

Hopeman Memorial Chime

The 17 original bells were cast by Meneely and Company of Watervliet, New York and installed in 1930

Pitch	Diameter (inches)	Weight (pounds)
B flat	72	7,800
C	64	5,600
D	56	4,000
E flat	54	3,400
E	50	2,800
F	48	2,400
G	42	1,600
A flat	40	1,400
A	38	1,200
B flat	36	1,000
B	34	800
C	32	700
D flat	30	600
D	28	500
E flat	27	400
E	26	350
F	24	300
Total 38,850		

Source: 1930 "[The Hopeman Memorial Chime](#)," *Democrat and Chronicle*, October 26, 1930, Page 10D.

Two bells were added in 1956, cast in the Netherlands by Petit & Fritsen, Ltd.

Pitch	Diameter (inches)	Weight (pounds)
F sharp	43	1,870
High G	20	220

Source: 1956 "[Hopeman Donation Will Add Two Bells to Library Tower](#)," *Campus Times*, January 20, 1956, Page 1.

Prepared by Morris A. Pierce, Department of History, June 2022