

THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA IN ONE HUNDRED OBJECTS

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KEY TO THE ROTUNDA



A Bicentennial exhibition commemorating the history of the University. Visit all seventeen sites across Grounds. August 24, 2017 - June 22, 2018

# THE EXHIBITION

Featuring artifacts from the Albert and Shirley Small Special Collections Library, other University entities, and private collections, *The University of Virginia in 100 Objects* commemorates UVA's Bicentennial. The one hundred artifacts included represent moments from two centuries of UVA history in an exhibition that ranges across space as well as time—you can find seventy-nine objects in the galleries of the Harrison Institute/Small Special Collections Library, and twenty-one more may be found at sixteen satellite sites around Grounds.

What are these objects and why were they chosen? They range in size from a pin to a building. Some are symbols of the University's history or the products of intellectual inquiry. They document institutional crises, everyday life, and UVA's place in the Charlottesville community and beyond. From slavery to secret societies, from academics to athletics, from Homer

to Hemings to Holsinger, these objects shed light on the people, events, and traditions that shaped the University as we know it today.

This exhibition is based on the book *Mr. Jefferson's Telescope* (UVA Press, 2017) which visitors are encouraged to consult for deeper discussions of each object.



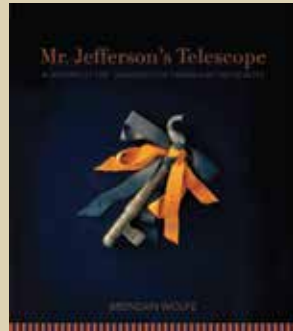
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Learn more: [100objects.lib.virginia.edu](http://100objects.lib.virginia.edu) #100objects

# BUY THE BOOK

Thomas Jefferson considered the University of Virginia to be among his finest achievements. On the occasion of the University's bicentennial, author Brendan Wolfe has assembled one hundred objects in one fascinating book that offers a new, sometimes surprising history of Jefferson's favorite project.



Learn more: [upress.virginia.edu/title/5036](http://upress.virginia.edu/title/5036)

# GET THE APP

Download the University of Virginia *Walking Tours of Grounds* app to discover all 100 Objects in Harrison/Small and at over a dozen additional sites around Grounds:

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# THE 101<sup>ST</sup> OBJECT

Is "100 Objects" enough? Absolutely not.

If you could add an item to this exhibition, what would it be? A famous monument on Grounds? A document in the archives describing an incident of great significance? Something you have kept from your own time at UVA?



Tweet it to @rareUVA #101object #100objects or submit your entry online: [100objects.lib.virginia.edu/101st-object](http://100objects.lib.virginia.edu/101st-object)



Harrison Institute/Small Special Collections Library

Seventy-nine objects are located in the galleries of Harrison/Small:

- 1. Jefferson's Telescope
- 2. Whalebone and Ivory Walking Stick
- 3. Plans for the Academical Village
- 5. South Elevation of the Rotunda
- 7. First Minutes of the Board of Visitors
- 9. Dunglison Chalice
- 10. Jefferson's Hair
- 11. Poe's Library Fine
- 12. *A Voyage to the Moon*
- 14. Photograph of Sally Cottrell Cole
- 18. The Student
- 19. Letter from Robert Lewis Dabney to His Brother
- 20. William Barton Rogers's Cabinet
- 21. Washington Society Medal
- 22. Student Sketch of Maximilian Schele De Vere *Bohn's Album*
- 24. *Bohn's Album*
- 25. Civil War Trepanning Kit
- 26. John B. Minor's Diary
- 27. Samuel Miller's Chair
- 28. *The University Memorial*
- 30. *McGuffey's Fourth Eclectic Reader*
- 31. First Edition of *Corks and Curls*
- 32. Silk Handkerchief
- 33. Graduation Invitation
- 34. Pass Certificate of Caroline Preston Davis
- 35. Key to the Rotunda
- 37. Holsinger Photograph of the Rotunda Fire
- 39. Original Piece of Tin Roof with Painting
- 40. Cast Plaster Rosette
- 41. Rouss Hall Floor Joist, Bracket, and Nails
- 42. Wooden Doll
- 43. Rotunda Cigar Box
- 44. Consent Form, Walter Reed's Yellow Fever Experiment
- 45. Cast of John Powell's Hand
- 46. Knife of "The Honor Men" Poet
- 48. Loving Cup
- 49. Track Medal
- 50. Hot Foot Crown
- 51. Cartoon from the First Class Reunion
- 52. Buck Mayer on the Cover of *Sporting Life*
- 53. Strip from James R. McConnell's Crashed Plane
- 54. *History of the University of Virginia*
- 55. Raven Society Bid Card
- 59. *The Eleusis of Chi Omega*
- 60. Mountain Lake Herbarium Collection
- 61. Letter from Alice Jackson to Board of Visitors
- 62. John Lloyd Newcomb's Tea Service
- 63. Nursing Cape
- 64. *Alumni News* article "Hand That Held the Dagger" Speech
- 65. Photograph of Caroyl Beddow Gooch
- 66. "The Gift Outright" by Robert Frost
- 67. Parachute Wedding Dress
- 68. John Cook Wyllie's Japanese Radio Set
- 69. Edward Stettinius's Gas Mask
- 70. Ed Roseberry's Ciro-flex Camera
- 72. Bowie Kuhn's Student ID Card
- 73. Walter Ridley's Scrapbook
- 75. Cross Burned in Sarah-Patton Boyle's Yard
- 76. Carroll's Tea Room Menu
- 77. Faulkner's Typewriter
- 79. Mama Rotunda's Outfit
- 80. Bice Device
- 82. University Mace
- 83. Edgar Shannon's Blue and Orange Phone
- 84. *The Sally Hemings Underground Newsletter*
- 85. Coeducation Lawsuit
- 86. First Women's NCAA Championship
- 88. The Last Easters T-Shirt
- 89. Peach Bowl Coke Bottles
- 90. International Center Egyptian Plate
- 91. Steve Keene Paintings for WTJU
- 92. Bernard Mayes's March on Washington Flag
- 93. Abercrombie & Fitch Catalog
- 94. University of Virginia Barbie

- 96. Shoe from Sullivan Controversy
- 98. ACC Basketball Tournament Net
- 99. Post-it Notes from *Rolling Stone* Controversy
- 100. Cav Man

Twenty-one objects may be found at sixteen satellite sites around Grounds:

**Rotunda:**

- 4. Early Tools
- 8. Bust of Lafayette
- 15. Sidereal Clock
- 17. Rotunda Chemical Hearth

**Brooks Hall:**

- 29. Brooks Hall Mammoth

**23. Varsity Hall**

**The Lawn:**

- 6. Pavilion VII
- 13. The Crackerbox
- 16. Bookcase in Pavilion VII
- 57. Pavilion VI Frescoes
- 58. Merton Spire
- 71. Pavilion Gardens
- 87. Homer Statue

**95. Kitty Foster Memorial**

**Old Cabell Hall:**

- 97. *The Student's Progress*

**Fralin Museum of Art (outside):**

- 38. Rotunda Capital Fragment

**Alumni Hall:**

- 56. Model of Grounds

**Frank Batten School of Leadership and Public Policy:**

- 47. Garrett Hall Ceiling

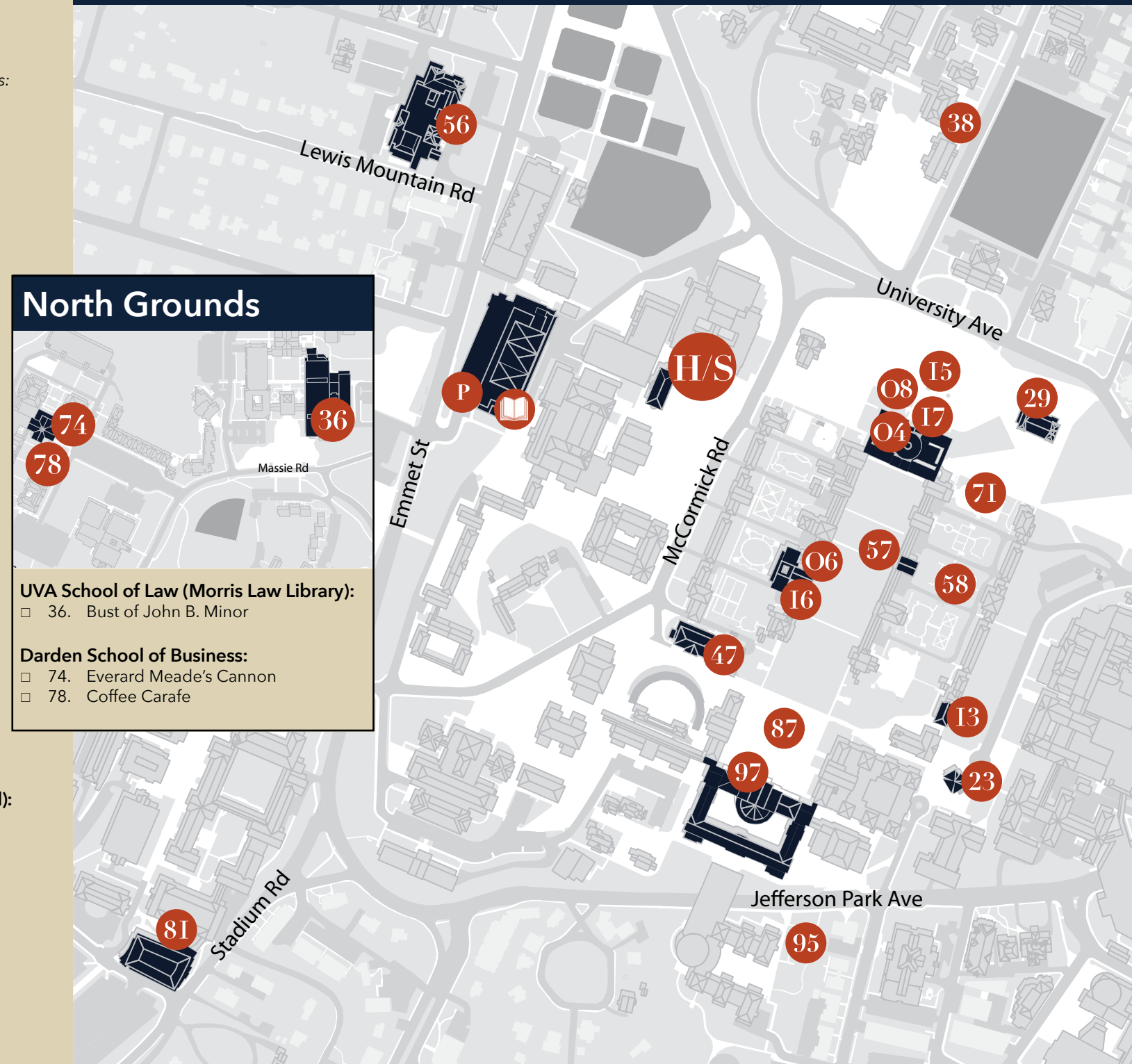
**UVA Computer Museum (Rice Hall):**

- 81. Control Panel from the University's First Computer

 **UVA Bookstore**

 **Central Grounds Parking Deck**

# FIND ALL 100 OBJECTS



**North Grounds**

**UVA School of Law (Morris Law Library):**

- 36. Bust of John B. Minor

**Darden School of Business:**

- 74. Everard Meade's Cannon
- 78. Coffee Carafe