

on exhibit and not -
accessible

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CAT. NO.
310,815

SPECIMEN

Surveyor's compass and staff
head, 18 c., B. Rittenhouse
(used by Ellicott).

PLACED Rm. 5120 -
tripod -

Compass - July 89
like in America

ACC. NO.

128,427

SOURCE Gift of
Henry B. Douglas
34 Linwood Avenue
Newton, N. J.

DATE March 9, 1934

77,304A

Photo Nos. 34,448

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DESCRIPTION

Plain compass, needle socket missing. Head is a ball
and socket type with screw tightening device. Compass
marked: "A Ellicott" and "B. Rittenhouse;" head marked:
"10." Compass $13\frac{1}{2}$ " long, $6\frac{1}{4}$ " diameter.
Has a dial cover.

- condition - over -

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Surveyors Compass.

Condition: Restored in the museum for the March 1966 thru
August 1988 exhibit. Refinished April 1973 after field use in

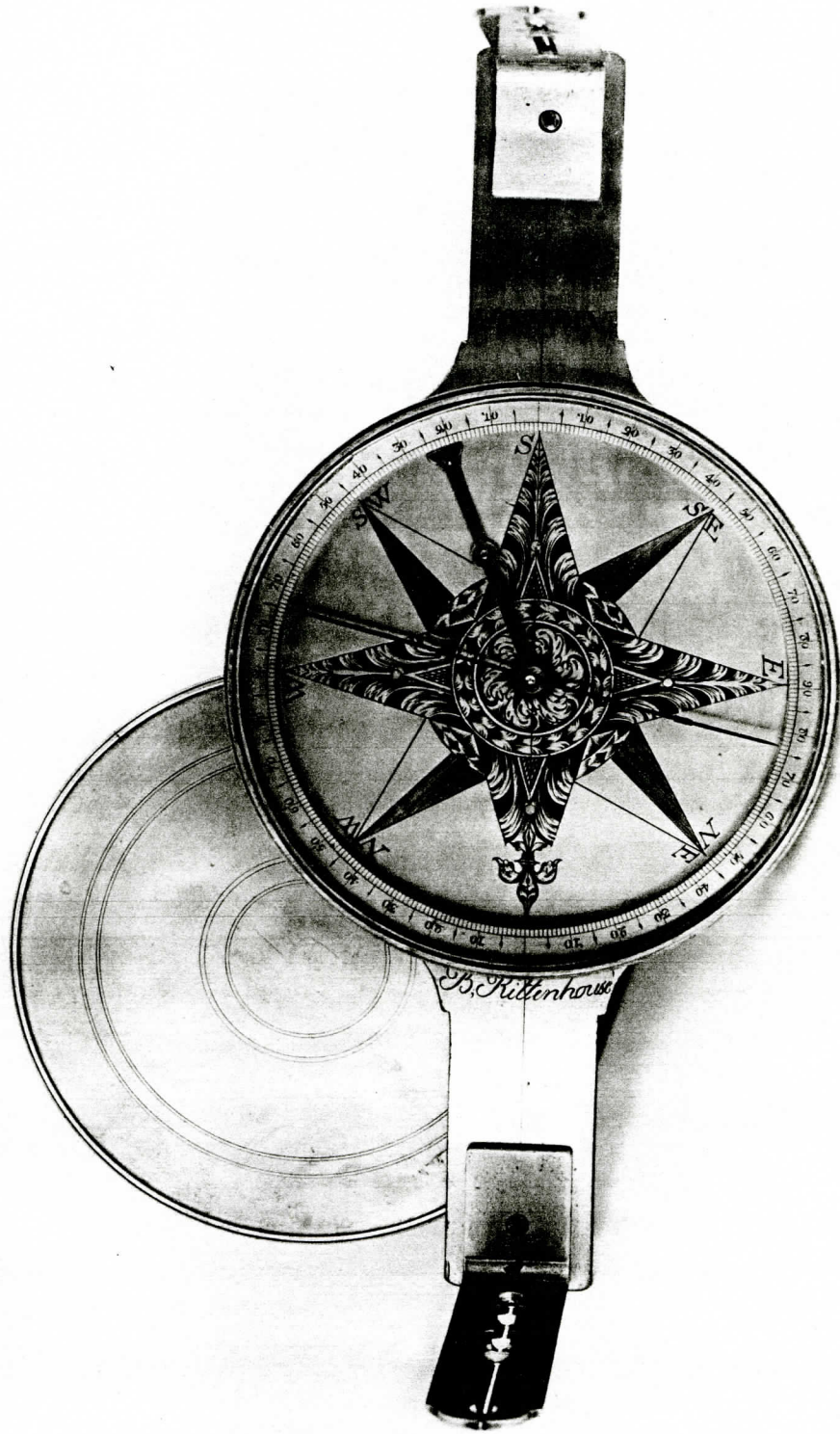
U.S. Park Service movie.

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socket screw missing.

6 round head screws through compass plate to the
graduated compass ring.

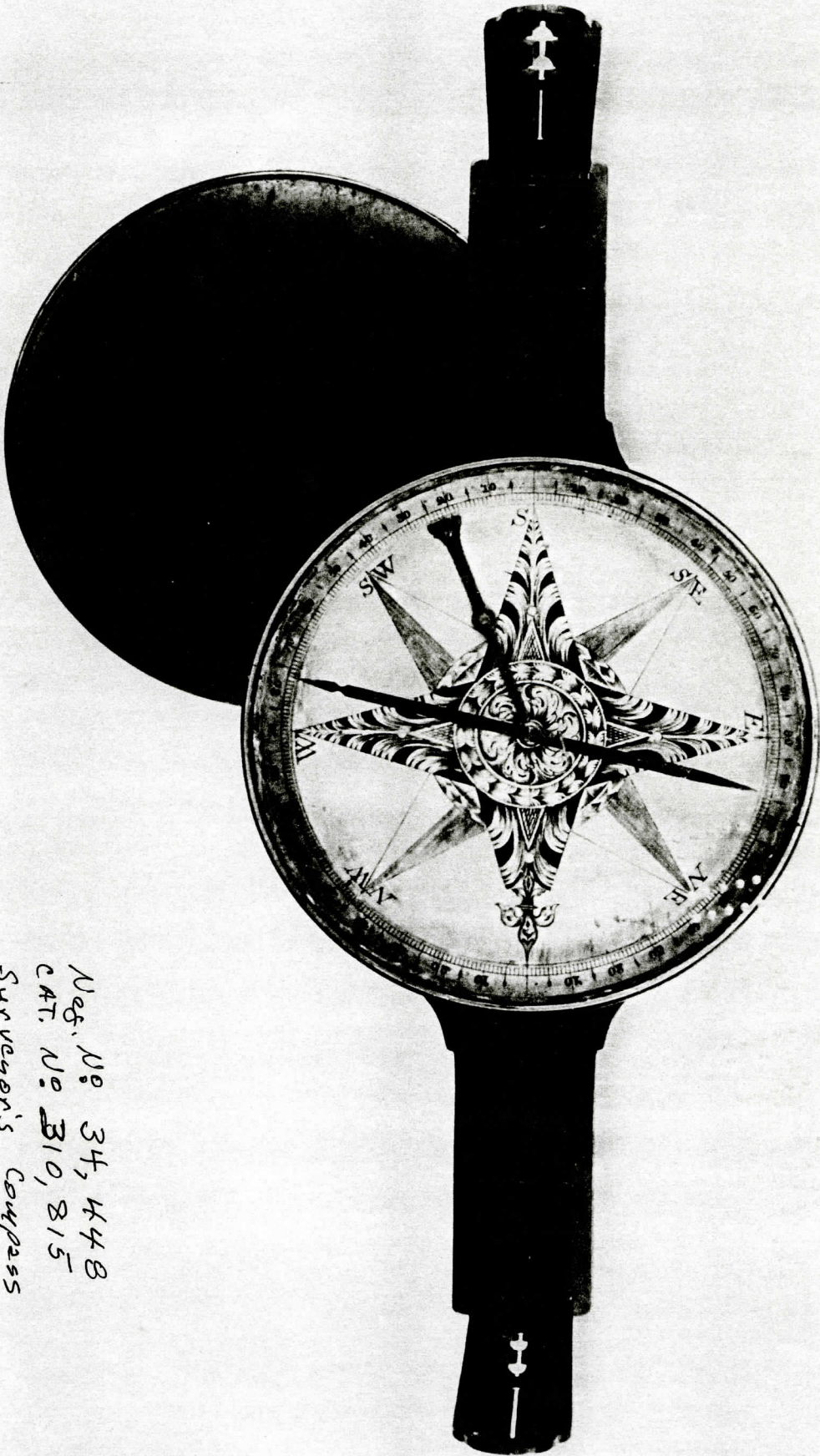
NO case.



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Surveyor's Compass
by B. Ritterhouse



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