "Music hath charm."
 Band 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3,4; Sec. & Treas. 1; Class Treas. 4; Dist. and State Solo Festival 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2,3; Play Cast 4; Exchange Assembly 1,2,3; Co-Chair. Prom 3; Play Comm. 3,4; Prom. Comm. 3; Class Hist. 4.



MR. SCHIEFER



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MR. ABFALTER



LARRY ALBERTS
 "I know I'm not handsome, but what's my opinion against everyone else's?"
 Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; B. & G. Commissioner 3; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2,3,4; Student Council V.P. 4.



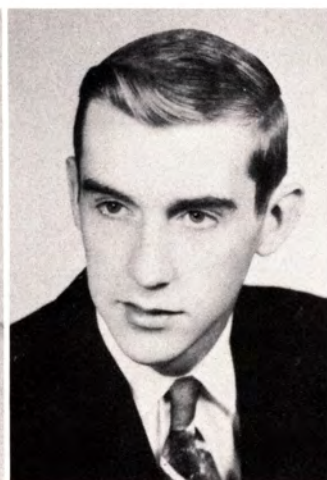
JACK ARMOUR
 "Never do today what you can put off until tomorrow."
 Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2; Varsity Club 3,4; Jr. Play Prop Comm. 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Varsity Club Treas. 4.

SUZANNE BOTSFORD
 "Nothing is impossible to a willing mind."
 Will Comm. 4; Sr. Play Cast 4; Prom Comm. 3; Commercial Club 4; Sr. Play Comm. 4; Dance Comm. 3.



RON BUTLER
 "A little learning is a dangerous thing."

KEN CAMPBELL
 "When fun ceases, I exist no more."
 Jr. and Sr. Play Comm. 3,4; Football 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Varsity Club Pres. 4; B. & G. 4; Annual Staff 4.



RANDALL CLEMENTS
 "The day is coming when the class of '54 will be proud of him."
 Student Council 2,3,4; Vice Pres. of Class 1; Muffler Staff 2,3; Annual Staff 3; Hall Monitor 4; Play Comm. 3,4; Prom Comm. 3.



JOYCE DARROW
 "I'll speak in a monstrous little voice."
 Chorus 1,2,3; Play Ticket Comm. 3; Play Advertisement 3; Commercial Club 4.

BONNIE DARROW
 "I never trouble trouble till trouble troubles me."
 Chorus 3; Muffler Staff 1; Jr. Play Comm. 3.

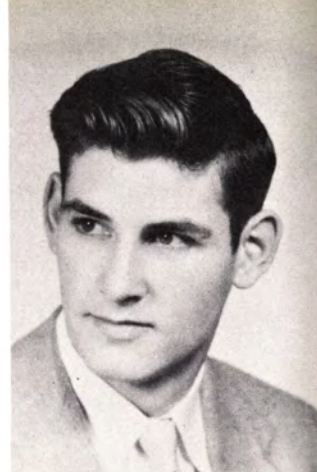


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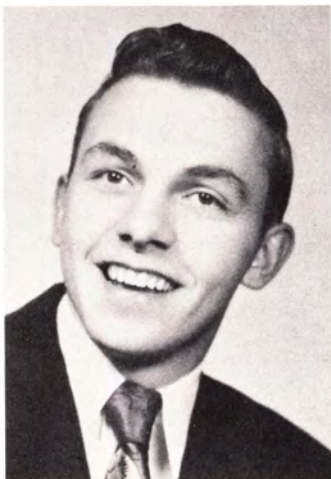


SALLY DAVIS
 "Why study? The more we study, the more there is to forget."
 Chorus 1,2,3,4; Muffler Staff 1; Jr. Play Comm. 3; Sr. Play Usher 4; Prom Comm. 3.

BOB DeCHELBOR
 "I have no care-why should I worry? Not even the bell can make me hurry."
 Hall Monitor 4; Jr. Play Comm. 3; Sr. Play Comm. 4; Teen-age Club Pres. 3; Hi-Y Vice Pres. 3.



GARY DORER
 "A little nonsense now and then; is relished by the best of men."
 Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Track 1,2; Student Council 3; Hall Monitor 3; B. & G. 2,4; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Play Props Comm. 3,4.



JOANNE FIELD
 "A friend to all who know her well."
 Commercial Club 4; Girls Glee Club 2; Comptometer School 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Prom Comm. 3; Muffler Staff 3.

JACKIE GATES
 "Not Kellogg's, but she's 'pep' just the same."
 Hall Monitor 1; Usher at Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; G.A.A. 1.



MARLENE GRIEB
 "Speech is great, but silence is greater."
 Usher Sr. Play 4; Sr. Play Costume Comm. 4; Sr. Play Comm. 4; Chorus 1,2; Chair. Will Comm. 4.



BOB HAKES
 "One knows him by his good workmanship."
 Movie Club 2,3,4; Band 3,4; Annual Staff 2,4; Chorus 3; Exchange Assembly 3; Muffler Staff 2.

JOYCE HARTIG
 "A winsome, wee, miss."
 Play Usher 3; Prom Programs 3; Prom Decorations 3; Play Advertising 4; Commercial Club 4.



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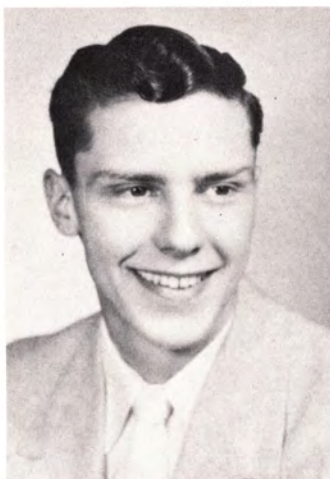


HEATHER HEATH
 "Absence makes the heart grow fonder."
 Student Council 1; Annual Staff 2,3; Majorette 1,2,3; Class Sec. 2; Class Vice Pres. 3; Prom Dec. Comm. Chair. 3; Assembly Comm. 4; Commercial Club 4; Comptometer School 4; D.A.R. Award 4; Play Comm. 3,4.

JAMES HEIN
 "Men with few words are the best."



DALE HOFFMAN
 "Young ladies are my specialty."
 Chorus 2,3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Sr. Play Comm. 4; Prom Comm. 3.



ROBERTA HUDSON
 "Always good natured."
 Library Club 1,2,3; G.A. A. 1; Jr. Play Prop Comm. 3; Usher Sr. Play 4.

DAVE HUGGER
 "Success is my aim!"
 Annual Staff 2; Movie Club 2,3,4; Sr. Play Comm. 3.



BILL HUSBAND
 "He finds women charming but blushes to speak to them."
 Muffler Staff Art Editor 4; Prom Comm. 3; Advertising Comm. Jr. Play 3; Dec. Comm. Sr. Play 4.



SHIRLEY JAMES
 "Keep the golden mean between saying too much and too little."
 Usher Jr. Play 3; Usher Sr. Play 4; Senior Play Comm. 4; Will Comm. 4; Commercial Club 4; Chair. Dance Ticket Comm. 3.

ROGER JEFFERS
 "Often burns the midnight oil but not for study."
 Football 1,2,3; Hi-Y Club 3; Muffler Staff 4.



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DONNA REY KETCHUM
 "Love is the salt of life."
 Library Club 1,2,3; G.A.A. 2;
 Jr. Play Prop Comm. 3; Muffler
 Staff 4.

PHILIP KRIEGER
 "An earnest straightforward
 man."
 Jr. Play Comm. 3; Sr. Play
 Comm. 4.



STANLEY LARNER
 "Forever foremost in the
 ranks of fun."
 Football 3,4; Track 2,3.



CHARLES LEONARD
 "Just a regular fellow."

RON MARKS
 "Life is no longer if I
 hurry. The world is not
 better if I worry."
 Varsity Club 2,3,4; Bas-
 ketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,
 2,3,4; Jr. and Sr. Play
 Comm. 3,4.



KURT MERTINS
 "I think and I think and
 I think--sometimes."
 Tech. 3; Football 4; Var-
 sity Club 4; Sr. Play
 Comm. 4; Track 4.



DON OLSON
 "To do a great right, do a lit-
 tle wrong?"
 Hall Monitor 4.

MARY LOU NICHOLS
 "You never see one without the
 other. Who is he, Mary? Your
 brother?"
 Band 1,2; Prom Comm. 3; Cho-
 rus 3; Sr. Play Advertisement 4.



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DAVID PARISIAN
 "A fine fellow and a great friend to all."
 Sr. Play Comm. 4; Muffler Staff 4.

MIKE PEKRUL
 "There is no love more sincere than the love of food."
 Class Pres. 1; Jr. Play Cast 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Hall Monitor 2; Muffler Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Treas. 3; Sr. Play Prop Comm. 4; Varsity Club Vice Pres. 3; Boy's State 3; Usher at Grad. 3.



FORREST PHILLIPS
 "A real fellow and an athlete."
 Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,4; Teen-age Club 1; Student Council 3; Annual Staff 3; Usher at Grad. 3; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Prom Comm. 3.



BRUCE PICKERING
 "He would stop St. Peter's roll call to ask a question."

JOAN RILEY
 "The style is in the girl herself."
 Jr. Play Comm. 3; Prom Comm. 3; Sec. of Class 3; Commercial Club 4.



BARBARA ROBISON
 "Everyone understands the language of a smile."
 Prom Comm. 3; Usher Jr. Play 3; Commercial Club 4; Student Play Director 4; Sr. Play Stage Mang. 4; Sr. Play Comm. 4; Will Comm. 4; Prophecy Comm. 4.



NANCY ROCKWOOD
 "Politeness is good nature regulated by good sense."
 Prom Decoration Comm. 3; Prom Programs 3; Chorus 3; Sr. Play Advertising 4.

NORMA SCHWARTZ
 "A still tongue makes a wise head."
 Jr. Play Cast 3; Decoration Comm. for Prom 3; Sr. Play Costume Chair, 4; Sr. Play Usher 4; Commercial Club 4; Sr. Play Comm. 4.





EDNA SEELMAN
 "It's nice to be natural when naturally nice."
 Prom Comm. 3; Play Ticket Comm. 3,4; Play Usher 3,4; Commercial Club 4.

MARTHA SHAW
 "To take things as they come is the best way."
 Usher Sr. Play 4; Muffler Staff 4; Chorus 1/2 Yr.; Jr. Play Comm. 3.



GLORIA SHELDON
 "Oh mischief, thou art swift to enter into the thoughts of merry girls."
 Annual Staff 1,2,3; Muffler Staff 2; G.A.A. 1; Class Prophecy 4; Jr. and Sr. Play Comm. 3,4; Class Will 4; Office Practice 4; Usher Jr. Play 3.



LOUIS SHEPARD
 "Hold the fort, I'm coming."
 Football 1,2,3; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Varsity Club 3,4; Hi-Y Club 2.

MARGO SMITH
 "Quiet till you know her and then look out."
 Girl's Glee Club 2; Chorus 2; Jr. Play Cast 3; Prom Comm. 3; Commercial Club 4.



BOB SPURGEON
 "There must be a lot of work in me, for none ever comes out."
 Basketball 1,2,3,4; B. & G. 3; Baseball 1,2; Varsity Club 2,3,4.



JANIE STEVENS
 "When dates and lessons don't agree, I'll take dates, let lessons be."
 Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; G.A.A. 1; Student Council Sec. 3,4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Usher at Grad. 3; Hall Monitor 3; Debate 1,2; Dramatic Declamation 1; Exchange Assembly 3; B. & G. 2; Ing. Co. League S. C. Sec. 3; Assembly Comm. Chair. 4; Sr. Play Comm. 4.

DICK THOMAS
 "With the force of his own merit, he makes his own way."
 Student Council 3,4; Student Council Pres. 4; Traffic Comm. 3; Hall Monitor 2; Class Pres. 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club Pres. 3; Jr. Play Cast 3; Co-Chair. Jr. Sr. Prom 3; Class Hist. 4; Boys State 3.





KIRBY TOMLINSON
 "Life is a serious business and girls aren't in it."
 Student Council 1; Baseball 1, 2,3,4; Hall Monitor 1; Sr. Ticket Sales 4; Varsity Club 2,3,4.

STARR TROPP
 "Cares may be many but none have I."
 Football 1; Golf 2; Jr. Play Comm. 3; Muffler Staff 4; Hall Monitor 4.



NANCY UNDERHILL
 "Little, but oh my!"
 Usher Sr. Play 4; Muffler Staff 4.



LASKA VANETTEN
 "Men the brutes! But, oh, how I love 'em!"
 Debate 1; Cheerleader 1,2,3 1/2 Jr. Play Cast 3; Prom Comm. 3; Library Club 1,2; Commercial Club 4; Annual Staff 2,3; Class Treas. 2; Student Council 1.



FRANCES VOSS
 "Virtue has its own reward."
 Studnet Council 2,4; Student Council Treas. 4; Girls State 3; Co-Chair. Date Calendar 4.



CAROLE WATERWORTH
 "She's not a flower, not a pearl; just a regular, all around girl."
 Debate 1,2; Chorus 1,3; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Prom Decoration 3.



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

ARTICLE I

Section I We, the Senior class leave our saddle-bags, levis, and hot rods to the Freshman class.

Section II We, the Senior class will our books and our ability to keep our nose to the grind stone to the Sophomore class.

Section III We, the Senior class will our graduation robes and our memories of the senior trip to the Junior class.

ARTICLE II

I, Larry Albert, will my friendliness to Virginia Dyer.

I, Jack Armour, will my "crazylegs" to Doris Hayes.

I, Suzanne Botsford, will my ability to stick to one man to Louise Nelson.

I, Ron Butler, will my homemaking ability to Patt Walker.

I, Ken Campbell, will my football position to Lowayne Newcomb.

I, Randall Clements, will my pansy bed to Rex Merriott.

I, Bonnie Darrow, will my frequent "telephone calls" to Phyllis Razet.

I, Joyce Darrow, will my slip-sheeting talent in office practice to Joe Kiersey.

I, Sally Davis, will my "pug-nose" to Jeff Lumianski.

I, Robert DeChelbor, will my basketball skill to Gary Rodocker.

I, Gary Dorer, will my silver dollar to George Knight.

I, Joanne Field, will my ability to keep the Buick under control to Buck Dorer.

I, Dale Hoffman, will my naturally wavy hair (toni) to Janice Brice.

I, Bob Spurgeon, will my under-nourished figure to Roland Vincent.

I, Jackie Gates, will my love for Parties ? ? ? ? to Rick Coolidge.

I, Marlene Grieb, will my size 22 waist to Dick Preston and Larry Britton.

I, Bob Hakes, will my key chain to Donald Griffin.

I, Joyce Hartig, will my short legs to Wilma Karker.

I, Heather Ann Heath, will my surfboard talent to Ellen Helmker and Dave Hartly.

I, Jim Hein, will my laugh and smile to Marvin Ray and Jack Booher.

I, Roberta Hudson, will my figure to Jerry Straight and Maurice Mingus.

I, Dave Hugger, will my wisecracks to Gile Larner and Richard Sheldon.

I, Bill Husband, will my craftsmanship to Jaylene Stockenauer.

I, Shirley James, will my position at Holt Food Center to my sister, Sandra.

I, Roger Jeffers, will my dancing skill to Mary King and Stan Schnepf.

- I, Phillip Krieger, will my odd jobs to Nancy Thorburn and Terry Lerner.
- I, Stan Lerner, will my fatherly ways to Bob Welch and Don French to be used in the distant future.
- I, Charles Leonard, will my height to Tom Richardson.
- I, Ron Marks, will my job at the Gulf Station to Jim Mitoska.
- I, Boogie Mason, will my quiet voice in the library to Carol Shaver.
- I, Kurt Mertins, will my number 12 shoes to Skip Miller.
- I, Mary Lou Nichols, will my intelligence to Doug Parish and Jim Barnes.
- I, Don Olson, will my cars to Marlene Zuidema.
- I, Dave Parisian, will my willingness to cooperate on class activities to Roger Davis.
- I, Mike Pekarul, will my ability to gain weight to Galen Rosher.
- I, Bucky Phillips, will my shyness to Joan Linebaugh.
- I, Bruce Pickering, will my good attendance record to Lauralee Shaft.
- I, Janet Potter, will my ability to stay single to Virginia Parkhurst.
- I, Donna Rey Ketchem, will my ability to skip school and not get caught to Joyce Yeoman.
- I, Joan Riley, will my ability to keep my diamond a secret for a week to Pat Farr.
- I, Barbara Robinson, will my "pull" with Mrs. Ellis to Joan Nichols.
- I, Nancy Rockwood, will my nick-name "hot rod" and my racing to Carolyn Hartsuff.
- I, Gloria Shaver, will my 88 Olds to Gary Twitchell.
- I, Martha Shaw, will my smallness to Jim Joyce.
- I, Gloria Sheldon, will my love for horses to John Straley and Larry West.
- I, Louis Shepard, will my position in Naval Reserves to Darle Gould.
- I, Margo Smith, will my "sophisticated haircut" to Ronnie Parsons and Bob Root.
- I, Janie Stevens, will my love for out-of-town boys to Sandra Jones.
- I, Dick Thomas, will my position as Student Council President to Gareth Logan.
- I, Kirby Tomlinson, will my bashfulness to Kay Olson.
- I, Starr Tropp, will my good work in school and a happy marriage like mine to Nancy Fernburg.
- I, Nancy Underhill, will my long-flowing locks to Marshall Hollen and Ted Hurja.
- I, Laska Van Etten, will my fur coat and little red car to Leon Parsons.
- I, Frances Voss, will my gentleness to Ruth Wade.
- I, Carol Waterworth, will my long fingernails and eyelashes to John Hicks.
- I, Gary Wilson, will my "little brown jug" to Ilah Austin.

SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY 1954

It is 1964, and we have lost track of all of our old schoolmates from Holt High School, class of 1954. Ten long years have passed since we were all together on our senior trip to New York City. We wish we had some kind of instrument or invention which could tell us what all of our high school friends are doing, or where they are.

Listen to this conversation in the lab of Holt High, between Mr. Schiefer, one of our class advisors, and Mr. Abfalter, another of our advisors, as they sit with the seventh hour students:

Mr. Abfalter: "I do believe you're right, but just how are we going to get all of our ex-prodigies together. We've talked about this for over a week now, and still haven't found a way."

Mr. Schiefer: "Well, you know I never give up. We'll find a way somehow."

Just at that moment Mr. Abfalter's bright eyes widened, for in the doorway stood that nice little old lady, Mrs. Ellis, who was our third advisor and mother-confessor. After a short visit, they explained their problem, and Mrs. Ellis hit upon a splendid idea.

"I know just the thing," she said, "I've kept in touch with Bob Hakes who is working in Schenectady, New York, with the General Electric Company, and is known as the modern 'Stienmetz.' Bob has invented a new device called the B H Electronic Eye. With this machine he can spy, I mean look in, on anyone he chooses, by a flick of the switch."

So the three advisors of the class of 1954 sent a jet-o-gram to Bob, who agreed in a matter of seconds, to go in with them on their plot, ah--scheme, I mean plan, to contact all the students of '54, so the three of them drove to N. Y. in Mr. Schiefer's new Cadillac convertible.

Just for a trial, Bob looked in on the home of Mr. Abfalter, who now had decided you could live just as cheaply by the dozen. It was a rainy day when these three potential FBI agents met with Bob, so they decided to look down toward sunny Florida. Not knowing just where to look, they switched to Miami Beach, and there, basking in the sun, at the edge of the pool, on the premises of the fabulous Albert's Hotel, was Larry Alberts and one of his entertainers, Janie Stevens.

Because of his well-known announcing, (and extremely loud voice), the "Eye" was turned directly on Jack Armour who is in Miami to announce the Flamingo Sweepstakes. Switching to Cypress Gardens we see Laska VanEtten modeling the latest in bathing suits designed by Paris designer Frances Voss.

We swing the eye on across the western states and focus on Texas, which boasts the Kirby Tomlinson Ranch as their largest cattle ranch in the state, and Kirby is affectionately known as King Kirby. Texas A. & M. is now internationally famous for its fine football teams--and why not? Mike Pekrul is their coach, still upholding the same high ideals he had when he played for good old Holt.

The Pueblo Indians of New Mexico are grateful for the guidance they are receiving from their missionary, Norma Schwartz.

The new columnist of Hollywood is Kurt Mertins, whose recent column on actor Gary Wilson has caused much controversy. Down in Los Angeles we find Bucky Phillips as coach for the Los Angeles Rams.

Wyoming, the home of Ronald Butler's Candy Company is now the world's largest manufacturers of taffy. We see Dave Hugger doing very well operating the Big D Casino in Las Vegas, Nevada, and you should see the car he drives now!

Stan Lerner we found in Utah, busily managing a sight seeing tour of Salt Lake. The eye falls on the state of Oregon where we see Dale Hoffman as a forest ranger for the National Forest Association. There, too, find Mary Lou Nicholas as the wife of a forest ranger???

A beautiful motel is sighted and we see Carole Waterworth, owner, registering Bill Husband, owner of the Husband Contracting Agency, who is on his way to Montana to construct a new Fashion Shop for Joanne Field.

In Idaho we find Roger Jeffers using the latest in diesel machinery to cultivate his 1,000 acre potato plantation. Phil Krieger has been commissioned by the National Fruits Commission to develop a new line in apples. Idaho is now the home state of Edna Seelman who has finally married her millionaire.

The homes in Nebraska are having interior decorating improvements from Nancy Rockwood, the famous decorator.

As we all know, Senator James Hein of South Dakota, has done well with his new bill to make it unlawful for each family hangar to have a runway under 5,000 feet in length. Boogie Mason, now the president of the Mason Supermarket, has been doing quite well, for he now drives a robin's egg blue Cadillac. Also, in Tennessee, we find Shirley James busily teaching dancing and music in her conservatory.

Now that Dick Thomas has finished his latest surveying job in the Black Hills of the Dakotas, the new sixteen lane highway which is being planned by Gary Dorer, can be constructed. Donna Ketchum is just completing her travels around the world with her naval officer husband. The world has been enthused by the latest book written by Charles Leonard, who is recently spending much time in Wisconsin to get more information. The sport fans of racing were all happy to see Donald Olson cross the finish line first at the Indianapolis "500" race. Don's success was said to be due to the great assistance he received from his partner and mechanic, Louis Shephard. As we all expected, Randall Clements is now making people happy all over the U.S. with his Floral Exchange, located in the heart of Chicago, Illinois. Gloria Sheldon has carried on her father's Feed Company to such an extent that they are exporting all over the world.

Michigan State College has increased their History classes greatly due to the popular young professor, Kenneth Campbell. We see Martha Shaw has stayed in her own home state of Michigan to bring up her four lovely little children. New in the world of millionaires is Starr Tropp who has discovered uranium in the back acres of his farm. Bonnie and Joyce Darrow are both serving in the Woman's Air Corps as nurses. Sally Davis has opened a swimming school in the lower part of Ohio. Her class mates were all astonished when Jackie Gates went into the teaching profession at a well-known nursing school in South Carolina. Joyce Hartig is now confidential secretary to the Director of the FBI in Washington, D.C. A very busy man around the pentagon these days is Bob Spurgeon, politician, whose latest attack on Teen-Age drinking has been widely publicized. Heather Ann Heath has been very busy in Detroit as private secretary to the President of G.M. Joan Riley has been keeping herself busy also, as a housewife and part-time model in Port Huron, Michigan. Barbara Robison has now taken over Mrs. Armour's job as secretary to the principal of Holt High School. The exclusive men's shop on the corner of Main Street in N.H. is owned and operated by Ronald Marks. Janet Potter's talent at the piano has been well-rewarded, and she has recently appeared with the Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra in New York.

Suzanne Botsford also in New York, is the new Dorthey Collins of Lucky Strike Hour. Marlene Grieb is now leading a quiet life of a Broadway philanthropist. Bob DeChelbor's new T.V. show, "Everything Must Go" has gained much popularity with those of the TV audience. Bruce Pickering has had another hit show with his star, Gloria Shaver, on Broadway. Working for TWA we see Margo Smith, who was recently appointed head stewardess on the overseas tour. Roberta Hudson married her childhood sweetheart right after graduation, and they are running a shoe store in Lansing, Michigan.

This completed the circle of the nation which the electronic eye took for the benefit of sweet memories of the class of 1954 of Holt High School, and it looks to the class advisors as though each person had made the best use of his time and talents after leaving our portals. So the three of them stepped back into Mr. Schiefer's Cadillac convertible, and drove back to Holt, to start another class on the road of success and happiness in life.



Did you win, Laska?



Inseparable !



First hour Govt. class ?



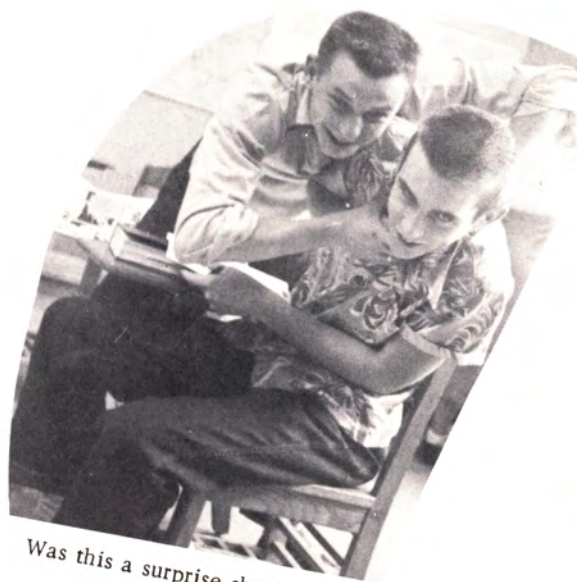
Margo at the beach.



How were the Amazons?



"The Line-up."



Was this a surprise shot? Ha!

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Row one: I. Austin, J. Booher, L. Boone, J. Brice, H. Bristol, L. Britton. Row two: J. Brooks, D. Carpenter, R. Coolidge, R. Davis, D. Dorer, V. Dyer. Row three: P. Farr, N. Fernburg, D. French, D. Gould, D. Griffin, D. Hartley. Row four: C. Hartsuff, D. Hayes, E. Helmker, J. Hicks, M. Hollen, T. Hurja. Row five: J. James, S. Jones, J. Joyce, W. Karker, F. Kiersey, M. King. Row six: G. Knight, G. Larner, T. Larner, J. Linebaugh, G. Logan, J. Lumianski. Row seven: R. Merriott, L. Miller, M. Mingus, J. Mitoska, L. Nelson, L. Newcomb.

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The Junior Class started out the year by electing officers and student council representatives. They are as follows: President Galen Rosher, Vice President Maurice Mingus, Secretary Virginia Dyer, Treasurer David Dorer, Corresponding Secretary Nancy Thorburn, Student Council-Lauralee Shaft, Virginis Parkhurst, Joe Kiersey, Honorary Representative Virginia Dyer.

Our projects for the year were selling stationery and autograph books, concessions, Junior Play, bakegoods sales, and sponsoring the Junior-Senior Prom.

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The sophomore class started the year out right by having their election for officers and student council representatives. The following officers were elected: president, Jim Clever, vice president, Jerry Smith, secretary, Mary Ann Ellis, treasurer, Jane Meissner. The student council representatives were Ann Shaft, Margie Ammon, and Walt Runyan.

Bake goods sales, candy sales, movies, and running the coat check at the basketball games were the money making projects for the year.

"In the Mood" was the title chosen for the annual class dance which was held April 23. The music was provided by Nate Fry's orchestra.

f r e s h m e n



Row one: R. Abernathy, B. Allwood, C. Baker, S. Barker, M. Bernhart, R. Brewer. Row two: L. Burcroff, D. Cain, B. Cataline, G. Chappell, G. Christensen, S. Coolidge. Row three: G. Davis, C. Dalrymple, D. DeBois, P. Denison, M. Donley, J. Durlait. Row four: S. Eastman, B. Fox, J. Fudge, B. Gilmore, C. Goodrich, D. Hanes. Row five: M. Harris, N. Hartsuff, L. Helmker, M. Hitchens, M. Hudson, K. Johns. Row six: J. Jones, J. Kendall, P. Knight, K. Kreiner, M. Landers, S. Leonard. Row seven: J. Liles, D. Litke, M. McClain, M. Marks, A. Marshall.

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The officers for this year were; President, Bertice Welch; Vice President, Beverly Fox; Treasurer, Sandra Smith; Secretary, Kay Kreiner.

Student Council Representatives were Peter Taylor, Lewis Helmker, honorary member Jack Durlait.

The activities which kept the Freshman class busy were two paper drives, a movie, and the Freshman dance.

In the Reserve Basketball contest, for king and queen, the winners were Judy Fudge and Gary Chappell.

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EIGHTH GRADE



Row one: M. Abernathy, J. Adcock, D. Albert, J. Armour, B. Baker, N. Barrett. Row two: B. Blalock, T. Bollman, G. Brayl, K. Brewer, D. Brooks, K. Burgess. Row three: C. Burgess, N. Burlew, C. Clark, P. Clever, C. Cole, D. Conarton. Row four: N. Decker, J. Dyer, N. Eberly, C. Ehresman, E. Finch, C. Ford. Row five: B. Foster, N. Garrison, C. Gould, R. Gould, N. Graves, M. Herding. Row six: G. Hadwin, L. Hadwin, H. Hettinger, D. Holloway, J. Johnson, J. Jones. Row seven: M. Kelley, G. Kintigh, A. Kibbey, J. Krieger, A. Langham, D. Lawry.

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Row one: C. Lefler, J. Liles, M. Linebaugh, A. Logan, M. Merriott, B. Mote. Row two: V. Musser, J. Myers, D. North, L. Perkins, B. Reed, L. Rockwood. Row three: H. Schnepf, R. Schnepf, M. Shaft, D. Shaver, G. Smith, J. Smith. Row four: M. Spaulding, D. Spencer, J. Stuart, A. Storie, L. Straight, D. Straub. Row five: L. Thomas, H. Turner, J. VanHorn, J. Weaver, J. Wilcox.

Not pictured: A. Clark, M. Morris, S. Roberts, M. Richardson, P. Day.

The eighth grade had two parties, the first was a hard time affair complete with blue jeans. The second was a more dressy social event.

Officers for the year were Gary Kintigh, president; Jim Dyer, vice president; and Bob Blalock, secretary and treasurer. Jim Dyer and Jim Armour were representatives to the student council.

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SEVENTH GRADE



Row one: C. Anderson, A. Baker, D. Botsford, L. Burlew, D. Byrne, D. Carpenter. Row two: R. Carr, R. Chapman, M. Cole, T. Coolidge, J. Cornelius, J. Coryell. Row three: S. Corser, R. Courser, J. Davis, J. DeChelbor, J. Dodge, B. Donley. Row four: H. Eastman, L. Edmundson, G. Ernst, P. Evans, C. Farr, B. Fillion. Row five: E. Finch, L. Fitzpatrick, J. French, E. Garrison, L. Gilmore, E. Gould. Row six: B. Hart, L. Hartsuff, L. Helms, R. Herod, D. Holliday, B. Holmes. Row seven: G. Howell, L. James, E. Johnson, P. Johnson, N. Jones, L. Kennell.



Row one: L. Kintigh, G. Knight, F. Konen, M. LaMarr, J. Linsea, D. Litke. Row two: D. Livensparger, B. McLellan, S. Magee, J. Marsh, M. Millbauer, M. Niller. Row three: C. Mills, M. Mingus, T. Mizner, D. Montague, J. Murphy, J. Nixon. Row four: G. Pease, O. Pequeno, J. Porter, S. Repichowski, S. Rhodes, R. Ribby. Row five: C. Richardson, L. Rockhold, M. Rose, B. Schlosser, J. Shaft, E. Smith. Row six: J. Smith, L. Storie, D. Switzer, G. Vaughan, J. Wagner, D. Walker. Row seven: S. Walker, C. Wheelock, J. Wood, R. Welch. Not Pictured: C. Allen, L. Richardson, J. Roberts, J. Wilson, B. Wilson.

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Top Row: Coach W. Pawlowski, D. Dorer, D. Carpenter, D. VanPatten, J. Joyce, T. Richardson, G. Rodocker, S. Schnepp, W. Runyun, B. VanEtten, J. Buck. Second Row: J. Kiersey, A. Shaver, N. Millbauer, K. Blalock, J. Clever, D. Preston, M. Ray, B. Tuttle, T. Lerner. Third Row: K. Mertins, M. Pekrul, G. Wilson, G. Dorer, J. Armour, K. Campbell, L. Albert, F. Phillips. Fourth Row: Managers; D. Carpenter, P. McNaughton, R. Edger.

The 1953 football season was a memorable one for Holt as we were taken into the folds of Capital Circuit League competition. In the 6 games with old Ingham County League foes, Holt's final outcome was 6 wins and 3 losses. Coach Walter Pawloski deserves praise for his fine work and effort.



Right half
Gary Dorer



Full back
Joe Kiersey



Left half
Bucky Phillips
Co-Captain



Quarter back
Rex Merriott



Left end
Gary Rodocker



Right end
Jack Armour

FOOTBALL

SCHEDULE

Holt - 19	.....	Eaton Rapids - 7
Holt - 19	.....	Charlotte. . -15
Holt - 0	.....	Grand Ledge - 7
*Holt - 18	.....	Leslie . . . - 0
Holt - 7	.....	Everett . . -14
Holt - 14	.....	Mason . . . - 6
*Holt - 7	.....	Williamston - 6
*Holt - 6	.....	Haslett. . . - 0
Holt - 13	.....	Howell . . . -21
*Non-league games.		



Left tackle
Tom Richardson



Right tackle
Mike Pehrul
Co-Captain



Left guard
Ken Campbell



Guard
Gary Wilson



Center
George Knight



Right guard
Larry Albert

RESERVE FOOTBALL



Top Row: Coach M. Baldwin, L. Helmker, E. Walker, G. Chappell, D. Dubois, G. Christensen, J. Emmett. Second Row: D. Marshall, B. French, R. Pickering, G. Bell, J. Kendall, G. Davis, J. Brooks, R. Tarrant, R. Abernathy, G. Reed, H. Hudson, N. Hartsuff, S. Barker, G. Richards. Third Row: D. Hanes, J. Durliat, J. Smith, P. Taylor, G. Watts, D. Eastman, D. Raber.

Coach Maurice Baldwin had a rather small reserve football team with which to start his first year as mentor. Although the boys were small they played against teams much bigger and more experienced than they. Much was won in the way of experience and sportsmanship.

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This year's reserve basketball team was blessed with many lofty players. Coach Baldwin's boys proved their ability again and again by completely trouncing their opponents. The season proved to be one of the reserve team's most successful.

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VARSITY



Row 1: Coach Hovanesian, R. Merriott, D. Thomas, G. Rodocker, J. Armour, B. Phillips, B. Tuttle, Manager J. Emmet. Row 2: G. Knight, G. Albert, R. Parsons, D. Carpenter, K. Blalock, D. Preston, J. Straight, B. Van Etten.

Coach Danny Hovanesian's first year as head coach proved successful. With eleven victories and seven defeats, the 1953-54 season was definitely a winning one. Gary Rodocker, the team's leading scorer, bolstered by seniors Dick Thomas, Bucky Phillips, and Jack Armour combined to become a constant threat to all Capital Circuit teams.



G. Rodocker, Capt.



J. Armour



B. Tuttle

BASKETBALL

Holt 35	Howell	25
Holt 42	Eaton Rapids	35
Holt 47	Charlotte	52
Christmas Tournament		
Holt 40	St. Marys	56
Holt 63	Sunfield	27
Holt 45	Resurrection	28

Holt 63	Mason	55
Holt 53	Everett	60

Holt 49	Grand Ledge	58
Holt 67	Howell	52
Holt 54	Eaton Rapids	42
Holt 67	Stockbridge	46
Holt 51	Charlotte	54
Holt 58	Mason	56
Holt 49	Everett	44
Holt 64	Grand Ledge	65
Holt 52	Okemos	45
Holt 45	St. Marys	57

D. Thomas



B. Phillips



R. Merriott



BASEBALL



Row 1: R. Merriott, B. Phillips, R. Marks, D. Thomas, L. Albert, W. Runyun, J. Kiersey, K. Tomlinson, B. VanEtten. Row 2: Managers B. Foster, and J. Smith, J. Lumianski, B. Tuttle, G. Rodocker, T. Larnier, J. Clever, G. Bell, Coach Hovanesian.

Coach Hovanesian had most of his starters from last year's squad with which to begin the spring baseball campaign. In spite of many bad weather breaks, the baseball team showed a lot of spirit and talent in their first year of the new league competition. Ace pitcher Kirby Tomlinson proved his worth many times on the mound for Holt High School.

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Row 1: D. Dorer, G. Dorer, D. Carpenter, G. Wilson, K. Mertins, G. Knight, K. Campbell, D. Blair, B. Phillips.
 Row 2: Coach Pawlowski, D. Preston, J. Smith, R. Brewer, G. Rosher, L. Crowe, K. Blalock, G. Albert, J. Clever, D. Griffin, R. Tarrant, R. Parsons, Managers G. Brail, K. Brewer.

Coach Walter Pawlowski guided his track team into fifth place in the regional track meet. Paced by sophomore Ken Blalock and senior Ken Campbell, the squad showed a lot of improvement and potential. The medley and 880 relay teams showed a surprising amount of ability against stiff opposition. Coach Pawlowski has started track on the upward trend in Holt.

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VARSITY CLUB

The Varsity Club consists of the athletes who have earned their varsity letter in any sport offered at Holt High School. The members sponsor various school activities and are active in all student functions.





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Starting from left corner, Mr. Abfalter, F. Voss, L. Albert, R. Clements, J. Armour, V. Dyer, L. Shaft, Mr. Sage, J. Durliat, W. Runyan, L. Helmker, P. Taylor, B. Sheaffer, A. Shaft, M. Ammon, J. Dyer, D. Thomas, V. Parkhurst, W. Karker, J. Stevens, D. Livensparger, E. Johnson, J. Kiersey.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council started out the year with the election of officers. The President was elected the previous spring by a school wide vote. Officers for the 1953-1954 year are as follows: President, Dick Thomas; Vice President, Larry Albert; Secretary, Janie Stevens; Corresponding Secretary, Virginia Parkhurst; Treasurer, Francis Voss.

A few of the projects undertaken and successfully completed by the council were bleacher fund, for the purchase of our new bleachers; student exchange day, the revision of the Student Council constitution and also, the approval of the other organizations within the school. The organization of the G.O. ticket and of the student handbook have been discussed and looked into, but will be waiting for the Student Council of next year to complete.



The hall monitors are the sturdy group which stands in the halls during class break and directs traffic. They have made a large contribution to good citizen- in Holt High.

Row 1: L. Rockhold, M. King, W. Karker, Mr. Hovanesian, M. Mingus, L. Shepard, V. Dyer. Row 2: S. Schnepf, S. Coolidge, L. Stuart, M. Landers, B. Fox, B. Welch, D. McNaughton, K. Clark, S. Tropp. Row 3: B. French, D. Olson, E. Helmker, T. Barker, M. Ellis, H. Bristol, R. Wade. Row 4: R. Clements, J. Emmett, G. Watts, G. Knight, G. Wilson, D. VanPatten, B. Jarstfer, J. Gates.

HALL MONITORS

BUILDING AND GROUNDS

Row 1: K. Campbell, G. Knight, M. Ammon, B. Schaeffer, C. Waltman, G. Dorer, B. Tuttle. Row 2: D. Livensparger, J. Smith, R. Brewer, J. Armour, G. Brayle.

The Building and Grounds Commission is a service group which looks out for the general appearance of the building. They supervise hall and locker cleanup.





Row 1: Marie Bernhart, Jane Meissner, Virginia Dyer, Joan Linebaugh, Larry West, Nola Schwartz, Myra Lumbert, Mrs. Smith. Row 2: Donna Ketchum, Bonnie Darrow, Donna Richardson, Dave Parisian, Carlene Baker, Roger Jeffers, Bill Husband, Mike Pekrul, Starr Tropp, Roger Davis, Sally Davis, Leon Parsons, Martha Shaw, Nancy Zalewski.

MUFFLER STAFF



Although bedlam does not always reign in room 7, one might doubt it if they happened in on deadline day. Page editors are frantically searching for articles which have mysteriously disappeared and managing editor, beside himself, rushes about bestowing encouraging pats on the back to the distraught reporters. Although this scene occurs every two weeks, rain or shine, there is always a Muffler, as a reward for services rendered.

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Row 1: Janice Brice, Jane Meissner, Sandra Jones, Virginia Dyer, Mrs. Smith, Gareth Logan, Jeffry Lumianski, Bonnie Balzer. Row 2: Myra Lumbert, Nola Schwartz, Lauralee Shaft, Pag Knight, Ken Campbell, Mike Pekrul, Maurice Mingus, Bob Hakes, Nancy Pitchford, Patt Rockhold, Joanne VanHorn.

RAMPAGES STAFF

Amid the bottles of aspirin, piles of copy paper and stubs of worn down pencils, the staff worked hard to produce an outstanding edition. Editors were ably assisted by willing staff members in the confused maze of rulers and glue and photographs, the result of which is the book you are now reading.



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In the Library Club are the students who assist Mrs. Campbell with some of the library work. These assistants can be seen behind the desk, shelving books or straightening the stacks.

Row 1: B. Bosom, B. Wichtowski, S. Smith, C. Hartsuff, C. Shaver, M. Shaw, Mrs. Campbell. Row 2: M. Hudson, M. Schroder, G. Watts, D. VanPatten, E. Walker, B. Cataline, J. Jones.

LIBRARY CLUB

COMMERCIAL CLUB

Row 1: S. Botsford, S. James. Row 2: E. Seelman, J. Hartig. Row 3: J. Riley, H. Heath, J. Darrow, J. Fields, M. Smith, B. Robison, Mrs. Ellis.

The Commercial Club is a group of hardworking girls who do a great amount of printing and typing for the community and other school organizations. The printing of the school paper is one of their biggest undertakings.





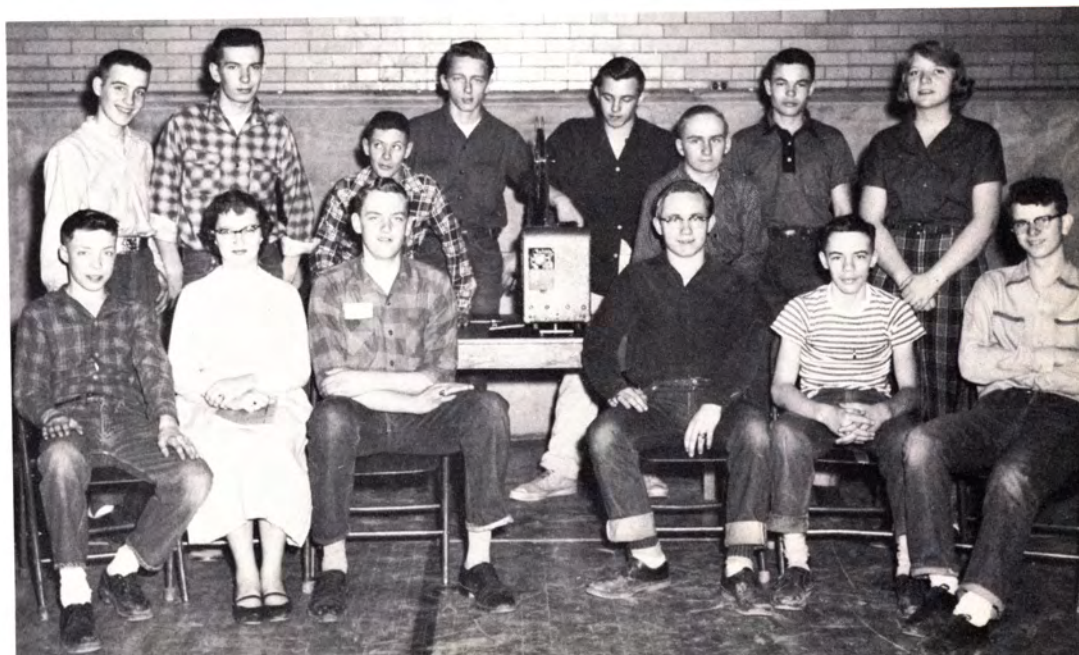
The Pep Club is a newly organized group which this year has had charge of planning and organizing all pep assemblies and producing lots of school spirit before Holt's athletic contests.

Row 1: L. Shaft, K. Olson, M. Zuidema, D. Hayes, N. Fernberg, J. Meissner, V. Dyer. Row 2: L. Kintigh, M. Ammon, J. Stevenson, P. Knight, A. Shaft, S. Coolidge, B. Fox, J. Nixon. Row 3: J. Jones, J. Brice, E. Helmker, M. Ellis, P. Palmer, P. Clever. Row 4: J. Kiersey, G. Christenson, W. Karker, S. Smith, C. Baker, S. Eastman, J. Marsh.

PEP CLUB

MOVIE CLUB

Row 1: R. Chapman, C. Waltman, J. Joyce, B. Hakes, J. Armour, T. Barker. Row 2: J. Wood, D. Kibby, D. Holloway, J. Mitoska, J. Smith, D. Thomas, J. Buck, D. McNaughton.



The Movie Club is a group which helps take care of the audio-visual part of classes. These people have learned to operate all the movie equipment and are a great aid to the teachers.



G. A. A. this year has sponsored a girls' basketball team and a softball team, both having successful seasons. The club also held noon dances each week and had several Play Nights for members.

Row 1: Mrs. McDonald, J. Larner, J. Meissner, B. Balzer, P. Farr, J. VanHorn. Row 2: M. Merriott, J. Ansley, K. Olson, B. Mote, B. Riggs, P. Winters, I. Schlosser. Row 3: M. Herding, S. VanPatten, L. Straight, H. Schnepf, D. Shull, D. Lawry. Row 4: A. Kibby, C. Baker, S. Smith, L. Burcroff, D. McNaughton, D. Newcomb.

G. A. A.

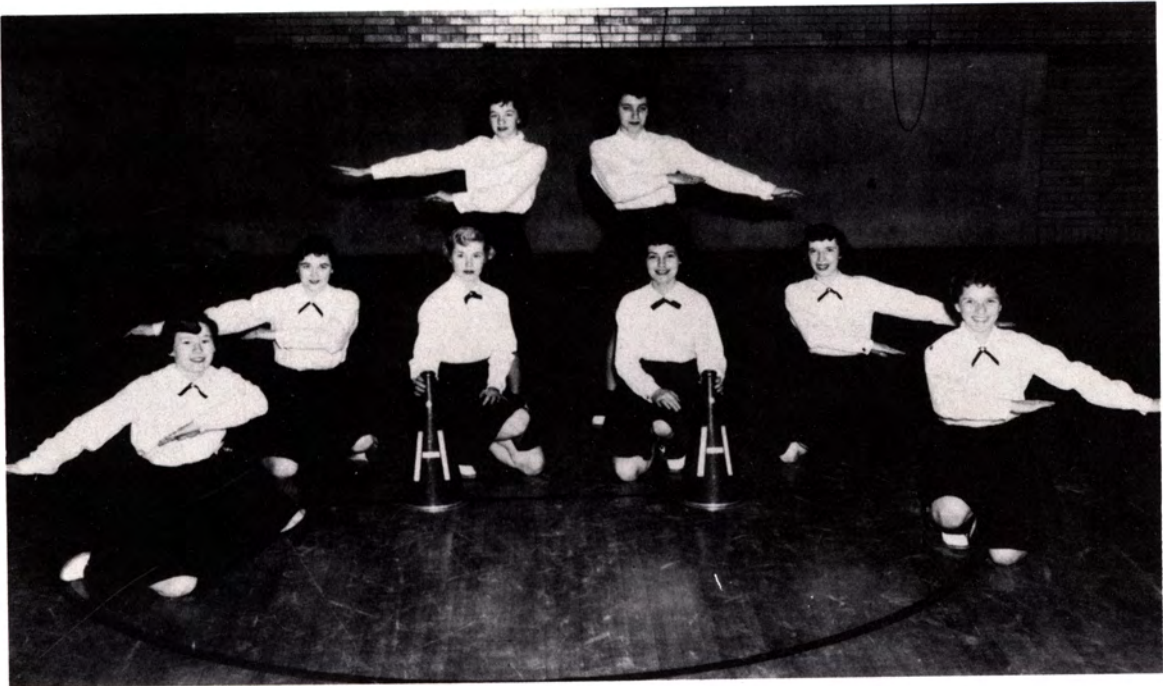
GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Row 1: I. Schlosser, S. Smith, B. Balzer, P. Winters, C. Baker, Miss Ramseyer. Row 2: M. Hudson, K. Olson, W. Overton, L. Burcroff, H. Cain, Mrs. McDonald.

Holt's girls' basketball team, coached by Mrs. McDonald and Miss Ramseyer, won two games while losing only one, and should be congratulated for their fine spirit and sportsmanship.



CHEERLEADERS



Varsity Cheerleaders

J. Brice, J. Meissner, J. Stevens, M. Ammon, V. Dyer, M. Ellis, K. Olson, D. Hayes.



Reserve Cheerleaders:

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BAND

The Holt band was very busy all year heaping honors upon its head. Under the direction of Mr. Winters, the band carried off top honors for the third year in a row in the district and state contests. They were guests at district M.E.A. convention at East Lansing where they entertained the teachers with some fine music. They also performed for the County Institute. It was an honor for them to be the first band in Michigan to appear on WKAR-TV. Last fall, besides doing an excellent job at the Holt football games, they participated in the University of Michigan Band Day. Throughout the year, they have given several concerts for students and parents which have been much enjoyed by all.



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CHORUS

Chorus was only held for one semester, but in this time they worked hard and performed splendidly in the Christmas assembly. It was an enjoyable program and they did a wonderful job.



These tuneful girls have contributed much to school assemblies and talent shows with their close harmonizing. From left to right they are, Margie Freeman, Pat Palmer, Judy Bristol, Patt Walker, Beatrice Bosom.

FIVE RHYTHMS



JUNIOR PLAY



OUR MISS BROOKS

Miss Brooks. Wilma Karker
 Miss Finch. Virginia Parkhurst
 Hugo Longacre. Rich Coolidge
 Mr. Wadsworth. Terry Larner
 Mrs. Allen. Patt Walker
 Ted Jeff Lumianski
 Jane Sandra James
 Elsie Nancy Fernburg
 Elaine Virginia Dyer

Sylvia Kay Olson
 Doris. Lauralee Shaft
 Marge Joan Linebaugh
 Faith Phyllis Razet
 Rhonda Marlene Zuidema
 Stanley Don French
 Martin Bob Welch
 Basketball Players Skip Mifler
 Dick Preston
 Ted Hurja





FOOTBALL

BASKETBALL



AWARDS ASSEMBLY



TRACK

CHEERLEADERS



SENIORS



ANNUAL DEDICATION

The awards assembly was held Friday June 4, those who were outstanding in sports, and scholastically were recognized. The cheerleaders, library club and band also, received awards.

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 Martine Carole Waterworth
 Robert Larry Albert
 Geronte Louis Shepard
 Valere. Jack Armour

Lucas. Carlton Mason
 Jacqueline. Suzanne Botsford
 Lucinde. Janet Potts
 Leandre. Dale Hoffman
 Maids. Gloria Shaver
 Jacquelyn Gate



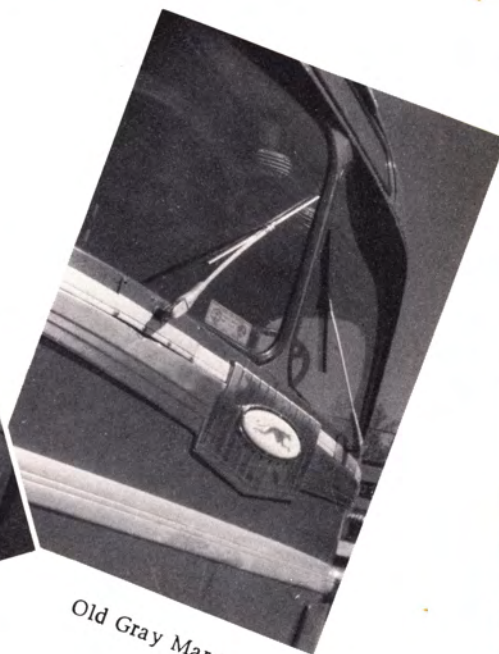
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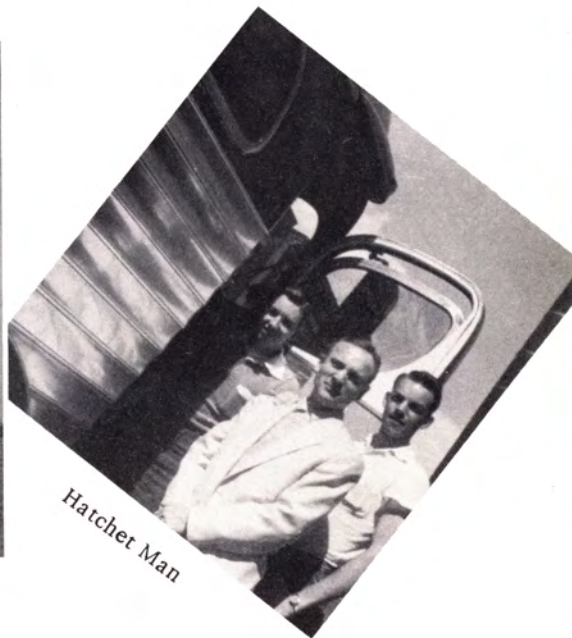
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New York



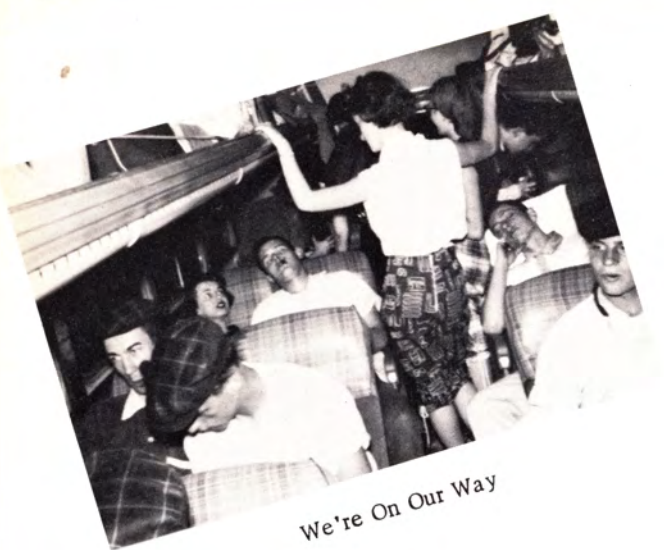
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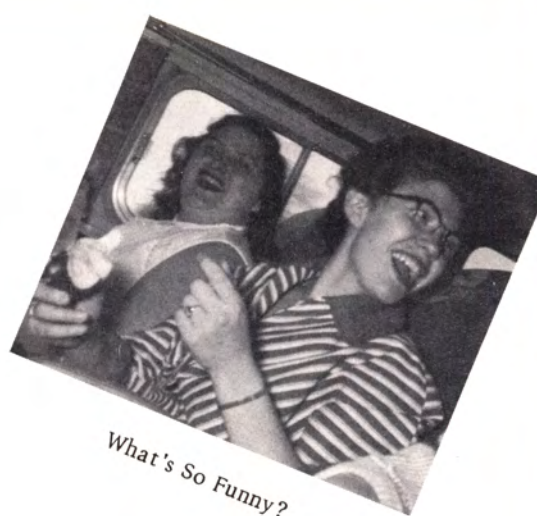
Caught in the Act



Shopping Excursion



We're On Our Way



What's So Funny?



Panty Club, Mike?



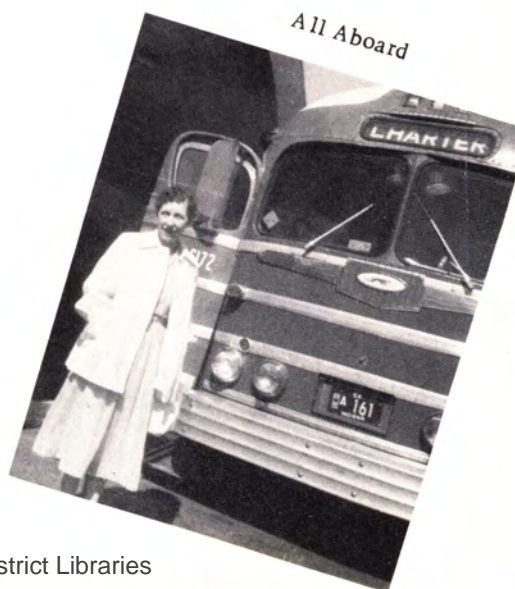
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Who's That?



Sleepy Time Gal

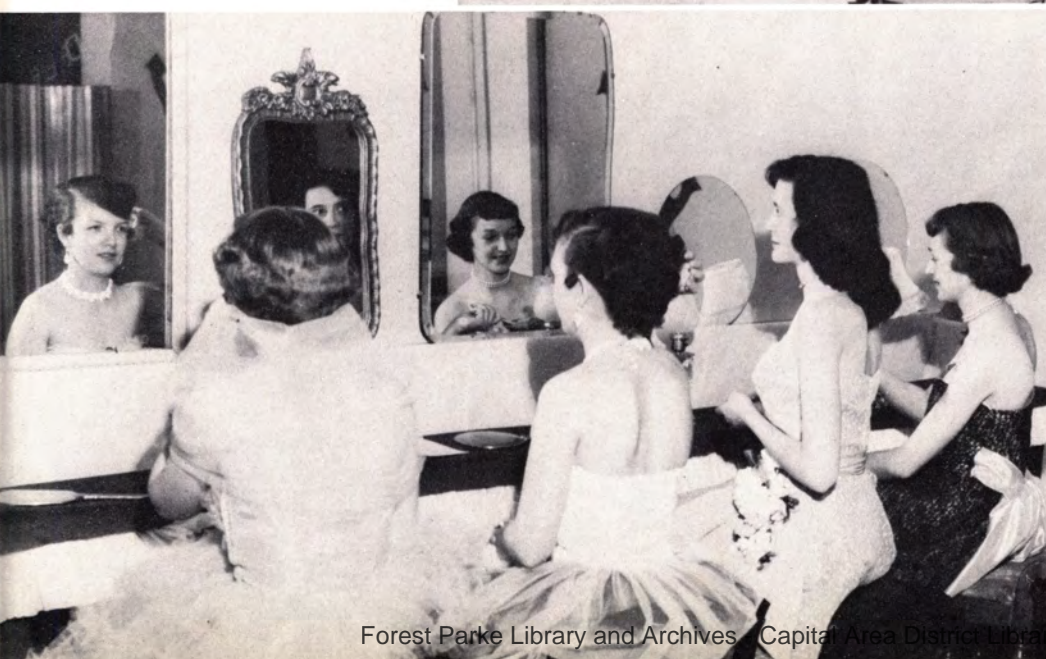


All Aboard



PROM TIME

The 1954 Junior-Senior Prom, "Cruise of Dreams", was one of the best decorated in the history of Holt. Using a boat as the theme, the Junior class made the gym over so that it was very hard to recognize. Larry Henry's orchestra contributed greatly to the success of the evening. All the Seniors were greatly flattered by having their individual names on pennants distributed throughout the gym.



"CRUISE OF DREAMS"



COMMENCEMENT

HOLT HIGH SCHOOL,
JUNE 9, 1954



8:00 o'clock	Athletic Field
Processional	Holt High School Band
Invocation	Rev. C. James Pasma
	Minister, Holt Baptist Church
Prelude and Fugue	Bach
	High School Band
Introduction of Speaker	Rex B. Smith
	Superintendent
Speaker	Dr. Charles E. Irvin
	Assistant Professor of Speech, Michigan State College
Honor Awards	Ronald B. Sage
	Principal
Presentation of Class	Mr. Sage
Presentation of Diplomas	Leo Heath
	Treasurer, Board of Education
Benediction	Rev. William Kelley
	Minister, Holt Nazarene Church
Recessional	High School Band

