

A HISTORIC INVENTORY
OF
HOLT COUNTY MISSOURI

1980

INDEX

Introduction -----	p. 1- 6	Hickory -----	65- 76
Archaeological -----	p. 7- 12	Lewis -----	12, 25-55
Bibliography -----	p.13- 14	Liberty -----	189
Benton -----	77-147	Lincoln -----	181-188
Bigelow -----	156-162	Minton -----	148-155
Clay -----	190-212	Nodaway -----	56- 64
Forbes -----	1- 11	Union -----	163-180
Forest -----	13- 24		

INVENTORY FORMS NUMBER

Aesdale, Frances -----	141	Brunk, Jerald -----	64
Ahrens, J.D. -----	187	Bullock, Dr. Frank E. -----	13
Alkire, H. T. -----	43	Bunt, John -----	167
Allen, F.K. Building -----	172	Burge Recreation Parlor -----	93
Allen, F.K. House -----	173	Burnsides, James & Elizabeth -	134
Anderson, George -----	30	Burrier Building -----	36
Asher, Mrs. -----	46	Cain, Frank -----	66
Baird, James -----	28	Carroll, Jesse Stagecoach Inn-	62
Baker, Mrs. -----	10	Carter Stone Opera House -----	90
Ball, Mrs. Alpha -----	150	Catron, G.W. -----	151
Band Stand -----	122	Catron, William -----	151
Bank of Corning -----	185	Chautauqua Park -----	138
Bank of Mound City -----	89	Christian, John -----	202
Banks House -----	2	Christen, Peter -----	186
Banks, William -----	12	Christen, Wesley -----	185
Barbour, Daniel -----	50	Christensen, E.C. -----	64
Benne Law Office -----	97	Chuning House -----	162
Bennett House -----	120	Cleaning Shop -----	100
Bigelow Consolidated School ---	160	City Hall/Mound City -----	121
Big Lake State Park -----	158	Cobb, Robert -----	29
Bohart & Fields Building -----	209	Coin, Earlena -----	168
Bonner, Bill -----	190	Coin Salvage -----	110
Bonnors Grocery -----	208	Coop Fert-Elevator -----	112
Botkin, J.L. -----	65	Costello Farm -----	62
Botkin, Oliver -----	65	Cotten, George -----	22
Boyd, Bill -----	162	Cotton, C.F. Jr. -----	56
Brandon, William -----	157	Cotton, C.W. Jr. -----	47
Broadview Hereford Farm -----	159	Cowan, Arthur -----	197
Browns Apartments -----	126	Cowan, John -----	72
Brown, Curtis -----	30	Cox, Dr. John -----	152
Brown's Tourist Court -----	76	Craig Presbyterian Church ----	175
Brundage, Katherine -----	50	Crawford, W.H. -----	140

INDEX CONT.

Crider House -----	195	Graves & Collison Bldg. -----	208
Crider, John -----	74	Graham, V.L. -----	68
Crouse, H.E. & Leona -----	131	Gray Bldg. -----	96
Crouse Motors -----	116	Griffith Apt. Office complex -----	101
Dahlman, Reuben -----	45	Griffith Bldg. -----	88
Dankers, H.A. -----	183	Griffith Flowers, Gifts -----	88
David, Charles -----	167	Griffith T.V. -----	84
David, Coleman -----	167	Groves Bldg. -----	80
Davidson, Sam -----	49	Guilliams, C.M. -----	176
Davis, Eldon & Wilma -----	125	Guilliams Mill -----	166
Davis, J.M. Dr. -----	169	Guthrie, Jim -----	113
Debord, Daisy -----	73	Guyer, Lester -----	11
Derr, Elwood -----	23	Haer, Emmett -----	181
Derr, Linn -----	59-60	Haer, Melvin -----	181
Dicks Rexall Drugs -----	81	Hahn, Catherine -----	51
Dobyns, D.P. -----	48	Hall, John B. -----	146
Dodson, Mrs. Mae -----	151	Hall Lumber Co. -----	205
Doebbling, Ed -----	180	Hall, Margaret -----	46
Dry, Robert -----	182	Harmon Drug -----	84
Duncan, Ruth -----	142	Harman, Jacob -----	52
Dungan, H.M. -----	46	Hayzlett, Carl -----	14
Dunn, Carl -----	200	Headley Barn -----	6
Dwyre, Catherine -----	211	Headley, E.W. -----	45
Egger, G.A. -----	57	Heck Fertilizer Co. -----	114
Egger, Lloyd -----	57	Hiatt House Hotel -----	107
Elder, Doyle -----	44	Hinde, William -----	41
Elliott, C.T. -----	194	Hinkle, John D. -----	32
Elton, Dellie E. Jr. -----	137	Hinkle, W.J. -----	156
Exchange Bank Building -----	98	Historic Tree -----	20
Farmers Mutual Fire & Lts. Co. -	89	Hoblitzell Lumber Co -----	205
Farmers Oil Co. -----	109	Dr. Hogans Office -----	86
Fawks, Nina -----	22	Holt County Bank -----	97
Fayman House -----	126	Holt County Courthouse -----	35
Ferguson, Merrill -----	51	Holt County Historical Soceity ---	154
Feuerbacher, John -----	59&61	Holt County Historical Soceity ---	155
Fields Dept. Store -----	85	Holt County Historical Museum ----	154
First Christian Church -----	117	Holt County Jail -----	42
First School/Mound City -----	120	Holt County Poor Farm -----	25
Fitzmaurice, Patrick -----	23	Hopkins, J.B. -----	174
Fleener, Kelson -----	120	Hornecker Farm Farmyard -----	63
Flint Cabinet Shop -----	171	Hornecker, John -----	58
Flint, Harry -----	171	Hornecker, Osmer -----	58
Forest City Brewery -----	14	Houston House -----	132
Forest City, City Hall -----	15	Hovy, Vine -----	16
Fortescue Consolidated School --	154	Hughes, Darelyn -----	16
Franscher, Boone -----	3	Huiatt, Dan -----	123
France, Charles -----	18	Huiatt, James -----	4
Frye, Robert -----	45	Dr. Humphrey's Office Bldg. -----	83
Gillis Farm -----	77	Hunzinger, Henry -----	7
Gladstone Hotel Bldg. -----	82	Huts Orchard -----	144
Glenn House -----	126	Idekec, A.C.F. -----	179
Golden, Bill -----	186	Iden, John -----	157
Gomel, Bertha -----	177-178	Idlewild School -----	149

INDEX CONT.

Jackson Point -----	113
Johns Apartment -----	106
Johns, Dewey Bld. -----	92
Johnson, David -----	192
Johnson Funeral Home -----	204
Jones, Guy -----	159
June Market -----	34
Kollmor, Albert -----	19
Kearney, Dr. E.L. -----	47
Kelly House -----	191
Kelso, Joshua -----	168
Kent Mill -----	166
Kinglewood Farms -----	212
Kneale, C.R. -----	72&73
Knepper, Mrs. Paul -----	153
Kreek, T.I. -----	26
Kreek, Richard -----	26
Kunkel, Alf -----	71
Kunkle, Daniel -----	53
Kurtz, Gary -----	61
Kurtz, James -----	58
Kurtz, Verne -----	60
Kurtz, Wayne -----	63
Larkam Farm -----	212
Lehmer, Solomon -----	44
Lentz, General Store -----	69
Lentz, George -----	68
Lentz, Richard -----	67&68
Lewis/Clark Tree -----	20
Locust Grove Stock & Grain Farm --	5
Loess Mounds -----	145
Louden, Mr. & Mrs. Everett -----	139
Luckhardt, George -----	29
Main Street Bridge -----	108
Maitland Cafe -----	209
Maitland Depot Museum -----	210
Maitland Nutrient Site -----	209
Maitland Phone Bldg. -----	207
Maitland Presbyterian Church -----	203
Maitland School Board -----	191
Marion, John -----	199
Martin, Daniel -----	32
McCormack Bldg. -----	99
McCormack, Carson -----	145
McCormack, S.C. -----	128
McCoy, Thomas -----	140
McIntyre, Mrs. Gene -----	157
McIntire Lumber Co. -----	102
McRae Hospital -----	126
McRoberts House -----	134
Meade, J.F. -----	2
Messengale House -----	198

Meyer, Alvin -----	40
Meyer, Andrew -----	146
Meyer, George -----	9&75
Meyer, John -----	64
Meyerdale Farm -----	9
Miller Drug Store -----	81
Milne, Frank -----	8
Minderman, Robert -----	187
Minton House -----	148
Minton, Dr. Lafe -----	152
Minton, William -----	153
Monkey Mountain Wildlife Area --	1
Montgomery, Robert -----	46
Montgomery & Roecker Banking Co-	33
Moormans Bldg. -----	79
Morgan, F.S. -----	
Morris Barn -----	75
Morris, Oakley -----	47
Mound City Bottling Works -----	114
Mound City Davis Creek State Street Bridge -----	108
Mound City Depot Museum -----	111
Mound City Dev. Inc. -----	126
Mound City Flour Mill -----	112
Mound City Methodist Episopal Church -----	130
Mound City Power & Light -----	115
Mound City Presbyterian Church --	124
Nauman, Joseph -----	163
Nell's Tavern -----	95
New Liberty Baptist Church -----	189
New Point Consolidated School --	70
New Point Mutual Tele. Co. -----	67
New Point School -----	69
Noble House -----	4
Noland, H.G. -----	51
Noland, Twilla -----	169
Old City Hall -----	106
Old Fortescue High School -----	155
Old Punshon Bldg. -----	100
Oren, J.A. -----	66
Owens, Kenneth -----	159
Oyerly, Mrs. Rosa -----	119
Parsons, Jerry -----	31
Parsons, Mildred & Gertrude -----	37
Passenger Freight Depot, CB&Q --	111
Patterson, George -----	55
Patterson, Robert -----	5&58
Payne, James W. -----	31
Penny, Elias -----	148
Peoples Bank -----	185
Perry, Dr. D.C. -----	97

INDEX CONT.

Pessly Dry Goods -----	85	Shape's Grove Baptist Church -----	188
Pettijohn & Crawford Bldg. -----	87	Sharps Grove United Methodist	
Pettijohn & Crawford Funeral		Church -----	188
Storage -----	105	Sharp, W.A. Sr. -----	174
Pettijohn, Irsi -----	140	Shellenberger House -----	129
Petree King & Proud Bldg. -----	34	Shellenberger Bldg. -----	79
Philbrick, John -----	38	Shipman, Edythe & Helen -----	127
Pilkington, Verne -----	43	Shunkwiler Outhouse -----	104
Pinkston House -----	206	Shunkwiler, Mrs. Ruby -----	103
Pinkston Lumber Co. -----	205	Sipes, Marcel -----	49
Pioneer Farm -----	163	Skinner, Roberta -----	161
Planalp, Sam -----	71	Smith Farm -----	74
Pleasant Hill Nursing Home -----	25	Smith, Mrs. H.W. -----	73
Porter, William T. -----	78	Smith, Jim -----	196
Post Office, Fortesque -----	36	Smith, Mrs. Sam -----	59
Power Plant & Ice Plant -----	115	Solon, Harry -----	133
Presbyterian Church & Academy -----	124	Speer, John Smokehouse -----	52
Price, Ashby -----	74	Sportsman's Lodge -----	160
Public Library -----	121	Squaw Creek Inn -----	144
Pullen, Edgar -----	48	Squaw Creek Wildlife Refuge -----	147
Racket Store -----	79	State Hwy. Patrol -----	121
Radley, Junior -----	54	State Theatre -----	91
Ramsey, Fred -----	38	Stephenson, John -----	8
Ramsay, J.W. Barn -----	6	St. Joe Light & Power Office -----	36
Ranklin, Wm. -----	75	St. John's Luthern Church -----	184
Ratliff Farm Barn -----	75	Stine, John -----	39
Rauch House -----	193	Stokes, John W. Office, -----	178
Reed, Wilma -----	148	Stone, Georgia -----	160
Richards, William -----		Stone, William Banks -----	12
Richardson, Bernice -----	183	Stoner, Jeanne -----	176
Richardson, Mrs. Herbert -----	129	Strickler, Edith Lower -----	136
Robbins, D.K. -----	118	Strobel House -----	134
Roberts, Gordon -----	206	Stuckey, Sam -----	57
Robinson's Repair Shop -----	94	Summers, Max -----	195
Rockwell, George -----	109	Swearingen Smokehouse -----	52
Roecker, Albert -----	28	Swope House -----	148
Rogers Pharmacy -----	85	T & D Bldg. -----	115
Roselius, Henry -----	182	Teare, Howard -----	177
Rostock, Phillip -----	54	Twyman, Roy -----	173
Russel, R.H. -----	40	Thomas House -----	128
Salfrank, Carl -----	163	Tiffany Nursing Home -----	143
Schaffer, Sam -----	17	Dr. Tracy Horse Barn -----	105
Schooler, Wilbur -----	170	Trading Post -----	80
Shultz, Byron -----	187	Treasure Chest -----	86
Scout Hut -----	122	Tritt, George -----	66
Scroggins, Kenneth -----	11	True, Hiram -----	165
Sears Bldg. -----	96	Turney, John -----	21
Shady Lady Hotel -----	47	Turney, John -----	19
Sharp Ford Parking Lot -----	90	Upperman, Gusta -----	37

INDEX CONT.

United Methodist Church Mound City --	130
U.S. Post Office Fortesques -----	152
U.S. Post Office Mound City,-----	107
Van Burkirk, King & Proud Bldg. -----	34
Vance Investment Broker Bldg. -----	101
Vonderschmidt, Lester -----	132
Wakely House -----	199
Walker, Frank -----	161
Walker, Dr. J.G. -----	11
Ward, T.A. Jr. -----	179
Ward, T.B. -----	179
Watson, Gail -----	53
Watson, James -----	52
Watson, Velma -----	132
Wear's Sundries -----	185

Webber, Ed -----	152
Wehrli Grocery -----	92
Weiss, Barry -----	201
Whetsell, Don -----	172
Whitnah, Harry -----	10
Whobrey, Jesse -----	132
Wickiser Theatre -----	171
Williams, Edward -----	41
Wilson, John R. -----	135
Wood Abandoned House -----	24
Wood, Allen C. -----	
Zona House -----	3
Zook, C.D. -----	39
Zook, William -----	18
Zook & Roecker State Bank -----	333

INTRODUCTION

The historic inventory of Holt County was conducted during the summer and fall of 1979, and January of 1980. In attempting to locate the various sites, buildings and objects, local resources persons were contacted in each Township. The Mound City Museum Society served as the local resource agent and nominated the majority of the architectural sites in Mound City. Mrs. Ellouise Robinson of Mound City, Missouri was of valuable assistance in surveying the area and is the local contact person for the society. Eileen Derr provided the same type of assistance in the rest of the county and is well acquainted with the area.

Miss Nancy Sandehn worked as an assistant in surveying the area. She made the primary contacts with the resource persons in each township and the initial survey was carried out under her guidance. Another source of obtaining site and architectural locations in the county was by using the windshield technique. This was extremely useful in discovering agricultural architecture since a majority of these structures were missed in the first survey of the area.

The final forms were completed by Thomas W. Carneal, Assistant Professor of History at Northwest Missouri State University. John Huffman of Architects and Planners Collaborative, Kansas City, Missouri, served as the architectural resource person and Robert Bray of the State Archaeological Survey office as the archaeological resource person. Dr. William Fleming of Northwest Missouri State University served as historical research advisor on the project.

After completing the initial survey, one must conclude that some sites were missed and therefore the survey must remain open for further additions as more research is carried out. Some of the nominated sites stand on their architectural merit but need further research on their historical significance.

The survey indicated there is a wealth of Queen Anne and Gothic architectural styles in the area. There are several areas which possess the possibility of being developed as historical districts, especially Forest City, Corning and Craig. In Mound City there would be the option of developing a multiple resource district in both the State Street area from Seventh to Fifth and the South State Street area. There is a voluminous amount of sites and materials which portray the agricultural nature of the county.

In attempting to evaluate the significance of the inventory in each Township the resource and advisory group looked at each nomination. The historical sites are separated from the archaeological sites and have separate code and numbering systems and can be checked against the map included with the survey.

The inventory definitely indicates several sites that are worthy of nomination to the National Register. In addition to the options mentioned above the primary project for the next year should be the nomination of:

1. The Alpha Ball House near Fortesque.
2. The Lewis and Clark Historic Tree near Forest City.
3. The Roselius House south of Corning.
4. The Old School at Fortesque.

Holt County

Situated in the northwestern corner of the State of Missouri, Holt County is part of an area known as the Platt Purchase of 1836. As such, therefore, it was not part of the original state when Missouri came into the Union in 1820. Named for Dr. David Rice Holt, a member of the Missouri legislature from Platte County who died in 1840, a year before the organization of the county, the county contains some 462 square miles with 295,680 acres of which some 225,000 acres are in cultivation. This large percentage of land cultivated attests to the richness of the soils of the area. Three types of land prevail, alluvial river bottom, glacial till, and loess silt, especially on the bluffs along the Missouri River. Although the land was originally about sixty-five percent covered with timber, intensive farming has reduced the forested area to less than ten percent. For the most part, farming has been the mainstay of the economy of the county although around 1900 flour mills were found in Forest City, Craig, Maitland, and Mound City, the latter also having a cigar factory. Despite the growth of sufficient wheat to make the milling of flour an important industry, corn began to be the most important crop after 1900, joined by soy beans by the 1960's. Hay, fruits, and small quantities of other grains have contributed to the wealth of the county, insuring the continued agricultural basis of the economy.

Although one thinks of Holt County as having an agrarian economy, there has been some small degree of urban development

as a result of the need for goods and services by the farm community. Oregon, the county seat, along with Mound City, Corning, Craig, Bigelow, Forest City, Fortescue, and Maitland are the principle towns. Although Oregon was chosen as the county seat, Mound City has been the largest town since 1890, and at present is the only town in the county with a population of over one thousand [1,002 in 1970]. The greatest growth of Mound City was in the period around 1900 when the population reached some 1,681. There has been a decline generally since that peak year. It has witnessed the tendency of most of the small towns in rural America of slowly declining population as rapid transportation has eliminated the need for multiple centers to supply goods and services.

Founded in 1845 as a stop on the St. Joseph to Council Bluffs stage coach line, Mound City soon had a United States post office and a mercantile business. First known as Jackson Point, the name was changed to North Point, but was changed to Mound City in 1857 when the town was incorporated. Growth of the settlement began after that year, and by 1880 some 678 persons were enumerated in the United States Census. By 1890 the population had reached 1,193.

As the town grew both in population and wealth, the cultural and social life of the town also began to become similar to rural life elsewhere in America. Such social institutions as the Masons and Independent Order of Odd Fellows organizations provided a meeting place for the exchange of ideas for the male citizenry. The coming of the railroad in 1880, saw further developments including the opening of an opera house which featured UNCLE TOM'S CABIN

as its first presentation. The next year saw a town-wide event with the organization of the first Harvest Home Fall Festival.

While the town was becoming socially organized, it was also keeping pace in an economic sense with the opening of many stores and businesses of other kinds including a flour mill, a newspaper, and a bank. A waterworks brought fresh water into residences by 1891, and electricity coursed through wires to light the town in 1895.

With progress seemingly not to be stopped, tragedy struck in 1896 when Davis Creek flooded the town, washing away sidewalks and doing much damage to many of the businesses and residences. A fire in the same year which destroyed the Mound City mill caused further economic distress. Despite these setbacks the town continued to prosper, and by 1900 the population had reached 1,681. Telephone service made the conducting of business and social life easier during this decade as did the beginning of rural free delivery. By the second decade a modern sewer system and the paving of streets with brick further enhanced the esthetic look of the town. Despite this progress, however, the population began to decline, and the census of 1910 showed the loss of some one hundred residents since the earlier enumeration.

Other towns in Holt County witnessed expansion similar to Mound City although less extensive. Oregon, not only was the county seat but by 1900 also had a canning factory which canned tomatoes, apples, and pumpkins; a cigar factory, flour mill, sorghum mill, and a broom factory. The town also had electric lights, a waterworks, a town park, and featured an annual chrysanthemum show.

The citizenry also had the advantage of a newspaper, the Sentinel. By 1900, the population of Oregon had reached slightly over 1000 according to the census of that year, but, like other towns, began to show a decline in subsequent enumerations, and by 1970 contained only 789 persons. Meanwhile with the coming of the railroad through Holt County, other villages were organized including Maitland, Craig, and Forest City, each of which attained a population of five hundred or more by 1900. They too have suffered the decline so common in rural America, with each having less than half of its 1900 population by 1970.

Holt County with its excellent soils, however, has continued to enjoy an agricultural prosperity along with other agricultural areas. Although the number of farms has been decreased from the 2,256 listed in 1900, the total production from fewer and larger farms has greatly increased. The average farm at the beginning of the twentieth century contained about 175 acres valued at \$30.00 to \$125.00 an acre. The same land now brings from \$1000.00 to \$3000.00 an acre. The population which in 1920 was 14,084 by 1970 had decreased to some 6,654.

Despite the waning population during the decades of the twentieth century, Holt County perhaps will relive the expansion brought about by the coming of the railroad in the nineteenth century since it occupies a vantage point along the newly opened four-lane highway from Kansas City, Missouri, to Omaha, Nebraska (Route 29). In summary, the history of Holt County is tied to two major factors, transportation and its rich farmlands. The farmlands are still productive, and the "iron horse" has been replaced by the "gas buggy."

ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES IN
HOLT COUNTY, MISSOURI
(site locations for official use only)

The following Inventory is of all the archaeological sites recorded with the Archaeological Survey of Missouri for the county of Holt as of July 17, 1978.

The great majority of these site locations were submitted by amateur archaeologists, mostly members of the Missouri Archaeological Society. Dates of submissions range from 1948-1977. Most are dated prior to 1960. Thus, it is probable that some sites have suffered further damage from cultivation, erosion, and random digging. A few sites were located in the rights-of-way of road projects and are now destroyed. Others are known to be presently covered by houses. It is estimated that 5% of sites on the inventory are now destroyed or inaccessible, and that 30-40% have been, at least somewhat, damaged since their reporting.

The site reports studied are, with few exceptions, quite general in nature. Often, no information at all was given for the kinds of evidences found.

In many instances, site reports include superficial descriptions of the objects found, but nothing from which cultural identifications can be derived. That is, all material discussed is non-diagnostic and could be related to any one of the various prehistoric periods recognized as present in the Northwest Prairie Region of Missouri. The fact is closely related to the manner of collecting and to the collector's objectives. Normally, an amateur archaeologist will not return repeatedly to a site if it fails to reward him with artifacts which are either very numerous

or relatively complete or both. Thus, the Archaeological Survey of Missouri files contain many reports which are based on one visit to the site. If such a site happened to be grass-covered at the time of the visit, then relatively little would have been found and a reliable judgment of size, kind, and complexity could not have been made. In no case was the site information recorded in sufficient detail to allow a determination of National Register significance. This was true regardless of the apparent notoriety, to collectors, of a few sites. These observations point up the general inadequacy of site records pertaining to the county underconsideration. The great majority have been prepared by untrained persons who have worked without professional direction.

Practically all site records, to be of maximum value, should be revised on the basis of updated surveys designed to reveal size and function of the site; cultural affiliation; degree of integrity (preservation); and other attributes relevant to a determination of National Register significance. This sort of effort would also result in a set of minimal requirements for planning areal and Regional research designs for archaeology.

There are no historic Indian tribal sites, and no historical American sites listed for subject county. The former are known to be present in the general area of the study, but no specific locations are recorded with the Survey. Historical American sites are, of course, very numerous, as they are in most places, but it has been only very recently that the Archaeological Survey of Missouri has been accepting such sites into its files. Very few submissions have been received from anywhere in the state, either in the past or the present.

It is well-known by those familiar with the situation that even the prehistoric sites listed in the Survey files represent only a fraction of those sites actually present in the various counties. Some counties have been more completely surveyed than others; but all counties are far from complete in their site inventories. This could be remedied only by long, painstaking survey work designed specifically to discover all the known kinds of sites, not just those which may exhibit some objects which are readily recognized by collectors.

An Archaeological Resources Preservation Plan, developed in the 1960's by Chapman and others, included projections of "probable totals [of sites] by counties" (Chapman nd: 2-3). Totals listed for Holt county considered here are compared with the totals actually on record to date:

	On Record (7-18-78)	Projected
Holt	4	300

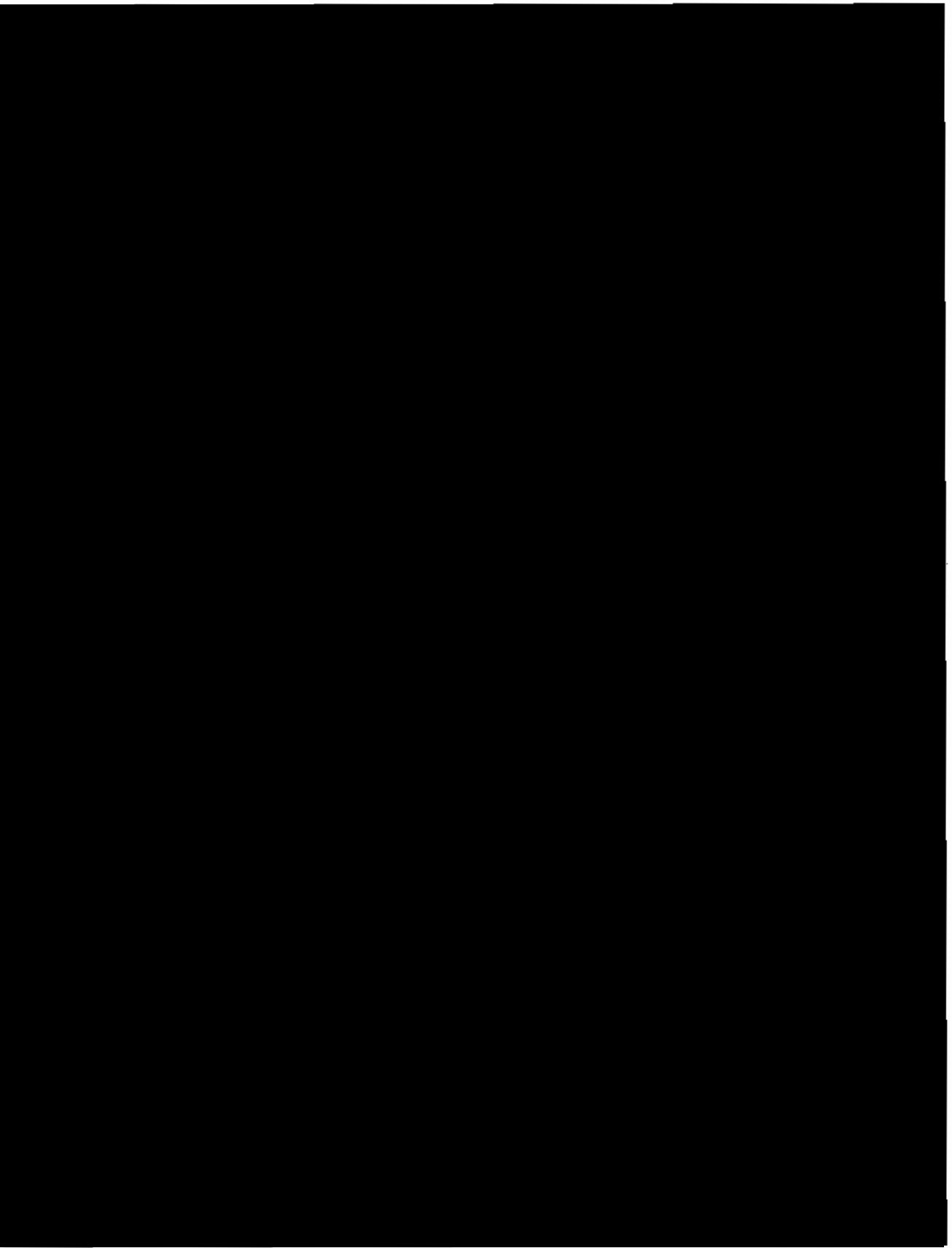
It should be pointed out that a few sites are officially known that are not yet entered in the Survey records. Some are known by collectors and by few others because their locations are not publicized. Both categories are included in the projected totals. Thus, it can be readily seen that survey work has only just begun in this county.

[REDACTED]

This information is for OFFICIAL USE ONLY. Not to be released
to the public.

nt

This information is for OFFICIAL USE ONLY. Not to be released
to the public.



This information is for OFFICIAL USE ONLY. Not to be released to the public.

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Atlas of Atchison & Holt County, Missouri. Fremont, NE: Midwest Atals Co., 1968.

Blue-Grass Mecca: The Story of Maitland and Clay Township, Missouri. 1880-1955. St. Joseph, MO: Journal Publishing Co., 1955.

Boswell, Joseph S. "Holt County, Missouri". Unpublished term paper. Northwest Missouri Missouri State University, 1964.

Bray, Robert., A Cultural Resources Survey of the Areas included in parts of Sewerage System Improvements City of Oregon, Holt County, Missouri (Typescript, City of Oregon).

Centennial-Craig, Missouri: 1869-1969. St. Joseph, MO: Sims Printing Co., 1969.

Chapman, Carl H., The Archaeological Resources of Missouri: Recommendations for Preservation and Development of Outdoor Recreation.

The Harbinger. Vol. II, No. 2, 1971. pp. 24-31.

History of Holt and Atchison Counties. St. Joseph, MO: National Historical Co., 1882.

History of Holt County, MO. St. Joseph, MO: Midland Printing Co., 1917.

Illustrated Historical Atlas Map of Holt County, MO. Philadelphia, PA: Brink, McDonough & Co., 1877.

Mound City, Heart of Holt County. Centennial Committee Pub., 1957.

Our First One-Hundred Years, 1864-1964. United Methodist Church, 1964.

One-Hundredth Anniversary Church Bulletin. Mound City Presbyterian Church.

Plat Book of Holt County, MO. Hixcon, 1925.

Population and Percentage change of Incorporated Places, 1950-1970. Columbia, MO: compiled by Campbell, Rex.

Standard Atlas of Holt County, MO. Chicago, IL: Ogle & Co., 1898.

Standard Atlas of Holt County, MO. Chicago, IL: Ogle & Co., 1918.

Stubbs, Francis L. A Preliminary Report on the Mill Creek Area of Andrew County, Missouri. The Missouri Archaeologist, Vol. 12, No. 1.

Total Population for Missouri by County, 1920-1970. Columbia, MO: Compiled by Vaughn, C. Edwin.

Williams, Walter, The State of Missouri: An Autobiography. Columbia, MO: E.W. Stephens, Press, 1904.

PERSONAL INTERVIEWS.

Allen, Irvan
Botkin, Jerry
Brown, Clyde
Catron, Irene
Coin, Mrs. Earleana
Costello, Irene
Cotton, Mrs. G.F., Jr.
Ferguson, Merrill
Fountain, Carolyn
Davis, Jack
Derr, Eileen
Dry, Robert
Dukes, Harry
Gray, Harold
Griffith, Mrs. E.K.
Guyer, Helen
Headley, Reed
Hibbard, Mr. & Mrs. Eldon
Hill, Cara G.
Hornecker, Mary Alice
Huiatt, D.N.
Lehmer, Lawrence

Lentz, Mr. & Mrs. J.C.
Lentz, Mrs. Richard
McWilliams, Howard
Morris, Mrs. Phillip
Oyerly, Mrs. Rosa
Parsons, Gertrude
Porter, William T.
Reed, Wilma
Richard, E.E., Jr.
Richardson, Nita
Robinson, Ellouise
Roberts, Gordon
Schooler, Wilbur
Shultz, Glen
Skinner, Mrs. Roberta
Smith, Mrs. Sam
Sweany, Iris
Teare, T.V.
Watson, Velma
Wolters, Al
Yocum, Junior.