

Frank Holton & Co. Surviving Brass Instruments

Serial #	Date	Instrument	Model	Description
	1899	First "Special" model trombone produced.		
1	1901	Start of Holton factory in Chicago at 70 East Madison.		
30	1901	Cornet		[HUC]
254	1902	Now with 14 workers.		
398	1902	Tenor		no Union; Chicago [HUC]
476	1903			
526	1904	Incorporated as Frank Holton & Co., 107 East Madison.		
922	1904	Tenor		[HUC]
1511	1905			
1695	1905	Ballad Horn		[HUC]
1853	1905	Tenor	Special	[HUC]
1872	1906	A new factory is opened at 2638 Gladys Ave with 100 workers.		
2104	1906	Helicon	Eb	Chicago [HUC]
2247	1906	Baritone		[HUC]
2468	1906	Cornet	New Proportion	[HUC]
3062	1906	Cornet	New Proportion	[HUC]
3345	1907	Holton is joined by Ernst A. Couturier and builds his patented cornet.		
3694	1907	Cornet	New Proportion	no union; Chicago
4098	1907	Trombone	Special	[T. Meade]
4630	1908			
5597	1908	Cornet	New Proportion Couturier	[HUC]

5732	1908	Cornet	New Proportion	Chicago [T. Meade]
6071	1909	Patent 932,704 for valve/slide trombone design. Applied for New Proportion cornet design in March.		
7323	1909	Tuba	Eb	Chicago [HUC]
8369	1909	Cornet	New Proportion	Couturier
8742	1909	Cornet	New Proportion	Chicago
9029	1909	Mellophone		Chicago [HUC]
9474	1910			
10222	1910	Cornet	New Proportion	[HUC]
10498	1910	Trumpet	Bb	"0"; Chicago
11208	1910	Cornet	Couturier	[HUC]
11575	1910	Trombone	Special	valve [HUC]
12036	1910	Trumpet		Bb/A RV in Tuning slide [HUC]
12402	1911	Granted patent 1,005,972 in October for New Proportion cornet.		
12618	1911	Cornet	New Proportion	no union; "0"
13103	1911	Cornet	New Proportion	no union; Chicago; "0"
13359	1911	Cornet	Couturier	
14528	1912	Cornet	New Proportion	Couturier; Chicago; "0"
152xx	1912	Alto		
15950	1912			
161xx	1912	Tuba	Eb	Chicago [HUC]
16893	1912	Cornet	New Proportion	no Union; "0"; 0.464" bore; 4-7/8" bell
17094	1912	Alto		[T. Meade]
18683	1912	Cornet	New Proportion	union

18744	1912	Cornet	Couturier	Union; "0"; Chicago
18963	1912	Cornet	New Proportion	"0"; no Union mark
20562	1912	Euphonium	Double Bell	[HUC]
20750	1912	Trumpet		Union [HUC]
20807	1913			
22316	1913	Tuba	BBb	Chicago [HUC]
23250	1914	Granted design patent 46,501 in October for New Proportion cornet.		
23486	1914	Trumpet		Bb/A RV
23680	1914	Cornet	New Proportion	[HUC]
23719	1914	Baritone	4 vlv	[HUC]
23759	1914	Tenor	Special	Union; Chicago [HUC]
23799	1914	Tenor	Special	Union, Chicago [HUC]
23872	1914	Euphonium	Double Bell	[HUC]
23970	1914	Trumpet		Union local 355; 1898 Heald patent
25042	1914	Cornet	New Proportion	Union; "0-"
25686	1914	Helicon		[HUC]
26177	1914	Cornet	New Proportion	Union; "0"; Chicago
27035	1914	Mellophone	Bell forward	Union; Chicago; 0-; Bb
27281	1914	Cornet	New Proportion	Couturier
27486	1914	Cornet	New Proportion	Union; "0-"; Chicago; Sherman Clay & Co, San F.
27701	1914	Cornet	New Proportion	Chicago; "0-"
28000	1914	Cornet	New Proportion	Chicago; "0-"; no union; long model vocal [Patton]
28796	1914	Tenor		Chicago [HUC]

28896	1914	Cornet		Chicago; Union; 0-1/2
29000	1915			
29376	1915	Cornet	Revelation	[HUC]
29627	1915	Cornet		0-1/2; Union; Chicago
29923	1915	Cornet	Revelation	[HUC]
30480	1915	Cornet		0-1/2; Union; Chicago
30518	1915	Cornet	Revelation	0-1/2; Union; Chicago
30551	1915	Cornet		0-1/2; 0.464"; 4.75" bell; Chicago; Pat 1914 stop rod
32640	1915	Cornet		0-1/2; Union; Chicago
32949	1915	Trumpet	New Holton	Union [T. Meade]
33230	1915	Cornet		Pat. 1914 slide stop; Union; "00-1/4"; Z LP
33671	1916			
33950	1916	Sousaphone	Eb	4 vlv [HUC]
34349	1916	Sousaphone	BBb	4 vlv [HUC]
34825	1916	Trombone		[The Ringling]
35906	1916	Tenor	Special	Chicago [HUC]
35389	1916	Tuba	Collegiate	Eb [HUC]
35521	1916	Trumpet		no Union; Chicago [HUC]
35540	1916	Cornet	Revelation	[T. Meade]
36455	1916	Euphonium	Double Bell	[HUC]
36472	1916	Baritone		[HUC]
36632	1916	Cornet	Revelation	Chicago; no union; 001/4 bore
36651	1916	Euphonium	Double Bell	4 vlv; Chicago [HUC]

36664	1916	Cornet		Chicago; 001/4; no union; "Selmer New York" added on bell
37114	1916	Cornet		Chicago; 001/4; no union
37909	1917	Granted patent 1,236,173 in August for interchangeable trombone weight.		
40212	1917	Trumpet		Chicago; double TS brace
41026	1917	Tuba		
41070	1918			
43260	1918	Alto	[HUC]	
55000	1918	Holton moves to 320 North Church St, Elkhorn, WI in April with 200 workers. The jump in serial numbers may be parts made in Chicago in preparation for production in Elkhorn.		
55063	1918	Cornet	Clarke	Chicago [HUC]
43973	1919	Chicago made parts; start of Revelation trumpet.		
44037	1919	Baritone		[HUC]
44205	1919	Trumpet	New Holton	[T. Meade]
44819	1919	Trumpet		Elkhorn
45957	1919	Baritone		Elkhorn; "1-1/2" on vlv 2
46459	1919	Helicon	Eb	Elkhorn
47341	1919	Cornet	Revelation	Chicago on bell; Elkhorn on valves [HUC]
47557	1919	Euphonium	Double Bell	4 vlv [HUC]
55250	1919			
47601	1920	Chicago made parts		
48170	1920	Tenor	Revelation	[HUC]
491xx	1920	Trombone	Revelation	[T. Meade]
49323	1920	Trumpet	Revelation	[T. Meade]

495xx	1920	Trombone	valve	[HUC]
49712	1920	Trumpet	?	
57041	1920	Granted patent 1,330,806 in February for trumpet slide stop and 1,330,831 for trombone slide.		
70000	1920	Elkhorn production run starts at 70000. Lower numbers in the 40K to 60K range were made at least from some parts made in Chicago in advance of the move. They are finally merged in 1931.		
70123	1920	Trumpet		Elkhorn [HUC]
49818	1921	Chicago		
51612	1921	Cornet	Clarke	[HUC]
53163	1921	Tuba	4 vlv	[HUC]
55207	1921	Cornet	Clarke	Chicago; no union
56040	1921	Cornet		
57651	1921	Cornet	Clarke	Elkhorn [HornCollector]
58500	1921	Granted patent 1,512,023 in October for trumpet slide stop.		
58580	1921	Cornet	Clarke	Elkhorn
592xx	1921	Cornet	C/Bb/A	
59228	1921	Cornet	Clarke	[T Meade]
59348	1921	Cornet	Clarke	[HUC]
70550	1921	Elkhorn		
71765	1921	Cornet		Elkhorn; double loop on TS
71881	1921	Trombone	Soprano Bb	[HUC]
72732	1921	Trumpet	Revelation	Elkhorn
73131	1921	Trombone	Revelation	Elkhorn; patent 1908
59500	1922	Chicago		

59712	1922	Cornet	Clarke	Elkhorn
73200	1922	Elkhorn		
74914	1922	Trumpet	Revelation	[T. Meade]
75777	1922	Trumpet	Revelation	
75804	1922	Trumpet	Revelation	ML bore
60600	1923	Chicago		
61104	1923	Cornet	Clarke	
61325	1923	Trumpet	56	Eb Bass [HUC]
61963	1923	Cornet	Clarke	
76100	1923	Elkhorn		
76xxx	1923	Baritone		[HUC]
76661	1923	Tuba		[HUC]
79200	1923	Trumpet	Revelation	“Pat Pend”
79479	1923	Trumpet	Revelation	Elkhorn
80273	1923	Trombone	Revelation	Elkhorn; with slide #7458
80760	1923	Trumpet	Revelation	[T. Meade]
61650	1924	Chicago		
61963	1924	Cornet	Clarke	
81001	1924	Elkhorn; Applied for patent on trombone slide trigger.		
81654	1924	Trumpet	Revelation	[T. Meade]
82621	1924	Trumpet	Revelation	[Ebay]
82886	1924	Trumpet	Revelation	
82951	1924	Trumpet	Llewellyn	

83620	1924	Tenor	Symphony	Elkhorn [HUC]
84200	1924	Trombone	Revelation	
85527	1924	Trumpet	Revelation?	
62200	1925			
85900	1925			
85902	1925	Trumpet	Revelation	
86251	1925	Trumpet	Revelation	Elkhorn; 4" bell; 0.420" bore
86277	1925	Trumpet	Jazz Hound	[HUC]
86550	1925	Trumpet	48 Revelation	Elkhorn
87xxx	1925	Trumpet	Jazz Hound	
87092	1925	Trumpet	Revelation	Elkhorn
88225	1925	Trombone	Revelation	[T. Meade]
88500	1925	Mellophone		Elkhorn
88936	1925	Tenor		[HUC]
89196	1925	Trumpet		
62900	1926			
89850	1926			
90398	1926	Trumpet		Elkhorn
91212	1926	Trumpet		1924 patent rod; Elkhorn
91366	1926	Trumpet	?	
91432	1926	Euphonium	Double Bell	5 vlv [HUC]
91649	1926	Trumpet	New Revelation	
92227	1926	Trumpet	Revelation	[T. Meade]

63150	1927			
92800	1927	Granted patent 1,652,306 in December for trombone slide trigger.		
93788	1927	Trombone	Revelation	Elkhorn
93997	1927	Trumpet	Revelation	
94535	1927	Trumpet	Revelation	left hand design [HUC]
95646	1927	Trumpet	Revelation	
63300	1928			
97200	1928			
98656	1928	Trombone	Symphony Bass	[HUC]
98911	1928	Trumpet	Llewellyn	
99797	1928	Trumpet	Llewellyn	Gold plated [saved]
100178	1928	Trumpet	Llewellyn	Elkhorn
100662	1928	Trumpet	Llewellyn	[T. Meade]
63550	1929			
101400	1929			
103987	1929	Tenor	Revelation	[HUC]
104xxx	1929	French Horn	3 vlv	[HUC]
104372	1929	Trumpet	Llewellyn	
104393	1929	Trumpet	Llewellyn	Elkhorn
104576	1929	Trumpet	Don Berry	large bore [HUC]
104927	1929	Trumpet	Llewellyn	
63850	1930			
105200	1930			

105256	1930	Trumpet	Llewellyn	
105839	1930	Mellophone	Collegiate	
107169	1930	Trumpet	Llewellyn	Pat Oct 1921
108330	1930	Cornet	Collegiate	[T. Meade]
64050	1931			
108400	1931			
108430	1931	Trumpet	Llewellyn	
108611	1931	Tuba	BBb	4 PV [HUC]
108761	1931	Bass Trumpet	58 Symphony	belonged to Holton designer Arvid Walters
108958	1931	Baritone		
109760	1931	Trumpet	Collegiate	
109916	1931	Mellophone	Collegiate	Elkhorn
110562	1931	French Horn	3 PV	[HUC]
111099	1932			
111830	1932	Trumpet	Llewellyn	[T. Meade]
112572	1932	Trumpet	Revelation	model 30; 0.459" bore
112922	1932	Trombone		Elkhorn; USQMC; tuning adjuster wheel
113471	1932	Tenor	Collegiate	[HUC]
113990	1933			
114xxx	1933	Trumpet	30 Revelation	New Professional; 0.462"; reverse LP; bottom 3 rd ring
114268	1933	Trumpet	Revelation	
115000	1934	Applied for patent on trombone slide.		
115505	1934	French Horn	3 PV	[HUC]

116504	1934	Tenor	Professional	[HUC]
117056	1934	Trumpet	32 Streamline	[HUC]
117300	1935			
117783	1935	Trumpet	Revelation	
118600	1936	Granted patent 2,027,340 in January for trombone slide.		
119494	1936	Tuba	BBb	[HUC]
119925	1936	Trumpet	?	34M on inlet
119931	1936	Trumpet	Resotone 34	
119963	1936	Baritone	Ideal	[HUC]
1204xx	1936	Cornet	Clarke	
120600	1937			
1207xx	1937	Trumpet	Resotone	34M; 0.459"; 4-5/8" bell
120701	1937	Trumpet	Holton-Ideal	
120750	1937	Cornet	Ideal	
120932	1937	Tenor	Collegiate	[HUC]
122482	1937	Sousaphone	BBb	[HUC]
122900	1938			
124823	1938	Cornet	24 Resotone	
125206	1938	Cornet	Collegiate	
125850	1939			
127071	1939	Trumpet	?	
128067	1939	Cornet	Stratodyne 25	[HUC]
130481	1939	Trumpet	48	

130495	1939	Trumpet		
132360	1939	Cornet	Collegiate	[HUC]
132800	1940			
134377	1940	Flugelhorn	Collegiate	[HUC]
140100	1941			
143428	1941	Euphonium	Double Bell	[HUC]
1449xx	1941	Cornet	25	[HUC]
145044	1941	Cornet	Collegiate	
151300	1942			
154200	1943			
154445	1943	Trumpet	Revelation	model 45; 0.459"
154700	1944			
154716	1944	Cornet	29?	
154900	1945			
156100	1946			
156566	1946	Trumpet	48 Revelation	
158233	1946	Trumpet	45 Revelation	[T. Meade]
162817	1946	Tenor	65	
165118	1946	Trumpet	48 Revelation	0.459"
165600	1947			
167274	1947	Cornet	29	
168694	1947	Cornet	29	
172xxx	1947	Trumpet	Stratodyne	

175xxx	1947	Trumpet	Stratodyne	0.459"; 5" bell
175599	1947	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
175601	1947	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
175626	1947	Trumpet	Collegiate	
176815	1947	Sousaphone	BBb	[HUC]
182000	1948			
187440	1948	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
190903	1948	Trumpet	48	Elkhorn
197480	1948	Trombone	68 Bass	[HUC]
198300	1949			
199580	1949	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
203799	1949	Tenor	27H	[HUC]
209245	1949	Cornet	Collegiate	
210076	1949	Baritone	182	
210300	1950			
213527	1950	Alto	141	[HUC]
214112	1950	Trumpet	51-LB	
216784	1950	Trumpet	Collegiate	
220500	1951			
22188x	1951	Cornet		
22292x	1951	Cornet	Collegiate	
223181	1951	Cornet	Collegiate	
232295	1951	Trumpet	Stratodyne	

232600	1952			
232xxx	1952	Trumpet	51 LB	0.465"; 4.75" bell
234899	1952	Cornet	Collegiate	
235883	1952	Trumpet	28	
239803	1952	Cornet	Collegiate 504	[HUC]
240653	1952	Trumpet	Collegiate	
243350	1953			
254100	1954			
258054	1954	Cornet	503	warranty card printed in 1953
26342x	1954	Cornet	Stratodyne	rose brass bell
267085	1954	Trumpet	48 Revelation	
267200	1954	Trumpet	Collegiate	
268141	1954	Cornet	Collegiate	
268626	1954	Cornet	Collegiate	
269000	1955			
269975	1955	Cornet	Super Collegiate	[HUC]
274666	1955	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
276511	1955	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
276579	1955	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
280821	1955	Tenor	Stratodyne	[HUC]
281400	1956			
283022	1956	Trumpet	Bass	[HUC]
286160	1956	Trumpet	49 Stratodyne	[HUC]

289833	1956	Cornet	Eb	[HUC]
293598	1956	Baritone	Bb	[HUC]
293700	1957			
294473	1957	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
300535	1947	Tenor	Super Collegiate	[HUC]
301886	1947	Trumpet	in C	
304973	1947	Cornet	Collegiate	
306947	1947	Trombone	Collegiate	Bass [HUC]
307400	1958			
307919	1958	Trumpet	Super Collegiate	
311477	1958	French Horn	73	4 RV [HUC]
312593	1958	Sousaphone	Collegiate	BBb [HUC]
315700	1959			
316680	1959	Trumpet	Collegiate	
317714	1959	Cornet	Collegiate	
318680	1959	Trumpet	Bass 58	
320204	1959	Tenor	65	[HUC]
321xxx	1959	Trumpet	45 Deluxe	0.459"
321550	1959	Trumpet	Collegiate	508
322364	1959	Trumpet	Super Collegiate	
322755	1959	Cornet	Stratodyne	
326100	1960			
326104	1960	French Horn	76	4 RV [HUC]

328259	1960	Trombone	Collegiate	
329879	1960	Cornet	Stratodyne	model 27
329898	1960	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
332386	1960	Cornet	Super Collegiate	[HUC]
337600	1961			
339651	1961	Cornet	Super Collegiate	
342832	1961	Trumpet	Collegiate	
343481	1961	Cornet	Galaxy	Holton #77 mpc
343533	1961	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
344600	1961	Trumpet	Galaxy	
344828	1961	Cornet	Galaxy	
346182	1961	French Horn	Collegiate	3 vlv [HUC]
346447	1961	Trumpet	Collegiate	
348400	1962			
349992	1962	Trumpet	Collegiate	
356185	1962	Trumpet	Galaxy	original owner says new in 1966
358500	1963			
359329	1963	Tenor	Galaxy	[HUC]
366021	1963	Cornet	Collegiate	
367878	1963	Trumpet	Collegiate	
372382	1963	Cornet	Collegiate	
373700	1964	Holton is acquired by G. Leblanc Corp.		
374882	1964	Cornet	Collegiate	

375585	1964	Trumpet	Stratodyne	
376972	1964	Cornet	Super Collegiate	
380123	1964	Trumpet	Galaxy	
380149	1964	Trumpet	Galaxy	
381700	1964	Trombone	Collegiate	[HUC]
385049	1964	Cornet	Collegiate	
386220	1964	Trumpet	Eb Bass	[HUC]
387572	1964	Sousaphone	BBb	
388950	1965			
389775	1965	Cornet	Collegiate	
397399	1965	Baritone	B317	[HUC]
403351	1966			
403942	1966	Trombone	185 Bass	[HUC]
418860	1966	Cornet	Galaxy	
421096	1966	Trumpet	Al Hirt	
4254xx	1966	Cornet	Collegiate	
436000	1967			
440037	1967	Cornet	Collegiate	
440232	1967	Cornet	Collegiate	
440739	1967	Cornet	Al Hirt Special	
442626	1967	Cornet	C-401	
449828	1967	Flugelhorn	F400	[HUC]
454869	1967	Cornet	Collegiate C602	

455616	1967	Cornet	C501	Al Hirt Special
455750	1968			
458051	1968	Trumpet	Al Hirt Special	
458882	1968	Cornet	Collegiate C602	
466156	1968	Trumpet	Collegiate T602	Galaxy mpc
466300	1968	Trumpet		
467100	1969			
467181	1969	Tenor	TR650	
470384	1969	Baritone	B302	[HUC]
470822	1969	Trumpet	Al Hirt Special	
473866	1969	Trumpet	Collegiate	
475529	1969	Trombone	TR602	seller says 1961
476058	1969	Trumpet	Collegiate	
482398	1969	Trumpet	T604	Elkhorn
483100	1970			
484027	1970	Cornet	Pocket C-150	
490055	1970	Trumpet	Bass	[HUC]
496800	1971			
499xxx	1971	Trumpet	Al Hirt	
501772	1971	Trumpet	T401 Galaxy	Leblanc; seller says 1972 [saved]
503303	1971	Trumpet	T401 Galaxy	
504154	1971	Tenor	TR258	
504201	1972			

512452	1972	Cornet	Collegiate C602	
517050	1972	Baritone		[HUC]
519300	1973			
5228xx	1973	French Horn	H177	4RV [HUC]
523931	1973	Trumpet	ST747	
523980	1973	French Horn	H600	3 RV [HUC]
524600	1974			
529900	1975			
535200	1976			
542000	1977			
548430	1978			
549087	1978	Trumpet	Al Hirt	
552xxx	1978	Tenor	TR156	
552242	1978	Trumpet	ST304	
553525	1979			
555807	1979	Trumpet	ST200	
558936	1980			
566435	1980	Trumpet	T-602	
574464		French Horn	H179	4 vlv [HUC]
579218		Trumpet		
579726		Trumpet		
585830		Cornet	C602	
592105		Cornet		

642682	Trombone	TR181 Bass	[HUC]
676613	Tenor	Collegiate	[HUC]
825736	Trumpet	Collegiate	
853557	Trumpet	Collegiate	
855503	Trumpet	Collegiate	
897928	Trumpet	T602	USA
916200	Trumpet		
970626	Trumpet	T602P	
974821	Trumpet	T602	USA
003433	Trumpet	Collegiate	Japan
110651	Trombone	TR602	modern