

**Guide to the Angeline Holte Collection
(1952-1994)**

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Angeline Holte Collection 1952-1994 (bulk 1968)

Creator: Angeline Holte

Extent: .8 linear feet (2 document boxes)

Repository: Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum
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Abstract: The Angeline Holte Collection documents her work with the Women's Division of the United Citizen for Nixon-Agnew during the 1968 Presidential Campaign. Collection includes correspondence files (Aug.-Nov. 1968), correspondence with Richard Nixon (1952-1994), directories, publications, newspaper clippings, and ephemera, such as postcards, stationery, and campaign literature. Other ephemera, such as bumper stickers, phonograph records, photographs, campaign buttons, clappers, jewelry, pencils, and a ribbon moved to the Bumper Sticker – Poster Collection, Audio-Visual Collection, Photographs Collection, and Curatorial Department, respectively.

Administrative Information

Access: Open

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Biography

Angeline Apalategui Holte was born on December 4, 1915, in Yorba Linda, California. She attended the Yorba Linda Grammar School at the same time as Richard Nixon. Mrs. Holte attended Los Angeles City College. After marrying Junius A. Holte she raised three children, Caroline, June, and John. Mr. Holte's career as an aeronautical engineer took the family from California to New York, from Texas and back to California again, before he joined the Foreign Service in 1954. The Holte's served in Turkey, Taiwan, and Washington, D.C. Mr. Holte retired in January of 1968, and he and Mrs. Holte joined Mr. Nixon's 1968 campaign in August, becoming volunteer members of the United Citizens for Nixon-Agnew at its Washington, D.C. headquarters based out of the Willard Hotel. Mrs. Holte was a member of the Women's Division, working in the division of "Celebrities and Athletes," while Mr. Holte served as Staff Assistant/Labor.

Mrs. Holte's first assignment was to read Richard Nixon's statement on his position for the Equal Rights Amendment for women to the National Women's Party of the 8th Congressional District of Virginia. Her major achievement for the organization was a phone call campaign, speaking to the Chairman or Spokesman of United Citizens for Nixon-Agnew in approximately 21 states, as well as coordinating several women speakers in Washington, D.C.

Junius A. Holte was born on March 22, 1905, in Crookston, Minnesota. Mr. Holte attended St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minnesota, from 1923-1925, the Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in 1925, and the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks, North Dakota, from 1926-1928, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree. He continued his education at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Michigan, from 1928 to 1930 receiving his Bachelor of Science degree in Aeronautical Engineering. Mr. Holte was Head Mathematician and Loftsmen for Douglas Aircraft Corp. in Santa Monica, California, from 1939 to 1942, Chief Tool Engineer for American Aviation Corp. in Jamestown, New York from 1942 to 1943, and Chief Tool Engineer and Assistant Chief Design Engineer for Globe Aircraft Corp., in Fort Worth, Texas, from 1943 to 1945, before becoming President of The Holte Engineering Corp. in Fort Worth, Texas in 1945. From 1953 to 1954, Mr. Holte was Chief Tool Engineer of Marquardt Aircraft Company in Van Nuys, California. Mr. Holte then joined the Foreign Service where he completed several terms in Turkey (1954-1958, 1964-1967), one in Taiwan (1958-1962), and two again in Washington, D.C. (1962-1964, 1966-1968).

Biographies composed from Angeline Holte Collection materials.

Scope and Content Summary:

The Angeline Holte Collection documents her work with the United Citizen for Nixon-Agnew during the 1968 Presidential Campaign. The collection includes of Mrs. Holte's correspondence during the 1968 campaign and her correspondence with Richard Nixon from 1952-1974. The collection also includes directories, publications, newspaper clippings, and related materials, such as postcards, stationery, and campaign literature from the Nixon-Agnew Presidential campaign. Other materials, such as two 33 1/3 rpm records and photographs, were transferred to the Audio-Visual Collection. Additional items were transferred to Curatorial Department, while bumper stickers were transferred to the Bumper Sticker - Poster Collection.

Related Collections:

Campaign 1968

Container List

Angeline Holte Collection	Box:Folder
Bumper Stickers (1968-1969)	1:1
Calls to States (Sept.-Nov. 1968)	1:2
Choice for America (Jul. 1968)	1:3
Correspondence (Aug.-Sept. 1968)	1:4
Correspondence (Oct. 1968)	1:5-6
Correspondence (Nov. 1968)	1:7
Correspondence with Richard Nixon (1952-1969)	1:8
Correspondence with Richard Nixon (1970-1974)	1:9
Directories (1968)	2:10-11
Ephemera (circa 1968)	2:12
Miscellaneous (Undated materials)	2:13
Newspaper clippings (1968-1990)	2:14
Nixon Yearbook (1968)	2:15
Phonograph Records (circa 1968)	2:16
Photographs (circa 1956)	2:17
Postcards (1968)	2:18
Publications (1968)	2:19-20
Stationery (circa 1968)	2:21

Separations List

Item	Description (Amount)	Department
Campaign buttons	“Another Democrat for Nixon” (1)	Curatorial
	“Join the Great Breakaway” (2)	Curatorial
	“Nixon Agnew” (2)	Curatorial
	“Nixon Agnew” (5)	Curatorial
	“Nixon’s for Vets” (1)	Curatorial
	“Nixon’s the One” (1)	Curatorial
	“United Citizens for Nixon Agnew” (1)	Curatorial
	“Women for Nixon” (1)	Curatorial
	“Women for Nixon Agnew” (1)	Curatorial
	Campaign clappers	“Veterans for Nixon” (3)
Match covers	“In the Nation’s Capitol...The Willard” (1)	Curatorial
	“Nixon [elephant] Agnew” (1)	Curatorial
	“Sheraton Hotels & Motor Inns” (1)	Curatorial
	“The Union Pacific No. 119 was built by Rogers Locomotive Works, late a part of the American Locomotive Co., now Alco Products, Inc. (2)	Curatorial
	“N” (4)	Curatorial
Jewelry (pins)	“N/A” (1)	Curatorial
	“Nixon-Agnew” (2)	Curatorial
Pencils	“Nixon-Agnew” (2)	Curatorial
Ribbon (w/bow)	Red bow with “Nixon” in white printed on an attached red ribbon, and “Agnew” in white printed on an attached blue ribbon.	Curatorial
Bumper stickers	Viva / Nixon (1)	Bumper Sticker – Poster
	“Students For / Nixon – Agnew” (1)	Bumper Sticker – Poster
Photographs	“Angeline Holte with VP Richard Nixon circa 1956”	Photographs
	“VP Richard Nixon and Mrs. Nixon with [Turkish] President Bayar circa 1956”	Photographs
Phonograph records	“Nixon’s the One”	Audio-Visual
	“Spiro Agnew Speaks Out”	Audio-Visual