

# Circus Friends Association Collection Finding Aid

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## Poster - 178R47

### 178R47.1 poster

30 November 1867  
Birmingham, Saturday November 30th 1867, Monday 2 December and  
during the week  
Cattle and Dog Shows,  
Miss Adah Isaacs Menken,  
Paris & Back for £5,  
Mazeppa's, equestrian act,  
Programme of Scenery and incidents,  
Sarah's Young Man,  
Black type on off white background,  
Printed at the Theatre Royal Printing Office, Birmingham,  
253mm x 753mm  
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### 178R47.2 poster

1838  
Madame Albertazzi,  
Mdlle. H. Elsler,  
Mr. Ducrow,  
Double stud of horses,  
Mr. Van Amburgh, animal trainer  
Grieve's New Scenery,  
Charlemagne or the Fete of the Forest,  
Black type on off white background,  
W. Wright Printer, Theatre Royal, Drury Lane,  
205mm x 335mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178R47.3 poster

19 October 1885  
Berlin,  
Eln Mexikanermanöver,  
Mr. Charles Ducos,  
Horaz und Merkur,  
Mr. A. Wells, equestrian act,  
C. Godiewsky, clown,  
Borax,  
Mlle. Agumoff,  
Das 3 fache Reck, gymnastics,  
Mlle. Anna Ducos,  
Damen-Jockey-Rennen,  
Kohinor,  
Mme. Bradbury,  
Adgar,

Black type on off white background with decorative border,  
Druck von H. G. Effenbart's Erb en in Stettin,  
163mm x 470mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.4** poster

No date  
John Austin from Waterloo Bridge, London exhibition of animals at the  
Pottery Mechanics' Institution, Frederick Street, Shelton,  
Black type on off white background with Royal shield on top section and  
a small illustration of different animals standing together including a do-  
mestic cat, birds and rodents,  
W. Dean Printer, Stoke-upon-Trent,  
296mm x 440mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.5** poster

No date  
Mr. A. Abel and his Dogs, Hector and Wallace,  
black and white illustration of man standing in the centre of the image in  
tribal attire, holding a spear with a dog at either side and name of the act  
in scrolls along the sides,  
735mm x 510mm  
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**178R47.6** poster

22 May 1843  
At Mr. W. Allen Yorkshire Stingo, New Road, Merylebone, Monday 22  
May 1843 and during the week,  
Lubin and Annette, tightrope act, performed by the Chiarini Family,  
Master Dean as the Hunting Boy, acrobatics,  
Mrs. Cornwall on Poverty and Abundance equestrian act,  
Master Dean on The World Turned Upside-Down,  
Mr. Samwell and the Chiarini Family on Love's Messenger, equestrian  
act,  
Black type on off white background with black and white knights tourna-  
ment scene on bottom section,  
256mm x 372mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.7** poster

No date  
Mr. Cornwall will appear as Mehammet the Brave with his horse of pas-  
time, equestrian act,  
Historic and Magnificent Tournament,  
Lists of Ashby,  
Battle Field,

Blacky type on off white paper with black and white armour and shield scenes around the edges,  
265mm x 353mm  
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**178R47.8** poster

No date  
Contains listing of acts including:  
Scenes in the Arena produced by Mr. William Cooke and Return from the Baltic, or Jack on Shore  
Black type on off white background,  
256mm x 382mm  
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**178R47.9** poster

16 April 1855  
Two fragments of posters  
The largest fragment contains an equestrian scene by Mr. William Cooke,  
Black type on white background,  
Various sizes  
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**178R47.10** poster

No date  
Royal Menagerie Exeter's Change,  
Male lions,  
Lioness and three young cubs,  
Bengal Royal tiger,  
Panther,  
Leopards,  
Hyenas,  
Black tiger,  
Oriental Porcupines,  
Lynxes,  
Sea lion,  
Male elephant,  
Gnu,  
Quaggas,  
Southern ostriches,  
Capaibara,  
Nilghau,  
Argeelah or adjutant of Bengal,  
Samboo,  
Pelican of the wilderness,  
spatulas or spoon bills,  
Black swans,  
Silver vulture,

Horned owl,  
Kangaroo,  
Newtria,  
A variety of rare birds,  
The skeleton of a spermaceli whale,  
Black type on off white background, on reverse a verse entitled Royal  
Menagerie Exeter' Change, A Public Supper,  
W. Glindon, 48 Rupert Street, Haymarket, London,  
225mm x 543mm  
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**178R47.11** poster

No date  
Royal Agricultural Hall, Islington, open 23rd December till 12th February,  
black and white photograph of a horse with extremely long hair on both  
mane and tail with black type around it advertising Linus, the world's  
wonder born at Oregon, U.S.A. The only double maned horse in existence,  
Sam Lightgow, Art and Decorative Show Printer, 79 Surrey Street, Glasgow,  
643mm x 508mm  
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**178R47.12** poster

No date  
Male lion and lioness,  
Horned horses or nilghau,  
Zebra,  
Elephant,  
Royal male tiger,  
Hyaena,  
Panthers,  
Leopard,  
Jaguar,  
Porcupine,  
Lynx,  
Wolf,  
Sloth,  
Kangaroos,  
Emew,  
Cassowary,  
Pelican of the wilderness,  
Adjutant,  
Royal crown cranes,  
Black swan,  
Condor minor,  
Black type on off white paper with illustration of lion on the top half

section,  
W. Major, Printer, John's Steps, Bristol,  
485mm x 710mm  
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**178R47.13** poster  
5 May 1902  
Union Street, Waterloo, Blyth,  
Monday 5 May 1902, now open for the season,  
Seven Savonas, musical act,  
Vincent, acrobatic act,  
Mdle. Martha, gymnast  
The Sisters Charms, juggling act,  
Funny Luko, clown,  
Elliotts, trick cycling act,  
Claude Randall Family, equestrian act,  
Rabbit, Bimbo and Cooke, clowns,  
Red, black, blue and yellow type on off white background and some blue,  
yellow and red sections, and male portrait illustration on top section and  
two small illustrations of acrobatic acts on blue background on bottom  
section,  
Wilson's New Walk Colour Printing Works, Leicester,  
288mm x 886mm  
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**178R47.14** poster  
5 June 1848  
Williamson Square,  
Van Amburgh, animal trainer,  
Morok the Beast Tamer,  
The Irish Tutor,  
Black type on white background, listing of acts and dramatic incidents,  
W. Ellis, Printer, 21 Castle Street, Liverpool,  
254mm x 740mm  
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**178R47.15** poster  
No date  
Mastan Tank, opposite J.J. Hospital,  
Grand opening Saturday 16 October,  
The Great Cliquet Troupe, ariel acrobatics act,  
Aslo acrobatics, clows and classical posses,  
Dandy George, diving act,  
Col. Fillis Arab horses,  
Miss Reta West, equestrian act,  
Mons Rougal tigers,  
6 merry clowns headed by Piccolo,

Miss Daisy Cooke,  
Miss Leonora,  
Miss Bertha,  
Miss Marie,  
Performing dogs, bears, elephants, lions, Leopards and monkeys,  
Black type on brownish background and black and white photograph of  
Les Cliquet troupe,  
The Tutorial Press Bombay No.4,  
190mm x 442mm  
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**178R47.16** poster

1847  
Professor Hemming and his Infant Sons, acrobatic act,  
Pablo Fanque Darby's company of female equestrians,  
Mr. Pablo Fanque Junior, equestrian act and tightrope acrobatics act  
Mr. Orford, banjo and singing act,  
Mr. Williams, equestrian act,  
Mr. Burdett, strong man,  
The Four Elastique Sauteurs, gymnastic act,  
Olympian Miracles, equestrian feast by Mr. Williams and Mr. O'Donnell,  
The Polka Horse,  
Alexis the Intrepid,  
Master Gee, Equestrian act,  
Mr. Fenner, juggler,  
Misses H & C Cotterill, equestrian act,  
Mr. Stonette in La Trance Hispaniola,  
Trained horses of industry,  
Miss. Brown, equestrian act,  
Mr. Emidy, aerial act,  
Mazeppa,  
C. Stonnette and Lomas, clowns,  
Red type and black illustrations of the Hemming family act and the  
Queen's patronage on off white background with black decorative bor-  
der, also comprehensive list of all equestrian performers in the centre,  
253mm x 753mm  
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**178R47.17** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of circus acts including a bareback act in the centre  
performed with 9 horses. Trained horse acrobatics, floor acrobatics and  
clown scenes on top left section and clowning with pig and female horse  
acrobatics on bottom right section,  
Signed Willsons' Leicester, Regd.,  
630mm x 491mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.18** poster

30 June 1828

Westminster Bridge, Monday 30 June 1828 and during the week,  
Jack O'Lantern; or Harlequin Sprite of the Dismal Swamp, comic pantomime,

Mr. Wilkinson and Miss Woolford on The Conquest of the Amazon, equestrian entree,

The Flying Indian, elastic cord act,

Battle of Navrino; or the Arab of the Red Desert,

Black type on brownish background, also contains description of acts and lists of performers,

259mm x 380mm

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**178R47.19** poster

18 June 1818

Westminster Bridge, Thursday 18 June 1818, Friday 19 and Saturday 20,  
The Dandy Family and the Ascot Jockies,

Mr. Avery, equestrian act

The Troop of Voltigeurs, acrobatics and clowning,

Mr. Makeen on The Peasant's Frolic,

Mr. Sloman, comic singer

Mademoiselle Ferzi, tightrope act,

Mess. Brown & Williams, clowns,

Peregrine Pickle or Hawser Trunion on Horseback,

A Real Fox Chance,

Black type on off white paper, also contains description of acts and listing of performers,

180mm x 500mm

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**178R47.20** poster

No date

Bootham Bar, York, for the benefit of Paul Pietro, The Indian flying equestrian and Mr. Boulter, clown,

Spanish parade of eight beautiful barbs,

Mr. Bridges will go through the wonderful feast performed by Juan Bellinck on the cord volante and pyramid of men,

Still Vaulting,

Mr. Gibson, clarionet concert,

Mr. Evans, comedian,

Madame Louise, equestrian act,

Mr. Evans wonderful Polanders,

On the Key Bugle, concerto,

Paul Pietro, war Indian,

Monsier Cline, tightrope act,

Mr. Woolford, equestrian act,



Mr. Boulter, clown  
Black type on white background,  
246mm x 722mm  
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**178R47.21** poster  
29 October 1829  
Splendid Cavalcade by 12 horses,  
Master Brown as The Greek Youth,  
Mr. Ducrow and Pegasus,  
My Grandmother on Horseback,  
Mr. Ducrow on The Tar's Vicissitudes,  
The Lilliputian Bonaparte and his War Horse,  
Miss Woolford,  
J. Ducrow and Lloyd, clowns,  
Messrs. Fillingham, Yates and Widdicomb, riding masters,  
Master Bridges on the elastic cord,  
Crusaders,  
Grand Tournament, A L'Outrance,  
The Games of Cupid and Zephyr,  
Mademoiselle Lucie de Fanconi,  
The Courier of St. Petersburg,  
Black type on off white background,  
H. Bellerby, Printer, Gazette-Office, York,  
114mm x 457mm  
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**178R47.22** poster  
27 August 1824  
Bootham Bar, York for the benefit of Mr. Cooke,  
Spirit of Emulation or Trial of Talent,  
Gran Horse Pyramids,  
Balancing and Herculian Feasts by Mon. Bengerman,  
The Rival Vaulters,  
Messrs. Bridges & Bell on The Corde Volante and The Circle of Fire,  
Paul Pietro, war Indian,  
Mysterios Metamorphose,  
A Comic Pas-de-Deux,  
Mons. Cline on the tightrope,  
Mr. Gibson introducing a concerton on the clarionet,  
Mr. Cooke, equestrian act,  
Mr. M'Carrall introducing concerton on the key bugle,  
The Entree of Mameluke Warriors,  
Spotted Charger,  
Mr. Woolford, equestrian act,  
Mr. Boulter, clown,  
Mr. Button's Journey to Brentford,

Black type on white background,  
255mm x 370mm  
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**178R47.23** poster

19 September 1877  
Brunswick Road, Liverpool,  
The Great Company of equestrians, gymnasts, vaulters, jugglers and leapers,  
Fillis Family,  
Mr. Hubert Cooke, equestrian act,  
Mr. John Walker, equestrian act,  
Mr. James Powell Junior, equestrian act,  
Miss Louise Powell, equestrian act,  
Mr. James H. Jee, equestrian act,  
Mr. George Delevanti, equestrian act,  
Miss. Jeesie Powell,  
Miss Virginia Jee,  
Mr. James Bridges,  
Miss Amy Samwell,  
Miss Lilly Jee,  
Mr. A. Bridges,  
Ferdinand August,  
Signorina Guiseppina Quaglieni, equestrian act,  
Hulines, grotesque musical act,  
Mdlle. Adelaide,  
Mr. Felix Revolti,  
Mr. W. Powell,  
Mr. F. C. Hengler,  
M. Amesou,  
Gi Clevori,  
Miss Nellie Boswell,  
Master Arthur Lloyd,  
Mdlle. Marie Jee,  
Mr. James Lloyd, equestrian act,  
The Great Fountain of Variegated Waters,  
Horses and ponies,  
Tony Grice, James Holloway, Willie Templeton, Le quips & F. August,  
clowns,  
Japanese Fete,  
Blue, red and black type on white background and illustrations of performers on all four corner and in the centre over yellow background,  
James Upton, Baskerville Steam Printing Works, Great Charles Street,  
Birmingham,  
335mm x 685mm  
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**178R47.24** poster

7 September 1829

Bonaparte's Passage of the Great St. Bernard, panoramic drama,  
Mr. Ducrow's enactment of the Venetian Statue,  
Mr. Ducrow and Miss Woolford, double tightrope act,  
St. George and the Dragon,  
Miss Woolford, equestrian act,  
Herr Adolphe Berg, equestrian act,  
Liberty or the Flight of the Saracens,  
Messrs. J. Ducrow, Lloyd and MacDonald, clowns,  
Messrs. Yates and Widdicomb, equestrian act,  
Cataract of the Ganges,  
Black type on off white background,  
257mm x 767mm  
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**178R47.25** poster

9 November 1829

Monday 9th November 1829 and rest of the week,  
Mr. Ducrow as Rob Roy or the Mountain Shepherd, equestrian act,  
Greek Soldier,  
Lilliputian Bonaparte and his pygmy war horse, equestrian act,  
Mr. Ducrow and Miss Woolford, double tightrope act,  
Russians and Turks combat,  
The Attack of the Courier,  
Col. Ross and the Officers of the Fourth Dragoon Guards,  
Mr. Ducrow as the Grecian Statue,  
Black type on off white background with illustration of man stood up on  
horse back holding a shield and sword on top section,  
H. Bellerby, Printer, Gazette-Office, York,  
250mm x 762mm  
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**178R47.26** poster

9 November 1830

Pantheon, Norwich,  
12 Arabian and Hanoverian horses,  
Country Dance,  
Mr. Cooke on The Courier of St. Petersburg,  
The Magnificent Pegasus,  
Miss Emiline Margaretta on The Countess of Lilliput or the Fair old Maid  
of 1725, comical equestrian act,  
Mr. Smith with Burmese twin ponies act,  
Mr. Williams' leaping, acrobatic act,  
Master Alfred Cooke's on The Playful Zephyr, equestrian act,  
Mons. Hengler on sigle tightrope act,  
Protean Nondescript, gymnastic act,  
Brentford Election, comedy act,

Black type on off white background with royal shield on top section and illustration of equestrian act showing a man holding a small person on his left hand while standing on five horses, both holding flags,  
Balne, Printer, 38, Gracechurch Street, London,  
151mm x 573mm  
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**178R47.27** poster

18 September 1843  
Moday, 18 September 1843 and five following evenings,  
Sir Edward Lytton Bulwer's Siege of Granada,  
Mr. Mosley, equestrian act,  
Conquest of Granada or The Steed of the Silver Star and Last Struggle of the Moors,  
Invasion of Spain,  
Four Real White Mules of Cordova,  
The Chiarini Family, French rope dancers,  
Master John Powell and Le Petit Isabelle as The Russian Peasants,  
Old Weller The Prince of Whips,  
Bustling Mr. Pickwick,  
Aerial Puck,  
Mr. R. Smith introducing Pegasus,  
Apollo and his music footed steed of Olympus,  
Signor Felix Carlo as the Flemish Gymnastic Sprite,  
Mons. Louise Tourinaire as the French Courier of Marseilles, equestrian act,  
Messr. T. Barry, Twist and Signor Felix Carlo, clowns,  
Pass of the Torza or The Hungarians' Struggle,  
Morocco Arabs,  
Black type on off white background,  
J. W. Peel, Printer to the Establishment, 74 New Cut, Opposite the Victoria Theatre,  
237mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.28** poster

26 October 1829  
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 26, 27 and 28, 1829,  
The Union of the Nations,  
Master Brown as The Young Lancer and his Charger,  
The Countess of Lilliput,  
My Grandmother on Horseback,  
The Roman Galdiator,  
The Flight of Mercury,  
Greek Soldier,  
Fairy Horses,  
Mock Combat,

Miss Woolford and Master Bridges on the elastic cord,  
Mademoiselle Lucie de Franconi,  
The Enebriated Huzzar,  
Yorkshire Sportsman and his Bareback Hunters,  
Black type on off white background with illustration of male rider standing  
on two horses while jumping an obstacle on top section,  
H. Bellerby, Printer, Gazette-Office, York,  
254mm x 764mm  
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**178R47.29** poster

27 November 1843  
For the benefit of the Benevolent Fund Society held at M. J. Menon's,  
City Arms, Hunter Street, Kent Road,  
Victories of Murat, The Soldier of France,  
Mr. Anthony Powell, equestrian act,  
Mr. R. Smith, equestrian act,  
Mr. Kemp, magic pole,  
Miss Isabelle on Poverty and Abundance, equestrian act,  
Mr. T. Lee, Mons. Masotta, Mons. Verdy as the Trois Olympians, eque-  
strian act,  
Pageant of Grace or the Dames and their Fleet-Footed Steeds,  
Messrs. T. Barry, Twist and Kemp, clowns,  
Hercules, King of Clubs,  
Black type on off white background,  
J. W. Peel, Printer to the Establishment, 74 New Cut, Opposite the Vic-  
toria Theatre,  
240mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.30** poster

No date  
London Street, Greenwich, Monday 8 to Wednesday 10 January,  
Sir John Falstaff, Shylock & Richard The Third,  
Mr. Powell, Madlle La Fayette and Mr. Henderson upon three tighropes,  
Mamaluke Chiefs,  
Mr. C. Adams and the Inca of Peru or Sun Worshipper,  
Mr. Brown Ariel Pole Dance,  
Mr. Samwell, Old English Act,  
Messrs. Brown & Grant, The Indian Rubber Men,  
Master Polaski in The Little Grenadier,  
Master J. Hengler in Cries of London,  
Mrs. Henderson as the Maid of Saragossa,  
Mr. Powell as Sir John Falstaff,  
Shylock,  
Richard III,  
Mr. Henderson, Mr. J. Samwell and Master W. Samwell as The Flying

Olympians or the Three Roman Riders,  
Mr. J. Samwell in Jim Crow and his Granny or a Ride in a Hand Basket,  
Lubin and Annette or the Wandering Peddler,  
Mr. Powell, Madlle La Fayette and Mr, Henderson on three tightropes,  
Black type on off white background with illustration of a man and two  
women dancing on three tightropes on the top section and elaborate bor-  
ders along the sides,  
252mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.31** poster

No date  
Hemel Hempstead, Tuesday 19 March,  
The wolves that scaped and killed the favourite horse Shrewsbury and  
other animals at the theatre in London on February 11th 1888 and were  
recaptured by Alpine Charles will appear at both morning and evening  
performances,  
Colour illustration of scene of wolves attacking horses and other animals,  
including exotic animals, inside a building and men with whips and sticks,  
red and black type,  
Note on reverse: 'Very rare poster, Lord George Sanger, The Wolves,  
Presented by heirs, F. Sanger Reeve',  
David Allen & Sons Printer Belfast and London,  
718mm x 496mm  
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**178R47.32** poster

No date  
Bridge Road, Hammersmith,  
Monday 24th April and two following evenings,  
Mr. Powell and the Infant Equestrians on The Sprite of the Morning Star,  
Mons. Hengler on the tightrope,  
Master John Hengler,  
Master Polaski as the Hihgland Laddie, equestrian act,  
Mr. Grant, strong man on Iron Arm,  
Little Grenadier or Lilliputian Warrior,  
Still Vaulting,  
Mr. Thorpe on the slack rope,  
Mr. Adams on Massaroni, the Brigand of the Alpes,  
King Arthur,  
The Sylph of the Circle,  
Morning Star,  
Jack the Giant Killer,  
Black type on off white background with black and white illustration of  
figures on landscape including a cupid a figure climbing up a ladder on a  
tree and a figure walking out of the sun,  
From the John Johnson Collection, Bodleian Library, Oxford,

Printed in Great Britain at the University Press, Oxford, Reproduction,  
281mm x 810mm  
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**178R47.33** poster  
27 June 1863  
Bath, Cricket Field, Pulteney Road, Friday and Saturday, June 27 and  
28,  
Sanger's grand procession on the occasion of the marriage of T. R. H. The  
Prince and Princess of Wales,  
Equestrian acts,  
Gymnastic acts,  
Performing dromedaries, camels, lamas, cebras, Peruvian God horses, ele-  
phants,  
Colour illustration showing procession of animals and carriages on a zig-  
zag line from the top to the bottom of the poster with text in between  
in black type on pale yellow background and title on red and yellow over  
blue background,  
340mm x 1054mm  
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**178R47.34** poster  
No date  
Colour illustration of male equestrian act doing a summer sole over a  
galloping horse with ringmaster in tuxido stood on the right and clown in  
stripy outfit stood on the left, over yellow background and orange border  
on the top section,  
Moody Bros., Regd. No. 26553, Birmingham,  
328mm x 708mm  
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**178R47.35** poster  
No date  
Hangler's Argyll St. Oxford Circus. W.,  
Jumbo Junior,  
Colour illustration of elephant and trainer in tuxido over red background,  
white and black type, signed F. Rigby on bottom right  
Printed by W. T. Haycock & Sons Ltd. Soho, London W.,  
478mm x 735mm  
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**178R47.36** poster  
No date  
Animated pictures,  
Great Riots in St. Petersburg,  
Blue Beard,  
Historic events during the reign of Louis XIV,

Professor Anderton, conjurer,  
Sisters May, vocalists, cake walkers and skipping rope dancers,  
Charles Bruno, comedian and singer,  
Miss Harvey, dancer,  
Black, red and blue type on off white background and blocks of blue,  
yellow and red, with black and white illustrations of the acts on the top  
corners, centre and bottom left sections over blue and yellow backgrounds,  
Willson's New Walk Colour Printing Works, Leicester,  
337mm x 1065mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.37** poster

No date  
Joliet, E. of city limits, Rt. 52 Manhattan Rd.,  
Friday 7 August,  
Colour illustration of cage tamer in white shirt and trousers surrounded by  
roaring lions and tigers in yellow, blue, red and green with red type, date  
and location added on at the bottom  
344mm x 1207mm  
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**178R47.38** poster

No date  
London, December 21st to January 23rd,  
Fun fair open from noon,  
May Wirth,  
London has never seen such a show,  
Colour illustration in a circle in the centre, of head of white horse and  
woman's torso, she has a black bob and wears a red ribbon on her hair  
and traditional costume and white type on dark brown background,  
1013mm x 717mm  
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**178R47.39** poster

1946  
Redditch, Beoley Road, Wednesday 7 May,  
The Sensation of 1946, The Lady over the Lions, performed by Janett,  
erial act,  
Alexis, trick rider,  
Tony & Partner, comedy wire act,  
Eve on top of the globe,  
Funny clowns,  
Les Freres, acrobatic tumbling act,  
Zadowsky Troupe, equestrian act,  
The Flying Demons, aerial act,  
The Crackerjacks, wild west act,  
Squibs & Jojo, clowns,



2 miniature Shetland ponies,  
Sonya Allan's performing lions,  
Red and blue type on off white background with illustration of lion on  
centre left,  
257mm x 727mm  
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**178R47.40** poster  
4 May 1945  
Redditch, Beoley Road, Recreation Ground, Friday and Saturday 4th and  
5th May,  
Jumbo,  
The Alleys, acrobatic act,  
Marthines, troupe of performing dogs,  
The Albertas, juggling act,  
Miss Rosey and her comedy horse,  
Mdlle. Rigley, equestrian act,  
The Nondescripts,  
Black Eagle,  
Gerry Lee and Partner,  
Madam Mazelle om poble wom womskie, comedy act,  
Royal Cream ponies,  
Tiney and September,  
Prince Abdul,  
A host of clowns,  
Vokes, strong man,  
Black type on yred, yellow and white background on the left hand side  
and colour illustration of circus ring with female equestrian act, clown,  
ringmaster in red tails and large clown face on top left,  
W. E. Berry Ltd., Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
480mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.41** poster  
1929  
Baby June the cycling elephant, the only one in the world,  
Colour illustration in the centre, of elephant on trycicle with girl in white  
dress on the right and hobo clown on the left within a blue circle and  
yellow margins containing illustrations of elephants, horse and carriage  
with performers and elephant and the face of a man on top left also within  
a circle,  
465mm x 685mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.42** poster  
5 June 1816  
Mr. Conway's Night, Theatre Royal, Covent Garden,

Mr. Egerton, Mr. Tokely, Mr. Liston, Mr. Duruset, Mr. Bellamy, Master  
C. Parsloe, Mr. Young, Mr. jefferies, Mr. Murray, Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Fawcett, Miss Logan, Mrs. Egerton, Miss Matthews, Mrs. H. John-  
ston in The Exile  
Mr. Matthews in Mrs. Wiggings,  
Mr. Sinclair and Miss Stephens,  
Mr. Grimaldi and Mr. Ellar in Mother Goose,  
Mr. Conway, Mr. Bellamy, Mr. Claremont, Mr. W. Chapman, Mr. Sim-  
mons, Mr. Treby, Mr. H. Well, Mr. Menage, Mr. Grant, Mr. Powers, Mr.  
Louis, Mr. Platt, Mr. Sarjaut, Mr. Brown, Messrs. Heath, Montague,  
Lee, Sutton, Miss West, Mrs. Emery and Mrs. H. Johnston in Katherine  
and Petruchio,  
Miss O'Neill,  
Mr. Kemble,  
Mrs. Siddons,  
Black type on white background listing the cast of performers and acts  
with hand written note on reverse,  
200mm x 323mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.43** poster

6 May 1897  
High Street, Poplar,  
For the Benefit of Mr. Michael Abrahams,  
Jack Camp,  
Johnny Gilmore,  
Fred Earle,  
Harry Wright,  
Nellie Gannon,  
F. W. St. Clair,  
Bros. Brewer,  
Tom Leamore,  
Dan Conroy,  
Haig & Haig,  
Harry Nation,  
Ray & Ransford,  
Ike, Scott & Son,  
Foreman & Fannin,  
Ernest D'Almaine,  
J. P. Johnson,  
Ted Cowan,  
Daisy Deroy,  
Cable & Helton,  
Lizzie Howard,  
Pat Carey,  
Walter Stockwell,

Alec Thomas,  
Walter Stanley,  
The Meltones,  
Alf Chester,  
Harry Kent,  
Harry Wright,  
Lily Lena,  
Katie Lawrence,  
Gus Garrick,  
The Websters,  
Sisters Abbott,  
Sisters Santley,  
Charles Gardiner,  
Fred Darby,  
Tom Eno,  
Daisy May,  
Patty Yole,  
Albert Abud,  
Athas & Collins,  
Lillie Burnand,  
Water Munroe,  
Lytton & Austin,  
Brown & Casey,  
Lily Benson,  
Brien McCullough & Co., Miss Fredrica, Marie Le Blanc, Arthur Lennard,  
Newham & Latimer, Fred Dice, Rose Hamilton, Sam Dalton, Alice Carney,  
Phil Ray, Nellie Wilson, Prof. Dunning, Mdlle. Kahn, Mark Sheridan and  
J. P. Dane in Uncle Tom's Cabin,  
Duncan Campbell and Oliph Webb in An Old Chum,  
Black type on orange background listing of cast of performers and acts,  
Olde Eld & Co., Printers, Ludgate Square, E. C.,  
126mm x 375mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.44** poster

13 Feburary 1863

Birmingham,

Pantomime,

Mr. Ersser Jones, Mr. C. Vincent, Mr. Evelyn Evans, Mr. H. Montgomery, Mr. E. V. Sinclair, Mr. E. Job, Mr. W. Scott, Mr. J. Barton, Mr. J. M. King, Miss Bessie Harding and Miss Cleveland in Steel Waters Run Deep,

Mdlle. Marie Mazoni, Miss Eyles, Miss Tibbitts, Miss Bessie Harding, Miss L. Warden, Miss Amelia Smith, Miss Nelly Smith, Mr. J. Barton, Mr. E. V. Sinclair, Miss Maria Stanley, Mr. P. White, Mr. Walton Scott, Mr. E. Dixon, Mr. W. Glydon, Miss Emma Nason, Mr. E. Job, Mr.

Movealong, Mr. H. Montgomery, Mr. F. W. Gould, Mr. Elliott Browne,  
Mr. J. M. King, Mr. Jones, Mr. Smith, Mr. G. Wilson, Mr. O. Roberts,  
Mr. J. F. Mortimer, Mr. Green, Mr. Richards, Master Roe, Mr. Freder-  
icks, Mr. T. Chapman and Harry Croueste in Puss in Boots,  
Allsop's wax works exhibition,  
Prince's Visit to our Future Queen,  
Halls of Christmas in the Valley of Holly and Mistletoe,  
Black type on white background listing cast of performers and acts,  
167mm x 750mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.45** poster

4 April 1856  
Lecture Hall, Harewick, Derby,  
Young Hengler as Hamlet, Prince of Denmark,  
Mrs. J. F. Saville as Gertrude, Queen of Denmark,  
Hamlet Prince of Denmark,  
Mr. Fenton,  
Mr. Heath,  
Mr. Clifford,  
Mr. Yates,  
Mr. L. Thomas,  
Mr. Wells,  
Mr. Hughes,  
Mr. Steyne,  
Mr. White,  
Mr. Sterne,  
Mr. Bond,  
Mr. H. Lacy,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Sampson,  
Mr. Edwards,  
Miss Vining,  
Miss Procter,  
The Spectre Bridegroom,  
Black type on off white background,  
170mm x 236mm (framed)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.46** poster

No date  
Luigi Gerardi et ses 8 lions sauvages,  
Colour illustration of bare chested man seen from behind with three lions  
jumping over his head and more lions on right and left hand side on orange  
background,

450mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.47** poster

2 September 1828

Mr. S. Smith, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Nichols, Mr. Herring, Mr. S. Foster,  
Mr. Ridgway, Mr. J. Smith, Mr. Chapman, Mrs. Gomersal, Miss Ross  
and Mrs. West in Blue Beard or Female Curiosity,  
Miss Woolford & Miss Cooke in double tightrope act,

Mr. Lewis, clown,

The Elephant,

Mr. Ducrow's New Scenes,

The Two Favourite Dwarf Ponies,

Mr. Wilkinson as The Wild Peruvian,

Mr. J. Ducrow, clown,

The Flying Indian on the Slack Rope,

Mr. Cartlitch, Mr. Elliott, Mr. Herring, Mrs. Pope, Miss Burrell and  
Mrs. Gomersal in Cest L'Amour, L'Amour, L'Amour or Who can Help  
It?,

Black type on off white background listing the acts and the cast of per-  
formers,

255mm x 377mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.48** poster

21 September 1829

Mr. Leclercq, Miss Burnett, Master Frampton in Tippoo Saib or The  
Storming of Seringapatam,

Mr. Leclercq, Mr. Herring, Mr. Elliott, Mr. Cartlitch, Mr. S. Foster,  
Mrs. Yates and Mrs. Cartlitch in Wild Boy,

Mr. Ducrow in Drunken Gambler, Games of Cupid and Zephyr with the  
Infant Prodigy, Horse Duellist and Buffo Quadruped Fights a Duel with  
the Clown,

Mrs. Gomersal's first appearance as an equestrian,

Mr. J. Ducrow, clown,

Messrs. Honor, T. & G. Ridgway, Widdicomb, T. Smith, Fillingham,  
Montgomery & Inwood, Messds. J. Ducrow, Cartlitch, Ward, E. Burnett,  
Tuft, M. Ducrow, Woolford and Hamilton, Mr. Leclecq, Miss Burnett,  
Mr. Hummerston, M dame Ducrow and Mrs. West in Grand Russian  
Gallopade,

An Llemande by Master Frampton, Misses Tuft and M. Ducrow,

Mr. Elliott, Mr. J. Smith, Mr. Herring, Mrs. Pope, Mrs. Gomersal, Mr.  
Lawrence, Mr. Gomersal, Mr. Cartlitch, Mr. Chapman, Mr. S. Smith,  
Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Sherlock in The Skeleton Chief or The Ruins  
of St. Hermanded,

Black type on off white background listing the acts and cast of performers,  
T. Romney, Printer, Bridge-road, Lambeth,

290mm x 410mm (framed)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.49** poster

No date  
Westminster Bridge Road,  
Now open for the summer season, under the direction of Miss Virginia  
Blackwood,  
White and marron type on off white background and black and white  
portrait of a lady with hat, shoulder cape and fur hand warmer in the  
centre,  
M'Corquodale & Co., Printers, Cardington Street, London, N. W.,  
275mm x 425mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.50** poster

9 July 1834  
Wednesday 9th July 1834 and during the week,  
Mr. Davidge, The English Potier,  
Mrs. S. Foster, Mr. Elliott, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Mashall, Mrs. Pope,  
Mrs. Danson, Miss Daly, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Cartlitch, Mr. S. Smith, Mr.  
Taylor, Mr. Callcot, Mr. Bland, Mr. Fillingham and Mrs. J. Ducrow in  
Mazeppa and the Wild Horse,  
Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Davidge, Mr. Smith, Mr. Elliott, Messrs.  
George Needaam, T. Needhaam & Bullock, Mrs. J. Ducrow, Mrs. Weston  
and Miss Enscoe in Mill of Bagdad,  
Mr. Ducrow's Scenes in the Circle,  
Fairy actors and lilliputian horses,  
Signor Hillier in British Fox-Hunter,  
Mr. Stickney and Master Adams, equestrian act,  
Messrs. Bartlett and Brown, clowns,  
Messrs. Fillingham and Widdicomb, riding masters,  
Mr. Avery, Mrs. Searle, Mr. Sanders and Taylor and Mr. Fillingham in  
Johnny Gilpin's Red, or the Black With of Edmonton,  
Black type on off white background listing acts and cast of performers,  
270mm x 400mm (framed)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.51** poster

No date  
Mr. Amherst, Mr. Pope, Mr. Cartlitch, Mr. Elliott, Mr. J. Smith,  
Mr. Sanders, Mr. Bradley, Mr. S. Foster, Mr. Yarnold, Mr. Lawrence,  
Mr. Fillingham, Mrs. West, Miss Poole, Mrs. Gomersal, Mr. Foster,  
Mr. Herring, Mr. Honor, Mr. Watkins, Mr. Montgomery, Master West,  
Upsdell, Mrs. Bradley, Mr. Gomersal and Mrs. Pope in Spain & Portugal  
or, Rebels and Guerillas,  
Mr. Avery in lilliputian horse & jockey act,

Mr. Ducrow in The Chinese Enchanter,  
Messrs. Herring, Lawrence, Cartlitch, Foster and Jones and Mesdames  
Poole, Gomersal and West in Love at all Corners,  
Black type on off white background listing acts and cast of performers,  
J. H. Cox, Printer, 11 Lambeth Road,  
270mm x 398mm (framed)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.52** poster

No date  
Richmond Old Deer Park, Friday 15 October,  
Colour illustration showing a clown's face on centre right, over a Smart  
circus tent opening the entrance curtains and letting all the performers  
come out, over a blue background,  
Signed by Chris Pavely,  
421mm x 597mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.53** poster

1971  
Colour illustration of tigers leaping on the bottom section, animal tamer  
behind them, clown face on centre right, horse trainer with horses on  
centre and two elephants on top right on a red and yellow background,  
bottom section left blank for printing location and date,  
Signed by Thomas,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.54** poster

No date  
Battersea Park, London Summer Season,  
Colour illustration of female equestrian in long red gown and top hat riding  
a white horse, trapeze act on bottom left and clown and female face on  
centre right, also aerial act on crescent moon on top left corner, over a  
blue background and blue and white borders,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,  
634mm x 1010mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.55** poster

1964  
Porsmouth, Southsea Common, 27 July to 8 August,  
Yellow type on blue background and blue type on white background with  
half of a clown face on the right hand side and a pink speech bubble on  
bottom section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,  
370mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.56** poster

1965

Birmingham, Hay Mills, 18 March to 3 April,

Yellow type on blue background and blue type on white background with half of a clown face on the right hand side and a pink speech bubble on bottom section,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,

370mm x 505mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.57** poster

1966

Birmingham, Hay Mills, 17 March to 2 April,

Yellow type on blue background and blue type on white background with half of a clown face on the right hand side and a pink speech bubble on bottom section,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,

370mm x 505mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.58** poster

No date

Scarborough, Burniston Road Barracks Sports Field, 5 August to 10 August,

Colour illustration of baby elephant on brown background, wearing a tutu and a pointy hat with a bauble stood up on two legs with its head turned towards the viewer and holding a yellow sign under his right leg reading The World's Greatest Circus, Thrills, Spectacle, Beauty,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,

316mm x 493mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.59** poster

No date

Clapham Common, South Side, 28 October to 23 November,

Colour illustration of baby elephant on brown background, wearing a tutu and a pointy hat with a bauble stood up on two legs with its head turned towards the viewer and holding a yellow sign under his right leg reading The World's Greatest Circus, Thrills, Spectacle, Beauty,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,

316mm x 493mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.60** poster

No date

Leicester, Emerald Street Site, 15 April to 27 April,

Colour illustration of baby elephant on brown background, wearing a tutu



and a pointy hat with a bauble stood up on two legs with its head turned towards the viewer and holding a yellow sign under his right leg reading The World's Greatest Circus, Thrills, Spectacle, Beauty,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,  
316mm x 493mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.61** poster

No date  
Clapham Common, South Side, open until 20 November,  
Colour illustration of baby elephant on blue background, wearing a pointy hat with a bauble and a green bowtie, seated on a circus platform in front of a small woman in circus band uniform wearing a tall red hat and black shorts, holding a poster with his trunk with the location and time of the circus, also yellow and white type,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Nesfield Printing Works Bradford,  
382mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.62** poster

No date  
Birmingham, Hay Mills, 18 March to 3 April,  
Colour illustration of elephant on blue background, wearing a pointy hat with a bauble and a green bowtie, seated on a circus platform in front of a small woman in circus band uniform wearing a tall red hat and black shorts, holding a poster with his trunk with the location and time of the circus, also yellow and white type,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Nesfield Printing Works Bradford,  
382mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.63** poster

1968  
Clapham Common, South Side, 28 October to 23 November,  
Colour illustration of elephant wearing a tutu and a pointy hat with a bauble stood on a circus platform and a mouse dressed as an elephant trainer holding a whip on blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
318mm x 498mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.64** poster

1959  
Cardiff, Sophia Gardens, 18-28 March,  
The Six Biros,  
Billy Smart Junior presenting 10 elephants,  
Alma Piaia, aerial act,

3 Peters, aerial act,  
Fle-Ming's sealions,  
Bartschelly, plate spinning act,  
The Brooke Bond Chimps,  
The Four Willers,  
The Lunasz, trapeze act,  
The Four Jungoves, ladder act,  
Camel Caravan,  
Plus 200 artistes from every nation,  
Colour illustration of clown on centre left behind the list of acts which  
are printed in multicolour type and backgrounds, and circus scenes on the  
right hand side including a trapeze act, an elephant, a camel and a zebra,  
on blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
305mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.65** poster

1955  
Tagora the human volcano,  
Over 200 animals,  
Colour illustration of bare chested man wearing a turbant, spitting fire  
on the bottom right and his face on centre left on a blue, red and orange  
background, also yellow and red and white, black and yellow type,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
315mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.66** poster

1966  
Birmigham, Hay Mills, 17 March to 2 April,  
Colour illustration of female stood on an elephant with two elephants  
resting their front legs on that elephant, all on blocks of black colour over  
a red and orange background with white, blue and yellow type,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
219mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.67** poster

1969  
Peterborough, Agricultural Show ground, 31 March to 5 April,  
Colour illustration of bust of Billy Smart wearing hat and bow tie and  
holding a cigar with circus ring scene on the background showing wild  
west act,  
305mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.68** poster

1966

Cheltenham, Sandford Mill Road/Old Bath Road, 9-11 June,  
Colour illustration of bust of Billy Smart wearing hat and bow tie and  
holding a cigar with circus ring scene on the background showing wild  
west act,  
305mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.69** poster

1959

Clapham Common, 26 October to 14 November,  
Western Spectacle, wild west act,  
The 1001 Arabian Nights Fantasy,  
Yellow, pink, white and brown type on brown, yellow and white back-  
ground and a colour illustration for each programme theme showing the  
gun battle and the magic horse in yellow, blue, pink, black and white,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
325mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.70** poster

No date

Porsmouth, Southsea Common, 11-16 August,  
Yellow and orange type and white type on dark blue background with  
illustration of clown's face and arm in green bowler hat on top section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,  
230mm x 383mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.71** poster

1962

Stratford-on-Avon, Bishopton Field, Birmingham Road, 10-12 June,  
Aerial fantasy,  
20 elephants,  
The Fairyland story,  
U.S. Seventh Cavalry western show,  
Polar bears, chimpanzees, camels plus over 150 other animals,  
Colour illustration of clown in green jacket and red trousers holding seven  
coloured ballons containing the circus acts over a black starry background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
288mm x 433mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.72** poster

1956

Preston, Queens Road site, 3-8 September,

Great Western spectacle featuring Davy Crockett,  
Colour illustration of wild west act in circus ring with man in traditional  
costume holding a raffle stood on the left hand side,  
310mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.73** poster  
1968  
Bridlington, Sewerby Heads site, 12-17 August,  
Yellow and white type on blue background with smiling clown face wearing  
a small, black and white checked top hat on centre left, text on bottom in  
blue type over white,  
317mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.74** poster  
1969  
Clapham Common, 27 October,  
Colour illustration of baby tiger playing a drum on a green background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
315mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.75** poster  
No date  
Leeds, Queen's Hall, 22 December to 27 January,  
Yellow, pink, blue and white type on mainly blue background with yellow,  
white and pink stars,  
380mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.76** poster  
No date  
Scarborough, Burniston Road Barracks Field, Saturday 10 August,  
Brooke Bond invite children only to a special free circus show at Billy  
Smart Circus,  
White, Yellow and red type on white, yellow and red backgrounds with  
silhouette of an elephant behind the text in red,  
382mm x 514mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.77** poster  
No date  
Dewsbury, the Feast Ground, 25-30 March,  
Jurkschat's Arabian horses,  
Cowboys, Indians, Squaws,  
The Foreign Legionaires,  
The Atlas Sahara Troupe of tumblers,

Lilian Kenny, trapeze act,  
Kroplin's chimpanzees,  
Rock'n'Roll elephants,  
The Two Loopinos, motor-bike aerial act,  
12 polar bears,  
The Flying Hungarian Lunasz,  
The Camel caravan,  
Spider Austin & Company,  
The Larenty Troupe,  
Gloria's Indian ponies,  
Flemming's Californian sea lions,  
Clown's firehouse,  
Colour illustration of cowboys and Indians scene galloping towards the viewer with text above and below on the shape of a semicircle segmented into colour blocks containing the acts,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
315mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.78** poster

1957  
Inverness, Bught Park, 5 to 10 August,  
Jurkschat's Arabian horses,  
Cowboys, Indians, Squaws,  
The Foreign Legionaires,  
The Atlas Sahara Troupe of tumblers,  
Lydia & Lydda, trapeze act,  
Kroplin's chimpanzees,  
Rock'n'Roll elephants,  
Musical chais on horseback,  
12 polar bears,  
The Flying Hungarian Lunasz,  
The Camel caravan,  
Sasha Coco and Company,  
The Larenty Troupe,  
8 African Lions,  
Flemming's Californian sea lions,  
Clown's firehouse,  
Colour illustration of cowboys and Indians scene galloping towards the viewer with text above and below on the shape of a semicircle segmented into colour blocks containing the acts,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
315mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.79** poster

1955

Cheltenham, Sandford Park, 3-4 June,  
Colour illustration of wild animals running on grass including elephants,  
lions, bears, polar bears, camels, llamas and cebras in a circle on the centre  
of the poster,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
319mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.80** poster

1950  
Salisbury, Cook's Field, Wilton Road, 3-8 July,  
The Elleanos, high wire act,  
Jolly, balancing act,  
Miss Olga, trapeze act,  
The Grand Carousel,  
The Crazy Car,  
The Great Alexanders, springboard act,  
12 Royal Welsh Liberty ponies,  
Performing bears,  
Vinicky,  
English clowns,  
Highland Oxen trained by J. Vinicky,  
Elephants,  
8 Friesian black horses,  
Nicolai and his performing lions,  
Leona on the steel mast,  
Yellow, blue and black type on red, white and yellow stripe background  
with illustration of elephant and lion head on top section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
262mm x 455mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.81** poster

1954  
Edinburgh, Murray Fields, 24-29 May,  
Colour illustration of acts grouped around the poster with highland cattle,  
a white face clown's face and an elephant behind a wheel of death on the  
top section, horses, chimpanzees and cebras on the centre and lions, clown  
faces, polar bears and an elephant in a police hat riding a motorcycle on  
the bottom section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford  
324mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.82** poster

1953  
Birmingham, Greyhound stadium car park, 16 November to 5 December,

10 baby elephants,  
The Rhors, balancing act,  
6 Palominos, horses  
Highland Bulls,  
The Puhlmanns, jet plane acrobatics,  
The Davron Himalayan bears,  
Baby zebras,  
Chimpanzees,  
The Gutis, comedy act,  
The Minivers, motor cycle aerial act,  
The Highwayman and his black steeds,  
Bareback riders,  
10 lions,  
9 Moroccan tumblers,  
Yellow, red, white green and black type on blue, white, red, green and  
yellow backgrounds, in the centre black and white illustration of elephant  
in police hat riding a motorbike surrounded by all the acts in petal like  
colour shapes over a blue background,  
315mm x 438mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.83** poster

1957  
Inverness, Bught Park, 5-10 August,  
The Flying Hungarian Lunasz,  
Colour illustration of trapeze act showing two men a woman in mid air  
and a clown on a blue background and a pink circus ring below,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.84** poster

1969  
Clapham Common, 27 October for a short season,  
Colour illustration of baby tiger playing a drum on a green starry back-  
ground,  
Signed Thomas,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.85** poster

1971  
Birmigham, Hay Mills, 25 March to 17 April,  
Colour illustration of three clowns, one of which is throwing a bucket of  
water to the viewer on a dark blue background with yellow type above,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.86** poster

No date  
Bridlington, Sewerby Heads site, 12-17 August,  
Colour illustration of baby elephant stood on its back legs, wearing a tutu and a pointy hat with a bauble, resting its right front leg on a notice reading 'The World's Greatest Circus, thrills, spectacle, beauty' on a brown background, also yellow, blue and red type,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.87** poster

1968  
Clapham Common, South Side, 28 October to 23 November,  
Colour illustration of elephant wearing a tutu and a pointy hat with a bauble stood on a circus platform and a mouse dressed as an elephant trainer holding a whip on blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.88** poster

No date  
Bridlington, Sewerby Heads site, 12-17 August,  
Colour illustration of smiley clown's face wearing a small checked top hat and the outline of a circus tent on the right in white with fireworks on the side on a blue background and yellow, white and red type  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.89** poster

1954-1955  
Birmingham, Bingley Hall, 20 December to 22 January,  
Colour illustration of wild animals running on grass including elephants, lions, bears, polar bears, camels, llamas and cebas in a circle on the centre of the poster,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
327mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.90** poster

1958  
Slough, Twinches Lane, Bath Road, 20 October to 1 November,  
Colour illustration of Bartschelly, plate spinner wearing a white suite and



black bow tie and spinning plates on an orange, red and blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.91** poster

1953  
Birmigham, Greyhound Stadium car park, 16 November to 5 December,  
Colour illustration of chimpanzees sat around a table drinking tea and  
eating cake, wearing bibs with their names on,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
508mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.92** poster

1959  
Cardiff, Sophia Gardens, 18-28 March,  
Colour illustration of elephant foot hovering over a woman's head, who is  
laid on the floor,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.93** poster

1957  
York, The Knavesmire, 15-20 April,  
Presenting the new circorama plus great western spectacle featuring Davy  
Crockett,  
Colour illustration of western scene in ladscape showing native Americans  
and settlers in battle, a larger figure of a native American stood on a hill  
with his right arm raise and opposite Davy Crockett hodling a riffle,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.94** poster

1957  
Preston, Moor Park, 6-11 July,  
Featuring for the first time two super spectacles, The Wild West Show  
and the Arabian Nights Review,  
Colour illustration of a man in a turbant and a woman riding a black,  
winged horse in the centre, a man on a flying carpet on top left, belly  
dancers on bottom left and elephants with colour covers on,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
505mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.95** poster

1958

Featuring for the first time anywhere two super spectacles, The Wild West Show and the Arabian Nights Review,

Colour illustration of wild west scene showing a settlers' caravan being chased by native Americans and a black and white scene on bottom right corner of the gun fighters,

Poster left blank for location and dates,

515mm x 765mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.96** poster

1962

Hereford, The Race course, 13-15 September,

Featuring for the first time anywhere two super spectacles, The Wild West Show plus a new production, Fairyland Fantasy,

Colour illustration of wild west scene showing a settlers' caravan being chased by native Americans,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

510mm x 764mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.97** poster

No date

Worcester, The Pitchcroft, 10-12 September,

A great new super spectacle, The Fairyland Fantasy,

Colour illustration of woman in sparkling light blue gown holding a long stick with a star on the top end a castle on top left and two green witches over a cauldron on bottom left,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

512mm x 761mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.98** poster

No date

Leeds, Queen's Hall, 26 December to 23 January,

Colour illustration of baby elephant on blue background, wearing a pointy hat with a bauble and a green bowtie, seated on a circus platform in front of a small woman in circus band uniform wearing a tall red hat and black shorts, holding a poster with his trunk with the location and time of the circus,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Nesfield Printing Works Bradford,

380mm x 510mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.99** poster

No date

Clapham Common, South Side, open until 20 November,  
Colour illustration of baby elephant on blue background, wearing a pointy hat with a bauble and a green bowtie, seated on a circus platform in front of a small woman in circus band uniform wearing a tall red hat and black shorts, holding a poster with his trunk reading Wold's Largest Circus,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.100** poster

No date  
Rhyl, Brooks' Farm field, 27 August to 1 September,  
Yellow, white and blue type on blue, pink and white background,  
514mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.101** poster

1967  
Clapham Common, 23 October to 18 November, (duplicate see 178R47.104)  
Yellow and white type on blue background with smiling clown face wearing a small, brown and white checked top hat on centre left and white outline of circus tent and fireworks, also blue and red type on white background on bottom section,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.102** poster

1959  
Clapham Common, 26 October to 14 November,  
White, yellow, red and blue type on blue background and white on the bottom section,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.103** poster

No date  
Bridlington, Sewerby Heads site, 12-17 August,  
Colour illustration of elephant wearing a tutu and a pointy hat with a bauble stood on a circus platform and a mouse dressed as an elephant trainer holding a whip on blue background,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.104** poster

1967  
Clapham Common, 23 October to 18 November, (duplicate see 178R47.101)  
Yellow and white type on blue background with smiling clown face wearing a small, brown and white checked top hat on centre left and white outline of circus tent and fireworks, also blue and red type on white background

on bottom section,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.105** poster

1954  
Edinburgh, Murray Fields, 24-29 May,  
Colour illustration of polar bears on steps above brown bears and animal  
trainer on the right hand side,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
511mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.106** poster

1955  
Birmingham, Perry Bar stadium car park, 7-26 November,  
Colour illustration of circus parade seen from behind heading towards a  
blue circus tent on a field,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
509mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.107** poster

1955  
Cheltenham, Sandford Park, 3-4 June,  
Colour illustration in a circle in the centre of the poster of dancing elephant  
wearing a pink tutu and woman also wearing a pink tutu in a circus ring,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.108** poster

1953  
Birmingham, Greyhound stadium car park, 16 November to 5 December,  
Colour illustration of elephant wearing a police hat and riding a motorbike  
on a stripey blue and green background with yellow circles containing text  
around them,  
510mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.109** poster

1956  
Preston, Queens Road site, 3-8 September,  
Colour illustration of dancing elephant and woman both wearing a hula  
skirt and flower necklace, in a circus ring,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
512mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.110** poster

1957

Dewsbury, the Feast Ground 25-30 March,

Tagora the human volcano,

Colour illustration of bare chested man wearing a turbant and spiting fire and a large face of man wearing a turbant on top left, over a red and blue background,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

508mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.111** poster

1953

Leaming Spa, Victoria Park, 16-18 July,

Joan baby elephant riding a tricycle,

The Rhors, balancing act,

Billy Smart Junior presents The Highway Man and eight black steeds,

The Minivers, motor cycle aerial act,

10 baby elephants,

Bareback riders,

Highland bulls,

Chimpanzee family,

The Puhlmanns,

Davron, Himalayan bears,

9 Moroccan tumblers,

Baby zebras,

6 Palominos, horses,

The Gutis, comedy act,

10 lions presented by Nicolai,

Mainly black and white type on blue, red, yellow and green blocks of colour background with a colour illustration of white face clown and girl in the centre on a green background,

503mm x 764mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.112** poster

1951

Nottingham Goose Fair site, 30 March to 11 April,

The Sensational Puhlmanns, aeroplane aerialist,

Over 150 animals,

Colour illustration of acrobatic aerial act showing a woman hanging by the feet and a man hanging by the mouth from an aeroplane,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

510mm x 763mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.113** poster

1961

Wood Lane, Scrub Recreation Ground 25 October to 11 November,  
Colour illustration of female aerial acrobatic act in red suit on centre right  
and clown's face on centre left with elephants, camels, lions and other  
circus acts underneath,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.114** poster

1954

Edinburgh, Murray Fields, 24-29 May,  
Colour illustration of chimpanzees in stripey clothes on bicycle and swing-  
ing bar on top section and elephant parade on bottom section on a green  
a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
503mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.115** poster

1967

Clapham Common, 23 October to 18 November, Colour illustration of  
baby elephant on starry blue background, wearing a pointy hat with a  
bauble and a green bowtie, seated on a circus platform in front of a small  
woman in circus band uniform wearing a tall red hat and black shorts,  
holding a poster with his trunk reading 'New 1967 Production', also yellow,  
blue and red type,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Nesfield Printing Works Bradford,  
509mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.116** poster

1956

Manchester, Platt Fields, 15 October to 3 November,  
Eight Flying Croneras,  
Colour illustration of trapezee act showing eight artistes performing in  
mid-air on a blue and pink background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.117** poster

1957

York, The Knavesmire, 15-20 April,  
Presenting the new circorama,  
Rock'n'Roll elephants,  
Colour illustration of three elephants in Scottish, Hawaiian and Mexican

costume dancing on a blue, red, orange and yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.118** poster  
1960

Doncaster, Glasgow Paddocks, 28 March to 2 April,  
The Wild West Show,  
The Arabian Nights Review,  
The Four Jungoves, ladder balancing act,  
The Six Birds,  
Bartschelly, plate spinning act,  
Arab horses and Shettland ponies,  
Alma Piaia, aerial act,  
Billy Smart Junior presenting elephants,  
Chimps presented by Heinz Borsch,  
Fle-Ming's sealions,  
The Flying Lunasz, trapeze act,  
The Three Peters, aerial act,  
The Four Willers, skating act,  
Highland cattle,  
The Andrasettis, wire walking act,  
Sasha, Coco, Harty, Alby, Austin, Harry Ruster, Merry Herbert and Little Davy, clowns,  
Karen & Ria, aerial ladder balancing act,  
Charles Illeneb with his polar bears and African lions,  
Multicolour type on multicolour backgrounds on right hand side, colour illustration of chimpanzee in Native American costume playing a drum on left hand side over a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
509mm x 795mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.119** poster  
1964

Porsmouth, Southsea Common, 27 July to 8 August,  
Les Arata on the silver wire,  
Monik Maccio, trapeze act,  
The Riding Machine,  
Brooke Bond's chimpanzees,  
20 elephants,  
The Two Rapolli, juggling act,  
The Six Skating Willers,  
U.S. Seventh Cavalry,  
Fairyland Story,

The Flying Diamonds,  
The Atlas Sahara Troupe,  
High stilt walkers,  
The Roeber Sisters,  
The Six Cycling Kludsky,  
The Aerial Antinous,  
Multicolour type on multicolour background colour balloons on right hand side, colour illustration of chimpanzee in Native American costume playing a drum on left hand side over a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
506mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.120** poster

1962  
Worcester, The Pitchcroft, 10-12 September,  
The Wild West Show,  
The Fairyland Fantasy,  
Six Erminios, juggling act,  
Monik Maccio, trapeze act,  
15 elephants,  
Billy Smart Junior's Dutch horses,  
The Brooke Bond chimpanzees,  
14 polar bears,  
The De Riaz, aeroplane act,  
Peggi Cousans, trapeze act,  
The Riding Machine,  
Gloria Smart with her horses and ponies,  
Atlas Sahara Troupe, acrobatic act,  
The Paolos, musical clowns,  
The Sloans on high stilts,  
Karen & Ria, aerial act,  
The Antinous & The Hellyos,  
Multicolour type on multicolour backgrounds on right hand side, colour illustration of chimpanzee in Native American costume playing a drum on left hand side over a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
508mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.121** poster

1960  
  
Clapham Common, 24 October to 12 November,  
The New Western Show,  
Rec, the tramp on the silver wire,  
The Austins, clowns,



The Medifreds, juggling act,  
Billy Smart's Arabian horses,  
Alma Piaia,  
Billy Smart junior presenting baby elephants,  
Brooke Bond chimps presented by Heinz Borsch,  
Gloria Smart with her horses and ponies,  
The Katyanas, trapeze act,  
The Flying Lunasz,  
The Two Dominici, trapeze act,  
Digger Pugh Girls,  
Circus cavalcade,  
Frank, Harty, Alby & Len, Austin, Harry Ruster, Merry Herbert, Little  
David and Barrie Sloan, clowns,  
The Three Peters,  
Charles Illeneb with his polar bears and African lions,  
Multicolour type on multicolour backgrounds on right hand side, colour  
illustration of chimpanzee in Native American costume playing a drum on  
left hand side over a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.122** poster

1961  
Wood Lane, Scrub Recreation Ground 25 October to 11 November,  
The New Western Show,  
The Medifreds, juggling act,  
Alma Piaia,  
15 elephants,  
Billy Smart Junior Dutch horses,  
The Brooke Bond chimpanzees,  
14 polar bears,  
The Five Flying Leotaris,  
Digger Pugh Girls,  
The Riding Machine,  
The Seven Herrviks,  
Gloria Smart with horses and ponies,  
The Munoz Luftmann, clowns,  
The Katyanas, trapeze act,  
The Sloan Family,  
Karen & Ria, aerial act,  
1001 Arabian Nights Scene,  
Multicolour type on multicolour backgrounds on right hand side, colour  
illustration of chimpanzee in Native American costume playing a drum on  
left hand side over a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

508mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.123** poster

1963  
Hayes, Park Road Green, 24-29 June,  
The Five Monus Luftmann, clowns,  
Monik Maccio, trapeze act,  
The Riding Machine,  
Brooke Bond's chimpanzees,  
20 elephants,  
Aerial aeroplane sensations,  
Gloria Smart with her horses and ponies,  
U.S. Seventh Cavalry,  
Fairyland Story,  
The Flying Bendichos,  
The Atlas Sahara Troupe,  
High stilt walkers,  
14 polar bears,  
The Roeber Sisters,  
The Six Cycling Kludsky,  
The Aerial Antinous,  
Multicolour type on multicolour balloons on right hand side, colour illustration of chimpanzee in Native American costume playing a drum on left hand side over a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.124** poster

1964  
Birmingham, Hay Mills Recreation Ground, 18 March to 3 April,  
Les Arata on the silver wire,  
16 aerial trapeze artistes,  
The Riding Machine,  
Brooke Bond's chimpanzees,  
20 elephants,  
The Two Rapolli, juggling act,  
The Six Skating Willers,  
U.S. Seventh Cavalry,  
Fairyland Story,  
The Flying Ibarra,  
The Atlas Sahara Troupe,  
High stilt walkers,  
14 polar bears,  
The Roeber Sisters,  
The Six Cycling Kludsky,

The Aerial Antinous,  
Multicolour type on multicolour background balloons on right hand side,  
colour illustration of chimpanzee in Native American costume playing a  
drum on left hand side over a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
509mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.125** poster

1959  
Clapham Common, 26 October to 14 November,  
White and red type on blue and white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
513mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.126** poster

No date  
Edinburgh, Murray Fields, 24-29 May,  
See our 10 famous baby elephants walk from the station to the circus  
ground,  
Red and blue type on white background with blue border,  
475mm x 728mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.127** poster

1962  
Clapham Common, 31 October,  
Royal Gala performance in the gracious presence of H. R. H. Princess  
Margaret,  
Colour illustration of white face clown in yellow outfit balancing a red ball  
on his nose over a light blue background,  
502mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.128** poster

No date  
Royal Albert Hall, 15 November,  
An evening of circus thrills, dancing supper, celebrities, sideshow and  
cabaret,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
505mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.129** poster

1953  
Birmingham, Greyhound Stadium, car park, 16 November to 5 December,  
Red and blue type on white background with red border,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
508mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.130** poster

No date  
Gloucester, The Oxleaze, 1-6 May,  
White, yellow and red type on blue and white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
509mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.131** poster

No date  
Worcester, The Pitchcroft, 10-12 September,  
Plus Fairyland Fantasy,  
Yellow, white and blue type on dark blue, pink and white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
514mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.132** poster

No date  
Clampham Common, 28 October to 23 November,  
White, yellow and red type on dark blue and white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
500mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.133** poster

No date  
Porstmouth, Southsea Common, 27 July to 8 August,  
White, yellow and red type on dark blue and white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.134** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of Billy Smart in cowboy hat holding a cigar on his  
right hand, wearing his signature white shirt and stripey brown waistcoat,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
Oversize poster in 5 sections  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.135** poster

No date  
Britain's largest circus,

Produced by master showmen,  
White and yellow and red combined type on dark blue and red background  
with red and white border,  
Left blank to add location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
1014mm x 770mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.136** poster

No date  
Battersea Park,  
Colour illustration of female equestrian in long red gown and top hat riding  
a white horse, trapeze act on bottom left and clown and female face on  
centre right, also aerial act on crescent moon on top left corner, over a  
blue background,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,  
490mm x 745mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.137** poster

1950  
Oxford, Botley Road, 26 June to 1 July,  
The Elleanos, high wire act,  
Jolly, balancing act,  
Miss Olga, trapeze act,  
The Grand Carousel,  
The Crazy Car,  
The Great Alexanders, springboard act,  
Billy Smart Junior presents 12 Royal Welsh Liberty ponies,  
Bears,  
Vinicky,  
English clowns,  
Highland oxen,  
Elephants,  
8 Friesian black horses,  
Nicolai and his performing lions,  
Leona on the steel mast,  
Multicolour type on multicolour backgrounds and colour illustration of  
circus ring showing a white face clown's head in the centre, three elephants  
above lions below and a myriad of circus acts around it including horses  
and trapeze acrobatics,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
Reproduction,  
498mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.138** poster

1970-1971

26 December to 23 January,  
Fairfield Hall, Park Lane, Croydon,  
Mohawks, riding act,  
Aimee & Partners, foot juggling act,  
Rosie the baby elephant,  
Spuggy & his performing donkey,  
6 Hargita, ladder balancing act,  
Sheila Pugh Girls, aerial act,  
Liberty ponies,  
Sebastian, trapeze act,  
Arthur Scott, sealions act,  
Santus Troupe, cycling act,  
7 Charles, springboard acrobatic act,  
Clowns,  
King Kong,  
Tamara, acrobatic act,  
Silver Stars, aerial act,  
Black type on orange and purple background and black and white illustration of clown and elephant holding title and dates,  
Printed by Arthur's Press Ltd, Woodchester, Stroud, Gloucester  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.139** poster

No date  
Britain's largest circus,  
Produced by master showmen,  
The complete show is coming,  
White, yellow and red type on dark blue and white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
230mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.140** poster

No date  
Brighton, The Level, 18-30 August,  
Produced by Master Showmen,  
Black, white and yellow and red combined type on white and dark blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
232mm x 382mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.141** poster

1960  
  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clown,

The Bob Gerry Troupe,  
5amandis,  
Knie's Chimpanzees by Dudi Smith,  
The Myrons,  
Fattini,  
Schaller Bros,  
2 Balcombes,  
3 Houcs,  
The Cycling Therons,  
King King,  
Our Sammy,  
Little Jimmy,  
Gerb Siemoneit's Animals from Benneweis,  
Sacha Houke presents Knie's Horses,  
Rupert Bemmerl presents Knie's Elephants,  
Colour illustrations of a clown and clothed chimpanzees at the top, a lion  
and a tiger at the bottom, acts listed in multicoloured fonts against mul-  
ticoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
335mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.142** poster  
1961

Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clown,  
The Schickler Sisters,  
Knie's Lippizanas, Ponies and Mules presented by Sacha Houke,  
Four Palacios,  
Circus Roland's Tigers presented by Charley Baumann,  
The Berosinis,  
Rudy Horn,  
3 Lorrandos,  
Moni the Wonder Smoking Elephant presented by Monique,  
The Sydney Boxing Kangaroo,  
Five Elwardos, the Golden Gladiators,  
Little Jimmy,  
Our Sammy,  
Captain Danion's Sea Lions,  
Lilian Kenny,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a horse, a tiger, an elephant and a sea  
lion against a red background, acts listed in multicoloured font with mul-  
ticoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
635mm x 915mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.143** poster  
1951

Charlie Cairoli with Paul, clowns,  
Oscar Konyot with his lions,  
Knie's Chimpanzees presented by Mr and Mrs Smith,  
Knie's French Horses presented by W Kossmayer,  
The Great Alexander Troupe,  
Victor Julian and his Pets,  
Knie's Tiger Horses and Ponies,  
The Four Richy's  
3 Lorandos,  
The Mars Troupe,  
The Arrigonis,  
3 Houcs,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Annette's Circusettes,  
Little Jimmy,  
The Flying Constellation,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, chimps and dogs in clothes, a lion, a trapeze  
act and horses with a blue background, multicoloured font on a yellow  
background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
635mm x 1012mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.144** poster  
1958

Charlie Cairoli with Paul, clown,  
Three Merkys, comedy acrobats,  
Rih-Aruso,  
Mills' Boxing Chimpanzees presented by William Lenz,  
Knie's Panthers, Tigers, Lions, Polar and Black Bears and Leopards pre-  
sented by Eugen Weidman,  
Knei's Sea Lions,  
6 Flying De Pauls,  
3 Antares,  
3 Chiasas,  
Maurice and May,  
Alma Piaia,  
Ivan Bratuchin and his Cossack Riders,  
Krone's Liberty Horses presented by Jozsi Vinicky,  
Manja Vinicky and her High School Acts,  
Little Jimmy,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a horeback rider and a tapeze artist



against a blue background, lettering in white on a red background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
635mm x 1011mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.145** poster  
1964

Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clown,  
The Flying Marilees,  
Lilian Daniels and her Polar Bears,  
Konyot's Chimpanzee Rodeo,  
The Four Rodriguez,  
Circus Schumann's 12 Liberty Horses presented by Billy Baker,  
Desmond & Marks,  
The Guttenbergs,  
Fuzzy-Ball Kaye and Tiny Tommy Gallaher,  
Kimi Yokoi,  
See-Hee Troupe,  
Bartschelly,  
Evelyn Hans and her Poodles,  
Rudi Llata,  
Colour illustrations of clowns, a chimp dressed as a cowboy, a polar bear,  
the 4 Rodriguez, Kimi Yokoi and two poodles, main background blue, let-  
tering multicoloured on a multicoloured background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
Reproduction  
325mm x 631mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.146** poster  
1975

Charlie Cairoli,  
Mary Chipperfield,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a woman riding horseback, horses, a zebra,  
a lion, tigers and an elephants against a blue background, lettering in  
yellow, orange and white,  
330mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.147** poster  
1949

Fredy Knie with his Spanish High School Acts and Liberty Horses,  
Rolf Knie with Circus Knie's Elephants,  
5 Hildago, springboard acrobats,  
Stephenson's Acrobatic and Football Dogs,  
The Rosinas,

Kwan Bros, acrobats,  
Les Freddy Harry, acrobatic contortionists,  
Jose Moreno and Assistant, juggling,  
3 Ricordi, clowns,  
Annette's Circusettes,  
Delbosq presenting Amber and Domino,  
Little Jimmy,  
Colour illustrations of horses and elephants, lettering multicoloured on a  
multicoloured background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
Reproduction  
330mm x 645mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.148** poster

1936  
Jenny and Piccolo, elephants and clowns,  
Los Aseveras, equestrian act,  
Sensational Berosinis, high wire,  
Khayyam Troupe, springboard acrobats,  
Sandor Karoly 5, equestrian act,  
4 Famous Phillips, equilibrists,  
Doodles,  
Nico and Alex, clowns,  
3 van Normans,  
Ballet d' Cirque,  
The Edmondos, horeback juggler,  
Christian's Poodles,  
Paul Paetzold and Co, cycling comedians,  
Colour illustrations of an elephant, a man and a woman on horseback and  
an arabian palace and lake,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
324mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.149** poster

No date  
Alfred Court with his Monarchs of the Jungle,  
Flying Codonas,  
Maximilian Truzzi, juggler,  
Karolly Troupe, equestrians,  
Cooke's Pony Revue, comedy jazz and boxing ponies,  
Gordon and Lester, comedy acrobats,  
Ilés and Loyal,  
Nico and Nico,  
Six Rolling Wonder Girls,  
Loretta Ballet,

Doodles,  
3 van Normans,  
Marton Sisters,  
Colour illustrations of a lion, tiger, polar bear, leopard, the 3 Codonas  
and a couple in Edwardian costume roller skating,  
Reproduction  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
330mm x 632mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.150** poster

1943  
Felix with his Tigers and Lions,  
The Cairolis, musical clowns,  
Bertram Mills' Liberty Horses,  
Coco the clown with Michael and Tamara,  
Victor Barna v Alec Brook, table tennis champions,  
Rassana, queen of the air,  
Jon, high school act,  
The Circusettes,  
Doodles,  
Yangtse Chinese,  
Zola and Mattie,  
Mills' Elephant Ballet,  
Cavalini's Canine Comedians,  
Main background blue with white stars, lettering multicoloured on multi-  
coloured backgrounds,  
First performance during wartime,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
325mm x 628mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.151** poster

1940  
  
Adele's Royal Assam Elephants,  
Tommy Kayes with his Lions,  
7 Gridneffs, unsupported ladder acts,  
The Dario Bario Family, clowns,  
Pepino with his Miniture Circus,  
Emmy Truzzi with her Equine Revue,  
Rao Bros, indian bobbin act,  
4 Balatons, springboard performers,  
Les Filles de la Cheval, ballerinas with horses,  
Doodles,  
Jix, Jax and Max,  
3 Van Normans,

Paul and Earl Rollo with Carole, skaters,  
Main background blue with white stars, lettering red and blue on white  
background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
323mm x 627mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.152** poster

1933  
Vojtek Trubka, tiger act,  
Violetta D'Argens, lion act,  
Kafka Stanley and Mae Four, aerial acrobatics,  
Hamil Pasha, 30 Horses and The Harem Girls,  
5 Carlton Sisters,  
Fred Roper's 20 Midgets,  
Fred Lindsay, stock whip,  
The Stephenson's, equestrian act,  
Capt Ankner and 8 Trakehner Black Beauties, equestrian act,  
Dogs in Clover presented by Miss Louise,  
Elsie Wallenda and her Human Sea Lions,  
Doodles, Austin Bros, Van Norman, D'Arty, Jimmy, Mac, clowns,  
Balzer Sister, flying ballet,  
The Windsor Water Nymphs,  
Colour illustrations of a tiger, Vojtek Trubka, Violetta D'Argens, lions,  
two separate aerial acrobats, a man on horseback, five female jugglers, two  
couples on a single horseback, sea lions performing tricks, a clown and two  
divers, all lettering and backgrounds in red, yellow, blue and white,  
Reproduction,  
Printed by Ayre & Senior Ltd,  
314mm x 631mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.153** poster

1953  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul, clowns,  
8 Flying Croneras,  
Fischer's Elephants,  
5 Hansels,  
John,  
The Balladinis,  
5 Talos,  
Knie's Legionnaires, equestrian act,  
Klant's Lions presented by Tarzana,  
2 Canters,  
Karl Kossmayers Unrideable Mule,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Little Jimmy,

Annette's Circusettes,  
Carola's Cockatoos and Parrots,  
Trio Olympiads,  
Colour illustrations of lion and tamer, clown, aerial acrobat, elephant and  
a man on horseback, main background blue with a red stage curtain at  
the top, lettering red on a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
338mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.154** poster

1952  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul,  
Knie's Lions and Tigers presented by Trubka,  
Ghezzi Brothers,  
Rose Gold Trio,  
Tosca de Lac,  
Knie's Horses and Zebras presented by Wenzel Kossmayer,  
Rogge Sisters,  
Duncan's Collies,  
Jacky Lupescu,  
The Oliveras,  
Little Jimmy,  
Annette's Circusettes,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Knie's Animal Carousel presented by Douglas Kossmayer,  
Knie's Baby Elephants presented by Wenzel Kossmayer,  
Edith Crocker's Bear,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, aerial acrobats, a tiger and a lion, two  
horses, a zebra, an elephant and two bears operating a tall bicycle,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
349mm x 632mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.155** poster

1963  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
The Great Pusztai Troupe,  
The Flying Zengannos,  
Los Onas,  
Rudi Llata,  
Ruppert's Bears,  
Knie's Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Polar Bear, Panthers and Black Bear pre-  
sented by Eugen Weidmann,  
Baranton Sisters,  
Robert Brothers Elephants presented by Edith Schickler,  
Sacha Houcke's Ben-Hur, Roman Riding,

Sacha Houcke and Edith Schickler, high school act,  
The Hermanis,  
Desmond and Marks,  
The Bearis,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a lion, a tiger, a polar bear, and four  
horses with rider in Roman dress, main background yellow, lettering mul-  
ticoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
335mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.156** poster  
1980  
The Rastellis,  
Colour illustrations of four clowns, two in identical dress and makeup,  
main background black and purple, main title in yellow and pink, act  
announcement in red and black on yellow background,  
Artwork signed Barrie,  
338mm x 633mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.157** poster  
1957  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul,  
Krone's Ponies and Polar Bears presented by Jozsi Vinicky,  
Krone's Arabian Horses presented by Doris Arndt,  
Excess Baggage presented by Alma Michaels,  
Flying Marilees,  
Five Cristianis,  
Nino Rubio,  
Bedini Troupe,  
Yokoi Troupe,  
Aerial Chapmans,  
Little Jimmy,  
Golden Linders,  
Frances Duncan,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, monkeys in clothes, a polar bear balancing  
on a ball, two horses, two ponies pulling carts and a man on a ladder  
balancing teacups on his head, main background is blue, lettering white  
on a red background,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
330mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.158** poster

1954  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul,  
Knie's Panthers, Polar Bears, Black Bears, Lions and Tigers presented by  
August Natsch,  
Three Craddocks,  
Vivian and Tassi,  
4 Ramses,  
2 Rassos,  
Harold Gautier's Excess Baggage presented by Alma Michaels,  
The 7 Eagles,  
Two Cherks,  
Fattini,  
Knie's Radio Horses and Wist Drive Horses presented by Wenzel Koss-  
mayer,  
Argentine Pony Express presented by Douglas Kossmayer,  
Dancing Horse and his partner Sandry presented by Douglas Kossmayer  
and George Ruzsa,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Little Jimmy,  
The 3 Petroffs,  
Colour illustrations of a lion, leopard and tiger, a polar bear and a black  
bear, a clown, a suitcase of dogs, aerial acrobats, a elephant, a horse and  
three acrobats on a bicycle, main background is blue, lettering is white on  
a red background,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
336mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.159** poster

1978  
Charlie Cairoli, clown,  
Mary Chipperfield, animal tamer,  
Lilly Yokoi,  
Yong Bros,  
Colour illustration of a pouncing tiger, main background is blue with  
yellow and white stars, main title in yellow and red, act announcements  
in red and black on a yellow background,  
330mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.160** poster

1978  
Charlie Cairoli, clown,  
Mary Chipperfield, animal tamer,  
Lilly Yokoi,  
Yong Bros,

Colour illustration of a pouncing tiger, main background is blue with yellow and white stars, main title in yellow and red, act announcements in red and black on a yellow background,  
330mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.161** poster

1981  
Colour illustrations of a clown, an elephant, five horses, a chimpanzee and three lionesses, main background red, lettering white and yellow,  
Designed by Barrie James at Artists Associates,  
256mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.162** poster

1938  
Hagenbeck's Elephants presented by Walter Kaden,  
Crocker's Teddy Bears,  
Dario Bario Family, clowns,  
Rubrio Sisters, equilibrists,  
Capt Tommy Kayes with his lions,  
Lopez Trio with Victor Fratellini, comedy aerial gymnasts,  
Flying Alizes,  
Ellen Octavio, animal trainer,  
Doodles, clown,  
3 Van Normans,  
Ryders 3,  
Camilla Caroli Troupe, riding act,  
The Crystal Wonders,  
The Tower Mermaids,  
White, yellow, red and blue type on blue, red, yellow and green background with colour illustrations of clown heads on top section and circus acts around the edges including elephants, bears, equestrian acrobatics and a fountain,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
322mm x 622mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.163** poster

1939  
Emmi Truzzi, equestrian act,  
Four Lazanders, comedy acrobatics,  
Anjolys 3, high perch,  
Lou Lenny with her Comedy Circus,  
Van Norman Trio, clowns,  
5 Phantoms, gladiators,  
Doodles, clown,



Despard and Charley, french clowns,  
Marfrano Sisters, shorthand acrobats,  
Le Beaute Noire, high school act,  
The Tower Circus Diving Nymphs,  
3 Jovellis, trapeze,  
Four Australian Air Ages, motor cycling acrobatics,  
Main background is blue with white stars, lettering is multicoloured on  
multicoloured backgrounds,  
Reproduction,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
316mm x 625mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.164** poster

1939  
15 Devils of the Forest presented by Alfred Court, big cat act,  
Emmy Truzzi, equestrian act,  
Cairolino Trio, clowns,  
Lou Lenny with her Kicking Mules,  
7 Martinettes, acrobats,  
Omega Trio, equilibrists,  
Doodles, clown,  
Cavalini's Canine Comedians,  
3 Van Normans,  
The Great Wallendas, high wire,  
Main background is blue with white stars, main title in yellow, lettering  
in red and blue on a white background,  
Reproduction,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
318mm x 625mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.165** poster

1945  
Chesnut Octette, equestrian act,  
Elephant Revue by the Six Sisters Jumbo,  
Victor Julian with his Dogs and Monkeys,  
Lai Founs, Chinese wonders,  
The Rosinas,  
George and Jack Dormonde,  
Coco and Michael and Family,  
Fred Sylvester and his Nephews,  
Three Austins, clowns,  
Swan and Leigh, comedy gymnasts,  
Olsen and his Seal,  
Prince Zahoor,  
16 Annette's Circusettes,

Main background is blue with white stars, lettering multicoloured on a white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
328mm x 631mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.166** poster

1948  
Vojtek Trubka and his 7 Tigers,  
The Great Alexander Troupe, springboard acrobats,  
Armand Mieke presents Schumann's Norweigan Ford Horses,  
Cairolis, clowns,  
Flying Alizes, trapeze,  
Edouardo, juggling,  
The Raspinis, unsupported ladder act,  
Bert Bert and Bert,  
Darita,  
The Sayers,  
4 Nymphs,  
Annette's Circusettes,  
Liberty Horses presented by Miss Betty,  
Victor Julien and his Pets,  
Colour illustrations of a tiger, a clown, trapeze artists, dogs and four performers riding a giant fish,  
Printed by Gazette and Herald Lithos,  
340mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.167** poster

1958  
Charlie Cairolis with Paul, clowns,  
Three Merkys, comedy acrobatics,  
Rih-Aruso,  
Mills Boxing Chimpanzees presented by Willem Lenz,  
Knie's Panthers, Tigers, Lions, Polar and Black Bears and Leopards presented by Eugen Weidmann,  
Knie's Sea Lions,  
6 Flying De Pauls,  
3 Antares,  
3 Chiesas,  
Maurice and May,  
Alma Piaia,  
Ivan Bratuchin and his Cossack Riders,  
Krone's Liberty Horses presented by Jozsi Vinicky,  
Manja Vinicky and her High School Acts,  
Little Jimmy,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a tiger, a man on horseback and a female

acrobat, main background blue, lettering white on a red background,  
Reproduction,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
325mm x 631mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.168** poster

1959  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul, clowns,  
Schickler Sisters,  
Josef Wiesner's 7 Tigers presented by Helene Pimmer,  
Knie's Log Rolling Elephants presented by Ruppert Bemmerl,  
4 Palacios,  
Eldino and Assistant,  
Trio Morlidor,  
Tibor Alexander's Dogs,  
The Great Barton,  
The Great Pusztai Troupe,  
Carmel Gowan,  
The Two Angelos,  
4 Dubowys,  
Knie's Tiger Horses presented by Edith Schickler,  
Knie's 18 Ponies presented by Ingrid Schickler,  
Hoppe's Kicking Mule,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, an elephant and a dog in a coat and hat  
leading six other dogs on a string,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
332mm x 631mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.169** poster

1960  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clown,  
The Bob Gerry Troupe,  
5amandis,  
Knie's Chimpanzees by Dudi Smith,  
The Myrons,  
Fattini,  
Schaller Bros,  
2 Balcombes,  
3 Houcs,  
The Cycling Therons,  
King King,  
Our Sammy,  
Little Jimmy,  
Gerb Siemoneit's Animals from Benneweis,  
Sacha Houke presents Knie's Horses,

Rupert Bemmerl presents Knie's Elephants,  
Colour illustrations of a clown and clothed chimpanzees at the top, a  
lion and a tiger at the bottom, acts listed in multicoloured fonts against  
multicoloured backgrounds,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
335mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.170** poster

1961  
Charlie Cairoli and Company,  
Colour illustration of a clown on a rocket in space with a collection of  
circus animals, monkeys, an elephant, a cat and a giraffe, background is  
a blue and purple night sky, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
329mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.171** poster

1965  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Ferdinando Jarz Troupe,  
Robert Bros 5 Baby Elephants presented by Dickie Baker,  
3 Merkys,  
D'Angoly Jnr,  
Arno and Rita Van Bolen,  
The Tower Circusettes,  
Circus A Althoff's Liberty Horses presented by F R Althoff,  
Circus A Althoff's Shetland Ponies presented by Helene Althoff,  
Hoppe's Kicking Mule,  
8 Jungle Queens presented by Captain Sidney Howes,  
6 Biasinis,  
5 Olanders,  
Skating Bredos,  
Dogs's Football Dogs,  
The Trio Puerto Rico,  
Alma Piana,  
Colour illustrations of an elephant, a clown, a horse and a dog playing  
football, lettering and backgrounds multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
333mm x 641mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.172** poster

1966  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,

Gerd Siemoneit's Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Pumas and Panther,  
Ruppert's Bears,  
Rogana,  
Seven Lukacs,  
Jörgen and Conny,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Circus A Althoff's Eight Arab Liberty Horses presented by Franz Althoff  
Jnr,  
Maryse Begary,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Roberto Mariani Trio,  
Triple High School by Franz Althoff Jnr, Elene Althoff and Evi Barrtch,  
5 Medifreds,  
The Ascots,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a leopard, a panther and a bear on a tall  
bicycle, lettering and backgrounds multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
325mm x 631mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.173** poster

1967  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Flying Leotaris,  
Taras Bulba and his Tigers,  
Max and Barbara Morris with their Sea-Lions,  
Tibor Alexander and his Dog Revue,  
The 3 Villams,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Baily Fossettt's Elephants and Ponies presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
The Great Barton,  
Jean Claude,  
Gina The Girl in the Moon,  
Goldy the Horse with Jack Rosaire,  
The Gerardis,  
Desmond and Marks,  
The Wilsons,  
Colour illustration of a clown, lettering and background multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
331mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.174** poster

1968  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clowns,

Gerd Siemoneit's Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Pumas and Panther,  
6 Kludsky,  
Chy Bad Guy,  
The Four Rodriguez, aerial acrobats,  
The Svenssons,  
Gabriella and her Show Dogs,  
Astralita,  
The Balcombes,  
Ivan Bratuchin and his Cossack Riders,  
Concha and Concha,  
Giselle Palmas,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Black and white photograph of a clown, lettering multicoloured on multi-  
coloured background,  
Cardboard hanging intact,  
330mm x 633mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.175** poster

1969  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Flying Marilees,  
Circus Franz Althoff's 7 Tigers presented by Miss Yvonne,  
Circus Franz Althoff's Elephants presented by F R Althoff,  
8 Danish Tiger Horses and Ponies presented by F R Althoff,  
6 Ferkos,  
4 Castors,  
4 Bertolas,  
Jockey Chimpanzees presented by Al de Jonghe,  
Toly M,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Black and white photograph of a clown, lettering multicoloured on multi-  
coloured background,  
Cardboard hanging intact,  
330mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.176** poster

1970  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Ruppert's Bears,  
Valla Bertini Troupe,  
The Elwardos,  
Barbara Morris and her Sea Lions,  
The Svensons,

The New Houdinys,  
David Rosaire and his Perky Pekes,  
Gerard Edon,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Freddie Kenton,  
Skating Sandras,  
The Charlies,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Small black and white photograph of a clown and black and white illustration of blackpool tower, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
337mm x 638mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.177** poster

1971  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
The Flying Alizes,  
Robert Bros Elephants, presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Duo Dobritch,  
Three Villams,  
The Crazy Monroe,  
Arturo Segura,  
Jean Lemoine and Partner,  
Leigh Marsh and her Poodle Cocktail,  
Joan Rosaire and Goldy,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Jerry, Jimmy and Johnny,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Hungarian State Circus Four Syrius,  
Black and white photograph of a clown, colour illustrations of trapeze artists, an elephant, performing dogs in clothes,  
a horse and a water spectacle, lettering multicoloured on a multicoloured background,  
Metal hanging intact,  
334mm x 637mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.178** poster

1972  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Flying Leotaris,  
The Great Halassys,  
Rogana,  
Robert Brothers present their 4 Elephants and 8 Appalloosa Stallions,  
David Rosaire and his Perky Pekes,  
The Raluys,

The Astoris,  
Desmond and Marks,  
The Keddellos,  
The Hermanis,  
The Tower Circusettes,  
Black and white photograph of a clown, lettering multicoloured on a multicoloured background,  
Metal hanging intact,  
331mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.179** poster

1973  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clowns,  
The Aerial Rodriguez,  
Dogs's Football Dogs,  
Bartschelly,  
Jose and Mary,  
Brian Andro,  
Katja Schumann,  
Robert Brothers 8 Spotted Ponies presented by Katja Schumann,  
The Two Palacys,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Trio Elios,  
The Two Fudis,  
The Tower Circusettes,  
Alham Sahari and Shira with their Crocodiles and Reptiles,  
Colour illustration of two crocodiles, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Metal hanging intact,  
330mm x 636mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.180** poster

1974  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
The Trio Hoganas,  
The Flying Alizes,  
Max Morris and his Sea Lions,  
Robert Brothers Four Elephants,  
The Wychwoods and their Poodles,  
Three Siefrieds,  
Six Benis,  
The Kludskys,  
Jerry, Jimmy and Johnny,  
Jean Claude and Yvette,  
Paul and Barry Harman,



The Tower Circusettes,  
Colour abstract illustration of a clown's face and hat, lettering multi-  
coloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Metal hanging intact,  
Printed by Armitage Publicity Lancaster,  
331mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.181** poster  
1975  
Charlie Cairolì,  
Mary Chipperfield,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a woman riding horseback, horses, a zebra,  
a lion, tigers and an elephants against a blue background, lettering in  
yellow, orange and white,  
330mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.182** poster  
1983  
Peter Jay presents International Super Circus at Blackpool Tower, and  
Dale Martin Wrestling,  
Black and white illustration of Blackpool Tower, colour illustration of a  
clown, a tiger and a fountain, black and white photograph of wrestler Big  
Daddy, background blue and purple, lettering white, yellow and red,  
253mm x 384mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.183** poster  
No date  
10th Jun to 31st Oct,  
White outline of blackpool tower, colour illustrations of a clown, elephants,  
a crocodile, a man swinging from a vine, six women in a waterfall and  
a chimpanzee in swimming trucks and a pool ring, photographs of The  
Chucklehounds and wrestler Big Daddy,  
String hanging intact  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
339mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.184** poster  
No date  
Peter Jay's Superdome Circus at Blackpool Pleasure Beach, starring Mary  
Chipperfield,  
22nd May to 8th Nov,  
Colour illustrations of Mary Chipperfield with a white tiger, a monkey in  
clothes, a clown, horses and an elephant, background black with multi-  
coloured stripes, lettering multicoloured,

String hanging intact,  
297mm x 433mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.185** poster

No date  
Peter Jay, The Imperial Russian State Circus, All New Superdome Circus  
at Blackpool Pleasure Beach,  
6th Jul to 29th Oct,  
Colour illustration of a strongman riding an elephant, background purple  
and pink, lettering blue, yellow and white,  
298mm x 422mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.186** poster

1954  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul,  
Knie's Panthers, Polar Bears, Black Bears, Lions and Tigers presented by  
August Natsch,  
Three Craddocks,  
Vivian and Tassi,  
4 Ramses,  
2 Rassos,  
Harold Gautier's Excess Baggage presented by Alma Michaels,  
The 7 Eagles,  
Two Cherks,  
Fattini,  
Knie's Radio Horses and Wist Drive Horses presented by Wenzel Koss-  
mayer,  
Argentine Pony Express presented by Douglas Kossmayer,  
Dancing Horse and his partner Sandry presented by Douglas Kossmayer  
and George Ruzsa,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Little Jimmy,  
The 3 Petroffs,  
Colour illustrations of a lion, leopard and tiger, a polar bear and a black  
bear, a clown, a suitcase of dogs, aerial acrobats, a elephant, a horse and  
three acrobats on a bicycle, main background is blue, lettering is white on  
a red background,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
635mm x 1013mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.187** poster

1953  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul, clowns,

8 Flying Croneras,  
Fischer's Elephants,  
5 Hansels,  
John,  
The Balladins,  
5 Talos,  
Knie's Legionnaires, equestrian act,  
Klant's Lions presented by Tarzana,  
2 Canters,  
Karl Kossmayers Unrideable Mule,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Little Jimmy,  
Annette's Circusettes,  
Carola's Cockatoos and Parrots,  
Trio Olympiads,  
Colour illustrations of lion and tamer, clown, aerial acrobat, elephant and  
a man on horseback, main background blue with a red stage curtain at  
the top, lettering red on a yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
633mm x 1008mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.188** poster

1952

Charlie Cairoli with Paul,  
Knie's Lions and Tigers presented by Trubka,  
Ghezzi Brothers,  
Rose Gold Trio,  
Tosca de Lac,  
Knie's Horses and Zebras presented by Wenzel Kossmayer,  
Rogge Sisters,  
Duncan's Collies,  
Jacky Lupescu,  
The Oliveras,  
Little Jimmy,  
Annette's Circusettes,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Knie's Animal Carousel presented by Douglas Kossmayer,  
Knie's Baby Elephants presented by Wenzel Kossmayer,  
Edith Crocker's Bear,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, aerial acrobats, a tiger and a lion, two  
horses, a zebra, an elephant and two bears operating a tall bicycle,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
630mm x 1007mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.189** poster

1961

Charlie Cairoli and Company,

Colour illustration of a clown on a rocket in space with a collection of circus animals, monkeys, an elephant, a cat and a giraffe, background is a blue and purple night sky, lettering multicoloured,

Printed by W. E. Berry,

634mm x 1008mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.190** poster

1960

Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clown,

The Bob Gerry Troupe,

5amandis,

Knie's Chimpanzees by Dudi Smith,

The Myrons,

Fattini,

Schaller Bros,

2 Balcombes,

3 Houcs,

The Cycling Therons,

King King,

Our Sammy,

Little Jimmy,

Gerb Siemoneit's Animals from Benneweis,

Sacha Houke presents Knie's Horses,

Rupert Bemmerl presents Knie's Elephants,

Colour illustrations of a clown and clothed chimpanzees at the top, a lion and a tiger at the bottom, acts listed in multicoloured fonts against multicoloured backgrounds,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,

637mm x 1012mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.191** poster

1959

Charlie Cairoli with Paul, clowns,

Schickler Sisters,

Josef Wiesner's 7 Tigers presented by Helene Pimmer,

Knie's Log Rolling Elephants presented by Ruppert Bemmerl,

4 Palacios,

Eldino and Assistant,

Trio Morlidor,

Tibor Alexander's Dogs,

The Great Barton,

The Great Pusztai Troupe,

Carmel Gowan,  
The Two Angelos,  
4 Dubowys,  
Knie's Tiger Horses presented by Edith Schickler,  
Knie's 18 Ponies presented by Ingrid Schickler,  
Hoppe's Kicking Mule,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, an elephant and a dog in a coat and hat  
leading six other dogs on a string,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
638mm x 1012mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.192** poster

1957  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul,  
Krone's Ponies and Polar Bears presented by Jozsi Vinicky,  
Krone's Arabian Horses presented by Doris Arndt,  
Excess Baggage presented by Alma Michaels,  
Flying Marilees,  
Five Cristianis,  
Nino Rubio,  
Bedini Troupe,  
Yokoi Troupe,  
Aerial Chapmans,  
Little Jimmy,  
Golden Linders,  
Frances Duncan,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, monkeys in clothes,  
a polar bear balancing on a ball, two horses, two ponies pulling carts and a  
man on a ladder balancing teacups on his head, main background is blue,  
lettering white on a red background,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
633mm x 1012mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.193** poster

1963  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
The Great Pusztai Troupe,  
The Flying Zengannos,  
Los Onas,  
Rudi Llata,  
Ruppert's Bears,  
Knie's Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Polar Bear, Panthers and Black Bear pre-  
sented by Eugen Weidmann,  
Baranton Sisters,

Robert Brothers Elephants presented by Edith Schickler,  
Sacha Houcke's Ben-Hur, Roman Riding,  
Sacha Houcke and Edith Schickler, high school act,  
The Hermanis,  
Desmond and Marks,  
The Bearis,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a lion, a tiger, a polar bear, and four  
horses with rider in Roman dress, main background yellow, lettering mul-  
ticoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
633mm x 1012mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.194** poster

1962  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
The Bronleys,  
Hugh Forgie and Company,  
Circus Williams' Lions presented by Miss Yvonne,  
The 2 Carmenas,  
Circus Knie's Norweigan and Legion Horses, Zebras and Ponies presented  
by Franz Althoff,  
The Diors Sisters,  
Circus Knie's Animal Carousel presented by Franz Althoff,  
The Four Soranis,  
2 Dominicis  
Willem Lenz and his Chimpanzees,  
Tiber Alexander's Canine Revue,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Circus Knie's 4 Elephants presented by Joseph Hack,  
Dagenham Girl Piper,  
Colour illustrations of a rocket, a clown, a lion and zebra and a chim-  
panzee in clothes, main background black, lettering multicoloured on mul-  
ticoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
636mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.195** poster

1966  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Gerd Siemoneit's Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Pumas and Panther,  
Ruppert's Bears,  
Rogana,  
Seven Lukacs,  
Jörgen and Conny,

Desmond and Marks,  
Circus A Althoff's Eight Arab Liberty Horses presented by Franz Althoff  
Jnr,  
Maryse Begary,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Roberto Mariani Trio,  
Triple High School by Franz Althoff Jnr, Elene Althoff and Evi Barrtch,  
5 Medifreds,  
The Ascots,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a leopard, a panther and a bear on a tall  
bicycle, lettering and backgrounds multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
325mm x 631mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.196** poster

1967  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Flying Leotaris,  
Taras Bulba and his Tigers,  
Max and Barbara Morris with their Sea-Lions,  
Tibor Alexander and his Dog Revue,  
The 3 Villams,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Baily Fossettt's Elephants and Ponies presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
The Great Barton,  
Jean Claude,  
Gina The Girl in the Moon,  
Goldy the Horse with Jack Rosaire,  
The Gerardis,  
Desmond and Marks,  
The Wilsons,  
Colour illustration of a clown, lettering and background multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
631mm x 1012mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.197** poster

1965  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Ferdinando Jarz Troupe,  
Robert Bros 5 Baby Elephants presented by Dickie Baker,  
3 Merkys,  
D'Angoly Jnr,  
Arno and Rita Van Bolen,

The Tower Circusettes,  
Circus A Althoff's Liberty Horses presented by F R Althoff,  
Circus A Althoff's Shetland Ponies presented by Helene Althoff,  
Hoppe's Kicking Mule,  
8 Jungle Queens presented by Captain Sidney Howes,  
6 Biasinis,  
5 Olanders,  
Skating Bredos,  
Dogsi's Football Dogs,  
The Trio Puerto Rico,  
Alma Piana,  
Colour illustrations of an elephant, a clown, a horse and a dog playing  
football, lettering and backgrounds multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
636mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.198** poster  
1964

Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clown,  
The Flying Marilees,  
Lilian Daniels and her Polar Bears,  
Konyot's Chimpanzee Rodeo,  
The Four Rodriguez,  
Circus Schumann's 12 Liberty Horses presented by Billy Baker,  
Desmond & Marks,  
The Guttenbergs,  
Fuzzy-Ball Kaye and Tiny Tommy Gallaher,  
Kimi Yokoi,  
See-Hee Troupe,  
Bartschelly,  
Evelyn Hans and her Poodles,  
Rudi Llata,  
Colour illustrations of clowns, a chimp dressed as a cowboy, a polar bear,  
the 4 Rodriguez, Kimi Yokoi and two poodles, main background blue, let-  
tering multicoloured on a multicoloured background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
633mm x 1016mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.199** poster  
1968

Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clowns,  
Gerd Siemoneit's Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Pumas and Panther,  
6 Kludsky,  
Chy Bad Guy,



The Four Rodriguez, aerial acrobats,  
The Svenssons,  
Gabiella and her Show Dogs,  
Astralita,  
The Balcombes,  
Ivan Bratuchin and his Cossack Riders,  
Concha and Concha,  
Giselle Palmas,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Black and white photograph of a clown, lettering multicoloured on multi-  
coloured background,  
Cardboard hanging intact,  
633mm x 1016mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.200** poster

1969  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Flying Marilees,  
Circus Franz Althoff's 7 Tigers presented by Miss Yvonne,  
Circus Franz Althoff's Elephants presented by F R Althoff,  
8 Danish Tiger Horses and Ponies presented by F R Althoff,  
6 Ferkos,  
4 Castors,  
4 Bertolas,  
Jockey Chimpanzees presented by Al de Jonghe,  
Toly M,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Black and white photograph of a clown, lettering multicoloured on multi-  
coloured background,  
634mm x 1016mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.201** poster

1970  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company,  
Ruppert's Bears,  
Valla Bertini Troupe,  
The Elwardos,  
Barbara Morris and her Sea Lions,  
The Svensons,  
The New Houdinys,  
David Rosaire and his Perky Pokes,  
Gerard Edon,  
Desmond and Marks,

Freddie Kenton,  
Skating Sandras,  
The Charlies,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Small black and white photograph of a clown and black and white illustration of blackpool tower, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
630mm x 1016mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.202** poster

1971  
Charlie Cairoli and his Company, clowns,  
The Flying Alizes,  
Robert Bros Elephants, presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Duo Dobritch,  
Three Villams,  
The Crazy Monroe,  
Arturo Segura,  
Jean Lemoine and Partner,  
Leigh Marsh and her Poodle Cocktail,  
Joan Rosaire and Goldy,  
Desmond and Marks,  
Jerry, Jimmy and Johnny,  
Tower Circusettes,  
Hungarian State Circus Four Syrius,  
Black and white photograph of a clown, colour illustrations of trapeze artists, an elephant, performing dogs in clothes,  
a horse and a water spectacle, lettering multicoloured on a multicoloured background,  
633mm x 1012mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.203** poster

1955  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul, clowns,  
Harry Belli and his Lions,  
Armand Guerre's Musical Sea Lions,  
Scriplini and his Chimpanzees,  
Trampo-Tempo,  
5 Armandis,  
The Cuban Boys,  
2 Berty Borest,  
Alcetty,  
3 Orfatis,  
Wenzel Kossmayer with Knie's Horses and 6 Baby Elephants,  
The Garlands,

Traffic Lights,  
Giant and Midget Presentations,  
Western Playtime and Spanish Fiesta presented by Douglas Kossmayer,  
The Tower Circusettes,  
Frances Duncan,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, four chimpanzees, three lions, a traffic  
light, a horse, a lighthouse, a sea lion, eight acrobats and an elephant,  
main background blue, lettering white on a red background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
633mm x 1016mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.204** poster

1956  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul,  
Krone's Tigers presented by Gilbert Houcke,  
Edith Crocker's Bears,  
Five D'Angoly's,  
See-Hee Troupe,  
The Heltanos,  
The Zengannos,  
Tom and Jerry,  
Theda Sisters,  
The Matanzas,  
Tibor Dog,  
Alexander's Revue,  
King Kong,  
Krone's Arab Stallions,  
The Golden Horses Pegasus with the Elephant Lony,  
Piebald Stallions and Shetland Ponies presented by Jozsi Vinicky,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, four tigers, a strong man, dogs on a slide,  
horses, a chimpanzee climbing a pole, an elephant, acrobats and a bear  
riding a motorcycle, main background blue, lettering white on a red back-  
ground,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
636mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.205** poster

1950s  
Charlie Cairoli with Paul and Company,  
Knie's Sea Lions presented by Miss Hella,  
Gilbert Houcke with the Royal Bengal Tigers,  
Pierre Alizes with Jacques and Maryse,  
The Seven Ashtons,  
Roberto Chiesa and Partner,  
The 3 Peters,

Baudy's Greyhounds and Monkeys,  
Knie's 12 Black Horses presented by Maurice Houcke,  
The Dorchesters with the 3 Scott Boys, Eileen, Jean, Anne and Hilary  
presented by Delbosq,  
The 3 Goetschis,  
The Balcombes,  
The Laconas,  
The Dorocinas presented by Delbosq,  
Jimmy Scott,  
Annette's Circusettes,  
Little Jimmy,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a sea lion, tigers, a chimpanzee riding a  
dog, six men on horseback and twelve horses, main background is pale to  
dark blue, lettering is multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
645mm x 1013mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.206** poster

1983  
Peter Jay presents International Super Circus at Blackpool Tower, and  
Dale Martin Wrestling,  
Black and white illustration of Blackpool Tower, colour illustration of a  
clown, a tiger and a fountain, black and white photograph of wrestler Big  
Daddy, background blue and purple, lettering white, yellow and red,  
505mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.207** poster

1984  
Peter Jay presents All New Super Circus '84, at Blackpool Tower  
The Rodogels,  
The Coco-Tots,  
Colour illustrations of a clown and an elephant, black and white illus-  
tration of Blackpool Tower, photographs of the Water Spectaculer, seven  
clowns and wrestler Big Daddy, main background red, lettering multi-  
coloured,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
255mm x 385mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.208** poster

1984  
Peter Jay presents All New Super Circus '84, at Blackpool Tower,  
The Rodogels,  
The Coco-Tots,

Colour illustrations of a clown and an elephant, black and white illustration of Blackpool Tower, photographs of the Water Spectacular, seven clowns and wrestler Big Daddy, main background red, lettering multi-coloured,  
506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.209** poster

1985  
Peter Jay presents All New Super Circus '85, at Blackpool Tower,  
Colour illustrations of three clowns, sea lions, acrobats and a fountain,  
black and white illustration of Blackpool Tower, photograph of wrestler  
Big Daddy, main background pink, lettering multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
253mm x 381mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.210** poster

1988  
Peter Jay present Chinese Circus, at Blackpool Tower,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a man with a puppet Chinese dragon, a  
tiger and a woman riding an elephant, photograph of wrestler Big Daddy,  
background red and orange, lettering multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
340mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.211** poster

1989  
26 May to 4 November,  
Colour illustrations of two clowns, an acrobat, horses, an elephant, BMX  
riders, a lion and a tiger, background is blue, lettering is red, orange,  
yellow and white,  
338mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.212** poster

1975  
Charlie Cairoli,  
Mary Chipperfield,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a woman riding horseback, horses, a zebra,  
a lion, tigers and an elephants against a blue background, lettering in  
yellow, orange and white,  
1006mm x 1521mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.213** poster

No date

Sheffield, 26 December to 15 January,  
Mary Chipperfield and her Animals,  
Monochrome illustration in shades of red of a unicorn taking food from  
a girl's hand, colour photograph of Mary Chipperfield and a tiger, back-  
ground red, lettering yellow and white,  
418mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.214** poster  
1986  
Merthyr Tydfil, 17 to 26 April,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a tiger and six acrobats on a bicycle, main  
background blue with stripes of pink and orange, lettering multicoloured,  
Location and date on paper stuck over poster  
418mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.215** poster  
No date  
Cinderford, 13 to 15 April,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, a lion and six acrobats on a bicycle, main  
background blue, lettering multicoloured,  
Location and date on paper stuck over poster  
419mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.216** poster  
No date  
Stratford, 30 April to 4 May,  
Main background blue, title yellow, white and red, rest of lettering black  
on white background,  
418mm x 592mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.217** poster  
1966  
Poster announcing Chipperfield's move from Europe,  
Colour illustration of the circus being transported on a boat, with clowns,  
acrobats and animals including elephants, zebras, monkeys and polar  
bears, background blue, lettering multicoloured,  
443mm x 589mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.218** poster  
No date  
17 to 19 July,  
The Four Dressiers,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,

The Five Caesars, double perch act,  
Black Grizzly and Polar Bears,  
The Percheron Stallions,  
Susan and Sidi, high school act,  
The Cowboy Round-Up,  
Fiery Jack and Co,  
Chipperfield's Zebras,  
The Golden Palomino Horses,  
Bradford Springboard Troupe,  
Canine Capers,  
Jackie Sloan,  
Los Argentinos,  
Chipperfield's Elephantasia,  
495mm x 747mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.219** poster

No date  
Dudley, 24 April to 29 April,  
Colour illustrations of a tiger and a giraffe, background orange and yellow,  
lettering blue and black,  
419mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.220** poster

1954  
Miss Stella's Sea Lions,  
16 Elephants,  
Roman Chariot Racing,  
Ranee, the only tiger to ride an elephant,  
70 Horses,  
The Raluy's, fired from a canon,  
18 Grizzly and Polar Bears,  
The Dorchesters, cowboy riders,  
The Cutanos, aerial acrobats,  
Giraffe, Camels, Llamas, Zebras,  
Les French, comedy,  
12 African Lions,  
High School Act,  
The Domis, wirewalkers,  
John's Performing Poodles,  
3 Henris, trapeze act,  
Colour illustration of chariot racers, lettering and background multicoloured,  
276mm x 401mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.221** poster

No date  
Chipperfield's Elephants,  
Cowboy Round-Up,  
Jackie Sloan,  
The Bratfort Troupe, springboard act,  
Performing Zebras,  
The Four Dresslers,  
Bengal Tigers,  
10 African Lions,  
The Caesars, double perch,  
20 Polar and Black Grizzly Bears,  
Fiery Jack and Co,  
John's Wonderful Performing Dogs,  
The Palominos,  
The Royal Percheron Stallions,  
Susan and Sidi, High School act,  
Cardboard hanging intact,  
Printed by Swinton Signcraft,  
256mm x 354mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.222** poster

No date  
16 Elephants,  
Arturos on the Swaying Mast,  
The Royal Percheron Stallions,  
African Lions,  
The Raluy's, fired from a cannon,  
Ranee, tiger riding an elephant,  
The Ortons, gymnasts,  
18 Grizzly and Polar Bears,  
Les French, comedy,  
Golden Palomino Horses,  
Royal Bengal Tigers,  
Miss Stella's Performing Sea Lions,  
Camels, Llamas, Zebras,  
John's Performing Poodles,  
4 Dresslers,  
Main background red, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
250mm x 365mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.223** poster

No date  
Kidderminster, 19 to 21 May,  
Chipperfield's Performing Lions,  
Argentina's Performing Bulls,



The Astrals,  
Marseline,  
John's Wonderful Performing Dogs,  
Susan, High School Horse,  
Chipperfield's Performing Bears,  
The Gridneffs,  
Jix, Jax and Max,  
Chipperfield's Elephants,  
Jimmy Chipperfeild presents his Bengal Tigers,  
Fiery Jack and Co, clowns,  
Banana and Sausage, clowns,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
285mm x 882mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.224** poster

No date  
Cheeky Chimps, featuring the Stilt Walking Chimp,  
Fiery Jack and his Streamlined Car,  
The Horse Riding Sea Lion Troupe,  
Great Group of Polar and Brown Bears,  
Western Carousel,  
Raluy presents the Triple Somersaulting Car,  
The Horse on the Flying Trapeze,  
Cheif Eagle Eye, sharp-shooting,  
Alola the Jungle Princess with her Bengal Tigers,  
3 Henris, Thrills in the Air,  
Elephant Spectacle presented by Wenzel Kossmayer,  
12 Thoroughbred Racehorses and Palominos,  
Valnohas, Unicycles,  
Exotic Act, featuring George the Giraffe,  
The Airdonis, trapeze,  
Jungle Lions with Clem Merck,  
The 3 Domis, tightrope,  
The Diaz Troupe, Spanish clowns,  
Colour illustration of American Indians riding horseback, lettering and  
background multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
314mm x 462mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.225** poster

1955  
Miss Stella's Sea Lions,  
16 Elephants,  
Roman Chariot Racing,  
The Camileo Mayer, high wire troupe,

70 Horses,  
The Exotic Group, camels, llamas, zebras and George the Giraffe,  
18 Grizzly and Polar Bears,  
The Kalev's, human statues,  
The Tarzanovas, flying trapeze,  
Chipperfields Cheeky Chimps,  
Les French, comedy,  
12 African Lions,  
High School Act,  
The Domis Wirewalkers,  
John's Performing Poodles,  
3 Henris, trapeze,  
Colour illustration of Roman chariot racers, announcement that the show  
is new stuck over the top, lettering and backgrounds multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
288mm x 416mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.226** poster

No date  
Bingley Hall in the Midlands, from 24 December to 19 January,  
Poster is circular, with rings like an archery target, advertising the show  
as a 'hit', rings are coloured orange, yellow and green, writing is orange  
and green,  
233mm x 233mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.227** poster

No date  
Sandford Mill Field, in Cheltenham , 28 to 30 May, starring Mr Pastry,  
Printed in the style of an advertisement for the circus 120 years before,  
with a red border and black lettering on a white background,  
Printed by Swindon Signcraft Ltd,  
241mm x 469mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.228** poster

No date  
Christmas Circus at The Bingley Hall in Birmingham, from 23 December,  
Printed in the style of an advertisement for the circus 120 years before,  
with a red border and black lettering on a white background,  
Printed by Swindon Signcraft Ltd,  
245mm x 464mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.229** poster

No date

Farewell visit of Chipperfields Circus to Birmingham at Hay Mills, 14 to 26

Background plain paper, appears yellowed with age, lettering black,  
Printed by Harold Flint and Co Ltd,  
190mm x 253mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.230** poster

No date

Christmas Circus in Liverpool Stadium, 26 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustrations of an elephant, acrobats, a leopard, a tiger, an elephant, a poodle, a crocodile, horses and a polar bear, background is blue, red and yellow, lettering is blue, red and yellow on white background, schedule and booking application printed on the back,  
213mm x 320mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.231** poster

No date

The Oxleaze in Gloucester from 5 April,  
Colour illustration of Ranee the Tiger riding an elephant with its tusks removed through the jungle, border red, lettering multicoloured,  
Photocopy,  
Original printed by W. E. Berry,  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.232** poster

1972-1973

Bingley Hall in Birmingham, 22 December to 20 January,  
Chipperfield's animals,  
Printed on orange card with black lettering,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
241mm x 316mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.233** poster

No date

Buffery Park in Dudley, 6 to 10 April,  
Printed on orange card with black lettering,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
254mm x 316mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.234** poster

1964

Uxbridge, 22 to 27 June,

Yellow, red, white and blue type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
304mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.235** poster

1969  
Lowestoft, after return to England from Africa, 4 to 9 August,  
Yellow, red, white and blue type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
313mm x 504mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.236** poster

1964  
Uxbridge, 22 to 27 June,  
The Cimarro Troupe, high wire act,  
Printed on orange paper, lettering and illustrations in black, black silhouette illustration of four tightrope walkers, one balancing on another's shoulders,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
305mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.237** poster

No date  
Cirencester, 7 to 9 June,  
Yellow, red, white and black type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
313mm x 495mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.238** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, after return to England from Africa, 26 April to 1 May,  
Border blue, background white, lettering Yellow, red, white and blue type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
316mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.239** poster

No date  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, starting 20 December,  
Scotts Sea Lions,  
Zaffara and her Ostriches,  
Nello Football Dogs,  
Erika and her Pigeons,

Sorelle Lorenti, foot jugglers,  
Gentleman Jack the Pickpocket,  
Karkov Elephant and Pony Revue,  
Marion's Comedy Chimps,  
2 Domi-Domis,  
Fratelli Vassallo, trapeze,  
Ranky Babusio and his Model T Ford,  
The Ivan Bratuchin Troupe Caucasian Bears,  
Two Zero's, western act,  
4 Warachs, unsupported ladder,  
Colour illustrations of sea lions, clowns, a woman riding an ostrich, three  
lions, a man in a top hat holding an assortment of valuables, elephants  
and horses and a woman with a broken down car and a clown carrying  
two suitcases, backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
314mm x 471mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.240** poster

No date  
Kilverts Field in Grays, 4 to 9 September,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses,  
The 9 Michelettis,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,  
Brenda Lorenty,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Fabulous Mohawks,  
Chipperfield's Elephant Troupe,  
Les Collins,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
The 7 Juggling Ricos,  
Colour illustration of a chimpanzee in clothes sitting on a clown's shoul-  
ders, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured back-  
grounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
317mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.241** poster

1961  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, starting 23rd December,  
Colour illustrations of a clown holding up a flag pole, a tiger and four  
horses, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured  
backgrounds,  
Notice of extra opening performance on 22nd December stuck on,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,

315mm x 472mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.242** poster

1963-1964  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 21 December to 10 January,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, three camels, an elephant playing a trumpet and four bears, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Notice of extra opening charity performance on 20th December,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
318mm x 476mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.243** poster

1963-1964  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 21 December to 10 January,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, three camels, an elephant playing a trumpet and four bears, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Notice of extra opening charity performance on 20th December,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
318mm x 476mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.244** poster

No date  
Sefton Park, Liverpool, 27 May to 8 June,  
Printed on orange paper, lettering and illustrations in black, black illustrations of two giraffes, a hippopotamus and a crocodile,  
309mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.245** poster

No date  
Hay Mills, Birmingham, 30 March to 15 April,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses,  
The 9 Michelettis,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,  
El Lothara,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Fabulous Mohawks,  
Chipperfield's Elephant Troupe,  
Les Collins,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
The 7 Juggling Ricos,

Colour illustration of a chimpanzee in clothes sitting on a clown's shoulders, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
316mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.246** poster

No date

Cheltenham, 26 April to 1 May,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses,  
The Dilellos,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,  
The Belios Troupe,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Fabulous Mohawks,  
Chipperfield's Elephant Troupe,  
El Vaquero,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
Charmian,

Colour illustration of a chimpanzee in clothes sitting on a clown's shoulders, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
315mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.247** poster

1970

Uxbridge, 6 to 11 April, after return to England from Africa,  
3 Zaracal,

Dickie Chipperfields Panthers,  
Tagora the King of the Fakira,  
Dick Chipperfield's African Lions,  
Chipperfield's Elephants,  
Charlie the Educated Chimp,  
Sally's Perfect Poodles,  
The Chipperfield Group of Polar and Black Bears,  
The Alcaraz, acrobats,  
The Waldos,  
The Mohawks,  
Phil Enos,  
The Lorentis,  
Zira and her Crocodiles,  
Grimble and Co,  
Tommy de Vel and Vera, unicyclist,

Colour illustrations of an african warrior, an elephant, a lion, a clothed

chimpanzee, a leopard, and a crocodile, background a jungle scene, lettering yellow, red and black on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
316mm x 494mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.248** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, 26 April to 1 May,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses,  
Phil Enos,  
The Mohawks,  
Doreen and the Chipperfield Elephants,  
Charlie the Educated Chimp,  
Sally's Perfect Poodles,  
The Chipperfield Group of Polar and Black Bears,  
The Belios Troupe, gymnasts,  
Charmain,  
El Vaquero, wire walking,  
The Two Waldos,  
The Dilellos, clowns,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,  
Los Joses, juggling,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
Colour illustrations of an african warrior, an elephant, a lion, a clothed chimpanzee, a leopard, and a crocodile, background a jungle scene, lettering yellow, red and black on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
317mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.249** poster

No date  
Hay Mills, Birmingham, 30 March to 15 April,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses,  
Phil Enos,  
The Mohawks,  
Chipperfield Elephants,  
Charlie the Educated Chimp,  
Sally's Perfect Poodles,  
The Chipperfield Group of Polar and Black Bears,  
Les Collins, high wire,  
The 4 Castinos, acrobats,  
Los Odorrs, trapeze act,  
The 9 Michelettis, cycling,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,



No No, droll,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
Colour illustrations of an african warrior, an elephant, a lion, a clothed chimpanzee, a leopard, and a crocodile, background a jungle scene, lettering yellow, red and black on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
317mm x 511mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.250** poster  
1971-1972  
Chipperfields Christmas Circus at Rainbow Theatre, 27 December to 8 January,  
Colour illustrations of an african warrior, an elephant, a lion, a clothed chimpanzee, a leopard, and a crocodile, background a jungle scene, lettering yellow, red and black on multicoloured backgrounds,  
318mm x 554mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.251** poster  
No date  
Set out in the style of a wanted poster, advertising slight of hand magician and 'pick pocket' Gentleman Jack at Chipperfields Circus, printed on yellow paper, with black and white photograph of Gentleman Jack and black lettering,  
Printed by Winfield Press,  
379mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.252** poster  
1991  
Kendal, 30 April to 5 May,  
Colour illustrations of acrobats, clowns, horses and trainers and a lion, main background shades of red, lettering black and white,  
420mm x 903mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.253** poster  
No date  
Chesterfield, 18 to 24 February,  
Yellow, red, white and black type on white background and blue border,  
420mm x 591mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.254** poster  
1956  
Cheltenham, from 9 April,

Raluy's triple somersaulting car,  
Colour illustration of car flying off the end of an elevated track, lettering  
red, yellow and white on multicoloured background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
507mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.255** poster  
1960s  
Dudley, from 19 March,  
Zira the girl who swims with crocodiles,  
Colour illustration of a girl underwater holding a crocodile's open jaw,  
lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
504mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.256** poster  
1960s  
Zira the girl who swims with crocodiles,  
Colour illustration of a girl underwater holding a crocodile's open jaw,  
lettering multicoloured,  
Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
502mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.257** poster  
1954  
Hay Mills, Birmingham, from 11 October,  
Colour illustration of two men racing roman chariots, main background  
multicoloured, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
498mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.258** poster  
1953-1955  
Aberdeen, 14 to 26 July,  
The Raluy's 'Fired from a Cannon',  
Colour illustration of a man and a woman in white suits being fired from  
a cannon, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
498mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.259** poster  
1952

West Bromwich, 27 October to 1 November,  
Colour illustration of a white big top with city on the left background and  
a long queue of people going to the circus, also a plane flying overhead in  
the night sky,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
508mm x 752mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.260** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, from 9 April,  
Colour illustration of a giant big top beside miniature city, with a long queue  
from the entrance, a plane flying overhead and a tree in the foreground,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
514mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.261** poster

No date  
Bolton Recreation Ground, 8 to 13 June,  
Mr Pastry,  
Colour illustration of two giraffes, a hippopotamus, three camels and three  
llamas, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Sketched poster layout for 'The Big Ben Bono Show' on the back,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
510mm x 769mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.262** poster

1954  
Hay Mills, from 11 October,  
Roman Chariots,  
Les French, comedy,  
The Dorchesters, western act,  
Chipperfield's 16 Elephants,  
Miss Stella's Sea Lions,  
Ranee, tiger riding an elephant,  
John's Performing Poodles,  
The Raluy's, shot from a cannon,  
Camels, giraffes, llamas, zebras,  
70 horses and ponies,  
The Cutanos, aerial acrobats,  
12 African Lions,  
The Domis, tightrope,  
18 Grizzley and Polar Bears,  
Black and white illustrations of chariot racing and Ranee the tiger, black  
and white photographs of the Raluy's, Miss Stella and her Sea Lions,

Chipperfields Polar Bears and Chipperfields Elephants, main background red, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed W. E. Berry,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.263** poster

1953  
Hay Mills, 13 to 25 October, featuring Ranee the tiger,  
Colour illustration of a tiger sitting on the back of an elephant whose tusks have been removed, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.264** poster

1954  
Gloucester, commencing Monday 5 April,  
Ranee the only tiger to ride and elephant,  
Colour illustration of a tiger sitting on the back of an elephant whose tusks have been removed, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
499mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.265** poster

1956  
Doncaster, 21 to 26 April,  
The Raluy's, shot from a cannon,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
John's Performing Poodles,  
Chipperfield's 16 Elephants,  
Ricardo's African Lions,  
Les French, comedy,  
The Royal Percheron Stallions,  
Miss Stella's Performing Sea Lions,  
Camels, llamas, zebras,  
The Palominos,  
4 Dresslers,  
Ranee, tiger riding an elephant,  
Arturos,  
18 Grizzly and Polar Bears,  
Black and white illustration of Ranee the tiger, black and white photographs of Chipperfield's Big Top, The Raluy's, Miss Stella and her Sea Lions, Chipperfields Polar Bears and Chipperfields Elephants, main background red, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,

502mm x 660mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.266** poster

1951  
Gloucester, Oxleaze, 30 April to 5 May,  
18 Grizzly and Polar Bears,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
John's Performing Poodles,  
Chipperfield's 10 Elephants,  
Bradfort Springboard Troupe,  
Hilda, performing hippopotamus,  
5 Ceasars, double perch act,  
Captain Miaz's Performing Sea Lions,  
Performing Zebras,  
Double High School Acts,  
The Golden Palomino Horses,  
4 Dresslers,  
The Royal Percheron Stallions,  
Arturos,  
Ricardo's African Lions,  
Black and white photographs of the interior of the Big Top, Captain Miaz  
and his Sea Lions, Chipperfield's Polar Bears, The Zebras, The Dressler  
family and Chipperfield's Elephants, main background red, lettering mul-  
ticoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
504mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.267** poster

1950  
Redditch, 17 to 19 July,  
Chipperfield's Elephants,  
4 Dresslers, high wire act,  
Bradfort Troupe, springboard act,  
Performing Bulls,  
Jackie Sloan,  
Performing Zebras,  
John's Performing Dogs,  
Susan the High School Horse,  
Chipperfield's Grizzly and Polar Bears,  
The 5 Ceasars, Double Perch Act,  
Fiery Jack and Co, clowns,  
Bengal Tigers,  
The Golden Palominos,  
Ricardo and his African Lions,  
Black and white photographs of the Chipperfield's Elephants, Zebras, the

interior of the Big Top, Tigers and Lions, Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
503mm x 732mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.268** poster

1949  
Darlington, 6 to 11 June  
Chipperfield's Elephants,  
Argentina's performing Bulls,  
The Astrals,  
Jix, Jax and Max, comedy,  
Hilda, the performing hippopotamus,  
Jackie Sloan,  
Performing Zebras,  
John's Performing Dogs,  
Susan the High School Horse,  
Chipperfield's Performing Bears,  
The Gridneffs, unsupported ladder act,  
Fiery Jack and Co, clowns,  
The 3 Austins, clowns,  
6 Bengal Tigers presented by Frank Carlos,  
Marjorie and her Liberty Horses,  
Ricardo and his African Lions,  
Black and white photographs of Chipperfield's Elephants, Marjorie and her horse, The Gridneffs, Ricardo and his African Lions and Frank Carlos with the Bengal Tigers, main background red, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
504mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.269** poster

1947  
Kidderminster, 19 to 21 May,  
Chipperfield's Performing Lions,  
Argentina's Performing Bulls,  
The Astrals,  
Marseline,  
John's Wonderful Performing Dogs,  
Susan, High School Horse,  
Chipperfield's Performing Bears,  
The Amazing Gridneffs,  
Jix, Jax and Max,  
Chipperfield's Elephants,  
Bengal Tigers presented by Jimmy Chipperfield,

Monochromatic blue photographs of Chipperfield's Lions, Jix, Jax and Max, The Gridneffs, the elephant parade and the Bengal tigers, main background is orange and lettering is red, yellow and blue on orange, yellow and white backgrounds,  
Location and dates have been stuck on seperately,  
504mm x 780mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.270** poster

No date  
Oxford, 21 to 26 September, farewell visit to the Midlands,  
Multicolour type on white background and blue border,  
Location and dates have been stuck on seperately over original,  
505mm x 637mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.271** poster

No date  
Hay Mills in Birmingham, after return to England from Africa, 30 March to 15 April,  
Multicolour type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
502mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.272** poster

No date  
Hay Mills in Birmingham, 14 to 26 September,  
Multicolour type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.273** poster

No date  
Dudley, 9 to 16 March,  
Multicolour type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
510mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.274** poster

No date  
Bognor Regis, 18 to 23 June,  
Multicoloured type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
506mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.275** poster

1970

Uxbridge, after return to England from Africa, 6 to 11 April,  
Multicolour type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
506mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.276** poster

No date

Cardiff, 8 to 20 April,  
Multicolour type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
508mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.277** poster

No date

Granby Hall, Leicester, from 26 December,  
Dickie Chipperfield Jnr presents Chipperfield's Elephants,  
Polar and Black Bears presented by Edith Fryer,  
Paulos, trapeze act,  
Team of Shire Carthorses,  
Bumble, clown,  
Zira and her Crocodiles,  
Biasini Troupe, cyclists,  
Terry Duggan and his Lion Act,  
The Human Cannonball,  
14 Thoroughbred Racehorses,  
Pony and Dog Revue,  
Chako the Ape,  
Sylvanos,  
Pee-Wee-Smee,  
Cheeky Chimps,  
Ron and Rita, tightrope,  
2 Giraffes, Hippo, Camels and Llamas,  
Colour illustrations of two giraffes, a clown playing a drum and a lion  
sitting on a pedestal, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on  
multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
496mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.278** poster

1961

Bingley Hall, Birmingham, starting 23 December,  
Colour illustrations of a clown holding up a flag pole, a tiger and four



horses, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Notice of extra opening performance on 22nd December stuck on,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
500mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.279** poster  
1960-1961  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, starting 22 December,  
Bertram Mills Tigers,  
Nadia Houcke presenting Bertram Mills Horses,  
Dickie Chipperfield Jnr with his Lions,  
Colour illustration of a clown playing a trumpet, another clown with a sign with booking details and a dog on a lead and a tiger, background blue and white, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.280** poster  
1964  
Circus wrestling event at Weymouth, 29 June,  
Randolph Turpin,  
Patrick Klocke,  
Doctor Death,  
Lino de Santos,  
Bob Anthony,  
Hard Boiled Haggerty,  
The White Angel,  
Ray Leslie,  
Dennis Dean,  
Roger Green,  
Printed on yellow paper, black photographs of two boxers, lettering black and red,  
Printed by Wilkinsons Ltd,  
1012mm x 749mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.281** poster  
No date  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 24 December to 19 January,  
Colour illustration of two large lion heads and a smaller image of a lion tamer defending himself with a chair and a whip from fifteen lions, background red and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,

505mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.282** poster

No date  
Newport, 3 to 8 June,  
Multicolour type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
489mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.283** poster

1958-1959  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, from 20 December,  
Fred Emney, ringmaster,  
Ron and Rita, tightrope clowns,  
16 Phantom Thoroughbred Horses,  
Massino Troupe, aerial trampoline,  
5 Biasinis, cyclists,  
Dickie Chipperfield Jnr's Elephants,  
The Silvanos, comedy acrobats,  
The Daulos, trapeze,  
Ricardo presents Nubian Lions,  
3 'Teddy Bears',  
Giraffes, camels, llamas, ponies, dogs,  
Pee Wee, Fiery, Hubert, Boko, clowns,  
Colour illustrations of ringmaster Fred Emney and a lion sitting on a  
pedastel, main background blue and white, lettering multicoloured on mul-  
ticoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
496mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.284** poster

No date  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 24 December to 19 January,  
Colour illustration of a cartoon lion, tiger, elephant and monkey sharing  
christmas dinner with a clown and a woman in a leotard decorating a  
christmas tree in the background, background blue and white, lettering  
yellow, pink and black,  
Illustration signed Sutcliffe,  
501mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.285** poster

No date  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 22 December to 20 January,

Colour illustration of a cartoon lion, tiger, elephant and monkey sharing christmas dinner with a clown and a woman in a leotard decorating a christmas tree in the background, background red, green and white, lettering yellow, pink and black,  
Illustration signed Sutcliffe,  
502mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.286** poster

No date  
First World Wide Christmas Circus Festival at Bingley Hall in Birmingham, from 26 December,  
Border blue, background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.287** poster

No date  
24 December to 19 January,  
Colour illustration of a cartoon lion, tiger, elephant and monkey sharing christmas dinner with a clown and a woman in a leotard decorating a christmas tree in the background, background blue and white, lettering yellow and black,  
Illustration signed Sutcliffe,  
Reproduction  
Printed without any shades of red,  
500mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.288** poster

No date  
Castleford, 9 to 11 June, and Pontefract, 12 to 14 June, after return to England from Africa,  
The Lunas, aerialists,  
Dickie Chipperfield's Panthers,  
Omar Rabati, contortionist and balancer,  
Dick Chipperfield's African Lions,  
Charlie the Educated Chimp,  
Sally's Perfect Poodles,  
Chipperfield Group of Polar and Black Bears,  
Gentleman Jack, pickpocket,  
Frankie Babusio,  
Joan Rosaire,  
Miss Peggy,  
The Lorentis, jugglers,  
Zira and her Crocodiles,

Grimble and Co,  
Tommy de Vel and Vera, unicyclist,  
Colour illustrations of an african warrior, an elephant, a lion, a clothed  
chimpanzee, a leopard, and a crocodile, background a jungle scene, letter-  
ing multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.289** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, 26 April to May 1, after return to England from Africa,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses presented by Tommy Chipperfield,  
Phil Enos,  
Doreen and the Chipperfield Elephants,  
The Mohawks,  
Charlie the Educated Chimp,  
Sally's Poodles,  
Chipperfield Group of Polar and Black Bears,  
The Belios Troupe, gymnasts,  
Charmian,  
El Vaquero,  
The Two Waldos,  
The Dilellos, clowns,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,  
Los Joses, juggling,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
Colour illustrations of an african warrior, an elephant, a lion, a clothed  
chimpanzee, a leopard, and a crocodile, background a jungle scene, letter-  
ing multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
509mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.290** poster

No date  
Dudley, 24 to 29 October,  
Colour illustrations of an elephant, acrobats, a leopard, a clown, a lion, a  
poodle, a crocodile, three horses and a polar bear, background blue, red,  
white and yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 760  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.291** poster

No date

Dudley, 24 to 29 October,  
Colour illustrations of an elephant, acrobats, a leopard, a clown, a lion, a poodle, a crocodile, three horses and a polar bear, background blue, white and yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed without any shades of red,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.292** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, 26 April to 1 May,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses,  
The Dilellos,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,  
The Belios Troupe,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Mohawks,  
Chipperfield's Elephant Troupe,  
El Vaquero,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
Charmian,  
Colour illustration of a chimpanzee in clothes sitting on a clown's shoulders, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
506mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.293** poster

1973  
Worthing, 25 to 30 June,  
Chipperfield's African Lionesses,  
Phil Enos,  
Chipperfield Elephants,  
The Kehaiovi,  
Charlie the Educated Chimp,  
Sally's Poodles,  
Chipperfield Group of Polar and Black Bears,  
Les Brizios,  
Les Sofios,  
Brenda Lorenty,  
Charmain,  
The Bulgaris,  
Grimble and Co,  
Tommy de Vel and Vera, juggling unicyclists,  
Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,

The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,  
Colour illustrations of a woman in circus costume, an elephant, a lion, a  
chimpanzee in human clothes, a tiger and a crocodile, background blue,  
brown and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
511mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.294** poster

1964  
Uxbridge, 22 to 27 June,  
Bear Act,  
Lion Group,  
Elephant Herd,  
The Royal Bengal Tigers,  
Pee Wee and Hubert,  
Tommy Turnbull,  
The Mariani's, balancing act,  
The Trio Bedini,  
Franky Babusio,  
The 7 Nicolodi,  
The Cimarro Troupe, high wire act,  
Colour illustrations of giraffes, grizzly and polar bears with trainer, three  
lions, seven elephants, four tigers, four llamas, four camels, a woman with  
a snake wrapped around her, seven zebras and a hippopotamus, lettering  
and backgrounds multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
506mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.295** poster

1973  
Staines-Egham, 7 to 12 May,  
Colour illustration of two large lion heads and a smaller image of a lion  
tamer defending himself with a chair and a whip from fifteen lions, back-  
ground red and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
505mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.296** poster

No date  
Slough, from 29 August, featuring Mr Pastry,  
Printed on orange paper, illustration of Mr Pastry and lettering black,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,

509mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.297** poster

1976  
Trowbridge, 10 to 13 June,  
Border blue, background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
504mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.298** poster

1964  
Weston-Super-Mare, 17 to 22 August,  
Border blue, background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.299** poster

No date  
Cork, special visit of the Complete European Spectacle, 21 to 27 September,  
Border blue, background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford  
508mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.300** poster

No date  
Hay Mills, Birmingham, 14 to 26 September,  
Special farewell visit to the Midlands for two weeks,  
Yellow, red, blue and white type on white background and blue border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
504mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.301** poster

1959  
First World Wide Christmas Circus Festival at Bingley Hall, Birmingham,  
from 26 December,  
Miss Ferri and her Chimps,  
Spanish Bulls and Ponies,  
Scotts Sea Lions,  
The New Crocodile Presentation,  
The Bello Troupe,  
Cele and Co, clowns,  
4 Kents, unicyclists,

Petersinns' Bears,  
Henry Vaddon and Co,  
Robert Bros presents Ponies, Boxing Kangaroo, Dog Revue,  
Bertram Mills Liberty Horses from Olympia London,  
Doreen Duggan presents Circo Price Elephants,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
502mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.302** poster

1955  
Edinburgh, 30 May to 11 June,  
Colour illustration of a group of circus animals with a female trainer, including a giraffe, a kangaroo, camels and zebras, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Notice about available seats stuck on top,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
498mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.303** poster

1961  
Cheltenham, from 8 May,  
Colour illustration of a bull fighter and bull, lettering multicoloured,  
Notice of canceled performance stuck on top,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
511mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.304** poster

No date  
Southsea, from 30 July,  
Katharyna, tightwire walker,  
Printed on pink paper, black and white illustration of Katharyna walking a tightwire, lettering black, white and pink,  
Printed by Electric (Modern) Printing Co Ltd,  
502mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.305** poster

1970  
Uxbridge, 6 to 11 April,  
Dick Chipperfield Jnr with his Panthers and Leopards,  
Colour illustration of Dick Chipperfield inside a cage fending off an attacking panther with four leopards sat on tables behind, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,



316mm x 494mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.306** poster

No date  
Leicester, 3 to 12 April,  
Dick Chipperfield Jnr with his Panthers and Leopards,  
Colour illustration of Dick Chipperfield inside a cage fending off an attacking panther with four leopards sat on tables behind, lettering multi-coloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.307** poster

1975-1976  
Sheperds Bush Green, 22 December to 17 January,  
Colour illustration of two clowns, three elephants, one with a woman riding on its back, a lion, a tiger, a polar bear, three poodles and two horses, background blue, lettering red, yellow and black,  
'Xmas' has been stuck on seperately  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.308** poster

No date  
Circus in Dudley, 24 to 29 October,  
Colour illustration of two clowns, three elephants, one with a woman riding on its back, a lion, a tiger, a polar bear, three poodles and two horses, background blue, lettering red, yellow and black,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
508mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.309** poster

1952  
Advertisement for parade of circus' 16 elephants from the station to the circus, 2nd November,  
Background blue and red, lettering white, blue and red,  
501mm x 706mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.310** poster

No date  
Parade of circus' 16 elephants from the station to the circus, 8 March,  
Background blue and red, lettering white, blue and red,

507mm x 706mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.311** poster  
1952  
Big top heated by gigantic new plant,  
White and red type on blue background and red and white border,  
509mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.312** poster  
No date  
Heated big top and seating for 6000,  
White, blue and red type on blue and red background,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.313** poster  
No date  
First visit to Britain by Italian Circus, Slough, 24 to 29 July,  
Colour illustration of a woman riding an elephant, a clown and a band of  
the colours of the Italian flag, background black, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
315mm x 491mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.314** poster  
No date  
First visit to Britain by Italian Circus, Bristol, 11 to 22 April,  
Alan Alan, escapologist,  
Colour illustration of Alan Alan suspended from a burning rope above four  
lions, a clown and a band of the colours of the Italian flag, background  
black, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
312mm x 490mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.315** poster  
1989  
Southport Pleasureland, 28 June to 17 September,  
Mary Chipperfield's Animals,  
Colour illustration of a tightrope performer, a camel, a hippopotamus,  
three women riding elephants, a lioness, a clown, a giraffe, a white tiger,  
a woman performing with an orange tiger, a horse, a juggler and a man  
on stilts, border red and blue stars, background rainbow, lettering multi-  
coloured,  
246mm x 385mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.316** poster

1990

Southport Pleasureland, 4 July to 2 September,

Colour illustration of a tightrope performer, a camel, a hippopotamus, three women riding elephants, a lioness, a clown, a giraffe, a white tiger, a woman performing with an orange tiger, a horse, a juggler and a man on stilts, border red and blue stars, background rainbow, lettering multi-coloured,

String hanging intact,

New dates and schedule have been stuck on top twice,

246mm x 385mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.317** poster

No date

Great Yarmouth, 26 December to 12 January,

Colour illustration of a cartoon lion, tiger, elephant and monkey sharing christmas dinner with a clown and a woman in a leotard decorating a christmas tree in the background, background blue and white, lettering red, yellow and blue,

Illustration signed Sutcliffe,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

505mm x 756mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.318** poster

No date

Circus in Swindon, 24 to 29 August,

Bear Act,

Lion Group,

Elephant Herd,

The Royal Bengal Tigers,

Pee Wee and Hubert,

Tommy Turnbull,

The Mariani's, balancing act,

The Trio Bedini,

Franky Babusio,

The 7 Nicolodi,

The Cimarro Troupe, high wire act,

Colour illustrations of giraffes, grizzly and polar bears with trainer, three lions, seven elephants, four tigers, four llamas, four camels, a woman with a snake wrapped around her, seven zebras and a hippopotamus, lettering and backgrounds multicoloured,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,

506mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.319** Chipperfields Europe's Greatest Circus

1962

Stratford, from 4 June,  
Katharyna, wire walker,  
Dos Lisboa, swinging perch,  
Iwarro Tarzan, trapeze,  
Cheeky Chimps,  
2 Sylvanos,  
Les French Troupe, clowns,  
Zira, the girl who swims with crocodiles,  
Biasini Troupe, cyclists,  
14 Thoroughbred Racehorses,  
Whirlwind Riding Act,  
2 Giraffes, Hippo, Camels and Llamas,  
Golden Linders,  
Fantasy of the Bulls,  
Chipperfields Royal Bengal Tigers,  
The Mariannis, roller balancing,  
Pee Wee, Hubert and Boko,  
Dorita presents the Dogs and Ponies,  
Dickie Chipperfield Jnr presents the Elephant Herd,  
Ricardo and his Lion Act,  
The Human Cannon Ball,  
Colour illustration of someone being fired from a cannon attached to a truck, main background blue, lettering multicoloured with multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
509mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.320** Chipperfields Europe's Greatest Circus

1961

Ipswich, from 2 October,  
The Eleano Troupe, high wire,  
Gi-Gi the Ape,  
Iwarro Tarzan, trapeze,  
Cheeky Chimps,  
2 Sylvanos,  
Team of Shire Cart Horses,  
Zira, the girl who swims with crocodiles,  
Biasini Troupe, cyclists,  
14 Thoroughbred Racehorses,  
Polar and Black Bears,  
2 giraffes, hippo, camels and llamas,  
The Rosaires, trampoline,  
Fantasy of the Bulls,

Forest Bred Lions presented by Dickie Chipperfield Jnr,  
The Great Armand,  
Pee Wee, Hubert, Boko, clowns,  
Sylvo and his Crazy Car,  
Dickie Chipperfield Jnr presents Elephant Herd,  
Ricardo and his Lion Act,  
The Human Cannonball,  
Colour illustration of someone being fired from a cannon attached to a  
truck, main background blue, lettering multicoloured with multicoloured  
backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.321** poster

No date  
Circus in Cheltenham, 28th to 30th May,  
Dickie Chipperfield Jnr presents Elephant Herd,  
5 Biasinis, cyclists,  
3 Paulos, trapeze,  
Polar and Brown bears,  
Grimble and Co, clowns,  
Team of Shire Carthorses,  
Gina, the girl in the moon,  
Poodle and Pony Revue, presented by Marian,  
Ricardo presenting his Nubian Lions,  
Massino Troupe, aerial trampoline,  
Exotic Act, 2 giraffes, 3 camels, 8 llamas, Harry the Hippo and crocodiles,  
Chako the Ape,  
16 Phantom Thoroughbred Horses,  
Ron and Rita, tightrope clowns,  
Cheeky Chimps,  
4 Astrals, trapeze,  
Bulls and Ponies,  
Divallo and Josie, juggling,  
Mr Pastry,  
Colour illustrations of a giraffe, a lion and four bulls, lettering and back-  
grounds multicoloured,  
Notice announcing Mr Pastry stuck on seperately,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.322** Chipperfields Europe's Greatest Circus

No date  
Slough, from 29 August, featuring Mr Pastry,  
Colour illustration of two giraffes with female trainers, a hippopotamus,

three camels and three llamas, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Notice announcing Mr Pastry stuck on separately,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford  
508mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.323** Circus Enis Togni

No date  
Bristol, 11 to 22 April,  
Alan Alan, escapologist,  
Herd of African and Indian Elephants,  
Flying Zengannos,  
Mary Chipperfield's Film Animals, lions , tiger, bears, black panther,  
Sea Lions, zebras, camels, giraffe, 12 lipazzaner horses,  
Colour illustration of clown and band of the colours of the Italian flag,  
background blue, lettering multicoloured,  
185mm x 421mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.324** poster

No date  
First visit to Britain by Italian Circus, Slough, 24 to 29 July,  
Colour illustration of Alan Alan suspended from a burning rope above four  
lions, a clown and a band of the colours of the Italian flag, background  
black, lettering multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
'Largest touring Circus in England' stuck on separately,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford  
256mm x 383mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.325** poster

1990  
Pleasureland, Southport, 4 July to 2 September,  
Mary Chipperfield's Animals,  
Colour illustration of a white tiger and a giraffe, background orange and  
yellow, lettering blue, white and black,  
419mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.326** poster

1989  
Southport Pleasureland, 28 June to 17 September,  
Mary Chipperfield's Animals,  
Colour illustration of a tightrope performer, a camel, a hippopotamus,  
three women riding elephants, a lioness, a clown, a giraffe, a white tiger,  
a woman performing with an orange tiger, a horse, a juggler and a man

on stilts, border red and blue stars, background rainbow, lettering multi-coloured,  
245mm x 383mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.327** poster

1990  
Southport Pleasureland, 4 July to 2 September,  
Colour illustration of a tightrope performer, a camel, a hippopotamus, three women riding elephants, a lioness, a clown, a giraffe, a white tiger, a woman performing with an orange tiger, a horse, a juggler and a man on stilts, border red and blue stars, background rainbow, lettering multi-coloured,  
String hanging intact,  
New dates and schedule have been stuck on top,  
246mm x 384mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.328** poster

No date  
Newbury, 4 to 8 April,  
Mary Chipperfield and her Animals,  
Colour illustration of a clown, a monkey in clothes, three horses, two elephants, two zebras, a giraffe and a tiger, background black, lettering white, yellow and black,  
Design by Barrie James/ Artists Associates,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
254mm x 381mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.329** poster

No date  
First visit to Britain by Italian Circus, Bristol, 11 to 22 April,  
Alan Alan, escapologist,  
Colour illustration of Alan Alan suspended from a burning rope above four lions, a clown and a band of the colours of the Italian flag, background black, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
505mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.330** poster

No date  
Uxbridge, 14 to 19 May,  
Margaret Chipperfield and her Animals,  
Colour illustration of a clown, a monkey in clothes, three horses, two elephants, two zebras, a giraffe and a tiger, background black, lettering

white, yellow and black,  
Design by Barrie James/ Artists Associates,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford  
504mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.331** poster

No date  
First visit to Britain by Italian Circus, Clapham Common, 9 to 28 October,  
Presented by Mary Chipperfield,  
The Mazans, revolving perch act,  
The Gun Men, cowboys,  
The Exotic Animal Parade, giraffe, camels, zebra and llamas,  
The Flying Zengannos,  
African Elephants,  
The Chestons, cowboy rodeo,  
Mary Chipperfield with her Lions, Polar Bear, Tiger and Brown Bear,  
12 Lipizzaner Horses,  
Madame Lorent's Sea Lions,  
Los Sanders, clowns,  
The Nicolodis, acrobats,  
Colour illustration of a clown and a band of the colours of the Italian flag,  
background black, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.332** poster

No date  
First visit to Britain by Italian Circus, Worcester, 14 to 17 June,  
Colour illustration of a woman riding an elephant, a clown and a band of  
the colours of the Italian flag, background black, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
506mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.333** poster

No date  
Denham, from 22 June,  
The Cimarro Troupe, high wire,  
Printed on pink paper in black and white, black and white illustration  
of four tightrope walkers, one balancing on another's shoulders, lettering,  
black, white and pink,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
494mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



**178R47.334** poster

1962

Bingley Hall, Birmingham, starting 20 December,

Scotts Sea Lions,

Zaffara and her Ostriches,

Nello Football Dogs,

Erika and her Pigeons,

Sorelle Lorenti, foot jugglers,

Gentleman Jack the Pickpocket,

Karkov Elephant and Pony Revue,

Marion's Comedy Chimps,

2 Domi-Domis,

Fratelli Vassallo, trapeze,

Ranky Babusio and his Model T Ford,

The Ivan Bratuchin Troupe Caucasian Bears,

Two Zero's, western act,

4 Warachs, unsupported ladder,

Colour illustrations of sea lions, clowns, a woman riding an ostrich, three lions, a man in a top hat holding an assortment of valuables, elephants and horses and a woman with a broken down car and a clown carrying two suitcases, backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,

Printed by W. E. Berry,

507mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.335** poster

No date

Slough, from August 29,

Mr Pastry,

Chako the Ape,

Iwarro Tarzan,

Cheeky Chimps,

2 Sylvanos,

Team of Shire Cart Horses,

Zira, the girl who swims with Crocodiles,

Biasini Troupe, cyclists,

14 Thoroughbred Racehorses,

Polar and Black Bears,

2 giraffes, hippo, camels and llamas,

4 Rosaires, trampoline,

Shipway Twins, parallel bars,

The Jet Fired Crazy Car, presented by Merling Stoss and Co,

John Chipperfield presents the New High School Spectacle,

Pee Wee, Hubert and Boko, clowns,

Miss Carmen, trapeze,

Dickie Chipperfield Jnr presents Elephant Herd,

Ricardo and his Lion Act,  
The Human Cannonball,  
Colour illustration of someone being fired from a cannon attached to a  
truck, main background blue, lettering multicoloured with multicoloured  
backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
507mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.336** poster

1957  
Fareham, 12 to 14 September,  
M Debille, the French Apollo, and his Nubian Lions,  
Western Carousel,  
Fiery Jack and his Screaming Car,  
Chako the Ape,  
Les Airellys,  
Cheeky Chimps, featuring the stilt walking chimp,  
Raluy presents the Triple Somersaulting Car,  
The Bustons, football on bicycles,  
Cheif Eagle Eye, sharp shooting,  
Chipperfields Cuddly Teddy Bears,  
Massino Troupe, areial trampoline,  
Elephant Spectacle,  
12 Thoroughbred Racehorses and Palominos,  
Yalnohas, unicyclists,  
Exotic Act, featuring George the giraffe, camels zebras and llamas,  
The Great Andora,  
Colour illustration of five chimpanzees, one on stilts, lettering and back-  
grounds multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd,  
506mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.337** poster

No date  
Chipperfield's move from Europe,  
Colour illustration of the circus being transported on a boat, with clowns,  
acrobats and animals including elephants, zebras, monkeys and polar  
bears, background blue, lettering multicoloured,  
Reproduction,  
434mm x 586mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.338** poster

No date  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 1 to 11 January,

Colour illustration of a muzzled bear, an elephant, a poodle, a clown, a horse and a tiger, main background blue, lettering black and white,  
Illustration signed Mark Twitchett,  
Printed by Twinprint Limited,  
309mm x 450mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.339** poster  
No date  
Bromley, 19 to 23 September,  
Paper white, lettering black and red,  
314mm x 428mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.340** poster  
No date  
Clubb-Chipperfield Ltd present Circus Spectacular,  
Capt Spencer's Russian Bears,  
Miss Patricia on the Rolling Globe,  
Tomato the Clown,  
Sally Chipperfield's Poodle Revue,  
Courts Liberty Ponies,  
Pete Burrel on the Electric Organ,  
Performing Monkeys,  
The Denvers, Wild West Show,  
Paper white, lettering blue and red,  
380mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.341** poster  
No date  
Bingley Hall in Birmingham, 18 December to 2 January,  
James Clubb's Siberian and Royal Bengal Tigers,  
Colour illustration of six orange tigers, main background blue with white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Illustration signed Thomas,  
447mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.342** poster  
No date  
Bromley, 19 to 23 September,  
Colour illustration of two bears, one muzzled and one not, a lioness, two elephants, a juggler, a llama, a horse and a trapeze artist, background blue, lettering red, yellow and black,  
Designed and printed by Twinprint Ltd,  
448mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.343** poster

No date

Penzance, 30 June to 5 July,

Colour illustration of five lions, one large one in a cage and five smaller one below, background blue, lettering yellow and black,

Printed by Twinprint Ltd,

448mm x 640mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.344** poster

No date

Huddersfield, 23 to 28 July,

Colour illustration of a muzzled bear, an elephant, a poodle, a clown, a horse and a tiger, main background blue, lettering black and white,

Illustration signed Mark Twitchett,

Printed by Twinprint Ltd,

450mm x 638mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.345** poster

No date

Bristol, 5 to 8 May,

James Clubb's Siberian and Royal Bengal Tigers,

Colour illustration of six orange tigers, main background blue with white stars, lettering multicoloured,

Illustration signed Thomas,

450mm x 637mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.346** poster

1981

Peckham Rye, 12 to 17 October,

James Clubb's Siberian and Royal Bengal Tigers,

Colour illustration of six orange tigers, main background blue with white stars, lettering multicoloured,

Illustration signed Thomas,

449mm x 639mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.347** poster

No date

Exeter, 14 to 19 July,

Border blue with yellow stars, background white, lettering yellow and black,

450mm x 638mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.348** poster

No date

Christmas Circus at Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 16 December to 2 January,  
Colour photograph of three clowns, background yellow and white, lettering  
red, green and black,

Printed by Peerless Press Limited,

420mm x 594mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.349** poster

No date

Dudley, 24 to 29 April,

Colour illustration of a muzzled bear, an elephant, a poodle, a clown, a  
horse and a tiger, main background blue, lettering black and white,

Illustration signed Mark Twitchett,

Printed by Twinprint Ltd,

450mm x 638mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.350** poster

No date

Appointed Booking Agent for Chipperfields, Menagerie and Circus,

Background red and blue, border black, lettering yellow, black and white,

749mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.351** poster

No date

Book Here for Chipperfields Circus, Europes Greatest!,

Background black, border yellow, lettering orange, yellow and black,

503mm x 201mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.352** poster

No date

Book Here for Chipperfields Circus, Europes Greatest!,

Background black, border yellow, lettering orange, yellow and black,

508mm x 190mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.353** poster

No date

Book Here for Chipperfields Circus, Europes Greatest!,

Background black, border yellow, lettering orange, yellow and black,

504mm x 201mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.354** poster

No date

Alight at Wavertree Playground for the Circus, on one side, and 'Take this Bus for the Circus at Wavertree Playground' on the reverse,

Blue border and lettering,

Printed by The Salisbury Press Ltd,

504mm x 318mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.355** poster

No date

Birkenhead, Birkenhead Park, Tuesday 10 to Sunday 15 June,

Herd of baby elephant,

6 Hungarya,

The Schlingloffs,

The Two Drotos,

Milli & Antonia Christo,

8 Appaloosa ponies,

Jon & Tonia Roberts,

Robert, Ringo and Moira,

Beverly Sophie, aerial act,

Madam Kitty's Poodle Dog Revue,

Duke Dupree and Company, clowns,

The Riding Machine,

The Four Arabian Knights,

Maureen Frances,

Bohorts & Co, musical clown,

Siberian camels,

Ringmaster, L. Endresz & B. Bale,

Teddie, comedy act,

Skippy, boxing kangaroo,

African lions presented by Veri Ain,

White, yellow red and black type on red and white backgrounds, with colour illustrations around the central section showing, female acrobats near the top, horses and lions on the left, kangaroo, clown and elephants on the right and dog and trainer on the bottom,

Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

449mm x 641mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.356** poster

1956

Bracknell, Triangle Field, Bull brook Drive, Park Road, Friday 28 and Saturday 29,

Colour illustration of four lions in a circus ring, three on the foreground, of which two are roaring and one leaping above them,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.357** poster

1955  
Kitts Green, Kent Moat recreational ground, Monday 16 to Saturday 21  
May,  
Colour illustration of lions in a circus ring, two roaring on the foreground,  
one stood on a circus platform on the right hand side and one leaping on  
the centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
512mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.358** poster

1972  
Uxbridge, Rockingham recreation ground, Monday 3 to Saturday 8 July,  
Colour illustration of lions and tamer in circus ring,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.359** poster

1965  
Keswick, High Hill, Cockermouth Road, Monday 31 May to Tuesday 1  
June,  
Colour illustration of two performing elephants on circus platforms on a  
red background and a smiling white clown face in a circle on top right,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
515mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.360** poster

1949  
  
African lions presented by Frank Carlos,  
Zebras and llamas,  
Six see-saw ponies,  
Arabian stallions,  
Macbeth & Hamlet,  
Bushman, Nugget & Rebecca, African baboons,  
Sultan, dancing horse,  
Himalayan Bears,  
Jacko. Bobo, Holly, Ally, Clowns,  
June Knight and her Five Pyramnid Girls,  
The 4 Ottawas, bareback riders,  
Jacko and Alexandre,  
The Circusettes, dancing act,

Toroni,  
Jacko Fossettt,  
Jenny Jones, unrideable mule,  
B. Roberts ringmaster,  
Beauty and her dancing lovelies,  
Scottish Dog Review,  
3 Waves, comedy trapeze act,  
Menagerie open daily, lions, lion cubs, bears, African monkeys, Indian  
monkeys, leopards, llamas, zebras, Arab horses, Icelandic ponies and mules,  
Burmese sacred ass, dogs,  
Black, red and yellow type on white, red, yellow and blue background and  
colour illustrations of animals including lion, llamas, zebra, bear, monkey,  
horse and leopard along the centre section,  
Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 744mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.361** poster

No date  
El Caballo de Pipi Calzaslargas; Pequeño Tio,  
Colour illustration of monkey riding on a white horse with black spots on  
an orange and pink background,  
Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed by Graficas Valencia, S. Lluch 20, Valencia,  
248mm x 655mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.362** poster

1948  
African Lions presented by Mr. T. Roberts,  
6 ponies,  
Kimberly, zebra,  
The 4 Riding Tziganes,  
Baby the inteligent horse,  
Nugget & Rebecca, baboons,  
Scottish Dog Revue,  
Llamas,  
Jacko Fossettt and Dandy Daniel, clowns,  
Wizzbang, mule,  
Tony the dancing horse,  
Sata & Hamlet, horses,  
Ringmaster B. Roberts,  
Long, Short & Shorter, comedy stilt walking act,  
Madam Terry's Circusettes, dancing act,  
Pip, Squeak, Wilfred, real life teddy bears,  
The 3 Juleos, comedy trapeze act,



Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
255mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.363** poster

Circa 1950  
Cirencester, King's Meadow, Friday 16 and Saturday 17 June,  
Lions, leopards, panther and tiger presented by Carl Fischer,  
Zebras and llamas,  
Six see-saw ponies,  
Arabian stallions,  
Macbeth & Hamlet,  
Nugget & Rebecca, African baboons,  
Sultan, dancing horse,  
Himalayan bears,  
Jacko, Caraway, Bobo, Momo, Ally, clowns,  
The Circusettes,  
The Alatkoes,  
The Ottowas, bareback riders,  
Jacko Fossettt, clown,  
Jenny Jones, unrideable mule,  
Ringmaster Mr. B. Roberts,  
Beauty and her Dancing Lovelies,  
Scottish Dog Revue,  
Baby elephant, Bambino,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford, Reproduction  
250mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.364** poster

Circa 1954  
Wythenshawe, Wythenshawe Park, Thursday 13 to Saturday 15 May,  
Colour illustration of female aerial performer in red suit with white spots  
and small crown in the centre and two black and white illustrations on  
yellow background one on top right and another on bottom left all high  
above a circus ring,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
275mm x 565mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.365** poster

1954  
Baby elephants,  
Arabian Stallions presented by T. Roberts,  
Himalayan teddy bears presented by Capt. Simmons,

Scottish Dog Revue,  
Polar bears and black bears,  
TV comedy chimpanzees,  
Bambino and the leopard horses,  
Robert Bros. Aerial Ballet,  
Beauty and the Maypole Girls,  
Sea lions presented by H. Ruby,  
Satan & Hamlet, Wee Doch and Doris,  
Circusettes,  
Jacko. Caraway, Bobbo, Junco, clowns,  
Lions presented by Captain Sidney Howes,  
Menagerie open daily, lions, monkeys, leopards, dogs, bears, elephants,  
donkeys, Arabian horses, kangaroo, baboons, mules, shetland ponies, horses,  
zebra,  
Black, red, yellow and blue type on white, red, yellow and blue back-  
ground and colour illustrations of animals including lion, zebra, bear,  
monkey, horse, kangaroo, elephant and leopard along the centre section,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
508mm x 767mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.366** poster

No date

Colour illustration of circus scenes in the ring including two white horses  
on left, elephants on the right and centre and trapeze act also on centre,  
Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
1012mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.367** poster

1957

Keswick, Showfield, Saturday 20 April,  
Colour illustration of four elephants performing on a yellow, red and blue  
block background,  
509mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.368** poster

1960

Bletchley, Market Field, Friday 28 and Saturday 29 october,  
Colour illustration of two clown faces in a circle in the centre, caged, lions  
on top left, acrobat on high wire on top right, elephants on bottom right  
and female dog trainer with poodles on bottom left,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.369** poster

Circa 1959

Canvey Island, opposite Casing sea front, Monday 13 and Tuesday 14 July,

Colour illustration of three dancing elephant on a red background with green stars and thin yellow stripes,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

509mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.370** poster

No date

Aberystwyth, Llety Gwen Fields, Wednesday 5 to Sunday 9 July,

Colour photograph of various circus acts and yellow, blue and red type on glossy paper,

420mm x 600mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.371** poster

1946

Birmingham, Aston Hippodrome, week commencing 11 November,

African lions presented by Capt. Sidney Howes,

Maharanees, Indian elephant presented by Rachid Haroun,

The Maiannis, comedy act,

Baby the intelligent horse, introduced by Bobby Roberts,

Voltige by Miss Kitty,

Marrino, Danial, Joey, Moey, Gorgeous, clowns,

Satan the wonder horse,

Doris and her Zebra,

The Three juleos, comedy trapeze act,

Rosita presents Jocko, the human monkey,

Jenny Jones, the unrideable mule,

The see-saw ponies presented by Miss Pat,

Ringmaster B. Roberts,

Joey, the clever pony,

Harry Coady, clown,

The Dancing Circusettes,

Red and blue type on off white card with monochrome blue illustration of lion and elephant on top section

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

212mm x 302mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.372** poster

No date

Beverly Roberts and her beautiful animals,

Colour illustration of clown face on top left and horses, llama and camel

on centre, around a colour photograph of a woman in a white outfit and head piece,

Left blank for printing location and date,

452mm x 638mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.373** poster

Circa 1971

Brierley Hill, Tuesday 27 April to Sunday 2 May,

Colour illustration of cowboy on rearing horse firing a gun on the air and row of six elephants on the background, on a blue background and glossy paper,

Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

450mm x 640mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.374** poster

1955

Eastleigh, Friths Fields, Wednesday 24 and Thursday 25 August,

Colour illustration of two chimpanzees on a bicycle in the centre and four smaller ones wearing stripey tops and shorts on the bottom section,

Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

510mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.375** poster

1953

Theatre Royal, Bilston, Monday 23 November,

6 African Lions presented by Capt. Sidney Howes,

Jane the human monkey,

Violet on the silver thread,

Don and Peggy, see-saw ponies,

Tex James group of six prairie ponies,

Violet & Margaret,

The Dubski Trio,

Sandow Sisters, aerial act,

The Seven Hungarians, risley act,

Dicks dogs, monkeys and ponies,

The Amazing Glissons,

Edgar Cooke, Wee Georgie, Andy, clowns,

Comedy chimpanzees,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

1007mm x 757mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.376** poster

1967

Keswick, The Crossing fields, Wednesday 27 and Thursday 28 September,  
Colour illustration of elephants performing in a ring and elephant tamer  
gearing a red jacket and black trousers in the centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
507mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.377** poster

1965  
Caterham, Chaldon Road Recreation Ground, Monday 20 to Wednesday  
22 September,  
Colour illustration of two chimpanzees in a circus ring, one on a bicycle  
and the other on the high wire and two chimpanzees eating at a table on  
bottom right corner,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.378** poster

1982  
Birmingham, Pype Hayes Park, Chester Road, Monday 12 to Saturday 24  
April,  
Colour illustration of lion leaping through a hoop on fire on a red back-  
ground on glossy paper,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
452mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.379** poster

1985  
Enfield, Carterhouse Lane fairground, Monday 21 to Saturday 26 October,  
Colour illustration of elephants performing in a circus ring and trainer  
stood in the centre in front of a seated elephant wearing a golden jacket,  
on glossy paper,  
427mm x 638mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.380** poster

1973  
Lancaster, Ryelands Park, Monday 25 to Saturday 30 June,  
Baby elephants,  
Troupe Berondini, high wire act,  
Bears,  
Mario, Dupree & Jimmy Scott, Wee Ricky, clowns,  
Robert Ringo, gun slinger,  
The Endresz Brothers,  
The Two Mazans,

Appaloosa stallions,  
Cottrelli,  
Blandini, swinging rope act,  
The Riding Machine,  
Ian White and his band,  
Madam Kitty's poodle revue,  
Johnny, spinning plates act,  
Michael Malcolm,  
Maureen Frances,  
Sidney, the boxing kangaroo,  
Lions and lionesses,  
Red, yellow and black type on white background and colour illustration  
of clown in dungarees on a step ladder pasting the poster on the left hand  
side and brickwork around the edges,  
382mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.381** poster

1952  
Burn's Green, Chester-le-Street, Monday 11 August,  
Lions presented by Captain Sidney Howes,  
Teddy bears,  
Three Julios, comedy trapeze act,  
Le Troy,  
Augustase, horse,  
Dogs and monkeys in circusland,  
Fossettt and Daniel's, comedy act,  
Wizbang, unrideable mule,  
Madam Ouida, wire act,  
Suliman, handkerchief horse,  
A fantasy in black and white, ponies presented by T. Roberts,  
Baby, intelligent horse introduced by Bobby Roberts,  
Voltige,  
Ringmaster B. Roberts,  
Long, Shorter & Short, stilt walkers,  
Atom, Jacko, Danny, Pepper, Nana, clowns,  
Troupe of Cossack riders,  
Black, red and blue type on white, red, yellow and blue background and  
colour illustration of clown face on black background on right hand side,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
515mm x 753mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.382** poster

1971  
Workington, The Cloffocks, Monday 28 June to Saturday 3 July,  
Baby elephants,

Performing pigs,  
The Endresz Brothers, casting and trampoline act,  
The Hassan Troupe, tumblers,  
Lion and lionesses,  
The Great Sebastian, trapeze act,  
Sidney, boxing kangaroo,  
The Julian Troupe, trick cycling act,  
The Santas, juggling act,  
Eight Appaloosa stallions,  
Colour illustration of elephant and clown having a bath together in a tin  
bath on a yellow background,  
319mm x 482mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.383** poster

Circa 1971  
Brierley Hill, Tuesday 27 April to Sunday 2 May,  
Tigers, cowboy and indians, kangaroo, dogs, elephants, horses, trapeze,  
Colour illustration of elephant and clown having a bath together and a  
dog in ringmaster's outfit on the left the acts are contained within soap  
bubbles, on a blue background and glossy paper,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
452mm x 641mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.384** poster

1969-1970  
The Round House, Chalk Farm Road, Friday 26 December to Saturday  
24 January,  
Elephants and horses,  
The Maris on the rolling globes,  
Poodle revue,  
Ivan Karl, the world's smallest strong man,  
Lions,  
Maginty and Patch,  
Sidney, boxing kangaroo,  
The Collins, high wire act,  
Spaloosa stallions,  
Clowns,  
Colour illustration of elephant and clown having a bath together in a tin  
bath on a yellow background,  
307mm x 455mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.385** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of large clown's upper body wearing a bowler's hat

and a checked green jacket with right arm around a circus ring containing performing lions, horses and elephants and trapeze act on the background on glossy paper, on a mainly blue background,  
Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
208mm x 440mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.386** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head and tiger, mainly on a red background on glossy paper,  
Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
208mm x 440mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.387** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of performing elephants in a circus ring, one is walking on a large red pipe, mainly on a green background on glossy paper,  
Left blank for printing location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
208mm x 440mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.388** poster

1970s  
Newquay, Trevenson Road site, Monday 30 August to Thursday 2 September,  
Colour illustration of female flamenco dancer in the centre wearing a blue and red dress, surrounded by elephants, chimpanzee, lion and horses, on glossy paper, signed Sutcliffe,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
450mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.389** poster

1994  
Falkirk, Tryst Ground Stenhousemuir, Golden Jubilee 1944-1994,  
Black type on white background and colour illustrations of clowns, horses, elephants, llama and performers on either side with dark starry background on top section, on glossy paper,  
453mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.390** poster

No date



Leith Theatre, 16 December to 8 January,  
Bengal tigers,  
High school horses,  
Les Jontonias,  
The Magnificent Gerone,  
The Three Buffoons,  
International clowns,  
Canine equestrians,  
The Great Sebastian,  
Skippy the boxing kangaroo,  
The Ringo Kid,  
Indian elephants,

Title on black and white and yellow type over a red background with small colour illustrations of circus acts on the top section and black type on white background on the centre with colour illustrations of tiges and elephants and some holly leaves on bottom left, more black and strong pink type on bottom section, on glossy paper,

480mm x 712mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.391** poster

Circa 1977

Wolverhampton, East Park, Tuesday 10 to Sunday 15 May,

Colour illustration of large smiling clown's face on the background and blond woman in a leopard print bikini holding onto a rope, bicycle acrobatic troupe on bottom right, trapeze act on top right and wire acrobatics on bottom left, on a dark blue background, on glossy paper, signed Sutcliffe  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,

454mm x 640mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.392** poster

1947

Shrewsbury, Fankwell Recreation Ground, Friday 18 and Saturday 19 April,

African lions presented by Capt. James Stuart,

Otto's ponies,

Costello with his high school horse,

Les Gerbolas, comedy act,

Len Rover, clown,

Ringmaster Trevor Bale,

The Coronas, equestrian act,

Spitfire the kicking mule,

Beauty the human pony,

Madeleine, lady clown,

The Lancings, balancing act,

Daisy the comedy cow,

Dawnita, aerial act,  
Toni, Tina, Tony,  
The Musical Equilibrists,  
White, red and blue type on off white background and blue and white  
photo of roaring lion's head,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
253mm x 750mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.393** poster

1962  
Kettering, Northampton Road Recreation Ground, Monday 2 to Tuesday  
3 April,  
Colour illustration of four lions in a caged circus ring, two of them on red  
steps, also red border and yellow, white and black type on red and white  
backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
278mm x 543mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.394** poster

1954  
Penicuik, Hays Park, Saturday 12 June,  
Herd of baby elephants presented by B. Roberts,  
Polar bears and black bears,  
TV comedy chimpanzees,  
Arabian stallions presented by Mr T. Roberts,  
Himalayan teddy bears presented by Capt. Simmons,  
Scottish Dog Review,  
Bambino & leopard horses,  
Robert Bros. aerial ballet,  
Beauty and the Maypole Girls,  
Satan & Hamlet,  
Jacko, Caraway, Bobby, Junco, clowns,  
De'Naros, aerial act,  
Jenny Jones, the unrideable mule,  
David & Goliath, Wee Doch and Doris,  
Circusettes,  
Sea lions presented by H. Ruby,  
Lions and lionesses presented by Capt. Sidney Howes,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
333mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.395** poster

2000  
Colour illustration of large clown's face on a starry blue background and a

blond woman in a white bikini holding on to a rope on the right hand side,  
signed on bottom section by Caroline Roberts, Chico Rico, Jana Roberts,  
Duet Spasov, Amanda Sandow, Badu, Mikel and Luipin Lizard,  
421mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.396** poster

1972  
High Wycombe, Kingsmead Recreation Ground, Monday 25 to Saturday  
30 September,  
Herd of baby elephants,  
The Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Pigs, bears, lions, Appaloosa stalions,  
Brum, Mario, Dupree & Jimmy Scott, Beano, Wee Ricky, clowns,  
Robert Ringo,  
The Endresz Brothers,  
Three Sandos,  
The Christo's,  
Cottrelli,  
Michael Austin and Company,  
The Riding Machine,  
Madam Kitty's Poodle Revue,  
Johnny,  
Maureen Frances,  
Sidney, boxing kangaroo,  
Red, yellow and black type on white background and colour illustration  
of clown in dungarees on a step ladder pasting the poster on the left hand  
side and brickwork around the edges,  
379mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.397** poster

No date  
Bath, Middle Common, Royal Victoria Park, Wednesday 27 to Saturday  
30 June,  
See the elephants walk from Bath Spa Goods station,  
Notice strip to be added to a poster with the itinerary of the elephant  
parade,  
Black type on off white background,  
895mm x 149mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.398** poster

No date  
Birkenhead, Birkenhead Park, Thursday 8 to Saturday 17 September,  
White and black type on white background on the centre and the Union  
Jack on the top section and borders on bottom section,

Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.399** poster

No date  
Huddersfield, Canker Lane, Leeds Road, Monday 29 September to Satur-  
day 4 October,  
White, red and blue type on off white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
503mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.400** poster

1963  
Cheltenham, Standford Mill, Old Bath Road, Monday 15 and Tuesday 16  
April,  
Herd of baby elephants, presented by Bobby Roberts junior,  
Rodeo Round-Up,  
Miss Kitty's French Poodle Revue,  
Liberty horses,  
Bobby,  
Holley & Madge Grey,  
Carolyn Jane,  
Lisa Viady, juggling and balancing act,  
Sidney, the boxing kangaroo,  
The Ottawa Troupe, equestrian act,  
The Great Sandow,  
Tex & Nita,  
Junco, Tubby, Jerry, clowns,  
Robette's Glamorous Girls,  
Lions,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield, Printing Works, Bradford,  
335mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.401** poster

1962  
Bracknell, Triangle Field, Bullbrook Drive, Friday 28 and Saturday 29  
September,  
Herd of baby elephants, presented by Bobby Roberts junior,  
Rodeo Round-Up,  
Miss Kitty's French Poodle Revue,  
Six prairie ponies,  
Bobby,  
The Great Cottrell,  
Carolyn Jane,

Lisa Viady, juggling and balancing act,  
Sidney, the boxing kangaroo,  
The Ottawa Troupe, equestrian act,  
Des Flandres, juggling act,  
Tex & Nita,  
Junco, Tubby, Jerry, clowns,  
Digger Pugh's aerial ballet,  
Lions,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield, Printing Works, Bradford,  
340mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.402** poster

1961  
Buxton, Fairfield Common, Friday 21 and Saturday 22 April,  
Herd of baby elephants, presented by Bobby Roberts junior,  
Animal Group, Rodeo Round-Up,  
Miss Kitty's French Poodle Revue,  
Six prairie ponies,  
Bobby,  
Welsh ponies and llamas,  
The Thinis, trampoline act,  
Lisa Viady, juggling and balancing act,  
The Ottawa Troupe, equestrian act,  
Des Flandres, juggling act,  
The big horse and the wee wee pony,  
Tex Whiteford and his band,  
Jacko, Junco, Tubby, Jerky, clowns,  
Carolyn Jane,  
Lions,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield, Printing Works, Bradford,  
337mm x 769mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.403** poster

1969  
Birkenhead, The New Ferry Park, Monday 5 to Saturday 10 May,  
Herd of baby Indian elephants presented by B. Roberts Junior,  
Sebastian, aerial act,  
Rodeo Roun-Up,  
Teddy bears picnic,  
Greay Wolf and the Tacomas,  
Sidney, boxing kangaroo,  
Hassan Troupe,  
Michael Austin,  
Miss Maureen Francis, foot juggling act,  
Bobby, comedy act,

Johnny Otto and Partner,  
Miss Kitty's Poodle Revue,  
Ringmaster G. Howes,  
The Great Cottrelli,  
Junco. Jerry and Mario, clowns,  
Ivan Karl, the world's smallest strong man,  
African lionesses presented by Capt. S. Howes,  
Zoo open daily, elephants, tigers, pumas, monkeys, chimpanzees, vultures, pelican, kangaroos, lions, pigmy donkey, sacred Burmese ass, llamas, camels, Arab stallions, Argentine spotted ponies,  
White, red and black type on blue, white, yellow and red background and colour illustration of animal heads down the centre showing some of the animals listed in the zoo section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
381mm x 624mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.404** poster

1966  
Huddersfield, Canker Lane, Leeds Road, Monday 9 to Saturday 14 October,  
Herd of baby Indian elephants presented by B. Roberts junior,  
Exotic group, camel, bull, llama, donkey,  
Rodeo Round-Up,  
Liberty horses,  
Tex & Anita, rope spinning act,  
Sidney, boxing kangaroo,  
Chimpanzees,  
Michael Austin,  
Miss Maureen Francis, foot juggling act,  
Carolyn-Jane, trapeze act,  
Bobby, comedy act,  
Johnotto and Partner,  
Miss Kitty's Poodle Revue,  
Ringmaster A. Delbosq,  
The Great Cottrell,  
Junco, Jerry and Mario, clowns,  
Ivan Karl, the world's smallest strong man,  
African lionesses presented by Capt. S. Howes,  
Zoo open daily, elephants, tigers, pumas, monkeys, chimpanzees, vultures, pelican, kangaroo, lions, pigmy donkey, sacred Burmese ass, llamas, camels, Arab stallions, Argentine spotted ponies,  
Red, yellow and black type on white, red, yellow and blue background and illustration of heads of animals listed in the zoo down the centre section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
383mm x 635mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.405** poster

1965

Clacton-on-Sea, Vista Road Recreation Ground, Monday 9 to Saturday

14 July,

Group of lions and tigers,

Exotic group, camel, bull, llama, donkey,

Rodeo Round-Up,

Liberty horses,

Michael Austin's 1001 glasses,

Sidney, boxing kangaroo,

Hollywood's famous chimpanzees,

Troupe of Ottawa riders,

Carolyn-Jane, trapeze act,

Bobby, comedy act,

Johnotto and Partner,

Miss Kitty's Poodle Revue,

Ringmaster Holly Gray,

Junco, Jerry and Tubby, clowns,

Miss Lorraine, equestrian act,

Elephant and horses act,

The Great Cottrelli,

Zoo open daily, elephants, tigers, lions, monkeys, chimpanzees, vultures,

pelican, kangaroos, puma, pigmy donkey, sacred Burmese ass, llamas,

zebras, camels, Arab stallions, Argentine spotted ponies,

Red, yellow and black type on white, red, yellow and blue background and

illustration of heads of animals listed in the zoo down the centre section,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

380mm x 633mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.406** poster

1964

Dunoon, Black Park, Monday 27 July to Saturday 1 August,

Group of baby elephants presented by Bobby Roberts junior,

Exotic group, camel, bull, llama, donkey,

Rodeo Round-Up,

Liberty horses,

Thinis,

Sidney, boxing kangaroo,

Hollywood's famous chimpanzees,

Troupe of Ottawa riders,

Carolyn-Jane, trapeze act,

Bobby, comedy act,

Johnotto and Partner,

Miss Kitty's Poodle Revue,

Tex & Anita,  
Junco, Jerry and Tubby, clowns,  
Abdulla and Sadia Troupe,  
Lions presented by Captain Howes,  
Zoo open daily, elephants, lions, monkeys, chimpanzees, vultures, pelican,  
kangaroos, camels, puma, sacred Burmese ass, llamas, zebras, Arab stallions,  
Argentine spotted ponies,  
Red, yellow and black type on white, red, yellow and blue background and  
illustration of heads of animals listed in the zoo down the centre section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
380mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.407** poster

1976  
Hanley, Harding Road, Monday 15 to Saturday 20 November,  
Herd of baby elephants,  
The Julian Troupe, trick cycling act,  
The Great Sebastian, trapeze act,  
The Appaloosa stallions,  
Performing pigs,  
Bears,  
Junco, Mario, Dupree & Jimmy Scott, clowns,  
Robert Ringo,  
The Endresz Brothers,  
Beverly & JOanna, aerial act,  
The Santas, juggling act,  
Cottrelli,  
Russell and Partner, equilibrist act,  
The Riding Machine,  
Madam Kitty's Poodle Revue,  
Johnny, plate spinning act,  
Jerome, balancing act,  
Sidney, boxing kangaroo,  
Group of lions and lionesses,  
Red, yellow and black type on white background and colour illustration  
of clown in dungarees on a step ladder pasting the poster on the left hand  
side and brickwork around the edges,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.408** poster

No date  
Glastonbury, Tor Fair Field, Monday 27 to Wednesday 29 September,  
White and black type on red and white background and black and white  
illustration of female dancer holding a tamborine on top left,



Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
510mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.409** poster

2000

Keswick, Agricultural Showground, Tuesday 6 to Sunday 11 June,  
Colour cartoon illustration of elephant, llama, parrot, goose and horse's  
head and portrait photograph of Bobby Roberts on bottom left on a blue  
background on glossy paper,  
421mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.410** poster

2002

Kendal, Spital Farm, Tuesday 30 July to Sunday 4 August,  
Yellow and pink type on redish background and colour photograph of Bobby  
Roberts in white suit riding a black horse on top section and black type  
on white background on centre on glossy paper,  
451mm x 620mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.411** poster

No date

Orpington, Goddington Park, Wednesday 2 to Sunday 6 May,  
Colour illustration of smiley clown face wearing a small top hat with the  
Union Jack on a white and blue background on glossy paper,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
423mm x 591mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.412** poster

No date

Southborough, Yew Tree Road Playing Fields, Monday 22 to Monday 29  
May,  
Colour illustration of man in purple suit juggling hoops stood on a white  
horse on the centre, two clowns on the right, floor acrobatics on the left  
and high wire motorcycle act on top on a multicolour background on glossy  
paper,  
425mm x 600mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.413** poster

No date

Southborough, Yew Tree Road Playing Fields, Monday 22 to Monday 29  
May,  
Red and yellow type and black type on blue and white background and  
the colours of the Hungarian flag on the background, on glossy paper,

422mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.414** poster

No date  
Orpington, Goddington Park, Wednesday 2 to Sunday 6 May,  
Johnny Roberts sensational group of African Lionesses,  
Colour illustration of lion tamer in red studded outfit in the centre with  
six lions on various poses on blue background, on glossy paper,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.415** poster

No date  
Maidstone, Mote Park, Monday 25 to Saturday 30 May,  
Colour illustration of Bobby Roberts in the centre of the circus ring with  
three elephants seating on circus platforms behind him behind red cur-  
tains,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.416** poster

No date  
Workington, The Cloffocks, Thursday 19 to Saturday 21 June,  
Colour illustration of Bobby Roberts in the centre of the circus ring with  
three elephants seating on circus platforms behind him behind red curtains  
with yellow tassels,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.417** poster

1988  
Fair Salts, Rye, Thursday 22 to Saturday 24 September,  
Herd of Indian elephants presented by Bobby Roberts junior,  
Arabian and Palamino stallions presented by Bobby and Tom Roberts,  
Kitty Roberts with her poodles, parrot and goat,  
Jacko Fossettt, clown assisted by Willie and Bobbo,  
Derrick and Valerie Rosaire,  
To Momos Bros,  
The Dobvritch Family,  
Miss Kitty, trapeze act,  
Major, the wonder horse presented by Miss Linda,  
Illeana Dobvritch, tight wire act,  
Appaloosa ponies presented by Tommy Roberts junior,  
Red, yellow and black type on blue, red, white and yellow background

and portrait photograph of three men on top left within a star on glossy paper,  
Ringmaster, Chris Maddocks,  
333mm x 738mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.418** poster

No date  
Huddersfield, Car Pitt Recreation Ground, Monday 30 April to Saturday 5 May,  
White and black type on orange and white background and illustration of cartoon clown and elephants walking towards a circus tent on bottom section,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
508mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.419** poster

1965  
Keswick, High Hill, Cockermouth Road, Monday 31 May to Tuesday 1 June,  
Red and blue type on white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
508mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.420** poster

No date  
Birmingham, Pype Hayes Park, Chester Road, Monday 12 to Saturday 24 April,  
White, red and black type on dark blue and white background and cartoon illustration of clown's head on top left corner,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
510mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.421** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, Old Bath Road, Thursday 9 to Saturday 11 June,  
Red and blue type on white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
510mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.422** poster

1968  
Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, Old Bath Road, Monday 21 to Saturday 26

October,  
Red and blue type on white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
504mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.423** poster

1982  
Southport on Severn, Areley Kings Recreation Ground, Monday 4 to  
Wednesday 6 June,  
White and black type on dark blue and white background and a colour  
portrait photograph of three men within an orange star on top left, on  
glossy paper,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
488mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.424** poster

1971  
Wolverhampton racecourse car park, Monday 26 April to Saturday 1 May,  
Herd of baby elephants,  
Performing pigs,  
The Endresz Brothers,  
Hassan Troupe,  
Lions and lionesses,  
the Great Sebastian, trapeze act,  
Sidney the boxing kangaroo,  
The Julian Troupe, trick cycling act,  
Eight Appaloosa stallions,  
The Santas, juggling act,  
Colour illustration of elephant and clown having a bath in a tin bath, acts  
in soap bubbles,  
316mm x 480mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.425** poster

No date  
Bridlington, Lime Kiln Lane car park, Monday 15 July to Sunday 8  
September,  
Colour illustration of elephant and clown having a bath together and small  
dog dressed as ringmaster on bottom left, also black and white portrait  
photograph of Robert Brothers on top left within a white and red star  
and elements of the circus within soap bubbles on glossy paper,  
Printed in England and W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
452mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.426** poster

1972

Uxbridge, Rockingham recreation ground, Monday 3 to Saturday 8 July,  
Colour illustration of two clowns' torsos in the centre holding balloons,  
three horses on the left, lion and tamer on the bottom and elephant on  
the right all over a yellow background,

Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

508mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.427** poster

1979

Edgware, Spur Round-a-bout, Monday 12 to Saturday 17 November,  
Colour illustration of two clowns' faces and a range of circus animals below  
including, tigers, horses, elephants, lions, camels and kangaroo on a blue  
background,

Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

505mm x 759mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.428** poster

No date

Ellesmere Port, Whitby Park, Wednesday 10 to Saturday 13 May,  
Colour illustration of large roaring lion head on top left, a woman in pink  
outfit and poodles going down a slide, spotty white horses, clown and  
kangaroo boxing and elephants on bottom right on a dark blue and pale  
yellow background,

Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

510mm x 757mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.429** poster

No date

Islington, Highbury Fields, Monday 16 to Saturday 28 September,  
Colour illustration of large roaring lion head on top left, a woman in pink  
outfit and poodles going down a slide, spotty white horses, clown and  
kangaroo boxing and elephants on bottom right on a dark blue and pale  
yellow background,

508mm x 755mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.430** poster

1970

Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, Monday 5 to Saturday 10 October,  
The Tangier Hassan Troupe,  
Herd of baby elephants,  
Performing pigs,

Madam Kitty's Poodle Revue,  
Ivan Karl, the world's smallest strong man,  
Wild animal group,  
Johnny Roberts, plate spinning act,  
Sidney boxing kangaroo,  
The Sensational Endresz Bros,  
Appaloosa stallions,  
Maureen Francis bird fantasy,  
Colour illustration of elephant and clown having a bath together in a tin  
bath with performers and acts within soap bubbles, on a yellow back-  
ground,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.431** poster

1967  
Keswick, Crossing Fields, Wednesday 27 and Thursday 28 September,  
Colour illustration of two white horses on their hinds on the foreground  
and more horses on the background in a circus ring with spot lights on  
the horses,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
273mm x 543mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.432** poster

No date  
Coming shortly,  
Jacko & Junco, clowns,  
Colour illustration of two clown faces one wearing a red nose and the other  
a black top hat,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
276mm x 550mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.433** poster

No date  
Weymouth, Lodmoor car park, Monday 24 to Saturday 29 August,  
Colour illustration of two kangaroos hopping on a white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.434** poster

1962  
Bracknell, Triangle Field, Friday 28 and Saturday 29 September,  
Colour illustration of cowboys riding horses in the centre in a circle, a high

wire act on top right, three lions in a cage on the top left, poodle act with trainer in white dress on bottom left and elephant act on bottom right,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
506mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.435** poster

1979  
Edgware, Spur Round-a-bout, Monday 12 to Saturday 17 November,  
Johnny Roberts group of African lionesses,  
Colour illustration of lion tamer in red studded outfit and six lions leaping around in a blue background, on glossy paper,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
511mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.436** poster

No date  
Caterham, Chaldon Road Recreation Ground, Monday 20 to Wednesday 22 September,  
Sidney the boxing kangaroo  
Colour illustration of clown and kangaroo boxing in a boxing ring and a man in a black suit smoking a cigar on the right,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.437** poster

1971  
Workington, The Cloffocks, Monday 28 June to Saturday 3 July,  
Performing pigs,  
Colour illustration of three pigs, two blue ones on circus platforms and a red, pink and black one running on the foreground, on a red background,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.438** poster

No date  
Wombwell, The Fairground, Monday 6 and Tuesday 7 October,  
Colour illustration of circus ring with numerous acts such as horses, leopards, elephant, clown, lions, zebras, llamas and bear,  
Reproduction,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
503mm x 754mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.439** poster

1969-1970

The Round House, Chalk Farm Road, Friday 26 December to Saturday  
24 January,

White, red and blue type on dark blue and white background,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

506mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.440** poster

No date

Birmingham, Hay Mills, Thursday 30 March to Saturday 5 April,

African lionesses,

The 9 Michelettis,

Zira and the Nile Crocodiles,

El Lothara,

The Royal Bengal Tigers,

The Fabulous Mohawks,

Elephant troupe,

Les Collins,

The Hungarian Spotted Stallions,

The 7 Juggling Ricos,

Colour illustration of clown's torso with a chimpanzee on his shoulders on  
a blue background,

315mm x 490mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.441** poster

1972

Sutton Coldfield, Sutton Park, 22 to 24 June,

Colour illustration of female aerilist hanging from her foot and wearing  
a red sequenced outfit on the right, clown's face on bottom left, lions,  
elephants and other circus performers and animals on the bottom section,  
including a white winged horse, over a green and blue background,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

530mm x 793mm (framed)

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.442** poster

1977

Blackpool Tower, opens 26 May,

Staged by Dick Hurren,

Rogana,

Charlie Cairoli, clown,

Bronley's rocket,

Knie's horses and ponies,

Chipperfield's lions,



Colour illustration of Charlie Cairoli's face in the centre surrounded by different circus acts and animals including two aerial performers in green outfits hanging from a green rocket, a globe balancing female performer in a pink outfit with a large white and pink feather head piece, horses, Cossacks and lions over a yellow background,  
350mm x 650mm (framed)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.443** poster

1965  
Keswick, High Hill, Monday 31 May to Tuesday 1 June,  
Colour illustration of two white horses rearing on the foreground and more horses on the background over a red, blue and black background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
298mm x 598mm (framed)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.444** poster

1960  
Wembley Empire Pool, 29 July to 10 September,  
Stars of 1960 in Tom Arnold's Circus Spectacular,  
Reflective pink and yellow type and blue and white type on purple background,  
505mm x 177mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.445** poster

No date  
National Exhibition Centre, 22 Decmeber to 12 January,  
Bob Wilson's Fun Fair,  
White and black type on blue background with cartoon illustration of elephant wearing Santa Clause's coat and hat and holding a stripey red and black flag with its trunk,  
450mm x 636mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.446** poster

No date  
Circus at Olympia Grand Hall,  
Colour illustration of three clowns, background red with white stars and yellow, lettering black and red,  
250mm x 377mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.447** poster

1932  
Preston, 13 to 18 June,  
Colour illustration of three rows of two horses, a black one and a white

one, and a zebra, in circus reigns, background and lettering multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
407mm x 307mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.448** poster

1950  
Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, 25 September to 7 October,  
Elephant Ballet presented by John Gindl,  
Edouardo, juggling,  
Chicos Post,  
The Cumberlands, bareback riders,  
Coco, Huxter and Company, comedy,  
Trio de Riaz, aerialists,  
Diana and George, bouncing rope,  
Anita, trapeze,  
Michael, Tamara and Sascha. trampoline,  
Arabesque, equestrian show with greys and ponies,  
Haute École, classical equestrianism,  
The Six Raspinis, unsupported ladder,  
Mills Liberty Horses,  
Stephenson's Football Dogs,  
Ballerina,  
Charivari,  
Cavallini's Crazy Car,  
Bertram Mills Performing Lions presented by Alex Kerr,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W. E. Berry, Ltd Bradford,  
356mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.449** poster

1930  
Hastings, Cambridge Road, 18 to 30 August,  
C. Hess with two of his horses,  
Colour illustration of a man in a red coat and top hat leading two horses,  
background yellow, lettering black and red,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry Ltd Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
294mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.450** poster

No date  
Walsall, 2 to 29 October,  
Showing 'Seven Wonders of the World', 2 to 15 October,  
Showing 'Windjammer', 16 to 29 October,

Colour illustrations of a variety of famous monuments and people in cultural dress, and a boat with a variety of people in sailing dress,  
Cardboard hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
258mm x 410mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.451** poster

No date  
Location ending in 'grove', 23 to 25 unknown month,  
Li-Chang, mystic wizard of the orient,  
Colour illustration of a man in chinese dress who appears to be flying,  
a man riding an elephant and two orange tigers, background blue with  
white stars, lettering multicolored,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.452** poster

1934  
Leeds, 27 August to 1 September,  
Colour illustration of a man in a red coat with a whip and nine liberty  
horses in circus equipment, background blue and yellow, lettering multi-  
coloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield St, Bradford,  
760mm x 512mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.453** poster

No date  
Bromsgrove, 23 to 25 April,  
Printed on orange card, lettering blue, white and black,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
250mm x 310mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.454** poster

No date  
Nottingham, Goose Fair site, 16 to 28 April,  
Double sided, identical on both sides, printed on yellow card, lettering  
black and red,  
507mm x 152mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.455** poster

1962  
Carlisle, the Sands, 24 to 29 September,

Colour illustrations of three clowns, two chimpanzees riding a bicycle, three acrobats, a leaping tiger, and seven horses with presenter, main background red with white stars, lettering blue, orange and black, Announcement of 'Omo Circus Night' stuck on seperately, Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford, 311mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.456** poster

No date  
Booking sign for Bertram Mills circus, Colour illustration of a chimpanzee wearing clothes and a straw hat holding a phone to its ear, background blue, red and pink, lettering white, yellow and green, 760mm x 257mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.457** poster

No date  
Booking sign for Bertram Mills circus, Colour illustration of a clown in a plaid jacket, background blue, lettering white, yellow and red, 1009mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.458** poster

No date  
Booking sign for Bertram Mills circus, Background yellow, lettering orange and blue, 1012mm x 253mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.459** poster

No date  
Staines, Shortwood Common, 27 to 30 March, Colour illustrations of three clowns, three acrobats, four chimpanzees on bicycles and a leaping tiger, main background red with white stars, lettering multicoloured, Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford, 312mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.460** poster

1962  
Carlisle, the Sands, 24 to 29 September, Colour illustrations of three clowns, two chimpanzees riding a bicycle, three acrobats and a leaping tiger, main background red with white stars, lettering blue, orange and black,

Announcement of 'Omo Circus Night' stuck on seperately,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
318mm x 521mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.461** poster

1962  
St Andrews, West Sands, 9 to 11 July,  
Colour illustrations of three clowns, two chimpanzees riding a bicycle,  
three acrobats and a leaping tiger, main background red with white stars,  
lettering blue, orange and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
317mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.462** poster

1963  
Portsmouth, 24 to 29 June,  
Colour illustration of a clown in a checked jacket, main background red  
with white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
317mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.463** poster

No date  
Bromsgrove, 23 to 25 April,  
Colour illustrations of acrobats hanging from supports decorated as a  
rocket, the moon and a star, a man in chinese dress who appears to be  
flying, a group of cossack riders with swords and a woman in band  
costume playing a drum with three russian dancers behind her, background  
image of the night sky,  
Illustration signed 'L C', probably Leon Crossley,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
318mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.464** poster

1958  
Coventry, 23 to 28 June,  
Circular colour illustration of a horse's head in circus costume, circle back-  
ground blue and pink, mainbackground orange and red, lettering multi-  
coloured,  
'Reduced prices for children' stuck on seperately,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
317mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.465** poster

1956

Southport, 29 August to 10 September,

Circular colour illustration of a horse's head in circus costume, circle background blue and pink, main background orange and purple, lettering multicoloured,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

314mm x 503mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.466** poster

No date

Inverness, 6 to 11 August,

Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, main background red with white stars, lettering multicoloured,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

319mm x 520mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.467** poster

No date

Southampton, 3 to 8 October,

Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, background red and blue, lettering black, yellow and white,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

320mm x 510mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.468** poster

1946

Birmingham, Hay Mills, 6 to 18 May,

Bertram Mills 6 Elephants, presented by John Gindl,

Young Roy and his Horses,

Two Cromwells, trapeze,

The Bakers, whirlwind voltige riders,

Yong Kee Chinese,

3 Austins and Huxter, clowns,

The Four Aeronas,

Louise and her Dogs,

Charivari, clowns,

Fernando, comedy bull,

Mills Equestrian Display,

The Delroys, high school act,

Crick and Crock, comedy,

Cumberlands, bareback riders,

Florence and George, wire walking,

The Sylvans, equestrian act,

Bertram Mills New Liberty Horses,  
Nicolai and his Performing Lions,  
Background and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
360mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.469** poster

1948  
Hampton Court, Hampton Court Green, 10 to 15 May,  
Elephant Ballet presented by John Gindl,  
Jumping Randem,  
Anita, trapeze,  
Three Brickbats, trampolinists,  
Charivari, clowns,  
Coco, Huxter and Michael, clowns,  
Trio de Riaz, aerilasts,  
Louise and her Dogs,  
Tovarich Troupe, acrobats,  
Mills Equestrian Display,  
The Delroys, high school act,  
Crick and Crock, comedy,  
Cumberlands, bareback riders,  
Florence and George, wire walking,  
The Sylvans, equestrian act,  
Arabesque, equestrian act,  
Bertram Mills Performing Lions,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
358mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.470** poster

1938  
York, St George's Field, 27 to 29 October,  
Koringa, female fakir,  
Gindl's Football Elephants,  
Mills' New Horses and Ponies,  
Quintilia, wire walking,  
Miss Lagana, trapeze,  
Corinthians, equestrian act,  
Gay and Gay, comedians,  
Kelly, clown,  
Pat Baker, voltige,  
Aussie and Czech,  
Four Maniacs, Coco, Austin, Huxter, Beasley,  
Equestrian Display,

Millimeter Acrobatic Girls,  
Four Cosmaries, high school act,  
Priscilla Kayes and her Lions,  
Fritchie, comedy,  
Zeboy, comedy zebra,  
Spyras, comedy,  
Charivari, clowns,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Holes punched for string hanging,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
304mm x 405mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.471** poster

1932  
Darlington, Feethams, 17 to 22 October,  
The Tona Wandas, Indian Riding Display,  
Nine Asgards, springboard acrobats,  
Gindl's Zebras and Mules,  
Matthies' 12 Tigers,  
Mroczkowski's New Liberty Horses,  
The Four Cleos, comedy trampolinists,  
Walkmir Trio, perch act,  
Dal Paos Cowboys and Indians,  
Manzano's High School Horses,  
The Wallendas, high wire,  
The Four Romeos, Roman gladiatorial display,  
The Shetland Ponies and Beagles,  
Green, Wood and Violet, comedy,  
Four Sloans, stiltwalkers,  
Double Voltige by the Baker Boys,  
The Millimeter Girls,  
The Mirthmakers, comedy,  
Clowns, including Alfred Wright, Rolly and Zoli, Coco, Harry Coady and  
Bob Beasy,  
Powers Wonder Elephants,  
Printed on yellow paper, lettering black and red,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
365mm x 1016mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.472** poster

1960  
Cork, Victoria Road Park, 11 to 19 September,  
Colour illustrations of three clowns, a leaping tiger, seven acrobats per-  
forming an a high wire, two monkeys in native American costume playing



a drum and seven horses presented by a woman in a pink dress, background red, lettering yellow, white, black and red,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
310mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.473** poster

1935  
Kendal, Appleby Road, 24 to 26 June,  
Alberti, 60 feet swaying mast,  
Bertram Mills Liberty Horses presented by Mroczkowski,  
Man and Thit, comedy,  
The Millimar Golden Statues,  
The Five Dratsa, comedy,  
Adriana and Charlot, comedy trapeze,  
The 6 Baby Elephants presented by Gindl,  
Bombayo, bouncing rope,  
The Yung Dsai Chinese, sword fighting and acrobatic display,  
Fritzi Bartoni, trapeze,  
Capt Wesley's Sea Lions,  
Bertram Mills' High School Horses presented by Cossmeyer,  
The Four Kemmys,  
The Courier of St Petersburg,  
Diana's Pigeons  
'Ballerina', the old time circus act,  
Pat and the Bakers, boy riders,  
Togare and his Tigers,  
The Grand Carousel,  
Clowns, including Coco, Coady, Beasy, Huxter, Zoli, Pinocchio and the Three Sloans,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by 'W E Berry LTD Ne', rest of printer identification torn off,  
368mm x 1010mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.474** poster

1939  
Brighton, 17 to 23 August, Eastbourne, 24 to 26 August, St Leonards, 28 August to 2 September, Folkestone, 4 to 9 September,  
Koringa, female fakir,  
Gindl's Football Elephants,  
Mills New Liberty Horses presented by Mroczkowski,  
Quinitilia, wire walking,  
Wenzel, Mary and Barry, high school act,  
Cumberlands, equestrian act,  
Gay and Gay, comedy,  
Kelly, clown,

Pat Baker, voltige,  
The Great Frederico,  
Aussie and Czech,  
Four Maniacs, Coco, Austin, Huxter and Beasley,  
Cilla's Dogs,  
Millimeter Acrobatic Girls,  
Gena Lipkowska and her Arab Horses,  
Nicolai and his Lions and Tigers,  
Zeboy, comedy zebra,  
Two Willos, aerial sensation,  
Spyras, comedy,  
Charivari, clowns, including Coco, Huxter, Austin, Pinocchio, Bobino,  
Coconut and Smiler,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
302mm x 403mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.475** poster

1934  
Leeds, Eastgate, 27 August to 1 September,  
Togare and his Tigers,  
The Wallendas, high wire,  
Bertram Mills' Liberty Horses presented by Mroczkowski,  
Pat and the Bakers, boy riders,  
The Four Kemmys,  
The Yung Dsai Chinese, sword fighting and acrobatic display,  
Bertram Mills' Mules, Zebras and Ponies,  
Bertram Mills' High School Horses,  
The Four Sloans, stilt walkers,  
The Five Dratsa, comedy,  
Pim's Navy, comedy trampolinists,  
'Ballerina', the old time circus act,  
The Courier of St Petersburg,  
Clowns, including Coco, Coady, Beasy, Huxter, Bobbie and Salem,  
The Three Ambrosis, perch act,  
The Millimar Golden Statues,  
Shetland Ponies and Beagles,  
Green, Wood and Violet, comedy,  
The Grand Carousel,  
Jeannette's Cricketing Elephants,  
The Ross Mechanical Man,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
305mm x 405mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.476** poster

1954

Cheltenham Spa, Sandford Park, 17 to 19 June,  
Alexander and his mixed group of Lions and Tigers,  
Colour illustration of a man kissing a tiger, background and lettering  
multicoloured,  
String hanging partially intact,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
319mm x 478mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.477** poster

1953

Falkirk, Camelon, 6 to 11 July,  
Borra, the King of Pickpockets,  
The Austins,  
The Voltacks, cowboys and indians,  
The Condoras, flying trapeze,  
Cavallini- Medinis, clowns,  
Bertram Mills Chimpanzees presented by Amleto Sciplini,  
Maurice and May,  
Anita,  
Mills Liberty Arab Horses,  
Rudy Horn, juggling on a unicycle,  
Gosta Kruse with Six Elephants,  
Bertram Mills Norwegian Fjord Horses,  
Palomino and Shetland Ponies,  
Cavallini's Crazy Car,  
Alexander's Mixed Group of Lions and Tigers,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
334mm x 724mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.478** poster

1933

Devonport, Brickfields, 6 to 15 July,  
Colour illustration of a man in a red coat presenting five horses in circus  
dress, illustration background blue, main background yellow, lettering yellow,  
red, white and black,  
255mm x 754mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.479** poster

1947

Birmingham, Hay Barn Recreation Ground, 25 April to 7 May,

Elephant Ballet presented by John Gindl,  
Edouardo, juggling,  
Chicos Post, whirlwind ride,  
Diana and George, bouncing rope,  
The Three Brickbats, trampoline,  
The Cumberlands, barebacker riders,  
Trio de Riaz, aerialists,  
Stephenson's Acrobatic and Football Dogs,  
Arabesque, equestrian act,  
Coco, Huxter and Michael, clowns,  
The Magyars, springboard,  
Mills New Chesnut Liberty Horses,  
The Six Raspinis, unsupported ladders,  
Smaha, high school act,  
Anita, trapeze,  
Ballerina,  
Charivari,  
Cavallini's Crazy Car,  
Togare and his performing Lions,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford, Printed in England,  
363mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.480** poster

1947  
Sunderland, Seaburn, 13 to 18 October,  
Bertram Mills 6 Elephants presented by John Gindl,  
Young Roy and his Horses,  
Miss Elizabeth,  
Three Brickbats, trampolinists,  
Charivari, clowns,  
Coco, Huxter and Michael, clowns,  
Two Rudis, trapeze,  
Louise and her Dogs,  
Tovarich Troupe, acrobats,  
Mills Equestrian Display,  
The Delroys, high school act,  
Crick and Crock, comedy,  
Cumberlands, bareback riders,  
Florence and George, wire walking,  
The Sylvans, equestrian act,  
A Symphony in Grey presented by Peggy Holt,  
Nicolai and his Performing Lions,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford, Printed in England,

359mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.481** poster

1933  
Devonport, Brickfields, 6 to 15 July,  
Togare and his Tigers,  
The Wallendas,  
Sloan's Burlesque Horse,  
Bertram Mills' Liberty Horses presented by Mroczkowski,  
The Millimeter Girls,  
Gindl's Mules, Zebras and Ponies,  
The Yung Dsai Chinese, sword fighting and acrobatic display,  
Pim's Navy, comedy trampolinists,  
Bertram Mills High School Horses presented by MANZANO,  
The Four Sloans, stilt walkers,  
Salem, springboard jumper,  
The Mirthquakers Comic Entree, by Coco, Sloan and Beasy,  
Voltige by Salem,  
The Kemmys and Eva Ivey,  
The Hundadze Cossacks, whirlwind riders,  
Clowns, including Coco, Coady, Beasy, Huxter, Mac Geachie and Salem,  
The Walkmirs, perchists,  
Signor Arturo and his Bulls,  
Shetland ponies and Beagles,  
Green, Wood and Violet, comedy,  
Bertram Mills 16 Lippizana Stallions,  
Jeannette's Cricketing Elephants,  
String hanging intact,  
310mm x 398mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.482** poster

1964  
Cork, Victoria Park, 26 September to 4 October,  
Colour illustrations of acrobats hanging from supports decorated as a  
rocket, the moon and a star, a chimpanzee in human clothes, a group  
of cossack riders with swords and a woman in band costume playing a  
drum with three russian dancers and an elephant behind her, background  
image of the night sky, lettering white, yellow, blue and black,  
Illustration signed 'L C', probably Leon Crossley,  
337mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.483** poster

1949  
Wolverhampton, Newbridge Playing Fields, 9 to 14 May,

Elephant Ballet presented by John Gindl,  
Edouardo, juggling,  
Chicos Post, whirlwind ride,  
Diana and George, bouncing rope,  
The Three Brickbats, trampoline,  
The Cumberlands, barebacker riders,  
Trio de Riaz, aerialists,  
Stephenson's Acrobatic and Football Dogs,  
Arabesque, equestrian act,  
Coco, Huxter and Michael, clowns,  
The Magyars, springboard,  
Mills New Chesnut Liberty Horses,  
The Six Raspinis, unsupported ladders,  
Smaha, high school act,  
Anita, trapeze,  
Ballerina,  
Charivari,  
Cavallini's Crazy Car,  
Togare and his performing Lions,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford, Printed in England,  
364mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.484** poster

1934  
Lincoln, South Common, 25 to 30 June,  
Togare and his Tigers,  
Colour illustration of a man in eastern dress surrounded by five tigers, four  
on perches and one leaping over his head, background blue and yellow,  
lettering red, yellow, white and black,  
String hanging intact,  
403mm x 303mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.485** poster

1931  
Bedford, Londen Road, 19 to 24 October,  
Colour illustration of nine lions in a cage, background orange, blue and  
black, lettering red, yellow, blue and black,  
String hanging intact,  
Notice of cancelled visit to Cambridge stuck on top,  
403mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.486** poster

1947

Sutton Coldfield, Sutton Park, 6 to 8 October,  
Trio de Riaz, aerialists,  
Bertram Mills Lions,  
Edouardo, juggling,  
Clowns,  
Chicos Posy, whirlwind ride,  
Smaha, high school act,  
The Elephant Ballet presenting Six Elephants,  
Anita, trapeze,  
Ballerina,  
Bertram Mills New Chesnut Liberty Horses,  
Charivari,  
Diana and George, bouncing rope,  
Stephenson's Acrobatic and Football Dogs,  
The Three Brickbats, trapeze artists,  
The Cumberlands, riding act,  
Arabesque, an equine novelty with greys and ponies,  
Coco, Huxter and Michael, clowns,  
The Six Raspinis, unsupported ladders,  
Cavallini's Crazy Car, comedy,  
Colour illustration of a leaping lion, backgrounds and lettering multi-  
coloured,  
Cardboard hanging intact,  
'Bertram Mills Lions' stuck over the top of another act announcement,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
291mm x 396mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.487** poster

1956  
Aberdeen, King Street Seaton, 16 to 28 July,  
Reco, comedy wire walking,  
Colour illustration of a clown in a baggy coat with an umbrella walking  
on a wire, background red and orange, lettering black, yellow, green and  
white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.488** poster

No date  
Newcastle, Town Moor, 4 to 16 July,  
Mattias and his Tigers,  
Colour illustration of a man in eastern dress and ten orange tigers, main  
background purple, lettering multicoloured,  
Reproduction,  
Original printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield ST, Bradford,

498mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.489** poster

No date  
Swansea, Bay Recreation Ground, 23 to 28 May,  
Rudy Horn,  
Colour illustration of a man on a unicycle balancing five teacups on his head as one falls off, background shows abstract image of circus ring in red, orange and yellow, lettering green, yellow and white,  
Reproduction,  
490mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.490** poster

1955  
Gloucester, The Oxleaze, 28 to 30 April,  
Reco, comedy wire walking,  
Colour illustration of a clown in a baggy coat with an umbrella walking on a wire, background an abstract illustration of circus ring in red, yellow, green and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
497mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.491** poster

1956  
Hawick, Volunteer Park, 21 to 23 June,  
The Rogge Sisters,  
Colour illustration of three women balancing on spheres on top of an elevated platform, background red, orange and green, lettering white, yellow, green and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.492** poster

No date  
Nottingham, The Forest, 12 to 24 May,  
Leinert, the man shot from a cannon,  
Colour illustration of a man being shot from a cannon, background multicoloured, lettering black, red and yellow,  
Reproduction,  
Original printed by W E Berry Ltd, Nesfield Street, Bradford,  
498mm x 753mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



**178R47.493** poster

No date

Liverpool, Sefton Park, 22 to 31 October,  
Colour illustrations of a group of cossack riders and four russian dancers,  
background part Russian landscapes, part night sky, lettering multicoloured,  
Signed by 'L C', probably Leon Chossley,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.494** poster

1959

Carlisle, The Sands, 23 to 26 September,  
Don Saunders, musical clown,  
Colour illustration of five performing dogs, two white and three black, in  
pink collars, background orange, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.495** poster

No date

Gloucester, The Oxleaze, 1 to 5 April,  
The 2 Mascotts,  
Alex Kerr and his Tigers,  
Mills High School Horses,  
Dubrow's Donkey Derby,  
De Riaz, aerialists,  
Phyllis and her Poodles,  
Coco and Co, clowns,  
Clarinda, ballerina,  
The Mohawk Indian Riders,  
Mills Baby Elephants presented by Joan,  
Mills Famous Arabian Horses,  
Frances Duncan,  
Ghezzi Trio,  
Zebras, Palominos and Ponies presented by Kurt Dubrow,  
Ferry Forst, illusionist,  
Colour illustration of two women, one standing on an unsupported ladder  
while the other balances on top of her head, main background blue and  
purple, lettering and backgrounds multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.496** poster

1955

Taunton, Wellington Road, 18 to 23 April,  
Rudy Horn,  
Mills High School Horses,  
The Austins, clowns,  
Bertram Mills Danish Knabstrupps,  
Reco and May, comedy wire walking,  
The 2 Tacomas,  
The Rogge Sisters,  
Gosta Kruse and his Elephants,  
The Voltacks, whirlwind riders,  
7 eagles, high wire,  
Susanne, trapeze,  
The Musical Chimpanzees presented by Willem Lenz,  
The Cavallinis,  
Coco, clown,  
Dancing Waters,  
Gindl and his 16 Arabian Horses,  
Alexander and his Mixed Group of Lions and Tigers,  
Black and white illustrations of Alexander and his lions and tigers, Rudy  
Horn, some fountains 'Dancing Waters', the Rogge Sisters, Musical Chim-  
panzees, Reco and May, 7 Eagles and 16 liberty horses, background and  
lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
499mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.497** poster

1962  
Carlisle, The Sands, 24 to 29 September,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including chimpanzees in human  
clothes, acrobats, horses and riders, a stilt walker, the big top, orange  
tigers, three clowns, a bear on a bicycle, elephants and a jugglers, back-  
ground orange, lettering multicoloured,  
Notice of 'Omo Circus Night' stuck on top,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.498** poster

1958  
Colwyn Bay, Eirias Park, 21 July to 2 August,  
Kam, the only motoring elephant in the world,  
Colour illustration of an elephant in a pink headscarf sitting in a yellow  
car, background a multicoloured abstract image of the circus ring, lettering  
yellow, green, black and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.499** poster

1958  
Chester, The Roodee, 4 to 9 August,  
The Mohawks,  
Colour illustration six horseback riders in Native American dress, back-  
ground pink and orange, lettering multicoloured,  
New dates have been stuck over original dates for Chester,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.500** poster

1964  
Bromsgrove, Recreation Ground, 23 to 25 April,  
The Four Peters,  
Colour illustration of acrobats hanging from supports decorated as a rocket,  
the moon and a star, with another moon, two rockets and a planet in the  
background, background night sky, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradsford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.501** poster

No date  
Staines, Shortwood Common, 27 to 30 March,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, background red with white  
stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradsford,  
1142mm x 886mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.502** poster

1938  
  
Mills' New Horses and Ponies,  
Gay and Gay,  
Aussie and Czech,  
Corinthians,  
Gindl's Football Elephants,  
Kelly, clown,  
Pat Baker,  
Zeboy, performing zebra  
Miss Lagana, trapeze,  
Quintilia,

Four Cosmaries,  
Equestrian Display,  
Four Maniacs, Coco, Huxter, Austin and Beasy,  
Millimeter Acrobatic Girls,  
Fritchie,  
Spyras,  
Priscilla Kayes and her Lions,  
Charivari, clowns including Coco, Austin, Huxter, Bobino and Pinnochio,  
White, blue, yellow and red type on red, green, yellow and blue back-  
grounds,  
482mm x 604mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.503** poster

1956  
Hawick, Volunteer Park, 21 to 23 June,  
Colour illustration of a chimpanzee wearing clothes and a straw hat hold-  
ing a phone to its ear, background blue, red and pink, lettering white,  
black, yellow and green,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.504** poster

1937  
Chelmsford, Writtle Road, 10 to 14 April,  
The Corinthians,  
Colour illustration The Corinthians, two pairs of horses, each with three  
riders performing acrobatics on their backs, and two more riders standing  
by, background image of the circus ring, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
498mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.505** poster

1962  
Colour illustration of the clowns, main background red with white stars,  
lettering black, blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.506** poster

No date  
Cork, Victoria Road Park, 11 to 19 September,  
The Francescos,

Colour illustrations of a monkey playing a trumpet and three clowns dancing, background red, lettering black, yellow and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.507** poster

1960

Colour illustrations of a monkey playing a trumpet and three clowns dancing, background red, lettering black, yellow and white,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
508mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.508** poster

No date

Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, 21 to 23 April,  
Colour illustrations of two chimpanzees in clothes, one hanging from the title lettering, the other balancing on a pole as one of its buttons come loose, background blue, yellow and orange, lettering multicoloured,  
510mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.509** poster

No date

Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, 21 to 23 April,  
Blue and white illustrations of a clown, an elephant, two chimpanzees and a tiger, background yellow and white, lettering yellow, white, red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
501mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.510** poster

No date

Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, 21 to 23 April,  
Colour illustrations of a monkey playing a trumpet and three clowns dancing, background red, lettering black, yellow and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.511** poster

No date

Edinburgh, Murrayfield, 8 to 20 June,  
Background green, red and white, lettering yellow, black, red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

437mm x 699mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.512** poster

1955  
Lancaster, Giant Axe Field, 17 to 19 June,  
Background green, red and yellow, lettering black, yellow and red,  
488mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.513** poster

No date  
Edinburgh, Murrayfield, 8 to 20 June,  
Background green, red and white, lettering yellow, black, red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
437mm x 699mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.514** poster

1964  
Oxford, The Oxpens, 21 to 28 March,  
Colour illustration of a sphere full of stars with a white aura, background  
orange and white, lettering white, orange and red,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
508mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.515** poster

No date  
Bromsgrove, Recreation Ground, 23 to 25 April,  
Colour illustration of a sphere full of stars with a white aura, background  
orange and white, lettering white, orange and red,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.516** poster

1956  
Southport, Princes Park, 29 August to 10 September,  
Alexander and his Mixed Group of Lions, Tigers and Leopard,  
Colour illustration of a man with a whip, surrounded by three tigers, two  
lions and a leopard, with another lion leaping over his head, background  
blue, pink and red, lettering yellow, green, black and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
1146mm x 879mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.517** poster

1949

Sutton Coldfield, Sutton Park, 6 to 8 October,  
Elephant Ballet, presented by John Gindl,  
Edouardo, juggling,  
Chicos Post, whirlwind ride,  
Diana and George, bouncing rope,  
The Three Brickbats, trampoline,  
The Cumberlands, bareback riders,  
Trio de Riaz, aerialists,  
Stephenson's Acrobatic and Football Dogs,  
Arabesque, equestrian act,  
Coco, Huxter and Michael, clowns,  
Mills New Chesnut Liberty Horses,  
The Six Raspinis, unsupported ladder act,  
Smaha, high school act,  
Anita, trapeze,  
Ballerina,  
Charivari,  
Cavallini's Crazy Car,  
Bertram Mills Lions,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford, Printed in England,  
371mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.518** poster

No date

Gillingham, Great Lines, 7 to 12 May,  
Elephant Ballet,  
Edouardo, juggling,  
Anita, aerialist,  
The Cumberlands, bareback riders,  
Coco, Huxter, Alby Austin and Little Billy, clowns,  
The Six Strauss, flying trapeze,  
Diana and George, bouncing rope,  
The Bedouin Riders,  
Maurice and May,  
The Bakers, horseback acrobatics,  
High School act,  
The Six Raspinis, unsupported ladder act,  
Mills Liberty Horses,  
Stephenson's Acrobatic and Football Dogs,  
Shetland Ponies,  
Clown Charivari,  
Cavallini's Crazy Car,

Alexander and his Lions, including Negus, the Wire Walking Lion,  
Backgrounds and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
358mm x 744mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.519** poster

1958  
Colwyn Bay, Eirias Park, 21 July to 2 August,  
Mills Arabian Horses,  
Colour illustration of a woman in a multicoloured dress leading a horse in  
circus equipage, background blue, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.520** poster

1960  
Cork, Victoria Road Park, 11 to 19 September,  
Roman Games with the 'Ben Hur' of the Circus,  
Gosta Kruse's Herd of Elephants,  
Rudi Lenz and his Chimpanzees,  
Les Francescos, musical clowns,  
Bela Roucka's Wild Animal Fantasy,  
The Steys, high wire,  
The 10 Carolis, bareback riders,  
Duo Rudolfos, aerialists,  
Don Saunders, prince of clowns,  
Fabiola and her Pigeons,  
Bertram Mills Arabian Horses,  
Joan's Teddy Bears,  
Rogana, equilibrist,  
Cavalcade of Dances by the High School Horses,  
Coco, and a host of clowns,  
Colour illustrations of two chimpanzees, an elephant and a tiger, back-  
ground red with white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.521** poster

1960  
Cork,  
Les Francescos, musical clowns,  
Cavalcade of Dances by the High School Horses,  
Joan's Teddy Bears,  
Rudi Lenz and his Chimpanzees,



Fabiola and her Pigeons,  
Rogana, equilibrist,  
Don Saunders, prince of clowns,  
The 10 Carolis, bareback riders,  
Bertram Mills' Arabian Horses,  
Bela Roucka's Wild Animal Phantasy,  
Duo Rudolfos, aerialists,  
Roman games, with the Bur Hur of the Circus,  
Gösta Kruse's Herd of Elephants,  
Coco and a Host of Clowns,  
The Steys, high wire,  
Colour illustrations of two clowns, two tigers, an elephant, a chimpanzee  
and a horse, background red with white stars, lettering red, blue, yellow  
and black,  
351mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.522** poster

1955  
Preston, Queens Park, 25 to 30 July,  
Rudy Horn,  
Mills High School Horses,  
The Austins, clowns,  
Bertram Mills Danish Knabstrupps,  
Reco and May, comedy wire walkers,  
The 2 Tacomas,  
The Rogge Sisters,  
Gosta Kruse and his Elephants,  
The Voltacks, whirlwind riders,  
7 Eagles, high wire,  
Susanne, trapeze,  
The Musical Chimpanzees presented by Willem Lenz,  
The Cavallinis,  
Coco, clown,  
Dancing Waters,  
Gindl and his 16 Arabian Horses,  
Alexander and his Mixed Group of Lions and Tigers,  
Black and white illustrations of Alexander with his lions and tigers, Rudy  
Horn, dancing waters, the Rogge Sisters, the musical chimpanzees, Reco  
and May, 7 eagles and 16 liberty horses, background and lettering multi-  
coloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.523** poster

1961

Gloucester, The Oxleaze, 29 March to 1 April,  
Roman Games with the 'Ben Hur' of the Circus,  
Gosta Kruse's Herd of Elephants,  
Rudi Lenz and his Chimpanzees,  
Les Francescos, musical clowns,  
Bela Roucka's Wild Animal Phantasy,  
The Steys, high wire,  
The 10 Cairolis, bareback riders,  
Duo Rudolfos, aerialists,  
Don Saunders, prince of clowns,  
Trudi Rebernigg and her Pigeons,  
Bertram Mills Arabian Horses,  
Joan's Teddy Bears,  
Rogana, equilibrist,  
Cavalcade of Dances by the High School Horses,  
Coco and a host of Clowns,  
Colour illustrations of two chimpanzees, an elephant and a tiger, back-  
ground red with white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.524** poster

1934  
Sheffield, Hillsborough Park, 10 to 19 September,  
The Courier of St Petersburg,  
Colour illustration of a man driving a team of ten horses, while standing  
on the back of two of them, background image of circus ring, lettering  
yellow and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
1016mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.525** poster

No date  
Olympia Grand Hall, 21 December to 25 January,  
d'Argens and her Lions,  
Colour illustration of three lionesses and two lions, with their trainer hold-  
ing a whip, background blue, green and yellow, lettering red, white and  
blue,  
Reproduction  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
442mm x 312mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.526** poster

1936-1937

Olympia Grand Hall, 22 Decemer to 27 January,  
The Great Frederico,  
Colour illustration of a man swinging from a rope by his mouth, back-  
ground image of the circus ring, lettering multicoloured,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
313mm x 443mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.527** poster

1964-1965  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including a man in indian dress,  
a woman riding an elephant, three horseback riders, three jugglers and  
three women balancing on spheres, background red with yellow and white  
stars and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.528** poster

1933-1934  
Olympia Grand Hall, 21 December to 25 January,  
Colour illustration of a ballerina balancing on the back of a horse, with  
a clown behind her, Background abstract image of circus ring, lettering  
multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
616mm x 1019mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.529** poster

1966-1967  
Olympia Grand Hall, 23 December to 21 January,  
Yvonne and her Mixed Group,  
Colour illustration of a woman carrying a leopard on her shoulders, with  
two orange tigers and a lion walking beside her, background red and blue,  
lettering yellow, black and white,  
509mm x 767mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.530** poster

1936-1937  
Olympia, 22 December to 27 January,  
Colour illustration of two acrobats hung from a structure that also sup-  
ports a model plane, background abstract image of circus ring, lettering  
multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield ST Bradford,

510mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.531** poster

No date  
Circular advertisement, reading 'Bertram Mills Circus Olympia Grand Hall, Book Now', background blue, border white, lettering yellow, orange and white,  
265mm x 265mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.532** poster

No date  
Olympia Grand Hall, 17 December to 29 January,  
Background blue, with a single white star, lettering white, yellow and orange,  
604mm x 202mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.533** poster

1955-1956  
Booking sign for circus at Olympia Grand Hall, 20 December to 4 February,  
Colour illustration of an elephant with a top hat, background blue, orange and pink, lettering yellow, black and white,  
1009mm x 253mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.534** poster

1958-1959  
Booking sign for circus at Olympia, 19 December to 31 January,  
Background red and blue, lettering multicoloured,  
758mm x 152mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.535** poster

No date  
Booking sign for circus at Olympia, 18 December to 1 February,  
Colour illustration of a yellow elephant, background blue, lettering yellow and white  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.536** poster

1929-1930  
Manchester, The City Hall, 21 December to 18 January,  
Colour illustration of a giant clown holding a dish full of lions, with two horses and an acrobat below, background black, lettering red and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield ST Bradford,

270mm x 375mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.537** poster  
No date  
Olympia, 19 December to 3 February,  
Colour illustration of a girl in red on a rearing white horse, background blue, lettering white, red and blue,  
String hanging intact,  
318mm x 430mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.538** poster  
1952-1953  
Olympia, 19 December to 31 January,  
Abstract colour illustration of four horses with circus plumes running, two white ones and a black one in the foreground, a yellow one in the background, background red, lettering yellow and white,  
String hanging intact,  
316mm x 432mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.539** poster  
1959-1960  
Olympia, 18 December to 30 January,  
Colour illustration of two rearing horses in circus plumes, with a man and a woman in evening dress standing in front of them, background burgandy, lettering cream and green,  
String hanging intact,  
318mm x 431mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.540** poster  
1930-1931  
Olympia Grand Hall, 22 December to 24 January,  
Colour illustration of a roaring orange tiger, background yellow, lettering black and red,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
322mm x 446mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.541** poster  
1933-1934  
Olympia Grand Hall, 21 December to 25 January,  
Abstract colour illustration of a clown and five circus horses, background multicoloured, lettering yellow, orange and white,  
String hanging intact,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
318mm x 443mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.542** poster

1936-1937  
Olympia Grand Hall, 22 December to 27 January,  
Les Kimris, aerialists,  
Eight Danwills, springboard,  
Baring's Comedy Zebra,  
Quintillia, wire walker,  
5 Kemmys,  
9 Cumberlands, riding act,  
2 Willos, suspended perch,  
4 Albanos, clowns,  
Charles Judge's Chimpanzees,  
Peerless Potters, flying bar,  
Jackson Family and Lawler, woodchoppers, axe-throwers, ropespinner,  
The Great Frederico,  
Morris and May, comedy cyclists,  
Bertram Mills' New Liberty Horses,  
Four Cosmaries, high school act,  
Christian's Dogs,  
4 Palms, perch act,  
Astony Sisters,  
Ferroni, juggling on horseback,  
Keystones, comedy bar act,  
Knie's Tigers,  
Reproduction,  
Original printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
257mm x 575mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.543** poster

1929-1930  
Manchester, The City Hall, from 21 December,  
Printed on yellow card, lettering black,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by Wm Bolton & Sons Ltd, 36, Peter Street, Manchester,  
305mm x 406mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.544** poster

1931  
Leeds, New York Street, 14 to 26 September,  
Zaro Agha, '156 years old turk, the oldest man in the world',  
Colour illustration of a man in a fez and a woman with a white veil,

background yellow, lettering black, red and blue,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
303mm x 404mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.545** poster

1962-1963  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 2 February,  
Colour illustrations of a rearing horse with circus plume, a clown in a  
checked jacket, three chimpanzees on a bicycle and a woman balancing  
on one leg on a bicycle, background blue with white and yellow stars,  
lettering white, yellow, red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
320mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.546** poster

1946  
Olympia Grand Hall, 20 December to 1 February,  
Background blue, border yellow and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford, Printed  
in England,  
317mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.547(i)** poster

1961-1962  
Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 3 February,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, main background red with  
white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
318mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.547(ii)** poster

No date  
Olympia Grand Hall, 23 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, background red and blue,  
lettering yellow, red and black,  
316mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.548** poster

No date  
Olympia Grand Hall, 23 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, background red and blue,  
lettering yellow, red and black,

316mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.549** poster  
1950-1951  
Booking sign for circus at Olympia, 19 December to 1 February,  
Colour cut out plan of the circus ring, with four paper horses to stick on,  
background yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD,  
319mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.550** poster  
No date  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
The Francescos,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, background red, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
326mm x 512mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.551** poster  
1954-1955  
Olympia Grand Hall, 17 December to 29 January,  
Colour circular illustration of of clown, circle background green and pink,  
main background red, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
322mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.552** poster  
1955-1956  
Olympia Grand Hall, 20 December to 4 February,  
Colour circular illustration of a dog wearing a pink and green ruff, circle  
background blue and pink, main background a pattern of orange and pink  
cubes, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
318mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.553** poster  
1962-1963  
Olympia, 18 December to 2 February,  
Lilly Yokoi,  
Monochromatic photograph in shades of red of Lilly Yokoi balancing on  
one foot on a bicycle, background burgandy, lettering white and yellow,  
String hanging intact,



317mm x 431mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.554** poster

1950  
Colour illustration of a clown holding a yellow orb, main background blue, lettering white, red and black,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
321mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.555** poster

1956-1957  
Olympia, 19 December to 2 February,  
Colour circular illustration of three clowns, circle background a night sky, main background burgandy, lettering white, black and yellow,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
318mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.556** poster

1955-1956  
Olympia, 19 December to 31 January,  
Colour illustration of two monkeys, one in boxing gloves and shorts standing in a boxing ring, the other fully clothed and smoking a cigar, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
319mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.557** poster

No date  
Olympia Grand Hall, 22 December to 26 January,  
Colour illustration of six sea lions performing tricks, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Reproduction,  
312mm x 442mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.558** poster

1932-1933  
Olympia Grand Hall, 22 December to 25 January,  
Colour illustration of a roaring tiger, background multicoloured, lettering blue, black and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
508mm x 754mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178R47.559** poster  
1950-1951  
Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 1 February,  
Colour illustration of a giant clown standing in the middle of the circus  
ring, lettering blue, black and yellow,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
320mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.560** poster  
1938-1939  
Booking sign for circus at Olympia Grand Hall, 22 December to 26 Jan-  
uary,  
Colour illustration of a polar bear, background and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
315mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.561** poster  
1961-1962  
Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 3 February,  
Colour illustrations of three clowns, four acrobats, five dogs in uniforms  
playing football and a leaping lion, background red with white stars, let-  
tering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
317mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.562** poster  
1962-1963  
Olympia Grand Hall,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts including a chimpanzee playing  
a trumpet, a sea lion in a tuxedo with a top hat and cane, a clown in  
a checked jacket, a horse, elephants, a man carrying a cheetah on his  
shoulders, with a tiger, lion, polar bear and jaguar beside him, a group of  
sea lions and a woman balanced on one leg on a bicycle, background red,  
lettering white, yellow and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
319mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.563** poster  
1961-1962  
Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 3 February,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, main background red with  
white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

318mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.564** poster

1934  
Lincoln, South Common, 25 to 30 June,  
Bertram Mills' Liberty Horses presented by Mrockowski,  
Colour illustration of a man in a red coat with a whip and nine liberty  
horses in circus equipage, background blue and yellow, lettering multi-  
coloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD Nesfield St, Bradford,  
760mm x 512mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.565** poster

No date  
Booking sign for circus at Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 31 Jan-  
uary,  
Colour illustration of seven acrobats performing on the backs of five horses,  
background and lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
313mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.566** poster

1962-1963  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 2 February,  
Schumann's High School Fantasia,  
Schumann's Liberty Horse Spectacular,  
Bertram Mills Chimpanzees presented by Rudi Lenz,  
Krone's Sealions presented by Miss Dorothy,  
Knie's Mixed Wild Animal Group presented by Eugen Weidman,  
The 4 Frankordis, bareback riders,  
Lilly Yokoi, ballerina,  
Rolando, equilibrist,  
Dubsky's Crazy Car,  
4 Peters, aero-acrobatics,  
The Wazzans, tumblers,  
The Miehes, roller skating clowns,  
Siciliana, equine act,  
Susan Saren,  
The Tacomas, perch act,  
The Alcaraz, trampolinists,  
The Morles, juggling,  
Coco, and a host of clowns,  
Indian Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Colour illustrations of acrobats hanging from supports decorated as a

rocket, the moon and a star, a clown in a checked jacket, three chimpanzees on a bicycle and a woman balancing on one leg on a bicycle, background blue with white and yellow stars, lettering white, yellow, red and blue,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
320mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.567** poster

1956-1957

Olympia, 19 December to 2 February,

Colour illustration of four performing elephants with trainer in pink and white circus costume, background abstract, multicoloured image of circus ring, lettering multicoloured,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
495mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.568** poster

No date

Olympia, 20 December to 4 February,

Schaefer's 26 Midgets,

Colour illustration of 10 little people in Roman dress with a chariot pulled by two small horses, with two clowns watching from backstage, background abstract, multicoloured image of circus ring, lettering multicoloured,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 750mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.569** poster

1956

Olympia, 20 December to 4 February,

Reco, comedy wire walking,

Colour illustration of a clown in a baggy coat with an umbrella walking on a wire, background pink and orange, lettering black, yellow, green and white,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 747mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.570** poster

1961-1962

Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 3 February,

Colour illustrations of many circus acts including a dog in a ruff, four acrobats, horses with trainer, a clown on stilts, three dogs playing football, six elephants, two lions, a bear on a bicycle, a juggler and three clowns, background red with white stars, lettering blue, red and black,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
508mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.571** poster

1959-1960  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
The Seguras, springboard,  
Gina, the girl in the moon,  
The 10 Carolis, bareback riders,  
The Astrals, aerial act,  
Hustreis, sway pole,  
The Ghezzis, 3 men and a ladder,  
Gösta Kruse and his Elephant Act,  
Phyllis and her Poodles,  
Charley Baumann and his Tigers,  
The Villams Jet-Age Club Jugglers,  
Fabiola and her Pigeons,  
Schumann's High School Horses,  
Alfred Burton, equilibrist,  
The Francescos, musical clowns,  
Schumann's Liberty Horses,  
Coco, and a host of clowns and Augustes,  
The Palominos, Zebras and Ponies presented by Douglas Kossmayer,  
Atilana, wire walking,  
The Dernos, aerialists,  
Small colour illustration of a clown, main background red, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
492mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.572** poster

1960-1961  
Olympia Grand Hall, 20 December to 4 February,  
The Francescos,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, background red, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
498mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.573** poster

1960-1961  
Olympia Grand Hall, 20 December to 4 February,  
The Balcombes,  
The 6 Bertinis, cyclists,

The Andreanys, comedy flying trapeze,  
Bob Bramson, spinning hoops,  
The 7 Brandts, springboard,  
The 5 Carolis, somersaulting,  
Cavalcade of the Dances by the High School Horses,  
Danion's Globe-Trotting Sea Lions,  
The Francescos, clowns,  
Phillipe Gruss and his 10 Panthers,  
Josephine Berosini, high wire,  
Lillian Kenny, high trapeze,  
Knie's Siamese Elephants presented by Ruppert Bemmerl,  
The Chimpanzees presented by Rudi Lenz,  
Roman Games with Douglas Kossmayer, 'Ben Hur' of the Circus,  
Schumanns' Copenhagen Pot-Pourri, equine act,  
Coco, and a host of clowns and augustes,  
The Henriettis, high perch act,  
Colour illustrations of two chimpanzees, one playing a trumpet, and a  
leopard, main background red with white stars, lettering multicoloured  
on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
495mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.574** poster

1955-1956  
Olympia, 20 December to 4 February,  
Knie's High School Elephant and Horse  
Colour illustration of an elephant in red and gold circus equipment stepping  
over a horse laying on the ground, which is being held still by its rider,  
background is abstract, multicoloured image of the circus ring, lettering  
is multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
495mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.575** poster

1963-1964  
Olympia Grand Hall, 17 December to 1 February,  
Colour illustrations of two chimpanzees, one on stilts and one riding a toy  
horse, a trapeze artist, a horse in circus equipment being led by a woman  
in a pink dress and a clown in a checked suit, background blue with white  
and yellow stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
497mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.576** poster

1956-1957  
Olympia, 19 December to 2 February,  
Colour circular illustration of three clowns, circle background a night sky,  
main background burgandy, lettering white, black and yellow,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
496mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.577** poster  
1960-1961  
Olympia Grand Hall, 20 December to 4 February,  
Colour circular illustration of an elephant, circle background blue and  
pink, main background a pattern of orange and pink cubes, lettering mul-  
ticoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.578** poster  
1952-1953  
Olympia Grand Hall,  
The 5 Talos, acrobats,  
Colour illustration of five mustached men in white costumes, one holding  
up three others, one on each arm with the third standing on his shoulders,  
while the fifth stands by,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 749mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.579** poster  
1956-1957  
Olympia, 19 December to 2 February,  
Bertram Mills 4 Baby Elephants presented by Joan,  
Lydia and her Lions,  
2 Beeloos, bicycle balancers,  
Coco, and a host of clowns,  
Donatha's Bear,  
3 Oliveras, bar act,  
Castors, foot juggling,  
Malikova, aerialist,  
Guttenbergs, comedy riding act,  
5 Medifreds, juggling,  
Tonita and Lili, tightrope,  
2 Belingoes, upside down perch,  
Malta and Fernando's Comedian Dogs,  
Meribeth Old, acrobat,  
4 Ballans, cyclists,

Davy Crockett and the Mohawks,  
Krone's Liberty Horses presented by Jozsi Vinicky,  
Zebras, Palominos and Ponies presented by Kurt Dubrow,  
Main background pink, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured back-  
grounds,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
493mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.580** poster

No date  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
Black and white illustrations of a clown, a poodle and an elephant,  
Background red with white strips, lettering yellow, black and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
508mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.581** poster

1959-1960  
Olympia,  
Background red with white stripes and blue, lettering yellow,  
506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.582** poster

1929-1930  
Manchester, The City Hall, closing 18 January,  
Background yellow and red, lettering yellow and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.583** poster

1965-1966  
Olympia Grand Hall, 17 December to 29 January,  
Colour illustration of a smiling globe with a face and arms, and a variety  
of circus acts including acrobats, horses, a clown, a dog, a chimpanzee,  
elephants, big cats and a sea lion, background shades of yellow, lettering  
multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.584** poster

1928-1929  
Olympia, from 20 December,  
Background black, yellow and orange, lettering black and yellow,



Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
507mm x 745mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.585** poster

1961-1962

Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 3 February,  
Tscheng Der Dsai, asiatic acrobats,  
Gosta Kruse's Herd of Elephants,  
The 2 Gambys, perchists,  
Yvonne and her Lions,  
King Everest, ski-jumping,  
The Ricards, comedy acrobatics,  
The Alizés, flying trapeze,  
Knie's Footballing Dogs,  
Rogana, equilibrist,  
The Francescos, clowns,  
Los Prietos, mexican cowboys,  
Dawn on the Putzta presented by the Schumanns, equine act,  
Joan's Teddy Bears,  
The Edinburgh Girl Pipers,  
The 4 Gerardis, Italian cyclists,  
Monroe, rolla- balance,  
Schumanns' White Horse Fantasy,  
The Elmontes, aerialists,  
Coco, and a host of clowns,  
Colour illustration of a clown on a chair tipping backwards, main back-  
ground shades of red to white, lettering blue, red and black on multi-  
coloured

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.586** poster

No date

Olympia, Grand Hall, 17 December to 1 February,  
Senorita Mara, aerialist,  
Phyllis Allen's Poodles,  
The Johns, trampoline comedy,  
Rudi Lenz's Chimpanzees,  
The Schumanns present Grand Carousel,  
Hermané, balacing,  
Fiesta in Valencia by the Schumann Family, liberty spectacle,  
Jarz, trapeze,  
Danion's Sea lions,  
Leonardo, juggler,  
Tonito, wire walker,  
Coco and a host of Clowns,  
Laribles, springboard,

Here Comes Robin Hood by the Schumanns, High School act,  
Bertram Mills Elephants, presented by Joan Kruse,  
Ruppert's Bears,  
Clown Entrée, featuring Jacko, Little Billy and Nikki,  
Colour illustrations of an acrobat, a clown, two poodles, a chimpanzee on  
stilts and another one on a toy horse, background blue with white stars,  
lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
324mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.587** poster

1964-1965  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including a man dressed as an  
astronaut with a rocket, a woman balancing on a model of the moon, a  
man in indian dress, a woman riding an elephant, three horseback riders,  
three jugglers, three women balancing on spheres, cossack riders, poodles,  
Russian dancers and a man sitting on a lampost, background red with  
yellow and white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Illustrations signed 'L C', Leon Chossley,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
321mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.588** poster

1932-1933  
Olympia Grand Hall, 22 December to 25 January,  
Jeanette's Cricketing Elephants,  
Colour illustration of an elephant with its tusks removed with a trainer in  
safari dress, background yellow and blue, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield ST, Bradford,  
514mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.589** poster

No date  
Olympia, Grand Hall, 23 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing, background red, lettering yel-  
low, orange and black,  
506mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.590** poster

1962-1963  
Olympia,  
Background blue, lettering yellow and orange,

505mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.591** poster  
1961-1962  
Olympia Grand Hall,  
Background red with white stars and yellow, lettering black and red,  
506mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.592** poster  
1961-1962  
Olympia, Grand Hall, 19 December to 3 February,  
Colour illustration of three clowns dancing on top left and blue, red, white  
and black type on yellow and red with white stars background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
509mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.593** poster  
1956-1957  
Olympia, 19 December to 2 February,  
Colour illustration of three clowns' torsos in a cricle in the centre on a  
black starry background and yellow, white and black type on maroon  
background and grey border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
633mm x 1004mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.594** poster  
1925-1926  
Olympia (on book),  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on top left within a yellow circle  
and yellow type on black background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Street, Bradford,  
1008mm x 733mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.595** poster  
1957-1958  
Olympia, 18 Decmeber to 1 February,  
White, yellow and red and black type on dark blue and red background  
with white border and small illustration of elephant on bottom left corner,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
1015mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.596** poster

1934

Leeds, Eastgate, 27 August to 1 September,

The Four Kermmys,

Colour illustration of four men and a woman performing floor acrobatics on a blue, yellow, orange and green stripey background,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Street, Bradford,

507mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.597** poster

1960-1961

Olympia, 20 December to 4 February,

Black, yellow and green, white and blue type on mainly checked orange and maroon background and illustration of elephant's head holding a small top hat with his trunk on the right,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

1015mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.598** poster

1958-1959

Olympia, 19 December to 31 January,

Reflective pink and white type on bright yellow and dark blue background,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

1015mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.599** poster

1955

Olympia, Wednesday 21 December,

In aid of the London Federation of Boys' Clubs, the royal performance in the presence of H. M. The Queen, and H. R. H. the Duke of Edinburgh,

Personal appearance of Eddie Calvert and his golden trumpet,

Red and blue type in a white circle in the centre and colour illustration of white face clown on the left on a black background pointing at the letters,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

1015mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.600** poster

No date

Olympia, Grand Hall, 19 December to 31 January,

The Mars Trio,

Colour illustration of two men and a woman doing floor acrobatics on a pole over a blue, red, green and yellow background,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

632mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.601** poster  
1931-1932  
Olympia, Grand Hall, closing 27 January,  
White and yellow and red type on green, blue and black background and  
colour illustration of tiger's head in a circle on the bottom section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Street, Bradford,  
513mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.602** poster  
1954-1955  
Olympia, 17 December to 29 January,  
Rupert's Bears,  
Colour illustration of performing brown bears in a circus ring, doing floor  
acrobatics and riding bicycles on a red and orange background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.603** poster  
No date  
Olympia, Grand Hall, closing 25 January,  
Capt. Wesleys Wonder Sealions,  
Colour illustration of sea lions performing on ladders and tightrope and  
playing a musical instrument on orange, yellow and green background,  
Reproduction,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
500mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.604** poster  
No date  
Olympia, Grand Hall, daily to 26 January,  
Great Silver Jubilee programme,  
Colour illustration of chimpanzees wearing straw hats and white suits, one  
on them is playing the piano on a yellow, red and blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
508mm x 767mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.605** poster  
1958-1959  
Olympia, 19 December to 31 January,  
Colour illustration of man carrying a leopard on his shoulders while walk-  
ing next to two tigers on a blue a red background,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
498mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.606** poster

No date  
Olympia, Grand Hall, closing 25 January,  
Orange and white type on black background and colour illustration of  
white horse's head in a green circle on top left and seal in a green circle  
on bottom right,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
505mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.607** poster

1962-1963  
Olympia, Grand Hall, 18 December to 2 February,  
Colour illustration of rearing horse and clown on top corners and three  
chimpanzees in orange suits on a bicycle and a woman in a white suit  
standing on a bicycle seat on bottom corners over a dark blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
318mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.608** poster

1964  
Workington, The Cloffocks, Thursday 4 to Saturday 6 June,  
Colour illustration of aerial acrobatics and genee in red gown and golden  
hair dress on top corners and Russian Cossacks on horses and Russian  
female dancers as well as a woman in a white outfit playing a portable  
drum on bottom section over a blue background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
308mm x 495mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.609** poster

No date  
Olympia,  
Quarter of a poster showing the jaw of a roaring lion on a yellow and red  
background,  
945mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.610** poster

No date  
Tuesday 19 August,  
Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum and a circus tent on  
top section and illustration of calendar with the date very large in the

centre, location left blank  
456mm x 632mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.611** poster

No date  
Daniella,  
Antonio, juggling act,  
Camels, zebroid, highland bull,  
Lions presented by Michael Sherry,  
Duo Alvarez, bouncing ropes act,  
The Abdul Gomari Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Brum, Rum & Marie, clowns,  
Elephants,  
Horse & pony, equestrian act,  
Miss Endrez, sword and dagger balancing act,  
Fossettt Showgirls,  
Tony & Mikey, clowns,  
Red, yellow and white type on yellow, blue, pink, green and black back-  
grounds and black and white photographs of the acts including clowns,  
lions balancing, acrobatic and juggling acts,  
Left blank to add date and location,  
Duplicate see 178R47.836  
340mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.612** poster

Circa 1971  
Lions presented by M. Sheedy,  
Bo Bo's Mini Maxi Crazy Taxi, comedy act,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Bonnie & Clyde, horse and pony,  
2 Merbs, ladder acrobatic act,  
Rocket to the Moon, clowns,  
Cows, bulls, donkey, ponies, farm animals revue,  
3 Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Fabulous Garcias,  
Bobo, Toni, Barney, Whimsical Walker and Partner, clowns,  
Louise and her Poodle Carnival,  
Mirek & Partner,  
Sonya,  
Miss Atlas & Laila, world's strongest woman,  
Blak type on red, yellow, blue and white background  
Left blank to add location and date,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Duplicate see 178R47.620, 622, 623 (2 with yellow tent on top section and  
two with blue tent)

508mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.613** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of clown face and tiger's head on a blue and black background with a red border with yellow spots,  
Left blank to add location and date,  
256mm x 381mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.614** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of clown face on top right and elephant, white horse with rider and tiger's head below on a red and orange background, on glossy paper,  
Left blank to add location and date,  
451mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.615** poster

No date  
Chy Fu Deys, Chinese acrobatic act,  
Yellow and black type on red and yellow background and black and white photograph of woman hanging by the hair, holding a man below her, both in traditional Chinese costume,  
Poster Designed by Derek Simpson,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.625  
325mm x 421mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.616** poster

No date  
Whitehall car park, Thursday 14 to Sunday 24 October,  
Colour illustration of cabaret girl in blue and red bikini and white and blue feathers and two clown faces on the background above a red and yellow circus tent,  
450mm x 625mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.617** poster

No date  
Bray, Seafront, Friday 25 to Sunday 27 July,  
Colour illustration of large clown face wearing a blue and yellow top hat in the centre and a circus tent, a camel, a llama and horses below on a yellow background,



315mm x 650mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.618** poster

No date  
Whitehall, 24 to 30 October,  
Colour illustration of large clown face wearing a blue and orange top hat  
and blue and pink balls on a yellow background with monochrome horse  
and camel, on glossy paper  
420mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.619** poster

No date  
The Circus of the '90s,  
Colour illustration of red and yellow circus tent and blue starry sky with  
crescent moon on a white background and star with tail above,  
280mm x 333mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.620** poster

Circa 1971  
Lions presented by M. Sheedy,  
Bo Bo's Mini Maxi Crazy Taxi, comedy act,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Bonnie & Clyde, horse and pony,  
2 Merbs, ladder acrobatic act,  
Rocket to the Moon, clowns,  
Cows, bulls, donkey, ponies, farm animals revue,  
3 Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Fabulous Garcias,  
Bobo, Toni, Barney, Whimsical Walker and Partner, clowns,  
Louise and her Poodle Carnival,  
Mirek & Partner,  
Sonya,  
Miss Atlas & Laila, world's strongest woman,  
Blak type on red, yellow, blue and white background  
Left blank to add location and date,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Duplicate see 178R47.612, 622, 623 (2 with yellow tent on top section and  
two with blue tent)  
508mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.621** poster

No date  
Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Tuesday 19 to Sunday 24 August,

Schilingloff Family, acrobatic act,  
Sulkie Revue,  
Aerial Ballet,  
The Flying Endresz,  
Circusettes,  
Sonya, equilibrist act,  
Liberty horses,  
Krefts, motorcycling bears,  
Pam's Poodles and Riding Dogs,  
Tio Papanek, clowns,  
Duo Williams, juggling act,  
Anna, contorsionist act,  
Cindy the baby elephant,  
Captain Franz and his African lions,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Black and red type on red, yellow, white and blue background,  
Duplicate see 178R47.843  
510mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.622** poster

Circa 1971  
Lions presented by M. Sheedy,  
Bo Bo's Mini Maxi Crazy Taxi, comedy act,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Bonnie & Clyde, horse and pony,  
2 Merbs, ladder acrobatic act,  
Rocket to the Moon, clowns,  
Cows, bulls, donkey, ponies, farm animals revue,  
3 Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Fabulous Garcias,  
Bobo, Toni, Barney, Whimsical Walker and Partner, clowns,  
Louise and her Poodle Carnival,  
Mirek & Partner,  
Sonya,  
Miss Atlas & Laila, world's strongest woman,  
Blak type on red, yellow, blue and white background  
Left blank to add location and date,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Duplicate see 178R47.612, 620, 623 (2 with yellow tent on top section and  
two with blue tent)  
508mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.623** poster

Circa 1971  
Lions presented by M. Sheedy,

Bo Bo's Mini Maxi Crazy Taxi, comedy act,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Bonnie & Clyde, horse and pony,  
2 Merbs, ladder acrobatic act,  
Rocket to the Moon, clowns,  
Cows, bulls, donkey, ponies, farm animals revue,  
3 Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Fabulous Garcias,  
Bobo, Toni, Barney, Whimsical Walker and Partner, clowns,  
Louise and her Poodle Carnival,  
Mirek & Partner,  
Sonya,  
Miss Atlas & Laila, world's strongest woman,  
Blak type on red, yellow, blue and white background  
Left blank to add location and date,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Duplicate see 178R47.612, 620, 622 (2 with yellow tent on top section and  
two with blue tent)  
508mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.624** poster

No date  
Dundrum, Monday 13 to Thursday 16 October,  
Chy Fu Deys, Chinese acrobatic act,  
Yellow and black type on red and yellow background and black and white  
photograph of woman hanging by the hair, holding a man below her, both  
in traditional Chinese costume,  
Poster Designed by Derek Simpson,  
325mm x 421mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.625** poster

No date  
Chy Fu Deys, Chinese acrobatic act,  
Yellow and black type on red and yellow background and black and white  
photograph of woman hanging by the hair, holding a man below her, both  
in traditional Chinese costume,  
Poster Designed by Derek Simpson,  
Lrft blank for adding location and date  
Duplicate see 178R47.615  
325mm x 421mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.626** poster

No date  
Belfast, Botanic Gardens, 12 to 17 May,

Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum and a circus tent on top section and illustration of calendar with the date very large in the centre,

Stamp on reverse, from the circus collection of Derek Simpson,

Duplicate see 178R47.838

456mm x 634mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.627** poster

No date

Sunday 31 August,

Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum and a circus tent on top section and illustration of calendar with the date very large in the centre, location left blank

456mm x 632mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.628** poster

No date

Bray, Barry's Field, Monday 24 and Tuesday 25 July,

Nita Norry, singer,

Bobo Crazy Taxi, clown,

Chikita,

The Bendicho Troupe, trapeze act,

Antonio Luis and Juniors,

Pityu, de-copo horse,

Fossett's riding team,

Three Salvadors, rolling globe act,

Bill Ben Trio, comedy act,

3 Carloes, aerial act,

Cuban Boys and Assistant, juggling act,

The Alfonso Troupe, acrobatic act,

Blue and black type on yellow, red, blue and white background with three black and white portrait photographs of Robert, Edward and John Fossett on top section,

500mm x 750mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.629** poster

No date

Cork, Gilabbey Rock, Saturday 20 to Tuesday 23 August,

Les Edouardos Stey, high wire act,

Whiskey & Brandy,

2 Gusells, comedy act,

Robby, aerial act,

Cowboy Tableau, equestrian act,

5 Antons 5,

John Wisney & Assistant, juggling and plat spinning act,  
Bobo, Tony & Wee Barney, clowns,  
Max & Morris,  
Poulsend & Astrid, magic act,  
Les Findels, unicycle act,  
Blue and black type on red, white, blue and yellow background,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
508mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.630** poster

No date  
Cork, Gilabbey Rock, Saturday 20 to Tuesday 23 August,  
Les Edouardos Stey, high wire act,  
Whiskey & Brandy,  
2 Gusells, comedy act,  
Robby, aerial act,  
Cowboy Tableau, equestrian act,  
5 Antons 5,  
John Wisney & Assistant, juggling and plat spinning act,  
Bobo, Tony & Wee Barney, clowns,  
Max & Morris,  
Poulsend & Astrid, magic act,  
Les Findels, unicycle act,  
Blue and black type on red, white, blue and yellow background,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
508mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.631** poster

1970  
Cork, Gillabbey Rock, 18 to 23 August,  
Bo Bo's Crazy Taxi,  
Hoses and ponies,  
Garcia Troupe, trampoline acrobats,  
Wild West Show,  
Cindy baby elephant,  
Miss Jlike,  
Senorita Juanita, pigeon revue,  
Pityu horse,  
Francoise & Henri, acrobatic act,  
The Schlingloff Trio, trapeze act,  
The 2 Pandoras,  
2 Irenas, balancing act,  
Bobo, Tony, Barney, clowns,  
Maxi & Mini, horse and pony,  
Los Salvadors, rolling globe act,

The Ricoras Troupe, cycling act,  
Black type on red, yellow, white and blue background,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle Co, Roscommon,  
Duplicate see 178R47.835  
292mm x 570mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.632** poster

No date  
Duo Granada, trapeze act,  
Los Chicos, roller skating act,  
Welsh ponies,  
Mary Chipperfield's herd of African elephants,  
Lions,  
The Great Stey Troupe, high wire act,  
Mademoiselle Ella,  
Zoltan & Partner, balancing act,  
Roberto & Assistants, acrobatic act,  
Camels & llamas,  
Bobo, Tony, Catty, clowns,  
Horses and ponies,  
Yellow, white, red, black and blue type on blue, red, yellow and white  
background and illustration of a Celtic harp on top section,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.837  
505mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.633** poster

No date  
Blackwater, Tuesday 8 August,  
Sensational aerial and ground acts,  
Yellow, red white and black type on blue, white, yellow and red back-  
ground with a Celtic harp on top section,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.634** poster

No date  
Derry, Prehen Road Playing Fields, Wednesday 7 to Saturday 10 July,  
Rodeo Landar, Wild West act,  
Garcia Troupe,  
Luis & Partner, juggling act,  
Bobo, Tony, Tatty and Tato, clowns,  
Camels,  
3 Kerekes 3,  
Los Chicos, rolling globe act,

Elephants,  
Lions presented by Carl Fischer,  
Judith & Victor, tightrope act,  
Horses,  
4 Cubanitos 4,  
Chiperianos, plate spinning act,  
2 Vitores 2, balancing act,  
Circus zoo, lions, elephant, camels, llama, monkey, horses, bear, etc,  
Yellow and black type on blue, white, yellow and red background with  
Celtic harp on top section and a black and white illustration of a clown's  
face wearing a large bow tie and pointy hat in the centre,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.635** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of two clown faces on top section over a dark blue  
background and yellow and red type,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
488mm x 678mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.636** poster

No date  
Leixlip Community Centre, Tuesday 2 to Wednesday 3 October,  
Colour illustration of smiling clown's face on top left on a black background  
and roaring tiger's head on bottom right over a blue background and red  
border with yellow spots,  
258mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.637** poster

2005  
Derry, Bridge End, 28 April to 2 May,  
White, red and yellow, green and black type on blue and white background  
and yellow, red, blue and black zig-zag border,  
208mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.638** poster

2005  
Derry, Bridge End, 28 April to 2 May,  
Colour postrait photograph of three clowns, title within a ticket shape on  
centre right and yellow, red, blue and black zig-zag border,  
295mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178R47.639** poster  
2006  
Boosterstown, Friday 20 to Monday 30 October,  
Colour photograph of contorsionist, equilibrist act holding a candellabra  
on one of the performer's feet on the left and clown's face winking on the  
right on a black background, title within a ticket shape on top section,  
297mm x 417mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.640** poster  
No date  
Colour illustration of top section of Bobo the clown wearing a name badge  
and a large hat holding a rearing horse on his hand on a blue and yellow  
background,  
Signed D. Simpson on bottom right,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.869  
321mm x 433mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.641** poster  
2006-2007  
Kilmainham, The Irish Museum of Modern Art, Royal Hospital,  
Colour photograph of Chinese acrobatic act showing three female per-  
formers wearing a blue top and trousers outfit and spinning red and white  
dishes in a circus ring with red curtains,  
300mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.642** poster  
2006-2007  
Kilmainham, The Irish Museum of Modern Art, Royal Hospital,  
Colour photograph of seven female performers wearing red and gold top  
and skit outfits and a clown in black trousers and blue jacket in the centre  
with red curtains,  
298mm x 419mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.643** poster  
2007  
Colour photograph of clown with hair stood up on the front, red nose and  
colourful red and yellow checked jacket on a lime green background with  
red bubbles pointing at a globe of death image, title within a ticket shape,  
295mm x 416mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.644** poster  
2008



Celebration,  
Colour photograph of clown's head and arms on top left corner and clown's shoes on bottom right corner, orange and yellow background and title within a ticket shape,  
287mm x 408mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.645** poster  
2008  
The Visitor Centre, Phoenix Park, Friday 7 to Friday 17 March,  
Colour photograph of clown with big quiff and beard on a green background with clovers, title within a ticket shape,  
293mm x 415mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.646** poster  
2007-2008  
Kilmainham, The Irish Museum of Mordern Art, Royal Hospital, 16 December to 13 January,  
Colour illustration of clown's face and three women wearing Santa's hats behind him on bottom left corner on a blue background,  
297mm x 419mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.647** poster  
No date  
7 Hungarian 7,  
Black and white illustration of earial act consisting of three women hanging by the teeth from three men's mounths and spinning in a UFO and earth contraption on a yellow background with red, black and green type,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.792  
380mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.648** poster  
No date  
Bobo, Toni, Tatty, Michael, clowns,  
Troupe of Welsh ponies, camels, llama, horses,  
Duo Mexicanos, tightrope act,  
Crocodiles and pythons presented by Konchaks,  
The Pusztas Troupe, Danny Cummins,  
Los Galos,  
The Great Khan and Partners, knife and axe throwing act,  
The Aerial Julians, earial act,  
Christina, foot juggling act,  
Daisey the wonder cow,

Sulkies, equestrian act,  
Red, yellow and white type on blue, yellow, black and red background  
with four black and white portrait photographs of clowns in the corners,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.891  
335mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.649** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of clown in green check suit and large hat on top left  
standing on an elephant, man in red jacket and black top hat holding  
another man on his hand, lions, horses and camels on the bottom section  
and a blond woman in a blue circus outfit on the top right,  
Signed by P. Lovatt,  
Designed and printed by Turner's Printing Co. Ltd., Longford,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.868  
434mm x 553mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.650** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of elephant, tigers, camel, bear riding a horse and leopard  
on a dark blue background,  
Signed by Derek Simpson,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.663  
440mm x 617mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.651** poster

Circa 1983  
Wexford race course, Wednesday 3 to Friday 5 August,  
100th year celebration of entertaining the Irish public 1888-1980,  
Mona, aerial act,  
Duo Santus, trick cycling act,  
Cossack riders,  
Los Huescas, tightrope and comedy act,  
Konyots, clowns,  
Pam Enos & her Football Dogs,  
Miss Daniella, equilibrist act,  
Troupe of midgets ponies,  
The Fossett showgirls,  
Les Darix, springboard acrobatic act,  
Sonya, sword balancing act,  
Red and black type on white and pink background with black and white

photographs of the acts listed and an aerial view of the circus tent in the centre top, also blue border with white stars,  
420mm x 590mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.652** poster

1984  
Wexford race course, Tuesday 7 to Wednesday 8 August,  
The Great Geroku,  
The Flying Cherokees, trapeze act,  
Van Buren & Co., magic act,  
Royal Bengal tigers presented by Col. Bale, Bobo, Toni, Michael, clowns,  
Lisa the human butterfly,  
The Wallys, comedy acrobatic act,  
Frederick & Assistant,  
Yellow and red, white and black type on dark blue, pink and yellow background with black and white photographs of four acts and white outline of clown face in the centre and red border with white stars,  
437mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.653** poster

1975  
Red, black, blue and white type on yellow, red and white background and illustration of elephant's head on left and lion's head on right of the top section,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.854  
506mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.654** poster

No date  
Lions presented by Hans Muck,  
Duo Aeron, trapeze act,  
American Riding Machine,  
Miss Elvira, contorsionist act,  
5 Sandor, trick cycling act,  
7 Hungaria 7,  
Two Konya, balancing act,  
Three Marakesh,  
Liberty horses, Shetland ponies,  
Red, black, blue and white type on yellow, red, blue and green background and illustration of elephant's head on left and lion's head on right of the top section,  
Left blank for adding location and date,

506mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.655** poster

No date  
Coming soon to,  
Red and yellow, black and white type on white red and black background  
with the shape of a circus tent on the centre in black and yellow,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Diamond Printing Dundalk,  
457mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.656** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger's head, clown's head and trapeze bal-  
ancing act on the left and three cabaret girls on on the right over a yellow  
background and red type,  
Signed by Derek Simpson,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.657  
640mm x 450mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.657** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger's head, clown's head and trapeze bal-  
ancing act on the left and three cabaret girls on on the right over a yellow  
background and red type,  
Signed by Derek Simpson,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.656  
640mm x 450mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.658** poster

No date  
Wexford, Monday 13 to Tuesday 14 August,  
Bobo, clown,  
Colour illustration of clown's face with a large hat on and holding eight  
coloured balloons which spell Fossetts in the centre on a yellow background,  
380mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.659** poster

No date  
Lions presented by Hans Muck,  
The Stey Troupe, high wire act,

5 Sambo 5, clowns,  
2 Bosam, the human spiders,  
The Salskys, acrobatic act,  
Liberty horses,  
Miss Ella, trapeze act,  
The Ralays, acrobatic act,  
Bobo, Wee Barney and Toni, clowns,  
Congo and Nadia, performing gorilla,  
Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum and a circus tent on  
top section and white, yellow and red and black type on blue, yellow, red  
and green background,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.660** poster

No date  
Blanchardstown, Sunday 31 July,  
Duo Granada, trapeze act,  
Los Chicos, roller skating act,  
Welsh ponies,  
Mary Chipperfield's herd of African elephants,  
Lions,  
The Great Stey Troupe, high wire act,  
Mademoiselle Ella,  
Zoltan & Partner, balancing act,  
Roberto & Assistants, acrobatic act,  
Camels, llamas,  
Bobo, Toni, Catty, clowns,  
Blue, red, white and black type on yellow, red, blue and white background,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.661** poster

1995  
The Knights of the BMX,  
Colour illustration of four men riding bicycles, wearing red and black out-  
fits over a yellow background and blue around it,  
Signed Andrew Brennan '95,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
490mm x 665mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.662** poster

No date  
Wexford race course, Wednesday 5 to Friday 7 August,  
Daniella,

Anotnio, juggling act,  
Camel, zebroid, Highland bull,  
The Abdul Gomari Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Lions presented by Michael Sherry,  
Duo Alvarez,  
Brum, Rum & Marie, clowns,  
Elephants, horses, ponies,  
Miss Endrez, sword and dagger balancing act,  
Showgirls,  
Toni & Mikey, clowns,  
Red, yellow and white type on blue, green, pink, red and black background  
and black and white photographs of acts on the bottom section,  
342mm x 638mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.663** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of elephant, tigers, camel, bear riding a horse and leopard on a dark blue background,  
Signed by Derek Simpson,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.650  
440mm x 617mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.664** poster

2010-2011  
Swords Pavillions, 27 November to 9 January,  
Colour photograph of clown with big quiff and three women dressed in red and white dresses wearing red masks on a wintery landscape background,  
295mm x 414mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.665** poster

No date  
Colour photograph of four clowns on the top section, the title within a ticket shape and red, yellow, blue and black zig-zag border,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
300mm x 418mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.666** poster

2008-2009  
Kilmainham, Royal Hospital, 29 November to 4 January,  
Colour photograph of clown with a big quiff and a red and white stripey t-shirt with toy polar bears over a wintery landscape,  
296mm x 415mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.667** poster

No date

Book now for Ireland's National Circus,  
Colour photograph of clown's face and illustration of stripey red and yellow  
circus tents over a red background  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.668** poster

Circa 1990s

Whitehall car park, Monday 21 October to Sunday 3 November,  
Bo Bo, Toni and Mikey, clowns,  
Arab horses,  
Therese and Mickey, tightrope act,  
Caroline with Cochise , horse and pony,  
Camels, llamas,  
Duo Santus, juggling act,  
Andre,  
Fossett Sisters, aerial act,  
Royal Bengal tigers,  
Inaros Flyers,  
Westerners, Wild West act,  
Miss Kitty and her performing poodles,  
Yellow, red, blue and white type on red, yellow, white, blue and black  
background with illustration of red and yellow circus tent and night sky  
with stars and crescent moon on top section,  
Printed by Turner Printing Group, Longford,  
283mm x 892mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.669** poster

1992

Cork Showgrounds, Tuesday 26 to Sunday 31 May,  
The Smarties Clown with Bo-Bo and Toni,  
Hercules, world's strongest man,  
The AmazingKranstinas, magic act,  
Daredevils the Alinos, motorcycling act,  
The Great Astra Troupe,  
Camels, llamas,  
Cheeta the almost human gorilla,  
Musical Crastons,  
The Laszlo Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Arab horses,  
Two Evas, juggling act,  
Miss Melody, aerial act,  
Elastic Lady Margot, contorsionist act,  
Yellow, blue, black and white type on red yellow, white, blue, green and  
black background with illustration of red and yellow circus tent and night

sky with stars and crescent moon on top section,  
Printed by Turner Printing Group, Longford,  
296mm x 875mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.670** poster

No date  
Sizzling men from Kenya,  
Allano, motorcycling act,  
Hulievi,  
Lions, camels, llamas,  
Gerbolas, clowns,  
Daredevil Richard,  
Colour illustration of three elephants on a yellow background and a colour  
photograph of daredevil Richard in the centre,  
450mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.671** poster

No date  
Bobo, Toni and Michael, clowns,  
Los Chicos,  
Roberto, acrobatic act,  
The 2 Kerekes, musical act,  
The Trio Salobral, skating act,  
The Mohammed Larbi Troupe,  
The Revolving Carousel,  
Victor & Judy,  
Camels and llamas,  
8 Appaloosa stallions,  
Julius and Partner,  
Phyllis Allen and her dor revue,  
Yellow, red, white and black type on blue, yellow, red and grey and black  
and white photograph of four clown faces on bottom left,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.832  
457mm x 632mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.672** poster

No date  
Athlone, Saturday 18 to Sunday 19 September,  
Rodeo Landar,  
Lions,  
Kerekes & Co,  
Luis & Partner, juggling act,  
Victor & Judy, acrobatic act,



Los Chicos, acrobatic act,  
Chiperianos,  
Thrilling Wild West,  
The Garcia Troupe,  
Bobo & Co, clowns,  
Horses, elephant, camels,  
Judith & Partner, tightrope act,  
White, yellow, red and black type on blue, white and red background with  
black and white photographs of eight acts,  
380mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.673** poster

1840  
Friday 24 July,  
Carter the Lion King,  
The Siege of Troy, featuring Mr Shepherd, Mr Harwood, Mr Blad, Mrs  
Shepard, Mr Y A Broadfoot, Mr Marshall, Mr H Widdicomb and Miss  
Daly,  
Chariot race,  
Courtly Hall,  
Mr Carter's Acting Animals, lions, tigers and leopards,  
Black and white illustrations of a man wearing a leopard skin and a live  
leopard in a small, ornate hot air balloon, and five wild horses in a stadium  
with three men struggling to restrain them, background white, lettering  
orange,  
Reproduction by Margaret Hobbs at British Museum Theatre  
261mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.674** poster

1939  
London, Islington, Agricultural Hall, 19 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustrations of the roaring heads of a lion and a tiger, background  
yellow, blue and red, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by J G Hammond and Co LTD, Birmingham,  
445mm x 567mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.675** poster

1971  
Fairground Hinkley, 12 to 14 April,  
Shane, 'Horse-Play',  
Yogi and Bubu, Teddy Bears Picnic,  
Tex and Anita, flaming knives with human target,  
Chris Christian, ringmaster,  
Hans Børge, circus director,

Astley, equestrian act,  
Bears, birds, hounds, ponies, goats and poodles,  
Orlando,  
The Talents of the Sandows,  
Skorpio, 'Yogi-meister',  
The Human Volcano,  
Romaine and Bobo, clowns,  
De-Jon, goat act,  
Baranova's 'Bowsers' and Birds,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Background yellow, lettering red and blue,  
254mm x 736mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.676** poster

No date  
Sonya Allen, lion tamer,  
Lions, tigers, bears, monkeys, snakes and reptiles,  
Black and white photograph of a woman stroking two lions, main back-  
ground white with sections of blue and yellow, lettering red and black,  
Printed by WILLSONS, Printers, Leicester,  
252mm x 318mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.677** poster

No date  
Rasmus the Monkey,  
Sandor, educated miniature stallion,  
Christine Martell, juggler,  
Ferdinand, comedy goat,  
The Circus Comedy Dog Revue, featuring Bonzo, Blackie and Barry,  
Uncle Hans,  
Background yellow, lettering red and black,  
Printed by A Jennings, LTD, 340 Whitehorse Road, Croydon, CRO 2LF,  
380mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.678** poster

No date  
Oscar, TV Chimpanzee,  
Tex and Anita, Western act, whips, ropes and knife-throwing,  
Hardeeni and Carol, escapologists,  
Barbara's Poodles,  
Senorita Carmen Rosita, balance act,  
Champ, performing alsatian,  
Chris Christian, ringmaster,  
Carlo and Pongo, clowns,

Shane presented by Hans Borge, equestrian show,  
Gilbert and Partner,  
The Human Volcano, fire eater,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Background white with sections of yellow, border blue, lettering red and  
blue,  
253mm x 734mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.679** poster

No date  
Gilbert and Partner,  
Hardeeni and Carol, escapologists,  
Marcel Baron and Co,  
Pongo and Joey, clowns,  
Ian Cooper, tentmaster,  
Shane present by Hans Borge, equestrian show,  
The Human Volcano,  
Oscar, TV Chimpanzee,  
Tony Scott, ringmaster,  
Background yellow, lettering red and black,  
286mm x 445mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.680** poster

1973  
Dawlish, Warren Road, 2 to 4 August,  
Abstract colour illustration of a black and white horse with a pink striped  
mane and tail, background orange and white, lettering black and white,  
Dawlish dates stuck on top of original location and dates,  
Designed by John M Blundall,  
377mm x 536mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.681** poster

1973  
Lichfield, Beacon Park, 5 to 8 March,  
Abstract colour illustration of a white elephant standing on its trunk,  
background orange and white, lettering black and white,  
Designed by John M Blundall,  
380mm x 538mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.682** poster

1978  
Salford, Littleton RD, playing field, 10 to 12 April,  
Pony act, featuring Welsh Mountain Ponies, Strawberry Roan Ponies and

Miniture Shetland Ponies,  
The Orlandos,  
Miss Gina, balancing,  
Mr Rhasmus and Les Girls,  
Monkey and Dog revue,  
Yolanda and Speedy, plate act,  
The Shoshoni Indians,  
The Juggling Martells,  
Krazy Clowns, Alando and Co,  
Stilt walkers,  
Duo Delmarr, hand balancing act,  
Debbie Sue, aerialist,  
Background white, lettering black and red,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Barnsley, South Yorkshire,  
254mm x 382mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.683** poster

1971-1972  
Warley, Smethwich, Broomfield, Harry Mitchell Recreation Centre, 20  
December to 1 January,  
Scotts Sea Lions,  
Running Fox and Juanita, featuring the Apache Fire Dance,  
Edwards Aerial Escapade,  
Abdulla and Saida, foot juggling,  
Michelle, corde lisse,  
Senor Pedro,  
Robert Bros Horses, Ponies and Donkeys,  
Peter Salsky, cossack tumbling from the high ladder,  
Alun Davies and his Poodles,  
Teddy Green, cosmopolitan clown,  
Jocko, Auguste,  
Congo and Nadia, gorilla parody,  
Miss Carlos, trapeze,  
Wullie,  
Europa Troupe, gymnasts and acrobats,  
Background white with blue sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by A Taylor & Sons Ltd, Wombwell, Barnsley, Yorks,  
304mm x 455mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.684** poster

1976  
Burford, Tanners Lane, Recreation Ground, 4 to 5 June,  
Gonzarlez with Chariot, goat act,  
Ponies on Parade, featuring Welsh Mountain Ponies,  
Miniature Shetland Ponies and Freckle's the Fire Horse,

Miss Debbie Sue, aerialist,  
The Ivanos, aerial balancing,  
Les Puppeteers, featuring the 18 inch high strong man,  
Barbarella's Hounds,  
The Mac Sisters, wild west act,  
Ostrich and Friend,  
Miss Gina, contortionist,  
Monkey and Pony steeplechase,  
Lupy Loui, plate act,  
Marc Christian, illusionist,  
Alando and Loui, clowns, with Donald Duck and Mickey Monkey,  
Background white, yellow and blue, lettering red and black,  
Printed by Printed by A Taylor & Sons Ltd, Wombwell, Barnsley, South  
Yorkshire,  
360mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.685** poster  
1977-1978  
Anglesey, Showground, 26 December to 21 January,  
Monochrome red illustration of Father Christmas, border of red and green  
holly, background yellow, lettering red and green,  
Printed by Taylors, Wombwell, Barnsley, South Yorkshire,  
506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.686** poster  
1977  
Stafford, Stone Flats, 1 to 6 March,  
Bionic Bertha, 'the world's only bionic elephant',  
John Haze presents Apollos Liberty Ponies and Fire Horse,  
Ivanos, duo carosel, aerial balancing,  
Miss Gina, contortionist,  
Debbie Sue, aerialist,  
Alando and Co, clowns,  
The Crazy 'H' Indian Tribe, fire act,  
Palomino Horses and Miniature Shetland Ponies,  
Merrick's Bird Fantasia,  
Solomon and Sheba,  
Ostrich and Friend,  
Barbarella's Hounds,  
The Buffalo Billy Wild, wild west act,  
Background white with yellow sections, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by A Taylor and Son LTD, Wombwell, Barnsley, South Yorkshire,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.687** poster

1940

Worthing, Teville Corner, from 3 June,

Colour illustration of a man in a tuxedo on horseback, with six other horses following and british flags flying above, background abstract image of circus ring, lettering blue and yellow,

509mm x 751mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.688** poster

1953-1954

Edinburgh, Empire Theatre, from 15 December,

Schumann Family with their horses,

Vogelbeins' Bears,

Wonder Chimpanzees,

Dany Renz,

Production Scenes, MDE Dubarry in the Park, 'Birds of the Air', (K)nights of the Ring,

Mogador Troupe,

Tilly's Canines,

Sensational Rockleys,

Musical Elliots,

Les Babusios, clowns,

Colour illustration of a clown wearing a crown, background white with sections of black, lettering black, pink and yellow,

String hanging intact,

502mm x 380mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.689** poster

1946

Birmingham, Hurst Street, Hippodrome, from 4 November,

Six Royal Bengal Tigers presented by Jimmy Chipperfield,

Performing Bulls,

Geoffrey Warner, comedy,

Chevalier Bros,

Benson Dulay and Coy,

Zena Dell,

8 Circusettes,

Rajah and Ranee,

Charley Wood, juggling,

Bruin and Bonzo, bears,

Two Beels, acrobats,

Sequin, 'educated' high school horse,

Micky Cavanagh,

Lady the Pony,

Four Wallabies, tumblers,

Marjorie and her Liberty Horses,  
Background white with multicoloured sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by BRIBE BROS Ltd, LONDON & St ALBANS,  
246mm x 379mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.690** poster

No date  
Nottingham, Empire, from 23 December,  
Forest-Bred Lions presented by Jimmy Chipperfield,  
Performing Bulls,  
Geoffrey Warner, comedy,  
Benson Dulay and Coy,  
Sheila Daly,  
8 Circusettes,  
Rajah and Ranee,  
Charly Wood, juggling,  
Bruin and Bonzo, bears,  
Sequin, 'educated' high school horse,  
Lady the Pony,  
Micky Cavanagh,  
Dave and Maurine, comedy,  
The Wallabies, tumblers,  
Marjorie and her Liberty Horses,  
Background white with multicoloured sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by BRIBE BROS Ltd, LONDON & St ALBANS,  
255mm x 382mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.691** poster

1952-1953  
Harringay, 23 December to 7 February,  
Colour illustration of a crouching orange tiger, background black, lettering  
orange, green and white,  
552mm x 173mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.692** poster

1960  
Wembley, Empire Pool, 29 July to 10 September,  
Colour illustration of a red bear in a necktie carrying two flags, background  
purple, lettering multicoloured,  
319mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.693** poster

1953-1954

Harringay, 22 December to 30 January,  
Colour illustrations of a chimpanzee in clothes, a clown riding a rearing  
elephant, a polar bear, and leopard and three horses, background red,  
lettering multicoloured,  
317mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.694** poster

1945  
New ST, Big Top, from 30 July,  
Taming of the Wild, lion and tiger act,  
Symphony in Grey presented by Peggy Holt,  
The Six Geraldos, High School act, including Jason the world's only tap  
dancing horse,  
Della's Famous Dogs,  
The Tricky Three Years Olds, miniture performing Shetlands,  
Betty Allen, contortionist,  
The Boraskinis, Russian bareback riders,  
Little Harry Dil, rest of act name torn off,  
Val, Lotto and Constance, acrobats and comedy cyclists,  
Ben Hasson Four, acrobats,  
Jagger and Joker, polite horses presented by Gerald Portlock,  
Harry and Betty Paulo with DOT, monkey act,  
Yorrick the Fool,  
The Four Sensationalists, gymnasts,  
The Millie Jackson Girls,  
Van Normans, comedy,  
Don Pedro and his Blue Hussars,  
Little Sylvia, ballerina,  
Background yellow, lettering red and blue,  
505mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.695** poster

1943  
Manchester, Platt Fields Park, from 17 May,  
Chipperfield Performing Bears and Lions,  
Clowns,  
Kosinski, cossack rider,  
Liberty Horses presented by Clement MERK and Gerald Portlock,  
Four Scots, equestrian act,  
Gloria, wire act,  
Whiskey, miniture Shetland pony,  
Imperial Dogs presented by Joyce Portlock,  
Stella Marie sisters and Anita, aerial act,  
Valeska and Gerald Portlock, high school act,  
Tarzan, the human ape,



Two Zolas,  
The Carsons,  
Roberto Bros, twin India rubber riders,  
4 Dernos,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
Printed by Parkes and Mainwarings Ltd, Printers, Birmingham,  
169mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.696** poster

1949  
The Flying Aces, aerialists,  
Voltage Riding,  
Leaping Pony,  
White Eagle, equestrian act,  
Continental Trapeze Artiste,  
The Two Jesters,  
Funny Harry, clown,  
Performing dogs,  
Arab acrobats,  
The Phantom Horse Riders,  
Sausage and Lightening,  
Pedestal Pony,  
Twinkle the little star that shines, accordion,  
The Great American Novelty,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Barnes and Co, Printers, Crediton,  
252mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.697** poster

1944  
Birmingham, New Street, 31 July to 26 August,  
Background white, lettering blue, (WWII circus poster)  
245mm x 367mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.698** poster

No date  
Black type on yellow background,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by J J Cameron, Poster Service,  
378mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.699** poster

No date

Ross and Ross, revolving breakaway ladder,  
Don't Jump Joey,  
The Currie Sisters,  
Boy Rozane and Partner, wire walkers,  
The Tumbling Tommies, acro-burlesque,  
The Olympics, whirlwind riders,  
Looking For It, clowns,  
Bue, 'The Pony with the Human Brain',  
The Flying Aces, aerial gymnasts,  
Poster mounted on painted wood, background white, lettering red and  
blue,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Whittaker, Printer, South Elmsall, Yorks,  
280mm x 624mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.700** poster

1948  
Lichfield, Levett's Field, 14 to 15 June,  
The Dernos, aerial act,  
Dignity and impudence, horse and pony act,  
Barrett's Troupe of Dogs presented by Ella Freeman,  
Kay Kortz and Eugene, sports juggling,  
Miss Ella, riding act,  
Troupe of Coloured Performing Horses,  
Brandy, Boxer and Patch, pony act,  
Jumbo the comedy Elephant,  
Amar and Alana, balance act,  
Sally the Goat and her Canine Friends,  
Wee George, Gorgeous and Smiler, clowns,  
The Fire Horse,  
Background white, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
371mm x 877mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.701** poster

1954  
Group of Forest-Bred Lions presented by Clem Merk,  
Troupes of Coloured Horses and Ponies,  
Florida, aerial act,  
Dignity and Impudence, horse and pony act,  
Barrett's Troupe of Dogs,  
The San Juan Troupe of Riders,  
Horatio the Roman, four horse riding act,  
The Teddy Bears' Picnic,  
The Fire Horse,

The Children's Pets, pony, goat, monkeys, geese and dogs,  
D Cooke, ringmaster,  
Clown Teddy, comedy juggling,  
Amar and Alana, balance act,  
Colour illustration of five lions in a cage, main background white with  
multicoloured sections, lettering yellow, black and blue,  
Reproduction,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by W E Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
330mm x 747mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.702** poster

No date  
Brandy, equestrian act,  
Tex Rogers and Rose Marie, western act,  
Galaxy of clowns, featuring Normo, Jacko, Ralpho and Charlie,  
Maximus and Minimus, horse and pony act,  
Peter the pony and his monkey pals,  
Van Dyke, comedy dog revue,  
Norry Norrett, juggling,  
Briff, Braff, Broff, comedy table act,  
The Cocktail Girl,  
Sabrina the Goat,  
The Flying Voleros, aerial act,  
Blue and white illustrations of two clowns, background white, lettering  
blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by G W McKane & Son, Reliance Works, Keswick,  
253mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.703** poster

1929  
Chipping Norton, Sports Field, 22 June,  
The Lynton Troupe of Comedy Cyclists,  
The Fire Horses,  
The Yelsons, acrobats,  
80 Animals, including horses, ponies, wolves, elephant and monkeys,  
Douglas and Cook, princes of fools,  
Speedy, mime,  
Black and yellow illustrations of a jockey on a horse, an elephant and a  
clown, background yellow, lettering red and black,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Printers, Bradford,  
376mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.704** poster

No date

Nairn, The Link, 31 July to 1 August,

Colour illustration of a circus ring, with acts performing in in including acrobats, clowns, horses, a ballerina on horeback and the ringmaster, with a giant clown's head above, background yellow and blue, lettering black, red and blue,

Nairn dates stuck on separately,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

502mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.705** poster

No date

Amlwch, Salem Street, Madyn Field,

Lysander the Fearless with Fury the Bouncing Lion,

Van Dyke's Dogs,

Freddy with his Girlfriend, cowboy rider,

Tom, Dick and 'Arry,

Bandit the Performing Bear,

Joshua and Frutta, ladder act,

Doh, Me and Soh,

Queenie the Quagga with 'Arry, comedy animal act,

Barrett's Liberty Horses,

Norman Barrett,

Fredericka's Troupe of Cats and Dogs,

Clowns, including Rainbow, Goofus, Sunshine and Smiler,

Nita the Goat,

Mes Amaris, balance act,

Blue, red and white illustration of a clown and a running horse, bacgkround white, lettering red, blue and black,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

270mm x 874mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.706** poster

No date

Tarazina and her Trapeze,

Princess Shashina and her Troupe of Palominos,

Joey the Circus Boy and his Shetland Pony,

Grocer the Performing Goat,

Xando and her Fire Rituals,

Wislon the Wonder Dog,

Gypsy Horoscope,

Daft Dogs,

Clowns,

Astarte and the Go-Go Dancers,

Black, white and red illustration of a clown's head, background white,  
lettering black,  
452mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.707** poster

No date  
Sheringham, Regal Rooms, 4 January,  
Colour illustration of five clowns, one holding a giant candy cane, one  
squirting water from a flower onto another's nose, and one throwing a  
cream pie in another's face, background white, lettering multicoloured,  
211mm x 296mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.708** poster

1840  
Bristol,  
St George and the Dragon,  
M Masotta, the flying horseman,  
The Man with the Iron Hand,  
The Acrobatic Wonders,  
Corporal of the 41st, or Too Late for Drill,  
Master J Hangler, tight rope,  
The Turkish Mare,  
A Hengler, Wild Indian of the Prairie,  
England's Pride, or Nelson's Glory,  
Rough Rider, or Wild Horseman, equestrian act,  
Fancy Ball, or Merry Moments, pantomime,  
Green and white illustration of St George slaying the dragon, background  
white, lettering green and red,  
Reproduction,  
Original printed by Donaldson, Printer, Rosemary Street, Bristol,  
Reproduction printed by Prints of Yesteryear 2000, [www.printsofyesteryear.co.uk](http://www.printsofyesteryear.co.uk),  
245mm x 611mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.709** poster

No date  
Doncaster,  
Miss Fredrica's Performing Terriers,  
Dot, the cake walking pony,  
Background white, lettering red and blue,  
489mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.710** poster

No date

Del Santos, western act,  
Clowns, Jarvis, Donut and Krackers,  
Delightful See-Saw Ponies,  
Donuts Family Pets, featuring Hamish the Irish Mountain Goat,  
Penny the performing Penguin and Judi the Dog, presented by Miss Betty Verlaine,  
The Mystic from the East, Skorpio, dances on broken glass,  
Shetland ponies at liberty,  
Grey-Wolf and Tacomis, Apache Indian fire display,  
Diamond, the clever pony,  
Benbow's Comedy Bears,  
Orlando, flying rings,  
Astley, the pedestal pony,  
Zavetta, balance act,  
Jarvis, the hobo juggler,  
Smokey, the jumping pony,  
Black and red illustration of a clown's head, background red and white,  
lettering multicoloured,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Dormar Press Ltd, Ringwood,  
389mm x 522mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.711** poster

No date  
Exeter, Whipton, Devon County Showground, 27 August to 1 September,  
Black and white illustration of a clown's head, background white, lettering  
red and black,  
275mm x 430mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.712** poster

No date  
Vikrana, the Human Volcano,  
Toledo, balancing act,  
Madam Zephenous and Partner, telepathy act,  
So & So & Co, clowns,  
Danny the Goat,  
Liberty Ponies and Donkeys,  
Fajima, yoga act, dances on broken glass,  
Background red and green, lettering red and green,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by F J Mortimore, 2 Valley Road, Bude,  
383mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.713** poster

1944

Saville Street Gas Works, Friday 8 September, near gas works',  
The Flying Cadonas, flying trapeze,  
The Imps, comedy acrobats,  
Pete, musical clown with accordion,  
Duchess, performing pony,  
Young Rosco,  
Princess, performing pony,  
Pete, Pat and Busta, clowns,  
The Bandons, comedy gymnasts and dental spinners,  
The Spring-Heel Jacks,  
Minnie, performing dog,  
Jambo, performing comedy horse,  
The Fearless Bendigoes, bare-back riding act,  
Blue and white illustrations of acrobats, horses and a screaming clown,  
background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Note on poster reading No Show (tent blown down)  
Reproduction see 178R47.717 for original  
Printed by Willsons, Printers, Leicester,  
249mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.714** poster

1945

Edgbaston, Portland Road Grounds, 4 to 11 August,  
Harry Benet's Royal Majestic Circus,  
Pat Collins' 'Victory' Fair,  
Ruby Vinning's Famous Pony Revue,  
The Band of the Royal Artillery,  
Variety Show,  
Punch and Judy,  
The Sensational Aquabats,  
The Dagenham Girl Pipers and Dancers,  
Marionettes,  
Jan Berenska and his Radio Rhythm Dance Orchestra,  
Colour illustration of a clown, background yellow and white with red and  
blue moons and stars, lettering red, blue and black,  
Illustration signed L F 5,  
Printed by Parkes and Mainwaring, Ltd, Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
509mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.715** poster

No date

Red and white illustration of a grinning clown's head, background white,  
lettering red,

354mm x 450mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.716** poster

No date  
Black type on yellow background,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
354mm x 479mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.717** poster

1944  
Saville Street Gas Works, Friday 8 September , near gas works',  
The Flying Cadonas, flying trapeze,  
The Imps, comedy acrobats,  
Pete, musical clown with accordion,  
Duchess, performing pony,  
Young Rosco,  
Princess, performing pony,  
Pete, Pat and Busta, clowns,  
The Bandons, comedy gymnasts and dental spinners,  
The Spring-Heel Jacks,  
Minnie, performing dog,  
Jambo, performing comedy horse,  
The Fearless Bendigoes, bare-back riding act,  
Blue and white illustrations of acrobats, horses and a screaming clown,  
background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Pink pencil note on poster reading No Show (tent blown down),  
Printed by Willsons, Printers, Leicester,  
254mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.718** poster

No date  
Blackpool, Coronation ST Theatre, 7 to 17 April,  
Bolso the Clown and Company,  
Colour illustrations of three clowns, four birds and two rabbits, one with  
a top hat, wand, dice, and playing cards, background and lettering multi-  
coloured,  
378mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.719** poster

1945  
Edgbaston, Portland Road Grounds, 6 to 11 August,  
Koringa,  
The Dernos,



Romeo and Juliet,  
The Garcis,  
Cillas Dogs,  
Briton,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts, including clowns, acrobats, elephants, horses and riders,  
Printed by Willsons, Show Printers, Leicester  
1015mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.720** Harry Benet presents the Royal Majestic Circus

1946  
Coventry, Hippodrome, from 18 March,  
Capt Chipperfield and his Cage of Man-Eating Lions,  
Harry Benet's Pedestal Ponies,  
3 Juleos, aerialists,  
Whisky and Nonny, clowns,  
Lamonte and Julie, trio of juggling clowns,  
The Australian Air Aces,  
Cliff Berzac and his Unrideable Mules,  
Yeaman's Canine Comics,  
Tarzan, the human ape,  
The Rosmo 4,  
Zola Bros,  
The Tovarich Troupe,  
The High School Horse Pluto presented by Charles Hankey,  
Romeo and Juliet, a symphony in grey,  
Ray Royal and her performing cats,  
Briton, strong man,  
Goodall and Grant,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
Cardboard hanging intact,  
Printed by W E Berry, Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
229mm x 279mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.721** Harry Benet's Royal Majestic Circus

1945  
Coventry, Hippodrome Theatre, from 19 March,  
Koringa, reptile act,  
Jix, Jax and Max, comedy triple bar,  
Group of Forest Bred Lions presented by Lieut Rickard,  
6 Gatwick Girls,  
Liberty Horses,  
Joe Adami,  
The Gridneffs,  
Cilla's Dogs,

Two Original Garcis,  
Harry Benet's Pedestal Ponies presented by Chas Barth,  
Young China troupe,  
Pluto the High School Horse,  
Sultan the Cute,  
Romeo and Juliet, comedy,  
Tarzan the human ape,  
Hubert Cooke's Pony Revue,  
Clowns, including Tommy Goodall, The Zola Bros, Adami and Soft Sammy,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
Printed by W E Berry, Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
253mm x 255  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.722** Harry Benet's International Circus

No date  
Croydon, Empire, from 15 November,  
Marjorie and her 6 Liberty Horses,  
The Flying Cromwells,  
Tony and Tina, clowns,  
Robert Bemand's Pigeons,  
4 Superbs,  
Palette's Dogs, comedy,  
Tommy Goodall and Harry Cranley, clowns,  
Lou Lenny and her kicking mule, comedy,  
5 Lai Founs,  
Madame Truzzi and her Pets,  
Benet's International 'Circus de Luxe',  
Background white, lettering blue,  
228mm x 265mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.723** E H Bostock's Grand International Circus

No date  
The Four Mexicans, lasso throwing and whip manipulating,  
Colour illustration of four horseback riders, one catching a bull with a  
rope, one chasing a bull with a whip, one catching a horse with a lasso  
and one about to throw a giant lasso, background yellow, lettering red  
and black,  
Reproduction,  
373mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.724** poster

1905  
Black and white photographs of four proprietors, founder George Womb-  
well, Mrs G Wombwell, Mrs Bostock nee Wombwell and E H Bostock,

surrounded by red floral patterns, background white with tartan sections,  
Illustration signed Sam Lithgow, Glasgow,  
Reproduction,  
502mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.725** poster

No date  
Brighton, The Brighton Centre, 20 July to 28 August,  
Colour illustration of three clowns, one standing on another foot while  
balancing the third of his arm, background yellow, lettering black,  
Designed by Derek Simpson  
357mm x 682mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.726** poster

No date  
Brighton, King's Road, The Brighton Centre, 20 July to 28 August,  
Colour circular illustration of many circus acts including clowns, acto-  
bats, an elephant, fire eaters, tight rope walkers and unicyclists, illustration  
background lilac, main background red, border blue, lettering multi-  
coloured,  
515mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.727** poster

No date  
Liza, the performing pig,  
Little Billy, the laughing pony,  
La La and Lo Lo, clowns,  
Beauty, the dancing pony,  
Trixie, the fortune telling pony,  
Bunny the performing goat,  
Jojo and Jacko,  
Mdle Ouida, wire act,  
2 Cottrils, comedy jugglers,  
Fun on the Joy Wheel, with Local Talent and Jack the Speedway Terrier,  
3 Sooners,  
Dynamite, the bucking and kicking mule,  
Biff and Baff,  
Tex Powel and Co, Stock-whip and rope,  
Clowns,  
Background white with sections of blue, yellow and red, lettering blue,  
yellow and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Willsons, Printers, King Street, Leicester,

254mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.728** poster

No date  
Underwood, 3 to 4 May,  
Clown Gummy,  
Denise and her Doves,  
Boo Boo, performing ape,  
Count Jon, illusionist and fire eater,  
The Rollano's, balance act,  
The Great Carlien'o, slack wire,  
Carlien'o Juniors,  
Jack the Jackdaw,  
Tommy the Talking Pony,  
The Tellstars Rolling Globes,  
Black and white photographs a clown walking on a slack wire holding  
a chair, two acrobats, one sitting on the other's shoulders, on a tilted  
platform, a woman balanced on a large globe and a single acrobat on a  
tilted platform, background yellow, lettering red and black,  
Printed by WILLSONS (Printers) Ltd, Nottingham,  
505mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.729** poster

No date  
Baker Troupe, riding act,  
Digger Pugh's Aerial Ballet,  
Pas de Deux on Horseback,  
Voltige by Valerija Rogatschowa,  
Austin, 'pony with a human brain',  
Maisie Alberta, juggling with fire,  
Chipperfield's Royal Creams,  
Pato and Ricko, clowns,  
Hampe, clown,  
Gondor Magyar Football Dogs,  
Background white with sections of blue, yellow and red, lettering blue,  
yellow and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Willsons (Printers) Ltd, Leicester,  
259mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.730** poster

No date  
Colour illustrations of two clown heads and three acrobats balancing across  
the backs of three white horses, background abstract image of circus ring,

lettering red blue and yellow,  
1004mm x 1514mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.731** poster

No date  
Berkshire, Wokingham, California-in-England, Lakeside Pleasure Park, 17  
July to 28 August,  
The Baker Troupe, riding act,  
Harry and Betty Paul, wire act,  
Colin Fleming, juggler and unicyclist,  
Percival's Liberty Ponies with Texas,  
Charlie the Pony with Pistcha,  
Rio, Ron and Rita,  
The Joli Family, dog act,  
Smoky, clown,  
Hampé, clown,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
Printed by WILLSONS, Printers, Leicester,  
505mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.732** poster

1952  
Ducklington, Parish Room, 20 August,  
The Flying Clarkes, trapeze,  
The Elastic Mystery by Dopey and Hobo,  
Frank Wheeler and Dopey, comedy cyclists,  
Mopey the Wonder Dog presented by Dopey,  
Eleonora, balace on rolling globe,  
Strongoff, strong man,  
Anadia, controtion and balace,  
Where did the Water Go, Dopey and Hobo,  
Comedy Wire Act,  
Background white, lettering red, location and dates added in blue crayon  
and pencil,  
Printed by William Brindle, Chipping Norton,  
379mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.733** poster

1929  
Carmo's 4 Troupes of Horses presented by Capt Ankner,  
Colour illustration of a man in a tuxedo and monacle, surrounded by 32  
horses, background brown, lettering black and red,  
Printed by W E Berry Ltd, Nesfield ST, Bradford,

1015mm x 751mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.734** poster

1929  
Catford, Bromley Road, Southend, from 6 May,  
Capt Ankner presents Carmo's 4 Troupes of Horses,  
The Four Bentos, musical clowns,  
The Brothers Audleigh, double tandem act,  
The 8 Canova Girls, dancers,  
The 5 Balageurs,  
The Tronikas, diving by the sister Baranoff,  
The Bronellys,  
Togare and his Lions,  
Togare and Paris the Wrestling Lion,  
Miss Ruth Owen presents Courage the High Jumping Horse,  
The Gabriels, Spanish Troubadors,  
Baby Carmo the Cycling Elephant,  
Capt Ankner presents Imperial the High School Horse,  
The Hansons, perch act,  
The Costellos, head to head balancers,  
Miss Mona Connor, riding act,  
The Jainczeks, skating ballet on real ice,  
Background blue with white stars, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Street, Bradford,  
372mm x 1010mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.735** poster

No date  
Maidstone, Lock Meadow, 3 July,  
Colour illustrations of a clown and two rabbits in a top hat, background  
white, lettering orange and blue,  
501mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.736** poster

1938  
Sittingbourne, Ufton Road, Ufton Lane Field, 24 May,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
504mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.737** poster

1939  
London, New South London Palace,  
Monday 22 May,

Colour illustration of a giant clown's head surrounded by smaller images of three horses, a ballerina on horseback, a lion and an elephant, background yellow, lettering black,  
506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.738** poster

1933  
Oxford, Botley Road, Ice Skating Rink and Sports Palace, from 5 June,  
Group of Royal Bengal Tigers,  
Group of Forest-Bred Lions,  
Troupe of Polar Bears,  
Musical Comedy Elephants,  
Royal Cream Ponies,  
High School Horse Rheingeld,  
Voltage Act,  
Bucking Mule,  
Cymbal and Waltzing Horses,  
Himalayan Black Bears in their Tea Party,  
Boxing Kangaroo Boomerang,  
Group of performing Sea Lions,  
Bourget, comedy,  
The Blossoms, dancing,  
Acrobats,  
Lady Riders,  
Joey Pony,  
Group of Liberty Horses from Rome,  
Group of Performing Leopards,  
Parkes and Mainwarings, Ltd, Printers, Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
282mm x 849mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.739** poster

1933  
Stockport, Theatre Royal, from 21 August,  
The Unrideable Mule,  
Colour illustration of two cowboy, three rearing horses and a mule bucking, tipping off its rider and kicking a clown, background red and yellow, lettering black,  
252mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.740** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of a giant clown holding a big top, background red, lettering blue, yellow and black,  
Left blank for adding location and date,

299mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.741** poster

1985  
White, red and black illustration of a laughing clown's head, background blue, lettering red and yellow,  
Reproduction,  
Reproduction published by the Victoria and Albert Museum,  
494mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.742** poster

No date  
Keighley, Hippodrome and Queen's Theatre,  
The Great Carmo,  
Sands and Sonia, cyclo-paedias,  
Koko,  
Danny Lipton Twins, dancing,  
Billy Kray and Margi Morris, comedy,  
Wee George, clown,  
Teddy Stream, comedian,  
Kadex 4 featuring Billie de Lorme,  
Monochrome blue illustrations of the head of the Great Carmo and Kadex 4 in sailor's caps, background blue with white stars, lettering white, blue and red,  
Printed by Sun Street Printing Works, Keighley,  
241mm x 743mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.743** poster

1937  
Plympton, Castle Grounds, 17 August,  
Miss Isabella, equestrian ballet,  
Eno and Arno, comedy,  
T Bartlett presents Rosie the Elephant,  
Speedy and Partner, wild west act,  
Reggie, equestrian act,  
Vic Lane and Partner, trapeze,  
Irene,  
The Untameable Lions presented by The Great Carmo,  
Background yellow, lettering red and black,  
253mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.744** poster

No date



Glasgow, Stockwell Street, New Metropole Theatre, from 26 November,  
Group of Forest Bred Lions,  
Bengal Tiger,  
Polar Bear,  
Musical Comedy Elephants,  
Trapeze acts,  
Hind-Leg Horses,  
Waltzing Horses,  
Troupe of Liberty Horses,  
Lady Rider,  
High School Horse,  
Comedy Riding Act,  
Charivari,  
Comedy Black Bears,  
Boxing Kangaroo,  
Black and white photographs of each act, background white, lettering  
black,  
286mm x 888mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.745** poster

1938  
Hull, Alexandra Theatre, from 14 February,  
Josef Schmidt presents his Group of Performing Sea Lions,  
The Paulinos, riding act,  
Group of Performing Lions presented by Karloff,  
The Adremarios, aerial act,  
Chapman's Group of Liberty Horses presented by Jan Doksansky,  
Nam Rehs, comedy equilibrist,  
Boxing Kangaroo,  
Himalayan Black Bears,  
Performing Royal Cream Ponies,  
Dolinda de la Plata and High School Horse,  
Bettina and Clowns in Comedy Wire Act,  
Group of Performing Elephants presented by Janesco,  
Votige Act by Sylvia,  
Clowns,  
Chapman's Dancing Beauties,  
Henri and his Unrideable Mule,  
Group Performing Polar Bears,  
Background yellow, lettering red and black,  
String hanging intact,  
Printed by Parkes and Mainwarings Ltd, Printers, Coleshill Street, Birm-  
ingham,  
255mm x 379mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.746** poster

1939

Wimbledon, The Common, 12 May,  
Chapman's Group of Performing Royal Bengal Tigers,  
Flying trapeze,  
Cossack riding,  
Troupe of liberty horses,  
Chapman's Group of Musical Comedy Elephants,  
Acrobats,  
Trained Royal Cream Ponies,  
Group of Comedy Performing Black Bears,  
Chapman's Group of Performing Sea Lions,  
Chapman's High School Horse,  
Comedy Voltige Act,  
Clowns,  
Chapman's Group of Performing Forest Bred Lions,  
Blue and white illustrations of two clowns and two performing elephants,  
background white with blue sections, lettering white, blue and red,  
Printed by Parkes and Mainwarings, Ltd, Printers, Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
509mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.747** poster

1932

Formby, Church Road, The Bayhorse Field, 22 June,  
10 Forest Bred Lions shown by Jan Doksansky,  
6 White Polar Bears shown by J Dorsansky,  
4 Comic Black Bears, in the 'Bears Tea Party',  
12 Liberty Horses presented by A Jeserich,  
6 Musical Comedy Elephants exhibited by E Engler,  
The Boxing Kangaroo,  
The Kicking Mule,  
12 Royal Cream Ponies,  
Sylvia on her Voltage Horse,  
4 Artistes on the Trapeze,  
Armine the Hind Leg Horse,  
Mr Jeserich rides his High School Horse,  
Chapman's 8 Speciality Dancing Girls,  
The Football Horse,  
Clowns,  
'Appy 'Arry on the wire,  
Isabella, lady rider,  
Messrs Calda and Kovah present their group of 8 Royal Bengal Tigers,  
Background red, lettering white, blue and red,  
Printed by Moody Bros LTD, Birmingham,

508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.748** poster

1933  
Warrington, Royal Court Theatre, from 27 March,  
Group of Performing Royal Bengal Tigers presented by Capt Kruger,  
Chapman's Musical Comedy Elephants,  
Group of Performing Polar Bears presented by Capt Howes,  
Group of Forest Bred Lions presented by Janesco,  
Six Royal Cream Ponies,  
Rheingeld, dancing High School Horse, presented by Prof Alberti,  
Cymbal and Waltzing Horses,  
Wroe presented Boomerang the Boxing Kangaroo,  
Manley Bros, hand to hand balace,  
Kyser Bros, comedy bar act,  
The Derricks, trapeze act,  
'Appy 'Orace on the wire,  
The Juggling Heslips,  
Marcus, Roman strong act,  
Voltage Act by Thora Sisters,  
Charivari, clowns and dancers,  
Chapman's Troupe of Liberty Horses,  
Background yellow, lettering red and black,  
504mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.749** poster

No date  
Louth, Newmarket RD, Quarry Field, 7 October,  
Group of Forest-Bred Lions,  
Group of Polar Bears,  
Group of Performing Sea Lions,  
Troupe of Musical Comedy Elephants,  
Boxing Kangaroo,  
Cossack Riding Act by the Paulinos,  
Group of Dapple Grey Liberty Horses,  
Waltzing Horses,  
Royal Cream Ponies,  
Group of Comedy Black Himalayan Bears,  
Voltage Act,  
Kilty Lasses,  
Austin Bros, comedy,  
Clowns,  
Red line illustration of a clown's head, background red, lettering white and  
blue,  
String hanging intact,

Printed by Parkes Mainwarings LTD Birmingham,  
233mm x 367mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.750** poster

1949  
Chesterfield, Hippodrome, from 31 January,  
The Great Harder and his Forest Bred Lions,  
Chas Hankey's Ponies,  
The Longton Troupe, stilt walkers,  
Himalayan Bears in 'The Teddy Bears' Picnic',  
Paulino Troupe, bare-back riding,  
Betty and her Foolish Partner, comedy wire act,  
Jacky McCartons's Three Flap-Jacks,  
2 Elephants,  
The Embassy Girls,  
Jacky McCarton's Yodelling Rangers,  
Hoop Spins on the Golden Globe by Miss Ciciene,  
The 20 Wild Westerners,  
Liberty Horses,  
The 5 Adamrios, gymnasts,  
Blue and red line illustrations of a lion, an elephant and a clown's head,  
background white, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by WILLSONS, Printers, Leicester,  
507mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.751** poster

1936  
From 20 Jan,  
Group of Performing Lions presented by Ricardo,  
Group of Performing Elephants presented by Janesco,  
Boxing Kangaroo presented by Senor Hous,  
Group of Liberty Horses presented by Vladmir,  
High School Horse presented by Count Von Heide,  
Performing Group of Black Himalayan Bears presented by Senor Hous,  
Paradise Dancing Girls,  
Aerial Sensationalists,  
Voltage Acts,  
Group of Cream Ponies,  
Sylvia, wire act,  
Clowns,  
Group of Performing Sea Lions presented by Josef Schmidt,  
Background red and yellow, lettering red, yellow and black,  
Printed by Electic (Cinema) Printing Co, Ltd, Manchester, 8,  
251mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.752** poster

No date

Witney, The Recreation Ground, 22 March,

Background white and red, lettering white, blue and red,

Printed by Parkes and Mainwarings, Ltd, Printers, Coleshill Street, Birmingham,

502mm x 758mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.753** poster

1984

London Coliseum, 25 June to 7 July,

Black and white photograph of eleven acrobats balanced on a single bike, background pink and black, lettering black and white,

508mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.754** poster

1987

Birmingham, The Alex Theatre, 3 August,

Colour illustration of Chinese dragons, dancers, clowns and acrobats, background black and white, lettering multicoloured,

Illustration signed Ted Baldwin,

Location and dates stuck on separately,

509mm x 768mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.755** poster

1964

Doris Cody's Chimpanzees,

Performing Horses,

Shetland Ponies,

Carinos 10 Dogs,

Stilt Walkers,

Monkeys,

Troupe of Performing Geese,

Sharp Shooting,

Knife Throwing,

Gun Slingers,

Acrobats,

Jugglers,

Clowns,

Fire Torture,

Wire walkers,

Blue and white illustration of a queue going into the big top, background blue and white, lettering blue, red and yellow,

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Printed by Willsons (Printers) Ltd, Leicester,  
251mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.756** poster

No date  
Bognor Regis, 3 to 5 April,  
Colour illustration of three clowns, one standing on another foot while  
balancing the third of his arm, background yellow, lettering black,  
Designed by Derek Simpson,  
Printed by GM Design & Print,  
315mm x 609mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.757** poster

1990  
Killamarsh, Nethergreen Working Mens Club, 4 to 7 May,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts, including two clowns, a horse, a  
stilt walker, an orange tiger, a woman with a parrot and a toucan and an  
acrobat, background orange, lettering red and black,  
288mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.758** poster

1957  
Ramsgate, Hereson Road, from 15 July,  
Group of Forest Bred Lions presented by Capt Jack Smith,  
Jumbo, world's largest elephant,  
Abdulla and Sadia, acrobats,  
The Two Trevals, trapeze,  
Five Liberty Ponies,  
Darita, juggling with feet,  
The Two Medros, troupe of monkeys, cowboys and Indians,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Curly, heavyweight clown,  
Clara the Cow,  
The Four Ethel Barton Girls, acrobatic dancers,  
Rock 'n' Roll Competition,  
Jocko the monkey presented by Miss Rosita,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
Carino's Troupe of 10 Dogs,  
Clowns,  
Troupe of Performing Geese,  
Background white, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by G W McKane & Son, Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
255mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.759** poster

1956

Group of Forest Bred Lions presented by Capt Jack Smith,  
Hercules, strong man,  
Geese,  
Sandow Sisters, aerial act,  
Carino's Troupe of 10 Dogs,  
5 Liberty Ponies presented by Miss Olga,  
Clowns, Harry, Tomo, Curly, Normo, Dido,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Rosita with Jocko the monkey,  
Violetta, juggling on slack wire,  
Harry Coady, clown,  
Lucerne Skaters,  
Tex James and his Prairie Ponies,  
Clara the Cow,  
Jim, Jack, Joe and Tina,  
Curly the clown,  
Tomo and Partner with a troupe of monkeys, featuring Marlyn Munroe,  
and Jesse James the Outlaw,  
Tot the Teddy-Bear,  
Richard Sandow, ringmaster,  
Jumbo the elephant, presented by Pavlow,  
Background white, lettering red and blue,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
252mm x 373mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.760** poster

1952

Miss Carino and Co with her 10 Dogs,  
Marilyn Monroe, balancing acrobat,  
Medros Troupe of Television Monkeys and Ponies,  
Outlaw Jesse James,  
Clara the Cow,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
The Unrideable Mule,  
Curly the heavyweight clown,  
Harry Coady, clown,  
Rastus the Zebra,  
Rosita presents the Wonder Capuchin,  
The Flying Voleros, aerial act,  
Troupe of Performing Geese,  
Little Beaver and Lovely Marie, Apache Indian act,  
Background yellow, lettering black, red and orange,

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Printed by G W McKane & Son, Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
253mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.761** poster

No date  
Group of Forest Bred Lions presented by Capt Jack Smith,  
Jumbo, the world's largest elephant,  
Abdulla and Sadia, acrobats,  
The 2 Medro's, troupe of monkeys, cowboys and Indians,  
The Two Trevals, trapeze,  
5 Liberty Ponies,  
Darita, juggling with feet,  
Clara the Cow,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Curly the Heavyweight Clown,  
The Four Ethel Barton Girls,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
Carino's Troupe of 10 Dogs,  
Jocko the monkey presented by Miss Rosita,  
Troupe of Performing Geese,  
Background white and orange, lettering blue, white and orange,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by G W McKane & Son, Reliance Works, Keswick,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.762** poster

1949  
Clem Merk presents his Group of African Lions,  
Charlie the Elephant presented by Capt Turkie,  
The Two Moxons, jugglers,  
Clowns, Hugo Darty, Mo-Mo, Billie and Willie, Wee Joe,  
5 Liberty Ponies presented by Harry Cody,  
Kathalene Lorenze, flying trapeze,  
The Clown's Ballet,  
3 See-Saw Ponies,  
Monkeys' Steeplechase,  
The Clowns' Barber Shop,  
Rosita and Jocko the monkey,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
The Water Comics,  
The Chinese Foot Jugglers,  
Blackie and his Girl Friends,  
Ollie the Unrideable Mule,  
Jennie Jordon presents the 6 Acrobatic Girls,



Doris and her Zebra,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
255mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.763** poster

1947  
York, Monk Stray, 19 to 22 July,  
Elephants presented by Capt Turkie,  
G B's Dignity and Impudence,  
Wyns Troupe of Performing Dogs,  
5 Liberty Horses,  
Clowns, Wee George, Gorgeous, Harry Timer and Tom, Tonty Geretti,  
The Timar Bros, aerial perch act,  
Ericko, assisted by Ivy,  
George Barrett's 3 Ponies,  
The Smallest Performing Pony in the World,  
Billie, The Performing Goat,  
The Lovely Girls,  
Jockey Dogs,  
The Two Balatons, acrobats,  
The Act Superb,  
Olly, the Unrideable Mule,  
Blue, white and red illustrations of two clowns and an elephant, back-  
ground white, lettering red, blue and black,  
Location and dates stuck on seperately,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
254mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.764** poster

No date  
Cockermouth, Fair-Ground, 31 May,  
H Cody's Performing Lions presented by Capt Yank Miller,  
Carino's Troupe of Dogs,  
Prince, the real live spotted rocking horse,  
Jocko the monkey, presented by Rosita,  
Kathleen Lorenz, flying trapeze,  
F Yeilding, ringmaster,  
3 See-Saw Ponies,  
Sammy and Jo-Jo, performing geese,  
Troupe of Liberty Horses,  
Darty, clown,  
Trigger presented by H Cody, equestrian act,  
Tydles the performing monkey,

Trick Riders,  
Leslie Laffin, comedy,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
Jordon's Six Acro Maids,  
Fredericka's Troupe of Performing Cats,  
Blue and white illustration of Harry Cody,  
Background white, lettering blue, red and black,  
Printed by W E Berry, Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
382mm x 865mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.765** poster

No date  
Cody's Group of Lions presented by Clem Merk,  
Cody's Performing Elephant Charlie, presented by Capt Turkie,  
Comic Zebra,  
J Gordon's 6 Acro Girls,  
Jocko the monkey, presented by Rosita,  
Teddy Bears Pic-Nic presented by Clem Merk,  
Douglas Cooke, ringmaster,  
Troup of Liberty Horses,  
Manuella, aerialist,  
Funny Billy and Maxo, clowns,  
Mo-Mo The Maniac Clown,  
Trick Riders,  
Darty, clown,  
4 Vollerros, western act,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
3 See-Saw Ponies,  
Performing Geese and Monkeys,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
Briff, Braff and Bruff, comedy acrobats,  
Rosita's Bow-wows,  
Valescos, aerialist and trampolinists,  
Blue and white illustration of Harry Cody, background white, lettering  
blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by G W McKane & Son, Reliance Work, KESWICK,  
383mm x 890mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.766** poster

1949  
H Cody's performing Lions presented by Clem Merk,  
H Cody's Performing Elephant Charlie, presented by Capt Turke,  
The Comic Zebra Riding Monkeys,  
6 Acro Girls presented by Jennie Jordon,

Jocko the monkey presented by Rosita,  
Teddy Bears Pic-Nic presented Clem Merk,  
Mo-Mo the Maniac Clown,  
3 See-Saw Ponies,  
Funny Billy and Maxo, clowns,  
4 Voleros, western act,  
Troup of Liberty Horses,  
Darty, clown,  
Douglas Cooke, ringmaster,  
Trigger presented by H Cody, equestrian act,  
Ollie the Unrideable Mule,  
Trick Riders,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
Briff, Braff and Bruff, comedy acrobats,  
Valescos, trampoline act,  
Rosita's Dogs, Monkeys and Geese,  
Blue and white illustration of Harry Cody, background white, lettering  
blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by G W McKane & Son, Reliance Work, KESWICK,  
382mm x 902mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.767** poster

No date  
Jocko the monkey presented by Rosita,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
Almar and Alana,  
Troupe of Performing Geese,  
Gwyn, trapeze,  
Clara the Cow,  
Les Amaris, aerial comedy,  
The Masked Ranger, sharp-shooting and knife-throwing,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Liberty Ponies,  
Unrideable Mule,  
Marin, assisted by Diana, illusionist,  
Background white and yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
342mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.768** poster

1942  
Sutton Park, Crystal Palace, 4 to 8 April,  
The Manitos,  
The Brothers Lotus, royal command act,

The Unrideable Mule,  
The Wonderful Jumping Pony,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
4 Clever Ponies,  
Phony, comedy magician,  
Texo, aerialist act,  
Clowns, Harry Cody, Al Webb, Leo,  
Sanzos and Lenona, flying rings, trapeze and contortion,  
Mona Connor, ballerina,  
B Crew and Co,  
Doris and her Zebra,  
Background white, lettering blue, location and dates added in pencil,  
333mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.769** poster

1964  
Pwllheli, Wembley Park, 17 to 18 August,  
Gun-Slingers,  
Carino's Troupe of Dogs,  
Liberty Ponies, royal creams, presented by Harry Cody,  
Sharp Shooting and Knife Throwing,  
Shetland Ponies,  
Range, 'the pony with a human brain',  
Medros Animal Revue,  
Troupe of Performing Geese,  
Doris Cody's Chimpanzees,  
Pauline, wire walker,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Harry Coady, ringmaster and animal trainer,  
Pepê,  
Clara the Cow,  
Background white with yellow and red sections, lettering black, blue and  
red, location and dates added in pen,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
336mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.770** poster

No date  
Felixtowe, Rose Bros, Car Park, 22 to 25 August,  
Doris Cody's Chimpanzees,  
Carino's Troupe of Doggies,  
Liberty Ponies, royal creams, presented by Harry Cody,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Shetland Ponies,  
Range, 'the pony with the human brain',

Medros Animal Revue,  
Texas Rangers, western act,  
Troupe of Performing Geese,  
Funny Harry,  
Besina the Alsatian presented by Doris Cody,  
The Boninos,  
Peppi, stilt walking clown,  
Clara the Cow,  
Bon-Tons,  
Background white with yellow sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Location and dates stuck on separately,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Work, Bradford,  
335mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.771** poster

1846  
Bath, Bristol Road, 26 to 28 February,  
The Mill in an Uproar, farce,  
Cinderella, operatic ballet, produced by Mr A Cooke,  
The Moor, pantomimic,  
Mr Hemmings, balancing act,  
Travail Sur Deux Chevaux presented by Eugene Godolphin, equestrian  
act,  
Athletic Tours de Force, Sig Zamezo,  
Scenes of Horsemanship, Alfred Cooke,  
Life in the Clouds,  
Graceful Riding, Le Petite Emile,  
Joan of Arc, presented by Mr W Cooke, equestrian act,  
Violin a la Paganini, Mr Jackson,  
A Tyrolese Waltz,  
Old Dame Trot and her Comical Cat,  
Flexile Posies, Signor Zamezo,  
Scene de Equitation, Alfred Cooke, equestrian act,  
La Fille de L'Air, La Petite Emile,  
Mazappa and the Wild Horse,  
Mr Jackson, the Shasperian Jester,  
Mr Adams, the Grimaldi of the Arena,  
Blue and white illustrations of men struggling with wild horses, back-  
ground white, lettering red and blue,  
Reproduction, printed 2000,  
Original printed by S Vivian Printer, 41, Broad Street, Bath,  
Reproduction printed by Prints of Yesteryear 2000, [www.printsofyesteryear.co.uk](http://www.printsofyesteryear.co.uk),  
244mm x 612mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.772** poster

No date  
Electron, electricity act,  
George, Alba and Ruth, roller balance,  
Mandy and Sandy, dog act,  
Harry Ruster, high stilts,  
The Ballet of the Devil and the Lost,  
Clowns,  
Dusty, dog act,  
The Keystones, hand balancers,  
Hector, 'the almost human horse',  
Madame Zelda, cartoon artiste,  
Sultan,  
Background white, lettering blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by G W McKane & Son, Reliance Works, Keswick,  
256mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.773** poster

No date  
Elephants, Princess and Charlie, presented by Prince Zabru,  
J Jordon's 7 Acro Girls,  
Signo and Jute, acrobats,  
Blackie, equestrian act,  
Hugo Darty, clown,  
Al Wright's Ponies and Dogs,  
The Lady Cossack Rider,  
The 2 Marlows,  
Gloria, wire walker,  
Mona Connor, ballerina on horseback,  
Doris and her Zebra,  
The Zola Bros,  
Rosita presents Jocko the monkey,  
The Cottrell Bros,  
Blue and white illustrations of a clown and an elephant, background white,  
lettering blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.774** poster

1950  
Honiton, Fair Field, 6 June,  
Group of Lions presented by Madame Bernett,  
The Flying Biddalls,  
Carino's Dogs, Monkeys and Geese,  
Phill Joey Williams,

Jocko the monkey presented by Rosita,  
Cody's Liberty Ponies,  
Ollie the Unrideable Mule,  
Dave Bentley, ringmaster,  
Spuds, clown,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Millicent, ballerina,  
Jolly Jack and Partner, rope comedy act,  
Hugo Darty,  
Clare and Mario, flying trapeze,  
The 5 Internationals, bouncing trampoline,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
The 4 Anzacs, riding act,  
The 3 See-Saw Ponies,  
Black and white photographs of Harry Cody, a caged lions, performing  
dogs, a monkey lifting UK flags, the liberty horses, a man walking a rope,  
a clown and other performers by a trampoline, three horses on a see-saw  
and three riders standing on one horses, with another stadnign by to guide  
it, background blue with sections of white, lettering blue and red,  
503mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.775** poster

1943  
Edgbaston, Portland Road Grounds, 2 to 7 August,  
The Gridneffs,  
Thanya with Giant Pythons,  
Jix, Jax and Max,  
Harry Dillon, clown,  
G Barratts Ponies and Dogs,  
Harry Cody, clown,  
Doris and her Zebra,  
Patricia Finn, aerialist,  
Riding monkeys,  
Ollie the Unrideable Mules,  
Shetland Ponies,  
Pepino and his Miniature Circus,  
Background white, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by Parkes and Mainwarings Ltd, Printers, Birmingham,  
165mm x 379mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.776** poster

1947  
Sutton Coldfield, Rec Ground, Thursday 14 to Saturday 16 August,  
Elephant, Princess and Charlie, presented by Capt Turkie,  
G. B's. Dignity and Impudence,

Wyns Troupe of Performing Dogs,  
5 Liberty Horses,  
Clowns, Wee George, Gorgeous,  
Harry Timer and Tom, Tony Geretti,  
Eriko, with Ivy,  
J Jordan's 7 Girls, dancing and acrobatics,  
George Barrett's 3 Clever Ponies,  
Gloria, wire act,  
The Smallest Performing Pony in the World,  
Billie, The Performing Goat,  
The Lovely Girls,  
Jockey Dogs,  
Olly the mule,  
Jocko,  
Blue and white illustration of an elephant, background white, lettering  
red and blue,  
380mm x 897mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.777** poster

1962  
Keswick, Ravens Field High Hill, 18 to 19 May,  
King and Kong presented by Doris Cody, chimpanzees,  
Carino's 12 Doggies,  
Liberty Ponies, royal creams, presented by Harry Cody,  
Trigger, equestrian act,  
Dick and Dave, Sandow,  
Range, 'the pony with the human brain',  
Miss Medros' Troupe of Monkeys, Dogs and Pony,  
Texas Rangers, western act,  
Troupe of Performing Geese,  
Funny Harry,  
Besina the Alsatian presented by Doris Cody,  
Digger Pugh presents his Troupe of Lovely Girls,  
Pepy, stilt walker clown,  
Clara the Cow,  
Girls of the Air,  
Background white with sections of yellow, lettering black, red and blue,  
Printed by John F Walker, 22-26, South Street, Ilkeston, Derbyshire,  
306mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.778** poster

No date  
Hastings Pier, 10 July to 4 September,  
Black and red line illustrations of a clown's head and six lions, with a  
border of yellow, white and green stars, background white and green,



lettering multicoloured,  
Designed and printed by Alan Hurstwayte Associates Hastings,  
203mm x 285mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.779** poster

1962  
Basingstoke, Wote Street, Haymarket Theatre, 9 to 11 January,  
Background yellow, lettering red and black,  
Printed by Allison, Printer, Wollaston,  
369mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.780** poster

1983  
Harrow Leisure Centre, 29 December to 16 January,  
Black and white illustration of a roaring tiger made to appear as if it is  
bursting through the poster, background green and white, lettering black,  
Printed by BRIAN PAGE (CRANLEIGH),  
450mm x 641mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.781** poster

No date  
Hull, Sproatley, Burton Constable Hall, 5 to 7 June,  
Clowns,  
Dainty, comedy horse,  
Shanaz Sisters, reptile act,  
Walter Ashton, juggler,  
Fire Eating,  
Witch Doctor's Fire Ritual,  
Magic and Illusion,  
Martini, international balancer,  
Sword Balancing,  
101 Balancing Glasses,  
Kong the almost Human Gorilla,  
Karen and Partner with her Doves and Rabbits,  
Clowns and their famous Spinning Plates,  
Black line illustration of a clown's head, background yellow, lettering red  
and black,  
Printer name torn off, ending in 'Bradford',  
375mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.782** poster

No date  
Rye Fair Salts, 5 to 9 July,

Colour illustrations of a clown, a lion's head and three horses in circus  
plumes, background white, lettering black, blue and red,  
359mm x 519mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.783** poster

No date  
August Bank Holiday 4th' written in crayon,  
The Flying Cubans, aerial trapeze,  
Rosie, the clever pony,  
Jacko, performing monkey, tightrope act,  
Young Maxim, strong man,  
Major the Horse,  
Rixie the Pony,  
The Kuban Troupe of Performing Dogs,  
The 3 Imps, Pat, Pip and Pep, clowns,  
The Jumping Johnnies, American trampoline acrobatics,  
Blue line drawings of a lion and a clown's head, background white, letter-  
ing blue and red,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Willsons, Printers, Leicester,  
382mm x 1012mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.784** poster

1971  
Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Saturday 21 to 29 August,  
Lions presented by Mr. Sheedy,  
Bo Bo's Mini Maxi Crazy Taxi,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Bonnie & Clyde, horse and pony,  
2 Merbs,  
Rocket to the Moon, clowns,  
Cows, bulls, donkeys, ponies, farm animal revue,  
3 Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Fabulous Garcias,  
Bobo, Toni, Barney, Whimsical Walker and Partner, clowns,  
Louise and her poodle carnival,  
Mirek & Partner,  
Sonya,  
Miss Atlas & Laila, world's strongest woman,  
Blue and black type on white, red, yellow and blue background with white  
circus tent on top section,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Duplicate see 178R47.785  
328mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.785** poster

1971

Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Saturday 21 to 29 August,  
Lions presented by Mr. Sheedy,  
Bo Bo's Mini Maxi Crazy Taxi,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Bonnie & Clyde, horse and pony,  
2 Merbs,  
Rocket to the Moon, clowns,  
Cows, bulls, donkeys, ponies, farm animal revue,  
3 Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Fabulous Garcias,  
Bobo, Toni, Barney, Whimsical Walker and Partner, clowns,  
Louise and her poodle carnival,  
Mirek & Partner,  
Sonya,  
Miss Atlas & Laila, world's strongest woman,  
Blue and black type on white, red, yellow and blue background with white  
circus tent on top section,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Duplicate see 178R47.784  
328mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.786** poster

1971

Mount Argus, Monday 11 to Sunday 17 October,  
Lions presented by Mr. Sheedy,  
Bo Bo's Mini Maxi Crazy Taxi,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Bonnie & Clyde, horse and pony,  
2 Merbs,  
Rocket to the Moon, clowns,  
Cows, bulls, donkeys, ponies, farm animal revue,  
3 Aeronas, trapeze act,  
Fabulous Garcias,  
Bobo, Toni, Barney, Whimsical Walker and Partner, clowns,  
Louise and her poodle carnival,  
Mirek & Partner,  
Sonya,  
Miss Atlas & Laila, world's strongest woman,  
Blue and black type on white, red, yellow and blue background with white  
circus tent on top section,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
328mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.787** poster

No date

Bobo, clown,

Colour illustration of clown's face with a large hat on and holding eight coloured balloons which spell Fossetts in the centre on a yellow background,

Left blank for adding location and date,

380mm x 507mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.788** poster

1971

Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Saturday 21 to 29 August,

Bobo, clown,

Colour illustration of clown's face with a large hat on and holding eight coloured balloons which spell Fossetts in the centre on a yellow background,

Printed by Wellbrook Press, Freshford,

Duplicate see 178R47.789

380mm x 507mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.789** poster

1971

Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Saturday 21 to 29 August,

Bobo, clown,

Colour illustration of clown's face with a large hat on and holding eight coloured balloons which spell Fossetts in the centre on a yellow background,

Left blank for adding location and date,

Printed by Wellbrook Press, Freshford,

Duplicate see 178R47.788

380mm x 507mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.790** poster

No date

Cork, Gillabbey Rock, 22 to 27 August,

Bobo, clown,

Colour illustration of clown's face with a large hat on and holding eight coloured balloons which spell Fossetts in the centre on a yellow background,

Left blank for adding location and date,

Printed by Wellbrook Press, Freshford, Co. Kilkenny

380mm x 507mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.791** poster

No date

Colour illustration of three clowns in an open top taxi over a blue background,

Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.864  
380mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.792** poster

No date  
7 Hungarian 7,  
Black and white illustration of aerial act consisting of three women hanging  
by the teeth from three men's mouths and spinning in a UFO and earth  
contraption on a yellow background with red, black and green type,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.647  
380mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.793** poster

No date  
Belfast Botanic Gardens, 15 to 20 May, in conjunction with The Lord  
Mayor's Festival,  
Yellow, red, black and white type on blue, white and yellow background  
and the date in large square in the centre,  
383mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.794** poster

No date  
Lisburn, Saturday 5 to Friday 11 June,  
Rodeo Landar, Wild West act,  
Lions,  
Kerekes, & Co,  
Luis & Partner, juggling act,  
Victor & Judy,  
Los Chicos, rolling globe act,  
Chiperianos, plate spinning act,  
Thrilling Wild West,  
the Garcia Troupe,  
Bobo & Co, clowns,  
Horses, elephant, camels,  
Judith & Partner,  
Yellow, red, white and black type on blue, white and red background and  
eight black and white photographs of acts,  
Duplicate see 178R47.821  
380mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.795** poster

1962

Glebefield, Tenterden, Monday 30 to Tuesday 31 July,  
Major's chimpanzees,  
The Almost Human Monkey,  
Clowns, Liberty horses, ponies,  
Valentine's performing poodles & pony,  
The Amazing Renaldos, unicycle act,  
Jessie Powell & Partner, comedy juggling act,  
The Flying Durbins, aerial act,  
Green, red and blue type on white background with colour illustration of  
green clown's face on top section,  
Printed by Ernest Allon & Son, Hythe, Kent,  
290mm x 568mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.796** poster

1939  
Crowle, Axe's Field, Saturday 1 July,  
Animal actors presented by Franklyn,  
The Monkey Derby,  
Jerry the mule mischief makers,  
Elephant, the granddaughter of Jumbo,  
The Fossett Family of Riders,  
Funny Harry, Bo-bo, Red Hot & Sandy, clowns,  
Mons. Yelding introducing baboons, dogs and Diana impersonating Mae  
West,  
Red and black type on yellow background with black border,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.797** poster

1957  
Clowne Recreation Field, Monday 26 August,  
The Freeman Troupe of Indian Riders,  
Valentine's performing dogs,  
Mathew Bros. and May,  
The American Riding Machine,  
The Cocktail Girls,  
Arab Liberty Horses presented by Fossett,  
Mademoiselle Simone,  
Cilla,  
The Four Brilliants, trapeze act,  
Dolly, Himalayan bear,  
A host of clowns headed by Tomatoe,  
The Arabian Spots introduced by Dennis,  
Texas, Fossett's wonder horse,  
Red, yellow, black and blue type on blue, red, white and yellow back-  
ground,

Printed by Wilsons Printers, Leicester,  
285mm nx 890mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.798** poster

1966  
Lincoln, Lincoln Football Club, 20 to 25 June,  
Colour illustration of circus acts in a circle in the centre mainly in yellow,  
red and blue, including tapeze act, elephants, chimpanzees, clown, horse  
and llama,  
Printed by Bailey and Sons Ltd. Somercotes, Derbyshire,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.799** poster

1969  
Aberayron, Glan Mor Field, Wednesday 2 to Thursday 3 July,  
Rodeo, Wild West show,  
The Fossetti Sisters,  
Dimlow, the uneducated pony,  
Adonis, Hungarian stallion,  
Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Trevor Bailey,  
Sambi,  
Star, the see-saw pony,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
Bobo, Skimpy, Tomato, clowns,  
Judy the horse with the human brain,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
The Senstational American Riding Machine,  
Red and blue type on white background with two Union Jacks and a crown  
on top section,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
336mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.800** poster

1955  
Bruff, Sunday 18 September,  
Five Valnohas, cycling act,  
Four Herberts, equilibrist act,  
Whimsical Walker and Co., clown,  
Al Scott,  
The Space Man,  
Bobo with his crazy taxi, clown,

Alberto, The Human Aligator or The boneless Wonder,  
The Bustons, football on bicycles,  
Les Treblas,  
Red and green type on white background with photographs of acts in  
green and white,  
Printed by Corrigan & Wilson Ltd Printers, Dublin,  
500mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.801** poster  
circa 1950  
Cork, Gilabbey Rock, Saturday 19 to Monday 21 August,  
Nita Norry,  
Bobo Crazy Taxi, clown,  
Chikita, equestrian act,  
The Bendicho Troupe, trapeze act,  
Antonio Luis and Juniors,  
Pityu, De-copo horse,  
Fossett's riding team,  
Three Salvadors, rolling globe act,  
Bill Ben Trio, comedy act,  
3 Carloes, aerial act,  
Horses,  
Cuban Boys and Assitant, juggling act,  
The Alfonso Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Black and blue type on red, yellow, white and blue background and three  
black and white portrait photographs of the Fossett brothers on the top  
section,  
Printed by Herald Works, Boyle,  
506mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.802** poster  
1966  
Nottingham Goose Fair site, 11 to 23 April,  
Colour illustration of circus acts including trapeze act, bears, llama, clown  
with chimpanzees and horses on a red background over a yellow back-  
ground,  
Printed by Bailey & Sons, Somercotes, Derbyshire,  
514mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.803** poster  
No date  
Westport Zoo Park and House,  
Performing lions, horses, continental acts and artistes gathered from all  
parts of the world,



Bobo, Wee Barney, Toni & Co, clowns,  
Red, blue and black type on yellow background with illustration of two lion  
heads facing each other on the top section and a clown on bottom right,  
202mm x 308mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.804** poster

1966  
Harlow New Town, Town Park site, 25 to 30 July,  
Colour illustration of circus acts including trapeze act, bears, llama, clown  
with chimpanzees and horses on a red background over a yellow back-  
ground,  
Printed by Bailey & Sons, Somercotes, Derbyshire,  
260mm x 385mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.805** poster

No date  
Plymouth, Higher Home Park, 10 August,  
Royal Welsh Shetland ponies,  
High school horse presented by Joe Barry,  
Twin elephants,  
Miss Rainbow, contorsionist act,  
The Macaridis, acrobatic act,  
Keystones performing dogs,  
Captain Danion's sea lions and penguins,  
Vince Bruce,  
diddian Danion, juggling act,  
Trio Lepino, trapeze act,  
Brian Andro, tight wire act,  
Clown Pepe and Company,  
Marie Ashton,  
Barney the lovable bear,  
Bi-chrome illustration in red and green of clown heads on top right, trapeze  
act on top left, horses, seal, penguin and elephant on middle and bottom  
section,  
265mm x 378mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.806** poster

1965  
Farnham, Church Meadow, Monday 27 to Wednesday 29 September,  
Clarinda, equestrian act,  
Shadhid, Liberty fire pony,  
Olivias Jewels, canine revue,  
The Roulenas,  
The Briano Brothers,

El Vito & Partner,  
American Riding Machine,  
The Longtons,  
Troupe of Liberty ponies,  
The Ascots, equestrian act,  
The Phantom Leaper,  
The Flying Barnums, gymnastic act,  
Yvonne,  
Oriano, Syrian ass,  
Raoul & Lena,  
Dumbo, Jo-Jo, Pongo and Bunky clowns,  
Scotts sealions,  
The Ravens,  
Blue, red and black type on white, pink, orange and red background and  
blue outline of elephant seated on a circus platform waving a small white  
flag with its trunk on the left hand side,  
286mm x 442mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.807** poster

No date  
Circus Field in Lurgan, Saturday 19 April,  
Hank Locklin,  
Hueston Wells,  
The Trident Showband,  
Black and maroon type on white background,  
520mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.808** poster

No date  
Mablethorpe, Seaholme Road, Monday to Saturday, July-August season,  
Appaloosa stallions,  
Shetland ponies,  
Clowns,  
Trapeze,  
Balancing,  
South American llamas,  
Performing dogs,  
Marzipan the camel,  
Jimmy Fossett's pet corner, anglonubians, bears, camel, dogs, horses, lla-  
mas, baboons,  
Green and black type on yellow background,  
380mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.809** poster

1962

Skegness, South Bracing Foreshore, commencing 21 July,  
Astoris,

Liberty llamas and ponies,

The Aerial Ballet, Dumbo & Dimlow,

The digger Pugh Girls,

The Briano Bros,

Maximum & Minimum,

Elephants,

The Roulenas, equilibrist act,

Tishy, horse,

Hampe, clown,

The 3 Longtons,

Hans Dreft's Teddy Bears Picnic,

The Colleanos,

Raoul and Lena,

Marilyn,

The Original American Riding Machine,

Elsas' amazing sea lions,

Blue, white, red and black type on blue, white, orange and red background  
with top part of circus tent on top section,

Printed by The Portland Press, Mablethorpe,

285mm x 425mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.810** poster

1967

Handforth, Monday 5 to Tuesday June,

The Fossetti Sisters, trapeze act,

Star the see-saw midget pony,

Sambi, balancing act,

Robert & May,

Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,

Denbigh, Hungarian stallion,

Bobo & Skimpy, clowns,

Judy, the educated pony,

Valentine's poodle revue,

Cheroikee, the human ape,

Miss Candy Floss,

The Crackaway, Wild West act, featuring Madcap Jess,

The American Riding Machine,

Red and black type on yellow background and illustrations of circus acts  
on top section in red, black and yellow,

Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorks,

255mm x 745mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.811** poster

1977

Cork, Gilabbey Rock, Wednesday 17 to Sunday 21 August,  
Mary Chipperfield's African elephants together with lions, camels, llama,  
troupe of Liberty Welsh ponies and Liberty horses,  
White, yellow, black and red type on blue, white red and yellow back-  
ground and illustration of four elephants with front legs on each other's  
backsides over a red background, signed Legoult 77

335mm x 636mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.812** poster

1966

Crown Meadow, Bromley Common, Monday 15 to Saturday 20 August,  
Troupe of Liberty ponies,  
Oriano, Syrian ass,  
Liliane Jensen & Assistant, contorsionist act,  
The Longtons,  
Mlle. Yvon presenting Primus and Secundus,  
Elephants,

The Internationals, trampoline act,

The Briano Brothers,

Dimbo and Dumbo,

Hans Kreft and his giant bears,

The Flying Silbons,

Dominick & Partner,

American Riding Machine,

The Phantom Leaper,

Schnawcks chimpanzees,

The Marhaba Troupe,

Blue, yellow, red and black type on white, pink, orange, red and yellow  
background and blue outline of elephant seated on a circus platform wav-  
ing a small white circus flag with its trunk and red detail on left hand  
side,

510mm x 765mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.813** poster

No date

Skegness, South Bracing Foreshore, commencing 21 July,

Astoria,

Liberty llamas and ponies,

Maximum & Minimum,

The Colleanos,

Marylin,

Raoul & Lena,

Elephants,

Digger Pugh Girls,  
Tishy, horse,  
Hans Kreft's Teddy Bears Picnic,  
The Briano Brothers,  
The 3 Longtons,  
The Roulena's, equilibrist act,  
The Aerial Ballet,  
Hampe, clown,  
The Original American Riding Machine,  
Elsa's amazing sea lions,  
Blue, white, red, yellow and black type on blue, white, pink and yellow  
background with top part of circus tent on top section and elephant seated  
on a circus platform waving a circus flag with his trunk and a notice of  
opening hours on his lap on the left hand side,  
Printed by Web Publicity, 1 Grand Parade, Skegness,  
510mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.814** poster

No date  
Bo Bo & Company with his 1901 taxi,  
Tamara, aerial act,  
Miss Conti with Apollo 14, aerial act,  
Ponies & horses,  
Cubancheros, juggling act,  
Los Chicos, rolling globe act,  
Cow, ponies, donkeys,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Troupe Garcia,  
Fossett's lions presented by M. Sheedy,  
7 Hassani 7,  
Black type on blue, red, yellow, green and white background in beehive  
shapes with black hexagons in between,  
506mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.815** poster

circa 1955  
Cork, Gilabbey Rock, Saturday 10 to Monday 12 September,  
Wihiva, trapeze act,  
Two Bronels, equilibrist act,  
Billy Mustek and Flewo,  
The Four Monnells,  
2 Hoffmans, equilibrist act,  
The Josellys,  
Troupe of Friesian stallions,  
Bikita,

Rosanni Troupe,  
Louise dog revue,  
The Johns,  
Micky Ung, contorsionist act,  
Whimsical Walker and Co., Bobo and Wee Barney, clowns,  
The Gladiators,  
Blue, red and black type on yellow, red, blue and white background with  
three black and white portrait photographs of the Fossett brothers on the  
top section,  
Printed by Herald Works, Boyle,  
510mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.816** poster

1954  
Kilrea, Wednesday 30 June,  
Leopards, tigers and lions presented by Nicholai,  
Herman,  
Maypole,  
Anabella,  
Troupe of Shetland ponies presented by O. Lordini,  
The Torfys,  
Toni, Tina and Tony, musical clowns,  
4 Circusettes,  
Fossette Riding Troupe,  
Three Bulgaris,  
Performing and riding dogs,  
Cavalry of Liberty horses presented by O. Lordini,  
Francine & Harry, acrobatic act,  
Bobo, clown,  
John Brothers,  
The White Devils,  
Black and red type on white, red and yellow background,  
Printed by Corrigan & Wilson Ltd, 13 Sackville Place, Dublin,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.817** poster

No date  
Sunday 11 April,  
Colour illustration of blue elephant with yellow head dress on a red back-  
ground waving a yellow circus flag with its trunk,  
Designed by Derek Simpson,  
455mm x 633mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.818** poster

1968  
Tewkesbury, Oldbury Road car park, Monday 16 to Tuesday 17 September,  
Rodeo, Wild West show,  
The Fossetti Sisters,  
Dimlow, the uneducated pony,  
Adonis, Hungarian stallion,  
Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Trevor Bailey,  
Sambi,  
Star, the see-saw pony,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
Bobo, Skimpy, Tomato, clowns,  
Judy the horse with the human brain,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
The Senstational American Riding Machine,  
Red and blue type on white background with two Union Jacks and a crown  
on top section,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
336mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.819** poster

1967  
Handforth, Monday 5 to Tuesday June,  
The Fossetti Sisters, trapeze act,  
Star the see-saw midget pony,  
Sambi, balancing act,  
Robert & May,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
Denbigh, Hungarian stallion,  
Bobo & Skimpy, clowns,  
Judy, the educated pony,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
Cheroikee, the human ape,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
The Crackaway, Wild West act, featuring Madcap Jess,  
The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on white background and illustrations of circus acts  
on top section in red, black and white,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorks,  
255mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.820** poster

No date  
Ballymena, 27 June,  
3 Elephants 3,  
The Original Robys, contorsionist act,  
Les Morellys, equilibrist act,  
Madame Ance & Partner,  
Gorilla Parody,  
Two Orions, balancing act,  
Maria Salobral, ballerina on horseback,  
Blackie, pony presented by Mrs. Fossett,  
The Cuban Boys, juggling act,  
Les Airellys, earial act,  
Troupe of Liberty horses,  
Bobo assisted by Nobby and Midget, clowns,  
Fossett's Riding Troupe,  
Silvio,  
Garcia Trio,  
Black type on yellow, red, white and blue background,  
Printed by Corrigan & Wilson Ltd, 13 Sackville Place, Dublin,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.821** poster

No date  
Lisburn, Saturday 5 to Friday 11 June,  
Rodeo Landar, Wild West act,  
Lions,  
Kerekes, & Co,  
Luis & Partner, juggling act,  
Victor & Judy,  
Los Chicos, rolling globe act,  
Chiperianos, plate spinning act,  
Thrilling Wild West,  
the Garcia Troupe,  
Bobo & Co, clowns,  
Horses, elephant, camels,  
Judith & Partner,  
Yellow, red, white and black type on blue, white and red background and  
eight black and white photographs of acts,  
Duplicate see 178R47.794  
380mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.822** poster

1973  
Cork, Gilabbey Rock, 21 to 26 August,  
Jack Unell, escapology act,



Red, green and black type on yellow and white background with black and white photograph of the act hanging up side down in chains from a rope over a cage full of lions,  
380mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.823** poster

2010  
Swords Pavillions Shopping Centre, Wednesday 28 April to Monday 3 May,  
Colour photograph of clown's face with big quiff on centre right and a man and woman and a child on bottom left on a blue background with yellow stars, location and date on an added piece of paper,  
320mm x 623mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.824** poster

1967  
Capitol Theatre, Horsham, Monday 23 January and for a week,  
Colour illustration of circus acts, including trapeze act on top left, bears, llama, clown with chimpanzees, woman riding elephant on right hand side and rearing horses on a red background, also red and black type on yellow background,  
Printed by Bailey & Sons, Somercotes, Derbyshire,  
515mm x 638mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.825** poster

1941  
Miss Dorothy Yelding, equestrian act,  
Miss Florence, trapeze act,  
Little Nancy,  
The Roystons,  
Wild Horse Bill,  
Adeline, wire walking act,  
Romaine & Dorrina, comedy act,  
Madam Spangel, equestrian act,  
Pas de Deux, equestrian act,  
Dynamite the Mule,  
Tom Fossette, equestrian act,  
Boxing dogs,  
Franklin presents his animal actors,  
The Monkey Derby,  
Horses and ponies,  
Sandy, Bo-Bo, Billy, Pickles and Funny Harry, clowns,  
Red type on yellow background with red border,  
Left blank for adding location and date,

Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
255mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.826** poster

1940  
Franklyn presenting his animal actors,  
The Monkey Derby,  
Elephants,  
Jerry the mule,  
Pas de Deux, equestrian act,  
Jazz baloon contest,  
Fossett Family of Riders, equestrian act,  
Funny Harry, Bo-Bo, Red Hot & Sandy, clowns,  
The 3 Powell Brothers, acrobatic act,  
Miss Adeline, wire walking act,  
Horse, monkeys, dogs, ponies,  
Miss Florence, trapeze act,  
Red and blue type on white background with illustrations on circus acts  
and animals around the word circus on the title and red and white illus-  
tration of female equestrian act and elephant head on middle section,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.827** poster

1940  
Dick Sandow, athlete,  
The Medina Trio, female gymnastic act,  
Dynamite the mule,  
Young Buck Jones,  
Monkeys, baboons, dogs,  
Powell Bros. acrobatic and juggling act,  
The Great Fossett Family of Riders,  
Adeline & Violetta, wire walking act,  
Sandows Shetlands,  
Funny Harry, Bo-Bo, Sausage and Red Hot, clowns,  
Red type on yellow background with red border,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
258mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.828** poster

1940  
Thursday 4 July,

Red type on yellow background and red border,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
255mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.829** poster

1940  
Franklyn presenting his animal actors,  
The Monkey Derby,  
Elephants,  
Jerry the mule,  
Pas de Deux, equestrian act,  
Jazz baloon contest,  
Fossett Family of Riders, equestrian act,  
Miss Adeline, wire walking act,  
Miss Florence, trapeze act,  
The 3 Powell Brothers, acrobatic act,  
Funny Harry, Bo-Bo, Red Hot & Sandy, clowns,  
Horse, monkeys, dogs, ponies,  
Red and blue type on white background with illustrations on circus acts  
and animals around the word circus on the title,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
255mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.830** poster

No date  
Monkeys featuring Mae West,  
Rockie the singing cowboy,  
Rough & Ready, dogs and pony jockey act,  
Banana,  
The Gilpins, male equestrian act,  
Mick & Mack, boxing dogs,  
Harold Worth, comedy act,  
Spot, horse,  
Bella Fossett and horse Rajah,  
Le Vack,  
Jo Jo & Jenny, monkey and horse,  
Rabbitt and his trampoline,  
Rabbitt, Banana and others, clowns,  
Red and blue type on white background with two clown face illustrations  
on blue and red on bottom section and scroll border,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Willsons, Printers, Leicester,

380mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.831** poster

1953  
Ballymena, Faie Hill, Wednesday 24 June,  
The Nellann Sisters, aerial act,  
Lauren & Angelo, roller skating act,  
Waltz Fantasy, equestrian act,  
Agnes and her educated equines,  
Pityu, trick pony,  
Grandma Lissy, comedy act,  
Antonio & Grafton, balancing act,  
The Walmers, acrobatic act,  
Peggy O'Farrell's Circusettes,  
Ron and Leonora, comedy act,  
The Cuban Boys,  
The Anita Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Fossett's Riding Troupe,  
Sonia's Performing & Riding Dogs,  
Bobo & Partner, wire act,  
Clowns,  
The Hanellys,  
Black and red type on white, red and yellow background with red border,  
267mm x 560mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.832** poster

No date  
Bobo, Toni and Michael, clowns,  
Los Chicos,  
Roberto, acrobatic act,  
The 2 Kerekes, musical act,  
The Trio Salobral, skating act,  
The Mohammed Larbi Troupe,  
The Revolving Carousel,  
Victor & Judy,  
Camels and llamas,  
8 Appaloosa stallions,  
Julius and Partner,  
Phyllis Allen and her dor revue,  
Yellow, red, white and black type on blue, yellow, red and grey and black  
and white photograph of four clown faces on bottom left,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.671  
457mm x 632mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.833** poster

1976

Rodeo Lander, Wild West act,  
Garcia Troupe,  
Luis & Partner, juggling act,  
Bobo, Toni, Tatty and Tato, clowns,  
Camels,  
3 Kerekes 3,  
Los Chicos, rolling globe act,  
Elephants,  
Lions presented by Carl Fischer,  
Judith & Victor, tightrope act,  
Horses,

4 Cubanitos 4,

Chiperianos, plate spinnig act,

2 Vitores 2, balancing act,

Yellow, red and black type on blue, red and yellow background with the cartoon illustration of a clown's face in black and white on bottom centre section,

Left blank for adding location and date,

Duplicate see 178R47.834

510mm x 755mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.834** poster

1976

Rodeo Lander, Wild West act,  
Garcia Troupe,  
Luis & Partner, juggling act,  
Bobo, Toni, Tatty and Tato, clowns,  
Camels,  
3 Kerekes 3,  
Los Chicos, rolling globe act,  
Elephants,  
Lions presented by Carl Fischer,  
Judith & Victor, tightrope act,  
Horses,

4 Cubanitos 4,

Chiperianos, plate spinnig act,

2 Vitores 2, balancing act,

Yellow, red and black type on blue, red and yellow background with the cartoon illustration of a clown's face in black and white on bottom centre section,

Left blank for adding location and date,

Duplicate see 178R47.833

510mm x 755mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.835** poster

1970

Cork, Gillabbey Rock, 18 to 23 August,

Bo Bo's Crazy Taxi,

Hoses and ponies,

Garcia Troupe, trampoline acrobats,

Wild West Show,

Cindy baby elephant,

Miss Jlike,

Senorita Juanita, pigeon revue,

Pityu horse,

Francoise & Henri, acrobatic act,

The Schlingloff Trio, trapeze act,

The 2 Pandoras,

2 Irenas, balancing act,

Bobo, Tony, Barney, clowns,

Maxi & Mini, horse and pony,

Los Salvadors, rolling globe act,

The Ricoras Troupe, cycling act,

Black type on red, yellow, white and blue background,

Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle Co, Roscommon,

Duplicate see 178R47.631

292mm x 570mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.836** poster

No date

Daniella,

Antonio, juggling act,

Camels, zebroid, highland bull,

Lions presented by Michael Sherry,

Duo Alvarez, bouncing ropes act,

The Abdul Gomari Troupe, acrobatic act,

Brum, Rum & Marie, clowns,

Elephants,

Horse & pony, equestrian act,

Miss Endrez, sword and dagger balancing act,

Fossettt Showgirls,

Tony & Mikey, clowns,

Red, yellow and white type on yellow, blue, pink, green and black back-  
grounds and black and white photographs of the acts including clowns,

lions balancing, acrobatic and juggling acts,

Left blank to add date and location,

Duplicate see 178R47.611

340mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.837** poster

No date  
Duo Granada, trapeze act,  
Los Chicos, roller skating act,  
Welsh ponies,  
Mary Chipperfield's herd of African elephants,  
Lions,  
The Great Stey Troupe, high wire act,  
Mademoiselle Ella,  
Zoltan & Partner, balancing act,  
Roberto & Assistants, acrobatic act,  
Camels & llamas,  
Bobo, Tony, Catty, clowns,  
Horses and ponies,  
Yellow, white, red, black and blue type on blue, red, yellow and white  
background and illustration of a Celtic harp on top section,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.632  
505mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.838** poster

No date  
Belfast, Botanic Gardens, 12 to 17 May,  
Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum and a circus tent on  
top section and illustration of calendar with the date very large in the  
centre,  
Stamp on reverse, from the circus collection of Derek Simpson,  
Duplicate see 178R47.626  
456mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.839** poster

1986  
Red and black type on white background and colour illustration of large  
tiger leaping over a stripey red, blue and white circus tent and red border  
with white stars,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.851  
438mm x 636mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.840** poster

No date

The Great Geroku,  
The Flying Cherokees, trapeze act,  
Van Buren & Co., magic act,  
Royal Bengal tigers presented by Col. Bale, Bobo, Toni, Michael, clowns,  
Lisa the human butterfly,  
The Wallys, comedy acrobatic act,  
Frederick & Assistant,  
Yellow and red, white and black type on dark blue, pink and yellow background with black and white photographs of four acts and white outline of clown face in the centre and red border with white stars,  
437mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.841** poster

1967  
Lisdoonvarna, Wednesday 14 June,  
Salvador Troupe, rolling globe act,  
Antonio Garcia Troupe,  
Gwyn, trapeze act,  
Bobo & his Crazy Taxi with Toni, Wee Barney and Lizzie, clowns,  
3 Vladys 3,  
Mike Perlo and Partners,  
Miss Marion,  
Liberty horses,  
Miguel & Partner,  
Miss Wendy, pigeon revue,  
Five Carlos, comedy act,  
Black type on white, red, blue and yellow background,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
507mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.842** poster

No date  
5 Panthers, acrobatic troupe act,  
Htar-Asie, the world's smallest musician,  
Bobo's Crazy Taxi, clown,  
The 3 Astronauts, aerial act,  
Barbara & Carl's chimpanzees,  
Two Pests, comedy act,  
Pityu de-Capo,  
3 Antons, equilibrist and juggling act,  
Three Rusols, trampoline act,  
Liberty horses,  
Bobo, Toni, Wee Barney, Wee Elsa, clowns,  
Ivan Karl, the world's smallest strong man,  
2 Gebes,



3 Reinharts,  
Baby the TV elephant,  
Black type on red, white, blue and yellow background,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
508mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.843** poster

No date  
Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Tuesday 19 to Sunday 24 August,  
Schilingloff Family, acrobatic act,  
Sulkie Revue,  
Aerial Ballet,  
The Flying Endresz,  
Circusettes,  
Sonya, equilibrist act,  
Liberty horses,  
Krefts, motorcycling bears,  
Pam's Poodles and Riding Dogs,  
Tio Papanek, clowns,  
Duo Williams, juggling act,  
Anna, contorsionist act,  
Cindy the baby elephant,  
Captain Franz and his African lions,  
Printed at Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
Black and red type on red, yellow, white and blue background,  
Duplicate see 178R47.621  
510mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.844** poster

No date  
Rock, Gillabbey Rock, 17 to 20 August,  
Elephant & horse,  
Billy 120 glasses, balancing act,  
Digger Dugh's Circusettes,  
Gunga, balancing act,  
Sophie - del - Monte,  
Bumpa, mule,  
Edith, contorsionist act,  
Llamas and ponies from Great Yarmouth,  
Liberty horses,  
Bobo, Whinny, Wee Barney, Wee Elsa, Clowns,  
Engrid and Robert, juggling act,  
Aerial Ballett with Miss Universe of the air,  
Osmanis Troupe, equilibrist act,

Black type on yellow, red, orange, white and blue background,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
508mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.845** poster

1966  
Bray, rear of Carlisle Grounds, Monday 1 and Tuesday 2 August,  
Les Edouardos Stey, high wire act,  
Whiskey & Brandy, the monkey derby,  
2 Gusells, comedy act,  
Robby,  
Cowboy Tableau, equestrian act,  
5 Antons 5,  
John Wisney & Assistant, juggling and plate spinning act,  
Bobo, Toni & Wee Barney, clowns,  
Max & Morris,  
Poulsen & Astrid, magic act,  
Les Findels, unicycle act,  
Black and blue type on white, red, blue and yellow background,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle,  
508mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.846** poster

No date  
Twice Daily,  
Blue and red type on white background with blue and red border with  
blue x shapes in the corners,  
Printed by A. Taylor & Sons Ltd, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
1013mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.847** poster

1968  
Gorey, Friday 9 August,  
Special 200th anniversary programme,  
Blue, red and black type on white background with green border with  
yellow stars and an elephant head on centre left and a bear on centre  
right,  
442mm x 573mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.848** poster

1968  
Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Monday 19 to Sunday 25 August,  
Special 200th anniversary programme,

Blue, red and black type on white background with green border with yellow stars and an elephant head on centre left and a bear on centre right,  
442mm x 573mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.849** poster

1968  
Special 200th anniversary programme,  
Blue, red and black type on white background with green border with yellow stars and an elephant head on centre left and a bear on centre right,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.850  
442mm x 573mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.850** poster

1968  
Special 200th anniversary programme,  
Blue, red and black type on white background with green border with yellow stars and an elephant head on centre left and a bear on centre right,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.849  
442mm x 573mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.851** poster

1986  
Red and black type on white background and colour illustration of large tiger leaping over a stripey red, blue and white circus tent and red border with white stars,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.839  
438mm x 636mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.852** poster

No date  
Yellow and red type on blue and yellow background with Celtic harp in the centre,  
Duplicate see 178R47.853,  
890mm x 570mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.853** poster

No date

Yellow and red type on blue and yellow background with Celtic harp in the centre,  
Duplicate see 178R47.852,  
890mm x 570mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.854** poster

1975  
Red, black, blue and white type on yellow, red and white background and illustration of elephant's head on left and lion's head on right of the top section,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.653  
506mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.855** poster

No date  
Cork, Gillabbey Rock, Saturday 22 To Tuesday 25,  
Red and black type on pale yellow background, title on top section and dates on bottom section,  
Printed by Macroon Printing Works,  
503mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.856** poster

No date  
Thursday 26 September,  
Blue with white dots and pink border, pink and purple type on yellow and white background,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.857** poster

1979  
Padgate, The Fairground, Thursday 6 to Saturday 8 September,  
Red and black type on yellow background,  
Printed by Taylors, Wombwell, Barnsley, South Yorkshire,  
253mm x 378mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.858** poster

No date  
Black type on yellow background in the shape of an arrow and black border,  
508mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.859** poster

No date

Wicklow, Wednesday 4 August,

Red, yellow, white and black type on yellow, blue and white background and colour illustration of red clown face on top right corner and clown in a car on bottom left,

280mm x 405mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.860** poster

No date

Colour illustration in yellow, orange, black and white of clown's face wearing a checked hat and holding six balloons containing black and white illustrations and photographs of circus animals,

Left blank for adding location and date,

378mm x 508mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.861** poster

No date

Bobo, clown,

Colour illustration of clown's face with a large hat on and holding eight coloured balloons which spell Fossetts in the centre on a yellow background,

Left blank for adding location and date,

383mm x 507mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.862** poster

No date

Belfast, Mayfair Festival, O'Hares Lane, 3 to 10 May,

Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum and a circus tent on top section and illustration of calendar with the date very large in the centre

455mm x 632mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.863** poster

No date

100 Year birthday show,

Colour illustration of cartoon clown and lion holding a birthday cake in the shape of a circus tent with candles around the edge,

Left blank for adding location and date,

434mm x 633mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.864** poster

No date

Colour illustration of three clowns in an open top taxi over a blue background,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.791  
380mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.865** poster  
1979  
Langley Park, Monday 21 to Saturday 26 May,  
Red and blue type on yellow and white background and red borders with yellow stars,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Barnsley, South Yorkshire,  
508mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.866** poster  
1978  
Chester, The Roodee, Monday 25 to Wednesday 27 September,  
Black, red and blue type on white and blue background and colour illustration of cartoon clown face waving a Fossett Brothers flag on a blue background,  
435mm x 580mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.867** poster  
No date  
Portrush, Monday 11 to Tuesday 12 July,  
Colour illustration in yellow, orange, black and white of clown's face wearing a checked hat and holding six balloons containing black and white illustrations and photographs of circus animals,  
378mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.868** poster  
No date  
Colour illustration of clown in green check suit and large hat on top left standing on an elephant, man in red jacket and black top hat holding another man on his hand, lions, horses and camels on the bottom section and a blond woman in a blue circus outfit on the top right,  
Signed by P. Lovatt,  
Designed and printed by Turner's Printing Co. Ltd., Longford,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.649  
434mm x 553mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.869** poster

No date

Colour illustration of top section of Bobo the clown wearing a name badge and a large hat holding a rearing horse on his hand on a blue and yellow background,

Signed D. Simpson on bottom right,

Left blank for adding location and date,

Duplicate see 178R47.640

321mm x 433mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.870** poster

No date

Rodeo Landar,

Lions,

Kerekes & Co,

Luis & Partner, juggling act,

Victor & Judy, acrobatic act,

Los Chicos, acrobatic act,

Chiperianos,

Thrilling Wild West,

The Garcia Troupe,

Bobo & Co, clowns,

Horses, elephant, camels,

Judith & Partner, tightrope act,

White, yellow, red and black type on blue, white and red background with black and white photographs of eight acts,

Left blank for adding location and date,

380mm x 507mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.871** poster

1980

100th year celebration of entertaining the Irish public 1888-1980,

Mona, aerial act,

Duo Santus, trick cycling act,

Cossack riders,

Los Huescas, tightrope and comedy act,

Konyots, clowns,

Pam Enos & her Football Dogs,

Miss Daniella, equilibrist act,

Troupe of midgets ponies,

The Fossett showgirls,

Les Darix, springboard acrobatic act,

Sonya, sword balancing act,

Red and black type on white and pink background with black and white photographs of the acts listed and an aerial view of the circus tent in the

centre top, also blue border with white stars,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
420mm x 590mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.872** poster

No date  
Leopards, tigers and lions,  
Herman, dancing act,  
Maypole, equestrian act,  
Anabella,  
Troupe of Shetland ponies, presented by O. Lordini,  
The Torfys, balancing act,  
Toni, Tina and Tony, clowns,  
4 Circusettes,  
Fossett Riding Troupe,  
Three Bulgaris,  
Performing and riding dogs,  
Cavalry of Liberty horses presented by O. Lordini,  
Francine & Harry, acrobatic act,  
Bobo and clowns,  
John Brothers,  
The White Devils,  
Black and red type on white, red and green background with red border,  
Printed by Corrigan & Wilson Ltd., 13 Sackville Place, Dublin,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
505mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.873** poster

No date  
Cork, Gilabbey Rock, Friday 17 to Monday 20,  
The Les Dobons, aerial act,  
Two Pests, comedy act,  
Pityu de-Capo,  
Antinio, juggling act,  
Bobo's Crazy Taxi,  
Htar-Asie, world's smallest musician,  
Lew Natal and Esme, slack wire act,  
2 Tonies & Maria, equilibrist act,  
Three Huns, acrobatic act,  
Walker's dog revue,  
Los Minarro,  
Liberty horses,  
Bobo, Whinny, Wee Barney, Wee Elsa, clowns,  
Magra Montes,  
Black and red type on yellow, red, white and blue background with black



border,  
507mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.874** poster

No date  
Bray, Barry's Field, Monday 23 and Tuesday 24 July,  
3 Elephants 3,  
The Original Robys, contorsionist act,  
Les Morellys, equilibrist act,  
Madam Ance & Partner,  
Gorilla Parody,  
Two Orions, balancing act,  
Balleriana, equestrian act,  
Blackie, trick pony presented by Mrs Fossett,  
The Cuban Boys, juggling act,  
Les Airellys, aerial act,  
Troupe of Liberty horses,  
Bobo, Nobby and Midget, clowns,  
Fossett Riding Troupe,  
Silvio,  
Garcia Trio,  
Black and blue type on yellow, red, white and blue background,  
Printed by Corrigan & Wilson Ltd, 13 Sackville Place, Dublin,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.875** poster

1972  
Cork, Gillabbey Rock, 22 to 27 August,  
Bobo & Company with his 1901 Taxi, clowns,  
Tamara, aerial act,  
Miss Conti with Apollo 14, aerial act,  
Ponies & Horses,  
Cubancheros, juggling act,  
Los Chicos Troupe, rolling globe act,  
Cows, ponies, donkeys,  
Cindy, elephant,  
Troupe Garcia,  
Lions, presented by Hans Dieter Muck,  
7 Hassani 7,  
Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum with a green and yellow circus tent on the background on the top section, on the bottom section black type on blue, red, yellow, green and white honeycomb shaped backgrounds,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.876** poster

No date

Bray, Monday 6 to Tuesday 7 August,

Lions, presented by Hans Muck,

The Stey Troupe, high wire act,

5 Sambo 5, clowns,

2 Bosam,

Miss Ellan, trapeze act,

Liberty horses,

The Salskys, acrobatic act,

The Ralays, acrobatic act,

Bobo, Wee Barney and Toni, clowns,

Congo and Nadia, gorilla,

Bobo & Company with their Crazy Taxi,

Colour illustration of clown playing a portable drum with a white and yellow circus tent on the background on the top section, on the bottom section black, yellow and white type on blue, red, yellow and green backgrounds,

507mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.877** poster

No date

Cork, Gillabbey Rock, 20 to 27 August,

7 jungle lions presented by Hans Muck,

Duo Aerona, trapeze act,

American Riding Machine,

Miss Elvira, contorsionist act,

5 Sandor, trick cycling act,

7 Hungaria 7,

Two Konya, balancing act,

Three Marakesh,

Bobo, Toni, Tayto, Wee Barney, clowns,

Liberty horses, Shetland ponies,

Red, black, white and blue type on yellow, white, red, blue and green background and illustration of elephant and lion's head on top section,

508mm x 763mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.878** poster

No date

Cork, Gillabbey Rock, 23 to 24 August,

Baby elephant,

Bobo and the clowns,

Die Riegonettys, balancing act,

4 Braeuers, trick cycling act,

Rüger's chimps,

Belmondes, plate spinning act,  
Red, blue and white type on red, white and blue background with colour  
illustration of clown's face in the centre surrounded by stars containing  
the acts,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.879** poster

No date  
Cavas, Sunday 2 May,  
Baby elephant,  
Bobo and the clowns,  
Die Riegonettys, balancing act,  
4 Braeuers, trick cycling act,  
Rüger's chimps,  
Belmondes, plate spinning act,  
Red, blue and white type on red, white and blue background with colour  
illustration of clown's face in the centre surrounded by stars containing  
the acts,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.880** poster

Circa 1964  
Bromboro, Birkenhead Road, Wednesday 7 to Thursday 8 October,  
Major, chimpanzee,  
The Flying Durbans,  
Princess Mandy, the baby elephant,  
Liberty horses,  
Jessie Powell and Partner, juggling act,  
Clowns,  
Eddy & Teddy, balancing act,  
Elephant and pony rides,  
The Hungarian Spots,  
Little Beaver & Co., Wild West act,  
Valentine's performing poodles, terriers & pony,  
Red and black type on yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
336mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.881** poster

1974  
Porthmadog, The Treath, Monday 5 to Wednesday 7 August,  
Rodeo,  
The Fossetti Sister,  
Tex and Anita, Wild West act,

Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Bobo, clown,  
Dallase,  
Shetland ponies,  
De Mono,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
The Sylvesters, The Trunk Mystery,  
Larry, llama,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on yellow background with red border and clown face  
within the letter c on top section,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
337mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.882** poster

1970  
Shifnall, Newport Road, Saturday 12 to Monday 14 September,  
Rodeo,  
The Fossetti Sisters,  
Dimlow, the uneducated pony,  
Adonis, Hungarian stallion,  
Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Brum & Marie, clowns,  
Jack Unal, magic act,  
Shetland ponies,  
Michello & Marie, comedy wire act,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
Bobo, Skimpy, Tomato, clowns,  
Judy, the horse with the human brain,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on yellow background with red border,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
334mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.883** poster

No date  
Neston, Parks Field, Parkgate, Monday 16 to Wednesday 18 June,  
Aerialists, acrobats, rope spinners and knife throwers, The White Yogi,  
horses, ponies, acrobatic and riding dogs, llamas, clowns,

The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on yellow background with red border,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
336mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.884** poster

No date  
Knutsford, Little Heath, Wednesday 19 to Saturday 22 June,  
Rodeo,  
The Fossetti Sister,  
Tex and Anita, Wild West act,  
Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Bobo, clown,  
Dallase,  
Shetland ponies,  
De Mono,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
The Sylvesters, The Trunk Mystery,  
Larry, llama,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on yellow background with red border and clown face  
within the letter c on top section,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
337mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.885** poster

Circa 1972  
Rodeo,  
The Fossetti Sisters,  
Dimlow, the uneducated pony,  
Adonis, Hungarian stallion,  
Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Bobo, clown,  
Dallase,  
Shetland ponies,  
Etna,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
Bobo, Skimpy, Tomato, clowns,  
Judy, the horse with the human brain,  
Valentine's poodle revue,

The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on yellow background with red border,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
338mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.886** poster

Circa 1963  
Conway, Morfa Football Ground, Wednesday 31 July,  
Major, chimpanzee,  
The Flying Durbans,  
Princess Mandy, the baby elephant,  
Liberty horses,  
Jessie Powell and Partner, juggling act,  
Giovanni Sisters, rolling globe act,  
Rianos, Wild West act,  
The Hungarian Spots,  
The Monsantos, aerial act,  
Valentine's performing poodles, terriers & pony,  
Red and black type on yellow background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
335mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.887** poster

1970  
Brewdley, Coles Field, Friday 18 to Saturday 19 September,  
Rodeo,  
The Fossetti Sisters,  
Dimlow, the uneducated pony,  
Adonis, Hungarian stallion,  
Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Brum & Marie, clowns,  
Jack Unal, magic act,  
Shetland ponies,  
Michello & Marie, comedy wire act,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
Bobo, Skimpy, Tomato, clowns,  
Judy, the horse with the human brain,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on white background with red border,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,

336mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.888** poster

Circa 1972  
Rodeo,  
The Fossetti Sisters,  
Dimlow, the uneducated pony,  
Adonis, Hungarian stallion,  
Liberty horses,  
Treoripee, the human ape,  
Bobo, clown,  
Dallase,  
Shetland ponies,  
Etna,  
Miss Candy Floss,  
Freda & Frenchi, juggling act,  
Bobo, Skimpy, Tomato, clowns,  
Judy, the horse with the human brain,  
Valentine's poodle revue,  
The American Riding Machine,  
Red and black type on white background with red border,  
Printed by Taylors Printers, Wombwell, Yorkshire,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
338mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.889** poster

No date  
Aerialists, acrobats, rope spinners and knife throwers, comedy equestrian  
act, The White Yofi, stilt walkers, performing horses, llamas, ponies, ac-  
robatic and riding dogs, clowns, the American Riding Machine,  
Red and blue type on white background with red border,  
Printed by A. Taylor & Sons, Wombwell, Barnsley, South Yorkshire,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
335mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.890** poster

1962  
Hanley Swan, Monday 28 May,  
Major's chimpanzees,  
The Flying Durbins, aerial act,  
The Renaldos, unicycle act,  
Liberty horses,  
Jessie Powell & Partner, juggling act,  
Boris Tsehn & Co, juggling and magic act,

Bonita,  
Eddy & Teddy,  
The Hungarian Spots,  
Star, Liberty pony,  
Comical Eddy, acrobatic act,  
Blackie, Shetland pony,  
Valentine's poodles & pony,  
Red and blue type on white background with red border,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
503mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.891** poster

No date  
Bobo, Toni, Tatty, Michael, clowns,  
Troupe of Welsh ponies, camels, llama, horses,  
Duo Mexicanos, tightrope act,  
Crocodiles and pythons presented by Konchaks,  
The Pusztas Troupe, Danny Cummins,  
Los Galos,  
The Great Khan and Partners, knife and axe throwing act,  
The Aerial Julians, aerial act,  
Christina, foot juggling act,  
Daisey the wonder cow,  
Sulkies, equestrian act,  
Red, yellow and white type on blue, yellow, black and red background  
with four black and white portrait photographs of clowns in the corners,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.648  
335mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.892** poster

No date  
Belfast, Victoria Park, Monday 12 to Saturday 17 June,  
Bobo, Toni, Tatty, Michael, clowns,  
Troupe of Welsh ponies, camels, llama, horses,  
Duo Mexicanos, tightrope act,  
Crocodiles and pythons presented by Konchaks,  
The Pusztas Troupe, Danny Cummins,  
Los Galos,  
The Great Khan and Partners, knife and axe throwing act,  
The Aerial Julians, aerial act,  
Christina, foot juggling act,  
Daisey the wonder cow,  
Sulkies, equestrian act,  
Red, yellow and white type on blue, yellow, black and red background



with four black and white portrait photographs of clowns in the corners,  
335mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.893** poster

No date  
Ck-on-Suir, 11 August,  
5 Panthers, acrobatic troupe act,  
Htar-Asie, the world's smallest musician,  
Bobo's Crazy Taxi, clown,  
The 3 Astronauts, aerial act,  
Barbara & Carl's chimpanzees,  
2 Pests, comedy act,  
Pityu de-Capo,  
3 Antons, equilibrist and juggling act,  
Three Rusols, trampoline act,  
Bobo, Toni, Wee Barney, Wee Elsa, clowns,  
Liberty horses,  
Ivan Karl, the world's smallest strong man,  
2 Gebs,  
3 Reinharts,  
Baby the TV elephant,  
Black type on red, white, blue and yellow background,  
Printed by Roscommon Herald, Boyle, Co, Roscommon,  
508mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.894** poster

No date  
Cork, Lee Field, Friday 4 to Sunday 6 September,  
Daniella,  
Antonio, juggling act,  
Camels, zebroid, highland bull,  
Lions presented by Michael Sherry,  
Duo Alvarez, bouncing ropes act,  
The Abdul Gomari Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Brum, Rum & Marie, clowns,  
Elephants,  
Horse & pony, equestrian act,  
Miss Endrez, sword and dagger balancing act,  
Fossettt Showgirls,  
Tony & Mikey, clowns,  
Red, yellow and white type on yellow, blue, pink, green and black back-  
grounds and black and white photographs of the acts including clowns,  
lions balancing, acrobatic and juggling acts,  
340mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.895** poster

No date

Belfast, Victoria Park, Monday 12 to Saturday 17 June,

Yellow, red, blue, white and black type on blue, white and yellow background with large date in the centre,

378mm x 508mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.896** poster

1990

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 10 July to 9 September,

Presented by Peter Jay,

Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on top left, three elephants standing on each other's backs below, clown, three white horses, fountain, penguins and clown's face on bottom section and wire walkers on top right, over a purple background,

335mm x 510mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.897** poster

1989

The Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 21 June to 9 September,

David Hibling,

Lions, tigers, elephants, bears, pigs, mules, horses, water spectacle, aqua maidens,

Colour illustration of smiley clown face on top left, female trapeze artiste below, three white horses rearing, front section of elephant, two clowns, lion, tiger and man in red jacket and white shirt, holding a top hat on his right hand on a blue background,

340mm x 518mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.898** poster

1988

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 23 June to 10 September,

Water spectacle, Dale Martin wrestling with Bid Daddy,

Colour illustration of smiley clown face on top left, two riders on bicycles below, a woman seated on an elephant's head on bottom right and a trapeze act on top right over an orange background,

343mm x 508mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.899** poster

1968

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Colour illustration of woman in blue outfit and white feathers seated on an elephant's head, holding a long batton over a yellow and white background,

317mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.900** poster

1962  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from 4 June,  
Colour illustration of large bald clown's face on top right and small circus acts on bottom section including trapeze acts, dogs playing football, bicycle acrobatics and seals over an orange, yellow and white background,  
317mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.901** poster

1961  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from 3 June,  
Colour illustration of large bald clown's face on top right and small circus acts on bottom section including trapeze acts, dogs playing football, bicycle acrobatics and seals over an orange, yellow and white background,  
317mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.902** poster

1972  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 27 May,  
Colour illustration of the hippodrome building on bottom section in pastel pink with a range of circus acts on the front and the roof and the word Spectacular in a scrolling banner in the centre over a yellow and white background,  
317mm x 523mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.903** poster

1985  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 20 June to 7 September,  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Wrestling, Dale Martin, Big Daddy,  
Jan Baines Water Babes,  
Colour illustration of smiley clown face on top left with chimpanzee on the right and colour photographs and illustrations of animals on the bottom section including roaring lion's head, chimpanzee, water fountain, elephants, horse and zebra also black and white photograph of Big Daddy on bottom edge,  
255mm x 385mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.904** poster

No date  
Great Yarmouth, 24 June to 5 September,

Presented by Peter Jay,  
The Kehriovi Troupe, equilibrist act,  
The Chong Quing Troupe,  
Wrestling, Dale Martin, Big Daddy,  
Colour illustration, of smiley clown face on top left, Chinese acrobats  
and dragon, water fountain, woman seated on elephant's head and seven  
acrobats standing on each others shoulders on the fight, also black and  
white photograph of Big Daddy on bottom edge,  
337mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.905** poster

1986  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 25 June to 6 september,  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Jan Baines Water Babes,  
Wrestling, Dale Martin, Big Daddy,  
Colour illustration of smiley clown face on top left with chimpanzee on the  
right and colour photographs and illustrations of water fountain, panther,  
leopard, elephant, man in red jacket and white shirt on bottom section  
and aerial act on top right, also black and white photograph of Big Daddy  
on bottom edge, signed in biro by David Hibly,  
335mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.906** poster

1965  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from 4 June,  
Colour illustration of woman's face wearing a top hat and a large orange  
and white bow tie on a blue background,  
315mm x 517mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.907** poster

1971  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, commencing 29 May,  
Colour illustration of aerial act hanging from a rocket, over a blue back-  
ground with orange, white and yellow stars and a yellow crescent moon,  
316mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.908** poster

1963  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 3 June to 22 September,  
Colour illustration of woman wearing a red tail jacket, blue bow tie and  
black top hat on the foreground and a circus parade on the background  
on flourescent yellow background,

316mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.909** poster

1967  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of Cossack riders and horses on the main section and  
a Russian woman dancing on top left in brown colour over yellow back-  
ground,  
316mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.910** poster

1970  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of woman in blue, backless dress and long white gloves  
with pony tail over a fluorescent yellow background,  
316mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.911** poster

1974  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of Cossack riders and horses on the main section and  
a woman wearing a red tail jacket, long black boots and holding a top hat  
on one hand and a long red banner with the circus name on the other,  
316mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.912** poster

1973  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from 28 May,  
Colour illustration of Native American men and women on horses and  
standing on the ground and two teepees on the left, over a yellow and  
white background,  
315mm x 522mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.913** poster

1973  
Wokingham, Fair Field, 17 to 19 May,  
Colour illustration of several circus acts, including two clowns, two women  
riding elephants and another on horseback, background blue, lettering  
multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.914** poster

No date

Colour illustrations of a clown's head and two elephants performing tricks, one large and one small, background red and orange, lettering white, yellow and black,

Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Bradford,

510mm x 759mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.915** poster

No date

Stains, Egham-Runnymede Site, 21 to 26 May,

Background yellow, lettering black and red,

Printed by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,

504mm x 756mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.916** poster

No date

Gloucester, The Oxleaze, 2 to 6 October,

Colour illustrations of a lion's head and two elephants performing tricks, one large and one small, background red and orange, lettering white, blue and black,

Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

507mm x 757mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.917** poster

1974

Inverness, Bught Park, 14 to 20 August,

Colour illustration of two clowns, background yellow, lettering white, red and black,

Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Bradford,

515mm x 757mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.918** poster

No date

Gloucester, The Oxleaze, 2 to 6 October,

Colour illustration of a clown leading animals onto Noah's Ark, one of the elephants pouring water on the head of the clown, background white, lettering red, black and orange,

Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

379mm x 508mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.919** poster

2005

Paisley, St James Park, 14 to 19 June,  
Diego the Human Rocket,  
Colour illustrations of a man being fired from a cannon, and two women  
dancing in elaborate feathered costumes, background blue and yellow,  
lettering multicoloured,  
420mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.920** poster

2005  
Ipswich, Bourne Park Arena, 14 to 19 June,  
Colour illustration of a falling acrobat reaching for another's hands, colour  
photographs of a man walking a wire and a neoclassical arch, background  
yellow and black, lettering multicoloured,  
419mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.921** poster

1995  
Addlestone, Moor, 5 to 9 April,  
Colour illustrations of two acrobats in pink costumes and a Russian palace  
with lightening striking the highest turret, background blue and black,  
lettering multicoloured,  
Designed and printed by W E Berry Limited, Bradford UK,  
451mm x 621mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.922** poster

1991  
London, Crystal Palace, 22 December to 13 January,  
Captain Apollo, The Human Canonball,  
Chipperfield's Asian Elephants presented by Graham Chipperfield,  
The Duo Hassani, aerial act,  
Chipperfield's 10 African Lions, trained by Dickie Chipperfield,  
Los Comancheros and the 4 Eagles, western act,  
Ivan Karl, strongman,  
Animal Carousel, camel, zebras, llamas and ankola, presented by Lutz  
Beitzel,  
Ringland's Shetland 6 Ponies,  
Lee Ann's Poodle Parade,  
Zak, Spanners and Co, clowns,  
Robert Foxall, Olympian gymnast on Roman Rings,  
Chipperfield's Circus Band,  
Sky Girls Ballet in Space,  
blue line illustration of a man being fired from a cannon, background white  
with sections of blue and yellow, lettering multicoloured,

506mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.923** poster

No date  
Cheam Park, 13 to 18 June,  
Colour photographs of a Chinese dragon costume and sixteen acrobats  
balanced on a single bicycle, background textured and purple, lettering  
white, orange and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
335mm x 719mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.924** poster

2005  
Paisley, St James Park, 14 to 19 June,  
Diego the Human Rocket,  
Colour illustrations of a man being fired from a cannon, and two women  
dancing in elaborate feathered costumes, background blue and yellow,  
lettering multicoloured,  
297mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.925** poster

No date  
Addlestone Moor, 30 March to 9 April,  
Colour photographs of a Chinese dragon costume and a troupe of acrobats  
performing on poles, background textured and purple, lettering white,  
orange and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
335mm x 719mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.926** poster

2001  
Bristol, Temple Quay, 24 December to 13 January,  
The 6 Flying Akhtyamovs,  
Colour photographs of nine acrobats, background red and black, lettering  
multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.927** poster

2004



York, Knavesmire Racecourse, 28 September to 3 October,  
Colour photographs of a clown's head, acrobats and Russian buildings,  
background black and yellow, lettering white, yellow and black,  
420mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.928** poster

No date  
Richmond, Twickenham Road, Old Deer Park, 23 December to 5 January,  
Pityu,  
The Flying Jansens,  
Colour photographs of a clown with a dwarf sitting on his back, four  
acrobats and a hula-hooper, background blue, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
420mm x 296mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.929** poster

No date  
London, Ealing Common, 4 to 16 April,  
The Human Canonball,  
High-Wire over Lions Den,  
The Cimarro Brothers,  
King Kong,  
Sonny Fossett and Company, clowns,  
Senor Munoz,  
Swinging Moongirls, Inaros sisters,  
A Host of Animals, elephants, lions, camels, zebras, dogs, horses and  
llamas,  
Batman and Robin on the Sky Hi,  
Batmobike,  
Black line illustration of a man being shot from a cannon, background  
yellow, lettering red and black,  
Printed by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
252mm x 375mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.930** poster

1987  
Tonbridge, Quarry Hill, Mableton Farm, 17 to 19 August,  
Apollo Julio Martinez, strongman,  
Colour illustrations of a clown's head, a man bending an iron bar and  
a car with seven people riding in it, background multicoloured, lettering  
white, red and black,  
297mm x 421mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.931** poster

1985

Eastbourne, The Congress Theatre, 22 July to 31 August,

Colour illustration of several circus acts including a Chinese dragon costume, three clowns, eight acrobats, a juggler, a man in eastern dress with a sword and several people playing brass instruments, background white, lettering red and black,

310mm x 449mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.932** poster

1974

Windsor, The Royal Windsor Racecourse, 26 November to 1 December,

Background yellow, lettering yellow, black and red,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

255mm x 378mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.933** poster

No date

Poster in Chinese,

Colour illustrations of the heads of a lion, a tiger and a clown, a motocyclist jumping over a pit full of lions, a clown in a car flying through the air with the steering wheel off, two elephants and two acrobats, background beige, lettering red and black,

355mm x 532mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.934** poster

No date

Manchester, Old Smithfield Market Site, 14 to 25 February, extended to 10 March,

Dr HAZE v The X Factor,

Pierrot Bidon, director,

Dani Behr as Cruella E Ville,

Macabra,

Daemonia,

Pandaemonia,

Umbra,

Penumbra,

The Executioner,

Exocet,

Scud,

Humungus,

Phantom,

Brain Damage,

Quasi and Druid,

Dead Celebrities The Late Queen Victoria,  
J Major Esq,  
Sin Bad and the Pygmy Flesh-Eaters,  
Colour illustration of a women with red eyes and sharp fangs leaping  
towards the observer, purple cityscape in the background, lettering mul-  
ticoloured,  
Digital Graphics by If (Image Factory),  
420mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.935** poster

1998  
Carlisle, Bitts Park, 23 to 28 June,  
Colour photograph of a leaping acrobat in Russian dress, background red,  
lettering white, black and yellow,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
450mm x 615mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.936** poster

1986  
Keswick, High Hill Showground, 21 to 23 April,  
Yasmine Smart and her Horses,  
Background white with pink and blue sections, lettering pink, blue and  
black,  
430mm x 596mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.937** poster

No date  
Camden Town, Chalk Farm Road, Camden Lock, 21 December to 5 Jan-  
uary,  
The Flying Cherokees,  
Christoff and Co, clowns,  
Ivan Karl, strongman,  
Spanish Web,  
Clarisson's Sea Lions,  
Mary Chipperfield's Friesian Liberty Horses,  
Rani the Elephant,  
Cloudswing,  
Aerial Cradle,  
The Wheel of Death,  
Blue illustration of a sea lion sitting on a cone, background white with  
sections of pink and blue, lettering pink and blue,  
419mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.938** poster

No date

Poster offering £100 reward for anyone able to identify those who have defaced the circus' advertising material,

Background yellow, lettering black

424mm x 602mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.939** poster

No date

Eastbourne, Royal Parade, Princes Park, 12 August to 17 August,

Colour illustrations of two acrobats in pink costumes and a Russian palace with lightning striking the highest turret, background blue and black, lettering multicoloured,

450mm x 625mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.940** poster

1995

Leeds, Woodhouse Moor, 21 June to 2 July,

Colour illustrations of two acrobats in pink costumes and a Russian palace with lightning striking the highest turret, background blue and black, lettering multicoloured,

Designed and printed by W E Berry Limited, Bradford UK,

450mm x 623mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.941** poster

2007

Harpenden Common, 27 June to 1 July,

11 Puzanov, springboard acrobats,

The 5 Flying Dzhusoev,

Soslan Suanov, juggler

Khil and Spira, illusionists,

Valik and Valerik, clowns,

The Great Astronov, human cannonball,

Voronin, gaucho wizardry,

Firebird Fantasia, Nikolay and Viktoriya,

Olesya, aerial act,

Mykola Kobanov and his Ukranian Circus Band,

The Maslenitza Troupe, Olympic gymnasts,

Colour photographs of several circus acts including a clown, the human cannonball and acrobats, and of a Russian palace, background blue and black with images of lense flares and glitter, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,

Designed by Tony Shuker,

297mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.942** poster

2008  
Hull, Kingston Rovers RFC, 27 February to 2 March,  
Colour photographs of a woman in a red feathered costume and Russian  
buildings, background blue and black with images of lense flares and glit-  
ter, lettering multicoloured,  
297mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.943** poster

2007  
Hazel Grove, Torkington Park, 20 to 24 June,  
Colour photographs of a clown's head, a leaping acrobat and Russian  
buildings, background blue and black with images of lense flares and glit-  
ter, lettering multicoloured,  
297mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.944** poster

No date  
Addlestone Moor, 19 to 23 February,  
Colour photographs of a martial artist and six acrobats balancing on a  
stack of chairs, background green and textured, lettering white, yellow  
and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.945** poster

2003  
St Albans, Westminster Lodge, 24 to 29 June,  
The 6 Flying Akhtyamovs,  
Colour photographs of nine acrobats, background red and black, lettering  
multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.946** poster

2007  
Harpenden Common, 27 June to 1 July,  
Colour photographs of a clown's head, a leaping acrobat and Russian

buildings, background blue and black with images of lense flares and glitter, lettering multicoloured,  
420mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.947** poster

2007  
Hazel Court, Torkington Park, 20 to 24 June,  
11 Puzanov, springboard acrobats,  
The 5 Flying Dzhusoev,  
Soslan Suanov, juggler  
Khil and Spira, illusionists,  
Valik and Valerik, clowns,  
The Great Astronov, human cannonball,  
Voronin, gaucho wizardry,  
Firebird Fantasia, Nikolay and Viktoriya,  
Olesya, aerial act,  
Mykola Kobanov and his Ukranian Circus Band,  
The Maslenitza Troupe, Olympic gymnasts,  
Colour photographs of several circus acts including a clown, the human canonball and acrobats, and of a Russian palace, background blue and black with images of lense flares and glitter, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
420mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.948** poster

2004  
Swindon, Moredon Bridge, 24 to 28 March,  
Colour illustration of an acrobat on a swing reaching towards the observer, two clown's heads and a woman standing on top of a high platform, background image of the circus ring, lettering multicoloured,  
420mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.949** poster

No date  
Black Heath, 20 to 31 October,  
Colour illustrations of a clown's head and four acrobats, background colour photograph of circus site at night, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
450mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.950** poster

2002

Cloghran, Swords Road, National Show Centre, 12 to 17 February,  
Colour photograph of seven acrobats balancing on a stack of chairs, back-  
ground green and textured, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
449mm x 638mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.951** poster

2008  
Hull, Kingston Rovers RFC, 27 February to 2 March,  
11 Puzanov, springboard acrobats,  
The 5 Flying Dzhusoev,  
Yuriy Serebrennikov, juggler  
Khil and Spira, illusionists,  
Valik and Valerik, clowns,  
The Great Astronov, human cannonball,  
Voronin, gaucho wizardry,  
Firebird Fantasia, Nikolay and Viktoriya,  
Popazov,  
Olesya, aerial act,  
Mykola Kobanov and his Ukrainian Circus Band,  
The Maslenitza Troupe, Olympic gymnasts,  
Colour photographs of several circus acts including the human canonball,  
a wire walker, seven acrobats and two dancers, and of a Russian palace,  
background blue and black with images of lense flares and glitter, lettering  
multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
419mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.952** poster

No date  
Cork, Munster, Agricultural Showground, 31 January to 11 February,  
Colour photograph of sixteen acrobats balancing on a single bicycle, back-  
ground textured and purple, lettering white, yellow and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
451mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.953** poster

1973  
Colour illustrations of the big top and many circus acts, including the ring-  
master, clowns, horses, gymnasts and acrobats, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
504mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.954** poster

No date

West Bay, Bridport RD, 24 to 25 August,  
Background yellow, lettering green and red,  
Printed by Axminster Printing Co, Axminster, Devon,  
378mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.955** poster

No date

Torbay, Paignton, Clennon Valley, 25 July to 13 August,  
Colour illustration of a clown, background white with blue sections, lettering red, black and blue,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
451mm x 642mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.956** poster

1973-1974

Cardiff, 26 December to 26 January,  
International Hot Ice Company, featuring The Ice Dollies,  
Miss Magè Baby Elephant,  
Scotts' Sea Lions,  
Jack and Yvonne Unell, aerial escapists,  
5 Les Kansas, jugglers,  
Alun Davies and 10 Poodles,  
Gwyn, trapeze,  
Baron Marshall and his Circus Music,  
Martino, balance act,  
Teddy Bears Picnic  
Charivari, clowns,  
Santos Julian Troupe, trick cycling,  
Running Fox and Juanita, Apache Indian fire rituals,  
The Billy Wild Western Show,  
Background yellow, lettering red and green,  
Metal hanging intact,  
235mm x 379mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.957** poster

2005

Ipswich, Bourne Park Arena, 14 to 19 June,  
Colour illustration of a falling acrobat reaching for another's hands, colour photographs of a man walking a wire and a neoclassical arch, background yellow and black, lettering multicoloured,  
297mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



- 178R47.958** poster  
2004  
York, Knavesmire Racecourse, 28 September to 3 October,  
Colour photographs of acrobats and clowns performing and two Russian  
buildings, lettering white, yellow and black,  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.959** poster  
2005  
Ipswich, Bourne Park Arena, 14 to 19 June,  
Colour illustration of a falling acrobat reaching for another's hands, colour  
photographs of a man walking a wire and a neoclassical arch, background  
yellow and black, lettering multicoloured,  
419mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.960** poster  
No date  
Peterborough, Western Embankment, 8 to 13 October,  
Colour photographs of a martial artist and six acrobats balancing on a  
stack of chairs, background green and textured, lettering white, yellow  
and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
450mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.961** poster  
1972-1973  
Leicester, Granby Halls, 16 December to 7 January,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts including a fire eater, a woman  
with a snake, a clown on stilts, a llama, a bear, a unicyclist and two horse-  
back riders, sepia illustrations of two men, probably the circus proprietors,  
background blue with yellow patterns, lettering white, red and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
252mm x 742mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.962** poster  
1972  
Blank poster, two performance notice stuck on separately,  
Uxbridge, Dog & Duck Meadow, 31 March to 1 April, printed by E  
Cheesman Ltd, Printers, Joseph Street, Barnsley, black lettering on white  
background,  
Cottle and Austen's TVs New Circus, showing 21 April in Hope & Keens  
'Crazy Bus', black lettering on orange background,

Main poster has colour illustration of a clown holding a bunch of balloons with different acts inside, background white, lettering red and blue, 338mm x 753mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.963** poster

No date  
Birmingham, Pype Hayes Park, 15 to 27 April,  
Captain Sidney Howes and his Group of Lions and Lionesses,  
Cimmaro Brothers, high wire,  
Juliana Inaros, swinging trapeze,  
Trio Salvador, rolling globes,  
Flamenco Extravaganza featuring the Comedy Careda,  
Ice a Go-Go,  
Andy Nairn, comedy,  
Barbara Franklin,  
Scots Finale, corps de ballet,  
Jean Byrom,  
Animal Crackers, featuring 'Candy Floss' the skating pink elephant,  
Red Hot Ice Indians,  
Jana-Valencia and her Pigeons,  
Prince Ke-Pherer, fakir,  
Thomas Sorammic, swaying pole,  
Cottle and Austen's Baby Elephants,  
The Circus Clowns in their Haunted Castle,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts on an ice rink, including a leaping ice skaters, wire walkers, a trapeze artist, a lion, a clown, bagpipe players, and elephant and two women on rolling globes, background blue, lettering black, yellow and white,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
290mm x 637mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.964** poster

No date  
Leicester, Granby Halls, 22 December to 20 January,  
Group of Lions and Lionesses presented by Captain Sidney Howes,  
The Cimarro Brothers, high wire,  
Inga-Lise, high trapeze,  
Hi-Jacks, stilt walkers,  
Miss Wendy's Poodle Revue,  
Peter and Salsky,  
Cottle and Austen's Herd of Baby Elephants presented by Jack Varney,  
Tombo-Scats-Willie with their Crazy Continental Car,  
The Starr Sisters, sharp-shooting duo,  
Ray Maxim, illusionist,  
Patrick and his Bears,

Back ground yellow, lettering red and green,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
247mm x 379mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.965** poster

No date  
Harlow, Town Park Fair Site, 3 to 7 October,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts including a fire eater, a woman  
with a snake, a clown on stilts, a llama, a bear, a unicyclist and two horse-  
back riders, sepia illustrations of two men, probably the circus proprietors,  
background blue with yellow patterns, lettering white, red and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
253mm x 744mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.966** poster

No date  
Addlestone Moor, 30 March to 9 April,  
Colour photographs of a Chinese dragon costume and sixteen acrobats  
balanced on a single bicycle, background textured and purple, lettering  
white, orange and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
Printed by PERFECTAPRINT,  
335mm x 720mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.967** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, the Racecourse, 25 to 30 April,  
Sue Lacey and her 10 Tigers,  
Wild West Bonanza, featuring Limping Lizard and the James Sisters,  
The Juggling Melvilles,  
Sally-Ann Duggan and her Liberty Horses,  
The Hazzard Clowns,  
Ivan Karl, strong man,  
Gerry Cottle's Elephants presented by Alex Larenty,  
Colour illustrations of Gerry Cottle, a woman with three orange tigers,  
two acrobats, three women riding elephants and an Native American on  
horseback, background red and white, lettering blue, yellow and black,  
Designed and printed by W E Berry Limited of Bradford,  
330mm x 736mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.968** poster

1999  
Chester, The Racecourse, 4 to 16 April,

Super Nova Space Rocket,  
Lacey's Lions presented by Othmar Vohringer,  
Babette's Footballing Boxer Dogs,  
Frank Endrix, juggling unicyclist,  
Elephant Carousel, camels, llamas, spotted ponies, zebras, ankoli,  
The Flying Belle-Stars,  
The Ternos Troupe, acrobats on the giant trampoline,  
The 'Spike Spencer' Showband,  
Colour illustrations of Gerry Cottle, a woman and man suspended from a  
model space rocket, and four lions, background white with multicoloured  
sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Illustrations signed 'Sutcliffe',  
Designed and printed by W E Berry Limited of Bradford,  
329mm x 738mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.969** poster

No date  
Edgware, Montrose Recreation Ground, 4 to 9 June,  
Colour photograph of three women in red uniforms, background blue and  
white with pink and yellow border, lettering white, yellow and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker, photography by Bristol United Press,  
424mm x 600mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.970** poster

No date  
Cheltenham, the Racecourse, 25 to 30 April,  
Colour illustrations of a small cartoon Gerry Cottle, and a large image  
of him with a clown, a man in eastern dress on an elephant, a trapeze  
artist and a clown and some some horses performing in the circus ring,  
background white with multicoloured sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed and printed by W E Berry Limited of Bradford,  
330mm x 736mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.971** poster

No date  
Television's 'Seaside Special' Hippodrome Circus,  
Colour illustration of Gerry Cottle, background white, border blue with  
yellow stars, lettering pink and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
503mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.972** poster

No date

Sharjah, Super Dome, Expo Centre, 20 to 28 April,  
Mary Chipperfield and her Lions and Elephants,  
Colour illustration of a clown and a lion, background pink, border blue  
with yellow stars, lettering black, yellow and blue,  
507mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.973** poster

No date  
Poster in Chinese,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts including a woman with a snake  
wrapped around her, a man looking in a crocodile's jaws, two orange tigers,  
four acrobats and a clown, background white with red and multicoloured  
sections,  
505mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.974** poster

1978  
Carlisle, Bitts Park, 5 to 7 June,  
Mary Chipperfield's Animals,  
Colour illustration of Gerry Cottle, background white, border blue with  
yellow stars, lettering pink and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
503mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.975** poster

No date  
Chalk Farm Road, The Round House, 3 to 13 November,  
Johnny Hutch's Herculeans, comedy acrobats,  
Colour photographs of six acrobats forming a pyramid, background white  
with orange sections, border blue with yellow stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
379mm x 1009mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.976** poster

1990  
Merthyrtydfil, Rhydcar Leisure Centre Car Park, 20 to 24 March,  
Colour illustrations of a small cartoon Gerry Cottle, and a large image  
of him with a clown, a man in eastern dress on an elephant, a trapeze  
artist and a clown and some horses performing in the circus ring,  
background white with multicoloured sections, lettering multicoloured,  
336mm x 746mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.977** poster

1985

Aldershot, North Camp, 16 to 21 April,

Colour illustration of several circus acts including a Chinese dragon costume, three clowns, eight acrobats, a juggler, a man in eastern dress with a sword and several people playing brass instruments, background white, lettering red and black,

417mm x 592mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.978** poster

No date

Tonbridge, Quarry Hill, Mableton Farm, 11 to 13 July,

Colour illustration of a clown, background pink, border blue and yellow, lettering multicoloured,

420mm x 594mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.979** poster

No date

Rye, Fair Salts, 20 to 25 July,

Apollo Julio Martinez, strongman,

Colour illustrations of a clown's head, a man bending an iron bar and a car with seven people riding in it, background multicoloured, lettering white, red and black,

298mm x 422mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.980** poster

No date

London, Wembley Exhibition Halls, 24 December to 10 January,

Jeremy Beadle,

Colour illustration with large images of a ringmaster, a tiger and a woman riding an elephant, and smaller images of fun fair rides, a clown, zebras, llamas, a camel and a man being fired from a cannon, background blue, lettering multicoloured,

593mm x 419mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.981** poster

No date

Paignton, Brixham Road, Clennon Valley, 23 July to 15 August,

Colour photograph of Gerry Cottle, background white, border blue with yellow stars, lettering black and pink,

507mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.982** poster

No date

Poster in Arabic,

Monochrome blue illustration of a man walking a tightrope blindfolded with another man standing on his shoulders, background pink, lettering blue,

480mm x 702mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.983** poster

No date

Poster in Arabic,

Monochrome black illustrations of a strong man with a weight in each hand and a weight suspended from his tongue, and seventeen people sitting in a car, background blue, lettering black,

481mm x 701mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.984** poster

1978-1979

London, Alexandra Palace, Alexandra Park Site, 26 December to 6 January,

Colour photograph of Gerry Cottle, background white, border blue with yellow stars, lettering multicoloured,

Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,

503mm x 756mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.985** poster

No date

Charlie Cairoli and Co, clowns,

Capt Sidney Howes and his Troupe of Lions and Lionesses,

The Cimarro Brothers, high wire,

Trio Salvador, rolling globes,

Sisters Inaros, high trapeze,

Gerry Cottle's Herd of Elephants presented by John Gindl,

Black and white photograph of Charlie Cairoli, background yellow, lettering yellow, black and red,

Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

254mm x 315mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.986** poster

No date

London, Wembley Halls, 20 December to 12 January,

Jeremy Beadle,

The Alegria Brothers, giant space wheels,

Hoppe's Unrideable Mules,  
Jana and her Giant Pythons and Crocodiles,  
The Kenya Boys, acrobats,  
5 Endresz, musical clowns,  
Colour photograph of Jeremy Beadle, colour illustrations of many circus acts including five acrobats balanced on a single pole, two mules bucking their riders, two men balancing on suspended wheels, a woman with a snake wrapped round her, an elephant, two horses, two clowns and people riding a roller coaster, background yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
510mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.987** poster

No date  
Manchester, Barlow Moor Rd, Chorlton Park, Circus of Horrors Big Top,  
1 to 11 October,  
Colour photographs of a contortionist and gymnasts, background blue, purple and yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
420mm x 592mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.988** Poster

No date  
Poster in Arabic,  
Monochrome black illustration of a clown, background yellow, lettering black,  
487mm x 701mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.989** poster

No date  
Cardiff, Sophia Gardens Pavilion, 23 December to 1 February,  
Gerry Cottle's Elephants,  
Rupert of the 'Daily Express' and his puppet pals,  
The Cimarro Brothers, high wire,  
The 7 Garcias, acrobats,  
Hannibal, strong man,  
Group of Lions and Lionesses presented by Captain Sydney Howes,  
Colour illustration of Rupert Bear, background pink with yellow stars and black holly, lettering black, yellow and blue,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
283mm x 434mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.990** poster

No date



Wandsworth Bridge, 30 October to 11 November,  
The 10 Star Lords, flying trapeze,  
Elephants, lions, zebras, camels, llamas, horses, ponies,  
Swinging Moongirls, starring Princess Aasha,  
Hoppe's Rodeo Mules,  
Samson and Delilah, strong man,  
Chimpanzees, pigs, goats, donkeys,  
Clowns in the Haunted House,  
The Bouncing Renowns, giant double trampoline,  
The Ossini Troupe, high wire,  
Mike James and his Circus Band,  
The Maxello Showgirls,  
Colour illustration of a clown's head, background blue, lettering pink and  
black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
432mm x 612mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.991** poster

No date  
Cardiff, Sophia Gardens Pavilion, 26 December to 20 January,  
Colour illustration of a clown's head, background blue, lettering pink and  
black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
431mm x 612mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.992** poster

1995  
London, Alexandra Palace, 22 December to 8 January,  
Colour illustrations of King Kong on top of a skyscraper and the three  
Cottle Sisters, background yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
297mm x 419mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.993** poster

1995  
London, Alexandra Palace, 22 December to 8 January,  
Colour illustrations of King Kong on top of a skyscraper and the three  
Cottle Sisters, background yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
419mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.994** poster

No date

Chester, The Racecourse, 31 March to 5 April,  
Colour illustration of a giant clown holding a gold ring, inside which are  
a woman with an orange tiger, an elephant, a zebra, two acrobats and  
a man putting his head in a lion's mouth, background red, orange and  
white, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Illustration signed Sutcliffe,  
422mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.995** poster

No date  
Blank poster,  
Abstract colour illustration of a woman in a gold leotard and top hat  
surrounded by multicoloured balloons, one with a face and two with hands,  
with a rainbow above and a pattern of purple lines below, background  
cream, lettering red, black and orange,  
319mm x 634mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.996** poster

No date  
Abstract colour illustration of a woman in a gold leotard and top hat  
surrounded by multicoloured balloons, one with a face and two with hands,  
with a rainbow above and a pattern of purple lines below, background  
cream, lettering red, black and blue,  
492mm x 703mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.997** poster

1984  
Mitcham Fair, 9 to 15 August,  
Colour illustration of a clown's head, background blue and white, lettering  
orange and black,  
451mm x 641mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.998** poster

1986  
Dumfries, Park Farm Showfield  
Yasmine Smart and her Horses, 25 to 27 April,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including a woman being carried in  
the mouth of an elephant, a man performing on the suspended spinning  
wheel, a clown, two Chinese dragons and three horses, background red,  
pink and white, lettering multicoloured,  
420mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.999** poster

1974

Colour illustration of a roaring lion, background white with an orange section with white stars, lettering white and yellow,

Printed by Arti Grafiche Fiorin s.a.s. - Milano - Via Vignola, 3 - Luglio 1974,

330mm x 698mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1000** poster

1974

Colour illustration of a clown, background white with a green section with white stars, lettering white and yellow,

Printed by Arti Grafiche Fiorin s.a.s. - Milano - Via Vignola, 3 - Luglio 1974,

338mm x 696mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1001** poster

1974

Colour illustration of a clown on a red background, main background white with a blue section with white stars, lettering white and yellow,

Printed by Arti Grafiche Fiorin s.a.s. - Milano - Via Vignola, 3 - Luglio 1974,

337mm x 702mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1002** poster

1976

Enfield, Carterhatch Lane Fair Site, 2 to 13 November,

The Flying Tonitos, flying trapeze,

Gerry Cottle's Elephants, Horses and Palomino Ponies,

Buby Ernesto and Family, musical clowns,

Captain Sydney Howes and his Lions and Lionesses,

Buffalo Bill Wild and Company,

Senor Jorge, tight wire,

Anglo-American carousel, featuring camels, llamas, zebras and elephants,

Colour illustration of a woman in circus costume, a camel, an elephant,

a zebra, a monkey and a clown on a flying carpet, above a big top and

some pyramids, background yellow with black stars, lettering black and

red,

Illustration signed Shuker,

435mm x 570mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1003** poster

1978

Rotherham, Wickersley, Bawtry RD, 5 to 8 October,  
Colour photograph of Gerry Cottle, colour illustration of several circus animals in a forest setting, including an elephant, a horse, a llama, a zebra, a chimpanzee, two camels and a lion, with a woman in a leopard print leotard sitting on the lion's back and each of the camels being ridden by a man in eastern dress, border blue with yellow stars, lettering yellow, red and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
501mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1004** poster

No date  
Shepherds Bush, The Green, 1 to 26 May,  
Abstract colour illustration of a woman in a gold leotard and top hat surrounded by multicoloured balloons, one with a face and two with hands, with a rainbow above and a pattern of purple lines below, background cream, lettering red, black and orange,  
320mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1005** poster

1978  
Kingsbury, Roe Green Park, 2 to 14 October,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including a man being lifted on the head of an elephant, a lion, three acrobats and a chimpanzee in clothes, background black and blue, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
450mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1006** poster

No date  
Birmingham, 3 to 20 March,  
Khalil Oghaby, strongman,  
Colour illustration of a strong man with a weight in each hand and a weight suspended from his tongue, and seventeen people sitting in a car, background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Birmingham dates and location stuck on over original location Edgware,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1007** poster

1976  
Blank poster,  
The Cimarro Brothers, high wire,

Colour illustration of a man walking a tightrope blindfolded with another man standing on his shoulders, with a night sky and tower block behind them, smaller image of the statue of liberty in front of an American flag, background white, lettering yellow, red and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1008** poster

No date  
Blank poster,  
Khalil Oghaby, strongman,  
Colour illustration of a strong man with a weight in each hand and a weight suspended from his tongue, and seventeen people sitting in a car, background white, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
510mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1009** poster

No date  
Finsbury Park, 31 March to 5 April,  
Captain Sidney Howes and his Group of Lions and Lionesses,  
The Cimmaro Brother, high wire,  
Khalil Oghiby, strongman,  
El-Hakin, fakir,  
The Inaros, swinging trapeze,  
Wild West Bonanza, starring the James Sisters, Carlos McManus American Liberty Horses and The Cherokees,  
Exotica, animal parade,  
Tucker the Clown and Company,  
Orammic, swinging pole,  
Gerry Cottle's Baby Elephants presented by Carlos McManus,  
Colour illustration of a clown, a lion and a circus ring in which a ringmaster presents a group of elephants, while flags of several nations fly above, background black and blue, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1010** poster

No date  
Birmingham, 7 to 19 March,  
Charlie Cairoli and Co,  
Star Girls, the Inaros Sisters, featuring Princess Aasha,  
Gerry Cottle's Elephants presented by Carlos MacManus,  
Samson and Delilah, strongman,

Wild West Bonanza,  
Captain Sydney Howes Lions and Lionesses,  
Mike James and his New Circus Sound,  
Black and white photographs of Charlie Cairoli and Princess Aasha, colour  
illustration of Gerry Cottle, background white, border blue with yellow  
stars, lettering black, red and white,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1011** poster

No date  
Dudley, Zoo Car Park, 3 to 7 December,  
El Hakim, fakir,  
The Big Wheel of Death,  
Rani the TV Elephant Act,  
Sue Lacey's Tigers,  
Pam Enos Famous Football Dogs,  
David Konyot, clown company,  
Colour illustration of a cartoon clothed elephant putting up a poster, with  
a mouse in clown costume standing beside him, background red brick  
pattern and white, lettering multicoloured,  
418mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1012** poster

1978  
Wandsworth Bridge, 30 October to 11 November,  
The 10 Star Lords, flying trapeze,  
Elephants, lions, zebras, camels, llamas, horses, ponies,  
Swinging Moongirls, starring Princess Aasha,  
Hoppe's Rodeo Mules,  
Samson and Delilah, strong man,  
Chimpanzees, pigs, goats, donkeys,  
Clowns in the Haunted House,  
The Bouncing Renowns, giant double trampoline,  
The Ossini Troupe, high wire,  
Mike James and his Circus Band,  
The Maxello Showgirls,  
Colour illustration of a clown's head, background blue, lettering pink and  
black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
432mm x 612mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1013** poster

1977

Weymouth, Lodmoor Car Park, 24 July to 16 August,  
Mary Chipperfield and her Animals,  
The Flying Cherokees, aerial act,  
The Santus Troupe, cyclists,  
Cossack Voltige,  
Mademoiselle Yolande,  
Aerial Ballet,  
The Looneys,  
Haute Ecole,  
Clowns,  
The Kansas Brothers,  
George Jones and his Circus Band,  
Big Jungle Spectacle, presented by Mary Chipperfield and Sasha Houcke  
Jnr,  
Colour photograph of a woman and a tiger on a suspended platform,  
background white with an orange section, border blue with yellow stars,  
lettering multicoloured,  
380mm x 1011mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1014** poster

No date  
Swindon, Marlborough Road Site, 8 to 12 September,  
Gerry Cottle's Elephants and Liberty Horses presented by Carlos Mac-  
Manus,  
The Inaros Sisters, high trapeze,  
The Santus Julian Troupe, cyclists,  
Babette's Dogs,  
7 International Clowns,  
Scott's Sea-Lions,  
Anglo-American Carousel, llamas, camel, zebras,  
The Cimarro Brothers, high wire,  
Khalil Oghaby, strongman,  
Wild West Bonanza, featuring Billy Wild, Otaki and the James Sisters,  
The 4 Kansas, jugglers,  
Orramic, swinging mast,  
Capt Sydney Howes and his Group of Lions and Lionesses,  
Colour illustration of a clown and a lion, background pink, border blue  
with yellow stars, lettering black, yellow and white,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
508mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1015** poster

No date  
Blank poster,  
Colour photograph of Gerry Cottle, background white, border blue with

yellow stars, lettering black and pink,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1016** poster

No date  
Crystal Palace, 4 to 15 October,  
Background blue with white section, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
507mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1017** poster

1980  
Paignton, Brixham Road, Clennon Valley, 23 July to 15 August,  
Thomas Kluger, high wire over lions,  
Liberty horses, camels, llamas and zebra,  
Otaki and the Dallas Sisters, Wild West Bonanza,  
Sonny Fossett and his Crazy Comedy Model 'T',  
The Swinging Cottrellis,  
The Hi-Jacks, stilt walkers,  
Louise Sisters, rolling globes,  
Colour photograph of Gerry Cottle, colour illustrations of a lion and a  
clown, background white with a white section, border blue with yellow  
stars, lettering yellow and black,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
504mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1018** poster

No date  
Bristol, Bath Road, 23 December to 14 January,  
Colour illustration of a clown holding a giant sphere, a lion, a tiger, a  
zebra and an elephant, background blue with snow falling, lettering mul-  
ticoloured,  
514mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1019** poster

No date  
Background white with red stars, lettering white and yellow,  
1016mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1020** poster

No date  
Kingsbury, Roe Green Park, 4 to 15 October,



Mary Chipperfield and her Animals,  
Background blue with white stars, lettering yellow, white and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 756mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1021** poster

No date  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts including a clown, a woman with  
an orange tiger, three elephants, three unicycles, arcobats performing on  
horseback and two acrobats suspended from a model rocket ship, back-  
ground red, yellow and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Illustration signed Sutcliffe,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
811mm x 1180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1022** poster

No date  
Hackney, Victoria Park, 24 to 29 March,  
Background red with white stars and a white section, lettering yellow,  
white and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
504mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1023** poster

No date  
Blackburn, Witton Park, 8 to 14 May,  
La Famille Santus, cyclists,  
Swinging Cottrellis,  
Grimble and Co, clowns,  
Haute Ecole,  
The Loonies, acrobats,  
5 Kansas, jugglers,  
George Jones and the Circus Band,  
Big Jungle Spectacle, African elephants, tigers, camels, llamas, monkees,  
yak, baby giraffe, liberty horses, Grevys Zebras, Shetland Ponies,  
Mary Chipperfield's Wonderful Animals,  
Colour illustration of a clown and a lion, background pink, border blue  
with yellow stars, lettering black and yellow,  
509mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1024** poster

No date  
Blackburn, Witton Park, 8 to 14 May,

Mary Chipperfield's Animals,  
Colour illustration of Gerry Cottle, background white, border blue with  
yellow stars, lettering black and pink,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1025** poster

No date  
Crystal Palace, 24 December to 12 January,  
Mary Chipperfield's Royal Bengal Tigers with Simla the White Tiger,  
Faltini Troupe, trick cyclists,  
6 Royals, jugglers,  
Mary Chipperfield's Jungle Fantasy, hippopotamus, chimpanzee, baby ele-  
phant, horses and ponies,  
Oxo and Company, clowns,  
Mary Chipperfield, equestrian haute ecole,  
Jason's Exotic Birds,  
Los Colorados, western rodeo,  
Space Girls,  
Mary Chipperfield's Liberty Horses,  
Babette's Footballing Dogs,  
Colour illustration of a chimpanzee in clothes holding a landline phone,  
background blue with sprigs of holly, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 761mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1026** poster

1987-1988  
Battersea Park, Hippodrome, 26 December to 17 January,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, two acrobats, an elephant, a lion, a tiger  
and a zebra, background multicoloured, lettering white, yellow and black,  
1007mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1027** poster

No date  
Blank poster,  
Captain Sidney Howes and his Group of Lions and Lionesses,  
Cimmaro Brothers, high wire,  
Peggi Lorenz, swinging trapeze,  
Trio Salvador, rolling globes,  
Flamenco Extravaganza featuring the Comedy Careda,  
Ice a Go-Go,  
Andy Nairn, comedy,  
Barbara Franklin,

Scots Finale, corps de ballet,  
Jean Byrom,  
Animal Crackers, featuring 'Candy Floss' the skating pink elephant,  
Red Hot Ice Indians,  
Jana-Valencia and her Pigeons,  
Los Tornadoes, jugglers,  
Thomas Sorammic, swaying pole,  
The Circus Clowns in their Haunted Castle,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts on an ice rink, including a leaping  
ice sakters, wire walkers, a trapeze artist, a lion, a clown, bagpipe players,  
and elephant and two women on rolling globes, background blue, lettering  
yellow and white,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
291mm x 635mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1029** poster  
1972-1973  
Leicester, Granby Halls, 16 December to 7 January,  
Black line illustrations of two elephants in clown's ruffs and hats, a lion's  
head, and many circus acts includng a stilt walker, a bear, a woman with  
a snake, a monkey, a llama, a high wire walker, a Native American Indian  
and two clowns, background yellow, lettering black,  
String hanging intact,  
253mm x 315mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1030** poster  
1972-1973  
Leicester, Granby Halls, 16 December to 7 January,  
Blue line illustrations of many circus acts includng a stilt walker, a bear,  
a woman with a snake, a monkey, a llama, a high wire walker, a Native  
American Indian and two clowns, background white with a section of blue  
with white stars, lettering red and blue,  
507mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1031** poster  
1987-1988  
Battersea Park, Hippodrome, 26 December to 17 January,  
Colour illustrations of a clown, two acrobats, an elephant, a lion, a tiger  
and a zebra, background multicoloured, lettering white, yellow and black,  
594mm x 419mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1032** poster  
2004

Swindon, Moredon Bridge, 24 to 28 March,  
Colour illustration of two clowns, two acrobats, an a woman standing on  
an elevated platform, background blue and yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
420mm x 594mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1033** poster

No date  
Blank poster,  
Colour illustrations of many circus acts including a fire eater, a woman  
with a snake, a clown on stilts, a llama, a bear, a unicyclist and two horse-  
back riders, sepia illustrations of two men, probably the circus proprietors,  
background blue with yellow patterns, lettering white, red and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
251mm x 747mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1034** poster

1971  
Tadworth, Merland Rise, 20 to 22 May,  
Background white with sections of orange and yellow, lettering black,  
Printed by Willans, Printers, Kirkby Lonsdale,  
381mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1035** poster

No date  
Birmingham, Erdington, Pype Hayes Park, 15 to 27 April,  
Colour illustration of an elephant in hat, scarf and tutu ice skating, back-  
ground white with blue section, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 764mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1036** poster

No date  
Gloucester, The Oxleaze, 2 to 6 October,  
Red line illustration of an elephant holding signs saying 'Book Early' and  
'Don't Forget', background white with a blue section with white stars and  
a white silhouette of the big top, lettering red and blue,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
508mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1037** poster

1973  
Wokingham, Fair Field, 17 to 19 May,  
Red line illustration of an elephant holding signs saying 'Book Early' and

'Don't Forget', background white with a blue section with white stars and a white silhouette of the big top, lettering red and blue,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
505mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1038** poster

No date  
Banbury, Bloxham Road, Easington Recreation Ground, 23 to 28 October,  
White silhouette of the big top surrounded by stars, background white with a blue section, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1039** poster

1973  
Wembley, Barham Park, 2 to 6 July,  
Red line illustration of an elephant holding signs saying 'Book Early' and 'Don't Forget', background white with a blue section with white stars and a white silhouette of the big top, lettering red and blue,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1040** poster

No date  
Harlow, Town Park Fair Site, 3 to 7 October,  
White silhouette of the big top surrounded by stars, background white with a blue section, lettering red and blue,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
507mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1041** poster

No date  
Enfield, Carterhatch Lane Fair Site, 2 to 6 November,  
Colour illustration of a lion, a clown, a leaping woman in circus costume, four elephants and four horses in front of the big top with several flags of different nationalities flying, background half white, half an image of a starry sky, lettering black and white,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
1022mm x 749mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1042** poster

No date  
Blank poster,

Magyarz Cascading Stars,  
Alun Davies and his Poodles,  
Austen Brothers Camel Carousel,  
Brian Austen's African Lions,  
Austen Brothers Arabian Horses,  
Michael Austen's Indian Elephants,  
Rancheros,  
Colour illustration of a lion's head, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
398mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1043** poster

1988  
Blackburn, Witton Park, 25 April to 1 May,  
The 8 Mexicanas, trick riding rodeo,  
Austen Brothers Camel,  
Tunisian Carousel,  
Professor Wotnot and the Pindar Bros, clowns,  
Michelle, 'the girl in the silver star',  
Duo Galos, balance act,  
Austen Brothers Royal Bengal Tigers presented by Gary Ambrose,  
The Julians,  
Rebecca, foot juggling,  
Ringaland's Arabian Liberty Horses,  
Austen Brothers Asian Elephants,  
Tarzan Lorenz, jungle trapeze,  
Colour illustration of two men on horseback, one standing astride two horses at once, the other carrying a woman on his shoulders, background with sections of white and yellow, lettering multicoloured,  
Designed and Printed in England by W E Berry Limited of Bradford,  
330mm x 732mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1044** poster

No date  
Poster reading 'Book Here',  
Background white with a blue section, lettering yellow, red and black,  
508mm x 651mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1045** poster

No date  
White silhouette of the big top surrounded by stars, background white with blue and red sections, lettering red,  
Printed by W E Berry, LTD, Bradford,

1018mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1046** poster

1979-1980

Leeds, Queens Hall, 23 December to 20 January,

Colour illustrations of two elephants in clown hats and ruffs pulling a cracker, a lion's head and a border of holly leaves, black line illustration of an elephant holding a phone in its trunk, background blue, lettering multicoloured,

450mm x 640mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1047** poster

1989

Colour illustration of a woman sitting on an elephant's trunk, background blue, lettering red, yellow and black,

Designed and Printed in England by W E Berry Limited of Bradford,

985mm x 737mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1048** poster

1977

Leicester, Granby Halls, 26 December to 15 January,

Brian Austen's African Lions,

Duo Fabry, tight wire,

Laredo Cowboys, rodeo riders,

Austen Brothers Equine Carousel,

Lesters, comedy trampoline,

Scott's Californian Sea Lions,

Paulasz, sword balancers,

The Brassy Searle Andalusian High School Horses,

Galos,

Dakota Red Indians,

Michael Austen's Indian Elephants,

Double sided, front has colour photograph of a man sitting astride a lion,

background blue, lettering white, red and blue, back has list of acts, background white, lettering blue and red,

210mm x 317mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1049** poster

1979-1980

Leeds, Queens Hall, 23 December to 20 January,

Colour illustrations of two elephants in clown hats and ruffs pulling a cracker, a lion's head and a border of holly leaves, black line illustration of an elephant holding a phone in its trunk, background blue, lettering

multicoloured,  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1050** poster

1986  
Blackburn, Witton Park, 18 to 23 September,  
Magyarz Cascading Stars,  
Alun Davies and his Poodles,  
Austen Brothers Camel Carousel,  
Brian Austen's African Lions,  
Julianna, 'queen of the silver thread',  
Sovereign the Golden Palomino,  
Austen Brothers Arabian Horses,  
Tovarich, trapeze,  
Michael Austen's Indian Elephants,  
Amanda, 'sky high girl',  
Patrick Austen's Comedy Car,  
Rancheros,  
Colour illustration of a lion's head, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
299mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1051** poster

1978  
Ilford, Melbourne Field, 24 to 29 April,  
Duo Fabry, tight wire,  
Brian Austen's African Lions,  
Brassy Searle's Andalusian Horses,  
Austen Brothers Equine Carousel,  
Alun Davies and his 10 Poodles,  
Gina, 'in the silver moon',  
Michael Austen's Indian Elephants,  
Laredo Cowboys, rodeo riders,  
Tommy De-Vel and his Girlfriends,  
Dakota Red Indians,  
Colour illustration of a lion's head, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
299mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1052** poster

1977  
Keswick, Crossings Field, 8 to 10 September,



Brian Austen's African Lions,  
Duo Fabry, tight wire,  
The Lesters, trampoline gymnasts,  
Austen Brothers Shetland Ponies,  
Peter Lord, ringmaster,  
Amanda, aerialist,  
Scott's Californian Sea Lions,  
Ursulasz, sword balancers,  
Maxims Leopard Illusion,  
Alun Davies and his 10 Poodles,  
Dakota Troupe, rodeo,  
Oxo and Company, clowns,  
Michael Austen's Indian Elephants,  
Background yellow, lettering black and red,  
Printed by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
251mm x 446mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1053** poster

1979  
Evesham, Crown Meadow, 3 to 8 July,  
Magyarz Cascading Stars,  
Alun Davies and his Poodles,  
Austen Brothers Camel Carousel,  
Brian Austen's African Lions,  
Julianna, 'queen of the silver thread',  
Sovereign the Golden Palomino,  
Austen Brothers Arabian Horses,  
Tovarich, trapeze,  
Michael Austen's Indian Elephants,  
Sonya and Amanda, 'sky high girls',  
Patrick Austen's Comedy Car,  
Rancheros,  
Colour illustration of a lion's head, main background blue, lettering multicoloured on multicoloured backgrounds,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
300mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1054** Poster

No date  
Poster in Dutch,  
Arnhem, Rijnhal, 12 to 16 March,  
Dr Haze v the X-Factor,  
Colour photograph of two performers, one with white face makeup and sharp finger nails inside some form of cage, the other wearing a black top hat and black glasses, background black and red, lettering multicoloured,

297mm x 419mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1055** poster

1987  
St Albans, Londond Road, Fair Ground, 28 September to 4 October,  
Ringland's Arabian Liberty Horses,  
Ben Atlas and Partners, balance act,  
Aissa and Hayat, jugglers,  
Pindar Brothers, comedy revolving ladder,  
Cowboys and Indians, fire eating, knife throwing,  
The 8 Nevadas,  
Trick Riding Rodeo,  
Professor Wotnot and Company, clowns,  
Duo Galos, sky trapeze,  
The Julians, high perch gymnasts,  
Austen Brothers Asian Elephants,  
Colour illustrations of a woman sitting on an elephants trunk and a Na-  
tive American wearing a war bonnet, background blue with multicoloured  
sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
420mm x 596mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1056** poster

No date  
Blackburn, Witton Park, 18 to 23 April,  
The Dakota Troupe, 'Red Indian Rodeo',  
Colour illustration of a Native American wearing a war bonnet, back-  
ground blue, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
439mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1057** poster

No date  
Blackburn, Witton Park, 18 to 23 April,  
Colour illustration of a giant lion roaring, with smaller images of a lion  
sitting on a pedestal and another lion jumping over a bar held up by its  
trainer,  
Printed by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
439mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1058** poster

No date  
Blackburn, Witton Park, 18 to 23 April,

Colour illustration of many circus acts including two clowns, a woman on horseback and two women riding elephants, background blue, lettering white, yellow and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
436mm x 639mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1059** poster

1975  
Southport, Princes Park, 25 to 31 August,  
Background white with a blue section, lettering orange, white and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
494mm x 751mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1060** poster

No date  
Keswick, Townsfield, 25 to 26 June,  
Red line illustration of an elephant holding signs saying 'Book Early' and 'Don't Forget', background white with a blue section with white stars and a white silhouette of the big top, lettering red, black and blue,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
379mm x 491mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1061** poster

No date  
Keswick, High Hill, The Crossings, 12 to 13 September,  
Background white with a blue section, lettering orange, white and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
506mm x 753mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1062** poster

1975  
Birmingham, Pype Hayes Park, 26 to 31 May,  
Background white with a blue section, lettering orange, white and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
507mm x 758mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1063** poster

No date  
Ilford, Melbourne Field, 24 to 29 April,  
Background white with blue and yellow sections, lettering multicoloured,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1064** poster

1979

Blackburn, Witton Park, 18 to 23 September,  
Background white with blue sections, lettering yellow, red and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
506mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1065** poster

1984

Oxford, Oxpens, 10 to 15 April,  
Background white with blue sections, lettering yellow, red and black,  
Printed in England by W E Berry LTD, Bradford,  
509mm x 757mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1066** poster

No date

Crystal Palace,  
Background white with blue section, lettering multicoloured,  
1014mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1067** Poster

No date

Poster in Dutch,  
Arnhem, Rijnhal, 12 to 16 March,  
Dr Haze v the X-Factor,  
Monochrome green photograph of a woman with sharp fangs, background  
black, lettering green and white,  
590mm x 837mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1068** poster

No date

Manchester, Old Smithfield Market Site, 14 to 25 February, extended to  
10 March,  
Dr HAZE v The X Factor,  
Pierrot Bidon, director,  
Dani Behr as Cruella E Ville,  
Macabra,  
Daemonia,  
Pandaemonia,  
Umbra,  
Penumbra,  
The Executioner,  
Exocet,

Scud,  
Humungus,  
Phantom,  
Brain Damage,  
Quasi and Druid,  
Dead Celebrities The Late Queen Victoria,  
J Major Esq,  
Sin Bad and the Pygmy Flesh-Eaters,  
Colour illustration of a women with red eyes and sharp fangs leaping towards the observer, purple cityscape in the background, lettering multicoloured,  
Digital Graphics by If (Image Factory),  
420mm x 592mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1069** Poster

No date  
Camden, The Roundhouse, 21 January to 21 February,  
Colour photograph of several circus acts gathered about a fire, including clowns, a dwarf on a motorbike and a trapeze artist, background pink, lettering white, green and black,  
Designed by Tony Shuker,  
420mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1070** Poster

1976  
The bottom part of a poster with a colour illustration of a man being fired from a cannon,  
Colour illustration shows the legs and feet being fired from a cannon decorated with the American flag, background abstract image of the circus ring in blue and yellow, lettering black and white,  
Illustration signed B Napoli,  
Fraire, Via Crivelli, 9 Roma, 1976,  
1394mm x 1002mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1071** poster

1997  
Yarmouth, Hippodrome, Sunday 7 September,  
The Flying Rodogels,  
Eva Garcia,  
Alex Splattero,  
Sally Ann Roncescu,  
Charlie & Scruffy,  
Jonut Roncescu,  
Doreen Duggan,

Joe Fossett,  
Rebecca Langton,  
Casa Blanca Troupe,  
Dickie Chipperfield's lionesses,  
Beranger,  
Troupe Naydkine,  
Phillip & Carol Gandey's Big & little horses,  
Kim Rossouw,  
Tony Rossouw,  
Paul Winston,  
Ben Jay,  
Joe Jay,  
Jack Jay,  
Johnnie Thomas,  
justin Symonds,  
Laura Nockolds,  
Laura Dagless,  
Stephanie King,  
Andy Payne,  
Patrice,  
Adrian Ramos,  
Anthony Rossouw,  
John Henry Thurston,  
Christopher Ramos,  
Colour photograph of water fountain and performers on bottom section  
and colour illustration of equestrian performers on two white horses above,  
also gold and blue scroll around the edges and signed by Peter and Chris-  
tine Jay,  
296mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1072** poster  
1949-1950  
Manchester, 23 December to 18 February,  
Colour illustration of cartoon lion dressed as ringmaster standing by the  
list of acts, red, black and blue type on off white background,  
Printed by Electric (M) Printing Co., Ltd, Manchester, 8,  
322mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1073** poster  
1963-1964  
Manchester,  
Lions and leopards presented by Terry Duggan,  
Alcaraz,  
The Marialex,  
The Morles,

Nadia Houcke's 8 Liberty horses,  
Robin, strong man,  
Susan Saren,  
Biros Group,  
Madjaros,  
The Wolmedays,  
The Six Celes,  
The 3 Austins, clowns,  
4 Sulky ponies,  
2 Tacomas,  
Renate & Co,  
Robert Bros. miniature elephants,  
Nicolodis Truppe,  
Colour illustration of plate spinner, female monocycle performer, four lions  
and a female foot acrobat on left section over a yellow background and  
black white, blue, yellow, red and green type on multicolour backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
320mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1074** poster

1965-1966  
Manchester,  
Charles Illeneb's acrobatic polar bears,  
The Blackwenns,  
The Austins, clowns,  
Marian's chimps,  
Smart's 12 black Friesians,  
The Amazing Weyganda, magic act,  
The Iran Boys,  
The Vattas, juggling act,  
Hiawatha comedy dogs,  
The Five Zabattas, clowns,  
Les Echellettes,  
Len, Alby, Ross, Tizzy, clowns,  
Gwyn's, trapeze act,  
Les Petroffs,  
Spotted horses and ponies,  
The 3 Ramanofs,  
Old Regnas, comedy dog and mule,  
5 gigantic elephants,  
Colour illustration of four polar bears performing, a woman riding an  
elephant, a clown holding a chimpanzee and a Native American on the  
left over a yellow background, black, red, green, yellow, blue and white  
type on multicolour backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

318mm x 508mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1075** poster

1952-1953  
Manchester, Friday 19 December to Saturday 14 February,  
Tarzan with eleven lions,  
Hagenbeck's Liberty horses,  
Charly Bohm and his famous chairs,  
Chimpanzees,  
Klein Family, trick cyclists,  
Viril the golden wonder,  
Sons of the Midnight Sun, acrobatic act,  
Cockatoos and pigeons,  
Bario and Barios, clowns,  
Red and black type on off white and yellow background with red and black  
illustrations of circus acts in the corners, including a man balancing chairs  
with his mouth, rearing horses, clowns and chimpanzees,  
Printed by Electric (Modern) Printing Co, Ltd, (T.U.) Waterlood Road,  
Manchester 8,  
317mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1076** poster

No date  
De Gracia's performing elephants,  
Jack Carson and Co,  
Jix, Jax, Max, comedy act,  
3 Van Normans, comedy act,  
7 Gridneffs 7, equilibrist act,  
Field and Chase, comedy act,  
Mdlle. Marita and her performing bulls,  
Harry Holt presents Oxford Five, cycling act,  
The Famous Duncan's Scotch collies,  
Mdlle. Marjorie with her horses,  
Tony Grice Trio, clowns,  
Los Alegris,  
Capt. R. Chipperfield with his lions,  
Red and blue type on white background and illustration of clown's face  
on top left corner,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
260mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1077** poster

1954-1955  
Empire Theatre, Victoria Square, Belfast, commencing 22 December,



Red and blue illustration of clown's face in the centre over a white background and black type,  
Printed by Wilsons Printers, Leicester,  
508mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1078** poster

1955-1956  
Manchester, 23 December to 18 February,  
Colour illustration of various circus acts including a bear riding a scooter, a tiger leaping over a lion and a leopard, two clown faces, a lady with two white dogs, an elephant and two white horses over a blue background,  
Printed by Electric (M) Printing Co., Ltd, Manchester, 8,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1079  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1079** poster

1955-1956  
Manchester, 23 December to 18 February,  
Colour illustration of various circus acts including a bear riding a scooter, a tiger leaping over a lion and a leopard, two clown faces, a lady with two white dogs, an elephant and two white horses over a blue background,  
Printed by Electric (M) Printing Co., Ltd, Manchester, 8,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1078  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1080** poster

1952-1953  
Manchester, 19 December to 14 February,  
Colour illustration of various circus scenes in a circus ring around a large portable drum, including Tarzan with lions, clowns, chimpanzees wearing Mexican hats, equestrian acts, chair balancing and trapeze acts,  
Printed by Electric (M) Printing Co., Ltd, Manchester, 8,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1081** poster

1950-1951  
Manchester, 22 December to 17 February,  
Colour illustration of three large clown heads on the right and circus acts coming out of the end of a large sousaphone and red and black type on yellow background,  
Printed by Electric (M) Printing Co., Ltd, Manchester, 8,  
505mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178R47.1082** poster  
 1960-1961  
 7 December to 30 January,  
 Grand international circus, menagerie and all the fun of the fair,  
 Colour illustration of outline of clown's torso on bottom section in gold  
 and purple over a white background and white and black type over purple  
 background on top section,  
 508mm x 763mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.1083** poster  
 1976-1977  
 7 December to 29 January,  
 Colour illustration of outline of clown's face in the centre in a circle in  
 yellow, red and white with black outline and borders and combined red,  
 yellow and black type,  
 508mm x 758mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.1084** poster  
 1966-1967  
 9 December to 28 January,  
 Colour illustration of clown torso hanging from a trapeze in black over a  
 red background and black and white type,  
 505mm x 760mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.1085** poster  
 1980-1981  
 2 December to 24 January,  
 Colour illustration of clown emerging from the top of a water fountain  
 in yellow, orange, blue and white over a yellow and blue circle with the  
 name of events and rides around the edges in black type and white, orange,  
 yellow and black type on blue, orange and white background and black on  
 bottom section,  
 Designed and produced by Peter A. Menzies , Advertising, Glasgow,  
 508mm x 760mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178R47.1086** poster  
 1964  
 Manchester,  
 Captain Sidney Howes and his famous Jungle Queens, 8 African lionesses,  
 Five Ferkos,  
 The Austins,  
 Indiska Papegojor, Indian parrot revue,  
 Fossett's 8 Royal Welsh ponies,

Len, Noe-Noe, Alby and Ross, clowns,  
De Boor,  
3 Vallys,  
Dubskys, football dogs,  
Trio Merzari,  
2 Aquaninos, trapeze act,  
Gentleman Jack,  
The Four Fialas, ladder balancing act,  
the Degards, equilibrist act,  
Lerche & Lerche, comedy act,  
Chief Grey Arrow,  
Ivor Rosaier's 5 gigantic elephants,  
Black, white, yellow and red type on yellow, red, black, green and blue  
backgrounds with colour illustrations of elephants, dogs playing football,  
white horses and a clown laughing around the text,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
319mm x 522mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1087** poster

1956  
Mafeking, Friday 29 June,  
Die Marsbewoners Kom Saam Met,  
Colour illustration of male and female trapeze act hanging from a flying  
saucer in white, orange, yellow, blue and black blocks of colour, location  
and date glued to the bottom section, signed by Pager,  
Printed by Aerigan Entertainments (Pty) Ltd, Central Press Durban,  
503mm x 753mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1088** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of two elephants standing on circus platforms, over a  
red and orange background and a clown's face in a circle on top right,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1089** poster

1956  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger's head over a black background and  
blue, yellow and red type, location and date glued to the bottom section,  
signed by Pager,  
Printed by Aerigan Entertainments (Pty) Ltd, Central Press Durban,  
486mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1090** poster

No date

Colour illustration of heads of two clown's on bottom left, followed by two elephants ridden by women in bikinis and a female riding a white horse,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
509mm x 755mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1091** poster

1956

Milner Park, South car park, Saturday 17 December to Saturday 7 January,  
3 Rubatis, clowns,  
Tickey, atom & Francesco Crazy-Car,  
Rolf Pribyl, tighrope act,  
June's Boston Football Terriers,  
the Tuscans, comedy act,  
Educated Apes,  
Elephants introduced by Stanley Boswell,  
Les Petroff,  
The Maravilhas Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Ahn Bahn, horse presented by Peter Charter,  
Bialla, magic act,  
Lions presented by Carl Fischer,  
2 Heinkes, cycling act,  
Six Arab stallions,  
Four Flying Olympics, aerial act,  
South Africa's National Circus,  
Yellow, white, blue and red type on red, white, yellow, green and blue backgrounds and black and white photographs of some of the acts along the right and left edges,  
480mm x 715mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1092** poster

1956

Maribogo, Thursday 28 June,  
Sir Robert Fossett's Royle Bengal tigers presented by Vaclav Benes,  
Sidney, kangaroo,  
Sensational Micheline, trapeze act,  
Die Roos-Indiaan-Trotseer Fantasie, aangebied deur Harry Carre,  
The Trio Hoganas, wire act,  
Jumbo die olifant in oerwoudfantasie,  
Les Golden Mallings, acrobatic act,  
Le Cosmo se Vlieënde Pierings,  
The Paco Perez Company, clowns,  
Gemengde Groep Ysbere aangebied deur Hans Kreft,

Lulu's Dogs,  
Die 6 Carlettos, acrobatic act,  
Charlie Bale,  
Roomse-Ruiter deur Maurice Carre,  
Norwegian stallions presented by Madame Wilkie,  
Die 4 Kents, balancing act,  
The Dancing Waters,  
White, orange and red type on blue, white, orange and red backgrounds  
with location and date glued on top section and blue and white pho-  
tographs of some of the acts along the right and left sides,  
Printed by Central Press, Durban,  
497mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1093** poster

1980  
1777-1980 Anniversary Show, Aberdeen, The Queens Link, Thursday 17  
July to Wednesday 13 August,  
Colour illustration of circus animals including elephants ridden by women,  
tigers, horses, camel and leopard and a clown's face in the centre on a blue  
and red background, also programme on the bottom section on black type  
over yellow background,  
212mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1094** poster

No date  
Section of poster regarding advance booking office information, black type  
on white background,  
385mm x 155mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1095** poster

1936  
Belle Vue, Manchester,  
Black type with illustration of two horses rearing on either side of a circle  
containing the head of a laughing clown, on salmon colour background,  
Mr Oscar, animal trainer,  
Mons. Sobsky's Dogs,  
Herr Fischer, the White Rider, equestrian act,  
The Nanking Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Erik Hubert & Co., comedy acrobatic equestrian act,  
4 Urbanis 4, equilibrist act,  
Max Schumann,  
Pietro's unrideable mules,  
Veloz and Bonita,  
4 Avantis 4, balancing act,

Fritchie,  
Marion Company, motorcycling thrills,  
3 Van Normans, comedy act,  
Manley and Austin,  
3 Daniels, clowns,  
Ernst Schumann, Liberty horses,  
Printed by Mark Buckley, Printers, Openshaw Printing Works,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1096  
170mm x 315mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1096** poster

1936  
Belle Vue, Manchester,  
Black type with illustration of two horses rearing on either side of a circle  
containing the head of a laughing clown, on salmon colour background,  
Mr Oscar, animal trainer,  
Mons. Sobsky's Dogs,  
Herr Fischer, the White Rider, equestrian act,  
The Nanking Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Erik Hubert & Co., comedy acrobatic equestrian act,  
4 Urbanis 4, equilibrist act,  
Max Schumann,  
Pietro's unrideable mules,  
Veloz and Bonita,  
4 Avantis 4, balancing act,  
Fritchie,  
Marion Company, motorcycling thrills,  
3 Van Normans, comedy act,  
Manley and Austin,  
3 Daniels, clowns,  
Ernst Schumann, Liberty horses,  
Printed by Mark Buckley, Printers, Openshaw Printing Works,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1095  
170mm x 315mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1097** poster

1935-1936  
Commencing 21 December,  
Black type on green background,  
Mons. Alfred's mixed group of animals,  
Roman Quadriga, equestrian act,  
Mlle. Thyra Pfanner, equestrian act,  
The Naitto Troupe, wire walking act,  
9 Gondor 9 ferenc Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Chocolate & Company, clowns,

5 Carlton Sisters 5,  
Theodore & Charley, clowns,  
The Four Rastellis, comedy acrobatic act,  
The Fontner Family,  
The Hermans, balancing act,  
Svend Anthony, Andy Anderson, Tommy Goodall, clowns,  
Skola Bros, acrobatic act,  
Circus Mieke Kolzer Liberty horses,  
Printed by W. Paterson & Co, Printers, 255 Ashton Old Road, Manchester  
11,  
150mm x 368mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1098** poster  
1952  
From 13 December to 7 February,  
Two smiling black sea lions on a podium underneath a yellow image of a  
world,  
320mm x 200mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1099** poster  
No date  
Add-in for poster information,  
Cartwright flats,  
Red bold text on white background, details of showtimes, days and loca-  
tion,  
290mm x 230mm  
  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1100** poster  
1956  
Collingy, from Friday 22 June,  
Yellow and black background, tigers head in the upper left and a clown  
in the upper right corner, contains black and white photographs of tigers,  
aerial acts, and other performers,  
acts include overture by circus orchestra,  
Bengal tigers presented by Vaclav Benes,  
mixed bears presented by Hans Kreft,  
Sensational Micheline, trapeze act,  
Jumbo, elephant act,  
water entree a clown performance,  
The Trio Hoganas, Swedish wire act,  
The Red-Indian Braves Fantasy,  
Les Golden Malings, acrobat's presenting Golden Men,  
Sydney, boxing kangaroo,

The Paco Perez Company, spanish clowns,  
Lulu's dogs, dog act,  
Norwegian Stallions presented by Madame Wilkie,  
Charliw Bale, roller act,  
Roman Riding by Maurice Carre,  
The Four Kents, unicycle act,  
The Six Carlettos, acrobatic performance,  
teddie bears picnic,  
Le Cosmo's Flying Saucer, aerial performers from Paris Colossal Velodrome D' Hiver,  
Miraculous Dancing Waters presented by W.H. Wilkie and organist Pier-son Webber,  
add-on section with red text includes prices, dates and location,  
360mm x 950mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1101** poster

No date  
Picadilly, Haringay arena, from December 21 to January 28,  
Poster has multicoloured text on white background with man in green jacket and top hat riding a grey horse,  
Sensational Alzanas high-wire act,  
tiger act presented by Giblert Houche,  
Enrico Caroli Troupe pyramid jockey act,  
elephants and zebras by Chipperfield,  
Les Framcesco, clown family,  
comedy chimps, presented by Coll,  
Paul's Poodles, dog act,  
Kimris, aerial performer,  
5 Eriksons, Swedish equilibrists,  
Les 3 Norbertys, trapeze act,  
La Balo Misteriosa,  
Miss Conchita and the Girls of the Moon,  
Myrons 4 Georgys,  
Albert and Ernst Schumann, 50 strong horse act,  
directed and produced by Clem Butson,  
500mm x 750mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1102** poster

No date  
From December 22 to Jan 30,  
Yellow text on red background, monkey in clothes in top left hand corner,  
large elephant in middle bottom of poster with clown on head, horse and leopard in right bottom hand corner and polar bear in bottom left hand corner,



500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1103** poster

1976  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from 31 May,  
White text on blue background, two clown portraits alongside the right  
hand side of the poster one wearing a blue jacket and red bowler hat, the  
other wearing yellow jacket and black hat, white background has yellow  
stars to decorate,  
560mm x 870mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1104** poster

No date  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Yellow background with large clown face in upper right hand corner with  
a single tooth, under the text there's circus performers, including a clown,  
a bull and a ring master in a top hat and high heels with bows around the  
ankles,  
560mm x 870mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1105** poster

1970  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Yellow background with large circus performer in the middle dressed in  
blue and white feathered dress with hair in ponytail and red lipstick, white  
stars on background,  
560mm x 870mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1106** poster

No date  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from May 30 to September 17,  
Orange and yellow background featuring man and woman on a brown  
horse, the man is wearing an orange suit and the woman a white flamenco  
dress with orange edge with feathers in her hair,  
560mm x 870mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1107** poster

1969  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth from June 1  
Yellow background containing large elephant head with red cloth deco-  
ration and tusk decoration, woman sits on elephants head wearing blue  
bikini outfit and matching shoes and white feathered head-dress and cane,

560mm x 870mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1108** poster

1974  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from May 27,  
Colour illustration of Cossack rider in red outfit and white Russian hat riding under the belly of a brown horse, white, yellow and red type on yellow background and ring master in top left corner wearing a red jacket a black top hat and a cane,  
560mm x 870mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1109** poster

No date  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Painted poster for 50th year of this particular circus, blue, yellow, red and pink coloured design, pink elephant's head in the top middle section, two clowns with red noses underneath text, monkey playing a drum in bottom left hand corner in blue hat, red jacket and blue trousers,  
560mm x 870mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1110** poster

1947  
Royal Hippodrome, Belfast, commencing December 24,  
Poster describes acts on red, yellow and blue background with black text,  
5 lions presented by Simon Perssons,  
Portland Ponies, horse act,  
The Comerford Trio,  
8 Ace Girls,  
Marquis, chimpanzee act,  
Meyand, unicycle juggler,  
Toni, Tine and Tony, fiddling funsters,  
Yodelling Rangers,  
Jason equestrian act,  
Buffalo Bill, shooting display,  
Lotus and Jose, roller balancing act,  
Gudzow and acrobatic dogs, dog act,  
Dubskys, clown act,  
Romeo and Juliet, baboon act,  
Geraldo's Liberty Horses, horse act,  
Tovarich Troupe, equilibrist act,  
Detroy Bros. and Jean, wire walking act,  
Frank Rea, circus orchestra,  
La Piaia, exotic performer,

500mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1111** poster

1948

Royal Hippodrome, Belfast from Friday 24 December,  
6 tigers presented by Gilbert Houcke,  
Skating typhoons,  
The four internationals,  
the 8 ace girls,  
Dandy Mery, acrobatics on trapeze,  
Billie Mann and Harry Paulo,  
3 Lesters, cycling trampolinests,  
Eddie O' Doherty, singer,  
Olga and Frederico, Mexican riding act,  
Maxamillian's sea-lion act,  
Bears presented by Chapman,  
Ponies presented by Valesco,  
Lily Marlene, elephant performer presented by James Duffy,  
Emperor, dancing horse act,  
Ronnie Brohn circus orchestra,  
2 Dalwigs, equilibrist act,  
Alex and Nico, clowns,  
Shek Ben Ali, Indian magician,  
Henri Vadden and Girls, performers, juggling and balancing,  
Molliers Brothers, Perch act,  
Printed by Wilsons in Leicester  
500mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1112** poster

1950

Royal Hippodrome, Belfast,  
from Friday December 22,  
Bengal tigers presented by Gilbert Houcke,  
June & Madge, horse riders,  
Little Fred, singing act,  
Horse act presented by Miss Gilbert,  
Ponies prented by Emily Paula,  
Monkey act presented by Mantovani,  
Ballerina on horseback,  
Big William clow act,  
Sandman circus band act,  
Elephants and donkeys,  
2 Morellos juggling act,  
3 Kovacs, acrobots on trampolines,  
Carlomedini trio, Italian clowns,

3 Andoras, perch act,  
Trio Dalcy Parisian jugglers,  
Stevil Sisters contortionists,  
Carsony Brothers, acrobatic equilibrists from Vienna,  
Shek Ben Ali Indian magician,  
6 Santiagos, juggling act,  
2 clerans, aerial performers,  
500mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1113** poster

1955-1956  
Manchester, from December 23,  
Poster on card,  
Managed by R.M.Dixon, Ringmaster George Lockhart,  
Blue background and yellow text and accents,  
Acrobatic act, brown bear, tiger, two white horses with red decoration,  
grey elephant with white headdress and woman riding, lion , two dogs  
with master in red suit and hat,  
Printed by Electric (Modern) Printing Co. Ltd, Manchester,  
320mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1114** poster

1969-1970  
Manchester, from December 19 to February 7, Poster on card,  
image of tiger, orange, black stripes and white accents on fur, man stood  
beside tiger and smaller white and black image of tiger to the right, book-  
ing information along the bottom,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,  
310mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1115** poster

1971  
Manchester, from December 23 to February 6,  
Blue background, woman on tightrope dressed in pink, clown in yellow  
watching and clapping,  
Roberts Bros lions presented by Captain Syd Howes,  
Peter Bento musical clown act,  
Manuela trapeze artist,  
4 Rosarios, ladder of fame act,  
Smarts liberty horse act presented by Yasmin and Jennie,  
Rybecks boxing bears,  
Acrobatic Atlantas,  
6 Biros act,  
Bento and Co comedy boxing act,

Clowns Jacko, Noe-Noe, Alby and Little Billy,  
Les Cordena, dancing girls act,  
Bassi act,  
Tarras Boulba act,  
Steckel magic act,  
2 Galettis, live wire act,  
Smarts 5 elephants presented by Billy Wilson Smart,  
310mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1116** poster

1968-1969  
Manchester, from 20 December to 8 February,  
Lions presented by Carl Fischer,  
6 Sallais muscle act,  
horse act ft. Diana Benneweis and Claus Jespersen,  
2 Ferenczi unicycle act,  
Gun men act,  
Little Terry and Teddy,  
Dog act by Evelyn Hans,  
Quartet Michael, rod, pole and perch act,  
Trio Itala act,  
The Mad Caps, comedy acrobat act,  
Horse act presented by Claus Jespersen,  
Clowns, Jacko, Will and Noe-Noe,  
Nicolodis troupe, acrobatic act,  
3 Martinys clown act,  
Elephants, presented by Bobby Roberts,  
Printed by W.E.Berry Ltd Bradford,  
310mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1117** poster

1969-1970  
Manchester, from 19 December to 7 February,  
Image of tiger, orange, black stripes and white accents on fur, man stood  
beside tiger and smaller white and black image of tiger to the right, book-  
ing information along the bottom,  
Tiger and bear act presented by Eugen Weidmann,  
Schlingodd troupe, spring act,  
Willi Mullens horse act,  
Robert Bros. pig act,  
Strong man Samson and Delilah,  
Cavedos trio act,  
Walter and Ci,  
Pigeons by Miss Wendy,  
Clowns Alby, Jacko, Noe-Noe and Billy,

Nadia and Congo, gorilla,  
Robert Bros elephant act,  
Little Terry and Teddy,  
The Riding Machine act,  
Circusettes,  
Sandri di Scala latter with Miss California,  
Anna Schlingloff act,  
Inaros Sisters,  
The Salvador Troupe,  
Armand Elleano live wire act,  
Les Chabres dog and pony act,  
Tiger riding horse with a dog presented by Harry Belli,  
Printed by W.E.Berry Ltd, Bradford  
310mmx 510mm  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd. Bradford,  
310mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1118** poster

1971-1972

Manchester, from December 22 to February 5th,  
Dark background with white horse and man riding horse dressed in white  
with hat on also in white. Horse is on hind legs. 3 blue 2 yellow lights in  
background,

Sir Robert Fossett's elephants act,  
2 Sandros, juggling act,  
Linda and Lisa, trapeze act,  
Pony act by Fossett,  
Gay Ghezzi house building act,  
Porto Ricos acrobatic act,  
Elaine Baraton act,  
6 Herculeans, comedy acrobats,  
Biassini Troupe, trick cyclists act,  
Clowns, Jacko, Billy and Jimmy,  
Circusettes act,  
Dog act presented by Phyllis Allan,  
Gugeles and Co clown act,  
Jerry, Jimmy and Johnny riding act,  
4 Streckels double ladder act,  
Horse act by Katja Schumann's,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
310mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1119** poster

1972-1973

Manchester, from December 21 to 3 February,

2 clowns and 4 white horses then a list of acts as follows,  
Robert Bros elephants,  
Koon, Chinese contortionists,  
2 Tornados, blade act,  
5 Rodolfos, juggling act,  
Jumping Jack, trampoline act,  
Boginos, cycling act,  
Kocka Troupe, springing act,  
David Rosaire dog act,  
Jane Delbosq aerial act,  
4 Brizio comedy act,  
2 Svenssons riding act,  
Clowns, Jacko, Little Billy and Jimmy,  
Wong Chun Lan, magic act,  
Robert Bos horse act,  
Printed by W.E. Berry Ltd Bradford,  
310mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1120** poster  
1962-1963  
Manchester, poster on card,  
Mills animal group of tigers, pumas and leopards presented by Bella  
Roucka,  
Zacchino trio clowns,  
Ben-Hur,  
Les Acrobatic Rivas,  
Costa Kruse's elephant act,  
3 Alfredos act,  
Monroe act,  
Liberty horse act presented by Norman Barrett,  
The Four Harstons, Risley Quartet,  
Spider Austin,  
Rivas Troupe, juggling act,  
Clowns,  
Miss Kitty dog act,  
Los Bendichos, trapeze comedy,  
Tamara, trampoline act,  
2 Chesners, cycling act,  
Chimpanzees presented by Sylvano,  
Hassani Troupe, acrobatics,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
310mm x 51mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1121** poster  
1976-1977

Manchester, 23 December to 5 February,  
tiger and woman on blue background, woman wearing pink crop top and  
pink bottoms,  
Chipperfields tiger act,  
Mimo Veneziano juggling act,  
Chipperfields high school act,  
Elephant act,  
Jenny, rope act,  
Ponie by Tommy Roberts,  
Herculeans acrobatic act,  
Jumping Jumbos, elephant springboard act,  
Clons, Jacko and Billy,  
Remo and Jenny, aerial trapeze act,  
6 Halfwits act,  
6 Lukacs springboard acts,  
Richters riding troupe,  
Printed by W. E. Berry,  
340mm x 500mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1122** poster

1974-1975

Manchester, December 20 to 1 February,  
red, pink and white writing on black background, large clown with red  
nose dressed in red coat with pink bow tie and red and yellow hat on  
left hand side, on the right hand side a white horse with cowboy rider,  
an elephant with pink head coverings, indian men, a ringmaster with red  
coat, a top hat and blonde hair,  
5 elephants from Rober Brothers,  
Duo Kristoff, Hungarian Rhapsody,  
Janine, wire artist,  
Hassani Braves, tumble troupe,  
Los Malambos folk dance act,  
Kam Tai Sisters, contortionists,  
2 Istvans perch act,  
Udo Helrano's, wire act,  
Vivi sea lion act,  
Don Rafaelos rolling act,  
Michael Cheng, cycling act,  
Arakos aerial troupe,  
Bobby Hotshot gun act,  
Clowns Jacko, Jimmy, Little Billy,  
Ching Tu Cheng crackerjack act,  
Printed by W.E.Berry Ltd Bradford,  
340mm x 500mm



Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1123** poster

No date

From Dec. 23 to Jan 20, yellow poster with black and red bold text

40 horses presented by Harry Carre,

The Austin Brothers, prankster act,

Polo match,

Collie act by Duncan,

Theodore and Charley french clown act,

Sulky and riders act,

10 Mohamed Bonamannes troupe,

Bear act by Jac Gulden,

Les Violettas horse act,

Sorelle Deluca, juggling and equilibristic act,

Ilka and Ilona wire act,

Bolero presented by Ernest Carre,

Denaros act,

Abdulla horse act,

6 Brothers and sisters, Belle family horse act,

7 Alfredos,

4 Resua sisters, skating act,

6 Kohler brothers, acro act,

printed by Willsons Leicester

510mm x 320mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1124** poster

1981-1982

Saturday 26 December 1981 to Saturday 30 Jan 1982,

Manchester,

Yellow, blue, red and green poster,

2 clowns on one grey elephant painting a 'circus' sign, ring master wear-

ing red jacket and top hat looks on,

350mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1125** poster

1981-1982

Same as above: Saturday 26 December 1981 to Saturday 30 Jan 1982,

Manchester,

Yellow, blue, red and green poster,

2 clowns on one grey elephant painting a 'circus' sign, ring master wear-

ing red jacket and top hat looks on,

350mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1126** poster

1980-1981

Kelvin Hall from Dec 2 1980 to Jan 24 1981,  
Ringmaster Alfred Delbosq,  
D' Angolys juggling act,  
Less Jeys ladder balancing act,  
Castros high wire act,  
Six Ashtons acrobats,  
Elephant act by Robert Brothers,  
Three Boginos act,  
Sea lions by Clarrisons,  
Brizios, clown act,  
Svensons horse comedy act,  
Rastellis clown act,  
Dancing waters, fountain,  
Poodle act from the Wychwoods,  
Orchestra presented by Louis Freeman,  
Musical director Jack Ansell,  
image of clown floating on a fountain is central,  
380mm x 260mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1127** poster

No date

From 4 December to 27 January,  
Organe poster with picture of elephant on right hand side,  
Elephant is black wearing a cover with orange and green detail and elephant is carrying a clown dressed in green on its back,  
180mm x 430mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1128** poster

1960-1961

5 December to 28 Jan 1961,  
Orange poster with white horse on right hand side,  
Blue text reading: Carnival and black text of details,  
180mm x 430mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1129** poster

No date

6 December to 29 Jan,  
White poster with black and orange text,  
Image of clown and cowboy,  
180mm x 430mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1130** poster

No date  
6 December to 29 Jan,  
White poster with black and orange text,  
Image of clown and cowboy,  
430mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1131** poster

No date  
7 December to 30 Jan,  
White poster with black text, clown in red with red hat holding on to  
tiger in orange and black by tail,  
430mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1132** poster

1966-1967  
9 December to 28 Jan,  
Red poster with white and black text, black clown outline,  
430mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1133** poster

No date  
Blackburn Witton Park, Preston Old Road,  
Blue background with white circle in the centre. Circle contains realistic  
clown head wearing an American top hat and red nose, yellow text box  
gives further details,  
240mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1134** poster

1979-1980  
4 December to 26 January,  
White and blue poster with clown holding a ball in the centre,  
200mm x 660mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1135** Zambezi Express

No date  
Hammersmith, London, 4 September to 27 September,  
Pictures of circus artists and performers, man doing splits top centre,  
pictures as a border around the whole poster,  
300mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1136** Zambezi Express

No date

Hammersmith, London, 4 September to 27 September,

Pictures of circus artists and performers, man doing splits top centre,  
pictures as a border around the whole poster,

420mm x 590mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1137** IV Congreso Internacional Amigos Del Circo

1968

23-25 September, Barcelona,

Pablo Picasso Arlequin painting featured,

550mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1138** poster

No date

Manchester,

Polar bears, by Charles Illeneb,

Blackwenns, cycling act,

Austins, clown act,

Chimps by Marlan,

Friesians by Smart,

Weyganda, illusionist,

Iran Boys perch act,

Vattas juggling act,

Hiawatha dog act,

Five Zavattas clown act,

Echelletes ladder act,

Clowns Len, Alby, Ross, Tizzy,

Gwyn, aerial trapeze act,

Les Petroffs red indian act,

Horse act,

3 Ramanof act,

Old Regnas comedy dog and mule act,

5 elephant act,

polar bear, elephant and chimp pictures,

Printed by W E Berry,

320mm x 510mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1139** poster

No date

Manchester,

monkey playnig drum with headdress on,

Astonishing Mascotts,

Polar bears,

Three Austins comedy car act,  
Italo Medini juggling act,  
Liberty horses, Nadia,  
Fred Lony, chimp act,  
Two Corinis pole act,  
Rudi Lenz, chimp act,  
5 Elwardos acrobat act,  
Spanish High School,  
Pretty Primletty,  
Clowns,  
Smarts elephants,  
Three Lesters,  
Mills Pony Kindergarten,  
Tscheng Chinese troupe,  
Six Bertinis,  
Printed by W E Berry,  
320mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1140** poster

No date  
Manchester, December 22 to Feb 4,  
Tiger act by Maney Illeneb,  
Superman Markus muscle man,  
Arabian Liberty Greys horse act by Diana Benneweis,  
3 Austins act,  
Oklahoma Dreams Diana Benneweis and Claus Jesperson,  
Carlos Twins balance act,  
5 Golgojewes act,  
Etna fire act,  
Clowns Len, Alby, Ross, Tizzy and Will,  
Giulio Saly troupe spring act,  
Les Chabris trio clowns,  
Miss Jenny juggling act,  
Salvatore balance act,  
2 Macardis acrobats,  
Rugers chimpanzees,  
5 elephants Ivor Rosaire,  
Clown and young girl on right hand side,  
Printed by W E Berry,  
320mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1141** poster

1968-1969  
20 December to 8 Feb 1969,  
Manchester,

Blue poster with white and red text,  
Robert Bros lions and tigers,  
6 Sallais, muscle act,  
Horse act featuring Diana Benneweis and Claus Jespersen,  
2 Ferenczi bicycle act,  
Gun men,  
Little Terry and Teddy,  
Evelyn Hans dog act,  
Quartet Michaelpole act,  
Trio Itala comedy act,  
Mad Caps comedy acrobats,  
Claus Jespersen horse act,  
Clowns, Jacko, Will and Noe-Noe,  
Nicolodis acrobats,  
3 Martinys clown act,  
Bobby Roberts 5 baby elephants,  
Printed by W E Berry LTF, Bradford,  
315mm x 500mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1142** poster

No date  
9 December to 28 Jan,  
Red poster with white and black text, black clown outline,  
430mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1143** poster

No date  
11 December to 2 February,  
White poster with red and yellow detail,  
grey elephant in yellow and red tent small red clown outside tent,  
430mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1144** poster

1964-1965  
7 December to 30 Jan,  
White poster with black text, clown in red with red hat holding on to  
tiger in orange and black by tail,  
430mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1145** poster

1975  
Clown wearing yellow in the middle of the poster,  
Red and black text,

Ringmaster Alfred Delbosq,  
Seven Kludsky swing act,  
Burger sisters aerial act,  
Safar giraffe,  
Mary Chipperfield tiger act,  
elephant act,  
8 Arab stallions and Dimple shetland pony,  
Lilly Yokoi ballerina on a bicycle,  
Salvadors,  
Cina,  
Los Pampas,  
Professor Grimble,  
Orchestra Louis Freeman,  
Musical director Leslie Ansell,  
250mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1146** poster

1979-1980  
Ringmaster, Alfred Delbosq,  
Dick Franco juggler,  
Leigh Marsh dog act,  
Huesca Brothers trampoline act,  
Barbara Morris sea lion act,  
Carolis family horse act,  
Les Francescos clowns,  
Los Hermans perch act,  
Comedy Zebra,  
Jean Lemoine plate spinning act,  
William Rueda roller balancing act,  
elephant and ponies by Robert Brothers,  
Orchestra Louis Freeman, director Jack Ansell,  
Clown in yellow and red holding big blue ball,  
250mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1147** poster

No date  
Great Yarmouth Hippodrome,  
Back background, red font, image of woman with decorative underwear,  
large tiger in front of her and elephants, horse and zebra on the right  
hand side. Giraffe, chimp and horses on the left hand side, two clowns  
also pictured,  
240mm x 370mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1148** poster

1983  
Great Yarmouth Hippodrome,  
Red poster, large clown face in upper left hand side, large tiger face in  
bottom right hand side, water feature image on bottom left hand side,  
Advertisement along the bottom for wrestling Big D, Dale Martin  
Printed by W E Berry,  
500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1149** poster  
1939  
7 Gridneffs ladder act,  
Madame Christian dog act,  
Despard and Charly clowns,  
Four Smiths acrobatic act,  
3 Bartros bar act,  
3 Anjolys high perch act,  
3 Jovellis aerial display,  
Zaharoff and Don Cossack band,  
Rubio Sisters equilibrists and acrobats,  
Five Scotts equestrian act,  
Paul Paetzold and Comp cyclists,  
Red and blue type on white background,  
Printed by Jarrold and Sons LTD  
500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1150** poster  
No date  
December 23 to 7 Feb,  
Yellow border surrounding blue poster with yellow text, clown depicted  
on left upper hand side and bottom right hand side,  
500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1151** poster  
No date  
December 22 to Jan 30,  
Purple poster, with flourescent yellow and orange bold text, image of  
simplistic clown central at the bottom, yellow hair and red nose,  
500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1152** poster  
No date  
From Wednesday 4 November, Palace Theatre Manchester,  
Clown dressed in a white outfit with spots on has yellow crown on and is



holding 'K' from the 'Knights',  
Other text is purple, yellow and black,  
500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1153** poster

1969  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from 2 June,  
A variety of circus acts including aerial acts on metal contraption, dog act  
with trainer in blue gown, man balancing act kneeling down, background  
of stripey yellow and orange with white stars,  
570mm x 890mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1154** poster

No date  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from May 29,  
Orange rocket image, with one female and one male aerial performers, on  
blue background with orange, yellow and white stars, orange text on black  
cloud background,  
570mm x 890mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1155** poster

1960  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from June 4,  
Large clown face in top left, underneath text elephant in a red skirt and  
crown standing upright, a bear balancing on a ball and a sea lion perform-  
ing,  
560mm x 880mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1156** poster

1930  
Fair Field, Brougham Road, Worthing,  
Red type on off white background,  
110mm x 252mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1157** poster

Circa 1929  
Jews Meadow, Horsham, Thursday 18 September,  
Red type on off white background and red illustrations showing mainly  
wild animals and also some performers along the bottom edge including a  
clown and equestrian acts, illustration signed and dated 1929,  
134mm x 275mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1158** poster

No date

St. Placid's Field, Ramsgate, Tuesday 30 August,

Black and white illustration of elephant in a boxing ring boxing a man with its trunk on an off white background with red and black type on card,

256mm x 320mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1159** poster

Circa 1953

Croydon, 4 to 9 May,

Giant bears,

Baby Burma the elephant,

Capt. Bailey's lions,

Elladene's doggie revue,

Pimpo, comedy act,

The Powell Troupe, trapeze act,

Football horses,

Arabian horses presented by Poppette Sanger,

Fil Fil the wonder horse,

Cowboys and Indians, equestrian act,

The Infallibles,

Billy the Funny Waiter, comedy act,

Martinelly and Partner, acrobatic act,

Toy Town, equestrian act,

Black, red, yellow and blue type on yellow, red and blue backgrounds on card,

Printed by Willsons Printers, Leicester,

255mm x 380mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1160** poster

Circa 1956

Woolwich Common, Monday 20 to Saturday 25 August,

Abyssinian lions presented by D. Benson,

Elladene's doggie revue,

Miss Liliane, contorsionist act,

Arabian horses,

Llama from Peru,

Shetland ponies,

Himalayan bears presented by Patrick Freeman,

Knife-throwing,

The Juggling Greys,

Grace & Thrills on the trapeze,

Pauline, tight wire act,

Trio Jensen, balancing act,

6 Western bare back riders 6,  
Zola Bros., Timpo, Jock & Jock, Wee Georgie, clowns,  
Black type on pink background,  
Printed by Hastings Printing Co., Portland Place, Hastings,  
145mm x 228mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1161** poster

No date  
King's Californian sea lions,  
Pimpo, comedy act,  
Bert Pinder, clowning act,  
Cowboys and Indians, equestrian act,  
Elladene's doggie revue,  
Arabian horses presented by Popette Sanger,  
Toy Town Mounted Artillery,  
Fil-Fil the wonder horse,  
The Riding Texans, equestrian act,  
Llamie from Peru,  
Duart Sisters & Anton, aerial act,  
Schnaeck's chimpanzees,  
Red and blue type on white background with blue outline illustration of  
a clown and an equestrian act on the top section,  
Printed by Willsons Printers, Leicester,  
145mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1162** poster

No date  
Croydon, 4 to 9 May,  
Capt. Bailey's lions,  
Giant bears,  
Baby Burma the elephant,  
Elladene's doggie revue,  
Pimpo, comedy act,  
The Powell Troupe, trapeze act,  
Football horses,  
Fil Fil the wonder horse,  
Arabian horses presented by Poppette Sanger,  
Cowboys and Indians, equestrian act,  
The Infallibles,  
Billy the Funny Waiter, comedy act,  
Martinely and Partner, acrobatic act,  
Toy Town, equestrian act,  
Black and red type on white background and small blue illustrations on  
two lions and a clown on the top section,  
Printed by Willsons Printers, Leicester,

245mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1163** poster

No date  
St. Placid's Field, Ramsgate, Tuesday 30 August,  
Clemens Merk and his lions,  
Pimpo's wonder pigeons, dogs, ponies and monkeys,  
The Alsons, trapeze act,  
Spotted Billy the mule,  
Hot Dogs by the clowns,  
Black Eagle horse of beauty,  
Elephant barber,  
Royla Creams,  
The Five Lecardos, comedy act,  
The Finandos, equestrian act,  
Aussie the Australian kangaroo,  
Parr & Touis, boxing act,  
Jumbo,  
Mlle. Yvonne, aerial act,  
Guargs on parade,  
Capt. Barth, equestrian act,  
Red type on yellow background and red border,  
Printed by Stafford & Co., Printers, Netherfield, Nottingham,  
143mm x 227mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1164** poster

1949-1950  
Royal Hippodrome, Belfast, week commencing Friday 23 December,  
Marquis & Co. Chimpanzees,  
2 Meirs,  
8 Ace Girls,  
2 Chabris,  
Joe Breitbart, strong man act,  
3 Bassi, acrobatic act,  
Estelle, equestrian act,  
Billie Mann, Danny Daniel, Tommy Goodall,  
Yale & Diane, balancing act,  
Raymonde Marcoud, aerial act,  
5 Harstons, acrobatic act,  
Trio Paris, acrobatic comedy act,  
Li Chung Lin's 5 New China Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Trio Gombert, clowning act,  
4 Scotts,  
Detroy Bros. & Jean,  
3 Indriksons 3, aerial act,

Trio Aicha Ben Ahmed,  
Truzzi's performing dogs and ponies,  
Capitaine Roosie's lions,  
Black and red type on blue, yellow and red backgrounds,  
Printed by Willsons Printers, Leicester,  
510mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1165** poster

No date  
Den Haag, Malieveld, 1 to 20 August,  
Red, yellow and black type on blue and yellow background with colour  
illustration of large crown with lion, elephant, horse and tiger's heads  
coming out of the top section,  
593mm x 840mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1166** poster

1966  
Louvain,  
Yellow, white and black type on black, red and green,  
Printed by Bedos & Cia, Mod. Depose,  
395mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1167** poster

1978  
Colour illustration of tiger riding a white and brown horse,  
Signed on bottom right (illegible),  
710mm x 350mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1168** poster

1989  
Luzern, Allmend, 21 July to 4 August,  
Colour illustration of man fighting a crocodile on a blue, green and red  
background,  
Signed on bottom right (illegible),  
345mm x 620mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1169** poster

Circa 1974  
Colour illustration of five cartoon men in stripey suits and bowler hats  
floating around the poster over a brown background,  
Signed Stachurski on bottom right,  
Printed in Poland, Marian Stachurski

670mm x 959mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1170** poster

No date  
Cardiff, Sophia Gardens Recreation Ground, 13 to 25 September,  
Colour illustration of six lions performing in a circus ring, over a blue  
background,  
510mm x 740mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1171** poster

No date  
Olympia,  
Fluorescent yellow and white type on blue and red background, circular  
poster,  
270mm x 270mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1172** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of clown on the foreground in a white and red outfit  
and stripey white and red tights inviting the viewer into a miniature circus  
tent on the background, over a dark blue background,  
925mm x 600mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1173** poster

No date  
Colour portrait photograph of clown wearing a checked red and white  
bowler style hat and a large red with white dots bowtie,  
600mm x 910mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1174** poster

No date  
Solothurn, Dornacherplatz, Switzerland  
Friday 19 to Sunday 21 June,  
Colour illustration of clown with no facial paint, wearing a white shirt, a  
waistcoat and a pointy hat on a blue background, on bottom section black  
type on white background,  
350mm x 624mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1175** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of a clown wearing a three quarters red coat and purple  
trousers, walking on a high wire over a circus ring, while balancing a purple

top hat on his nose followed by a chimpanzee in a stripey yellow and purple t-shirt and top hat, blank section on bottom of poster for location and date,  
334mm x 615mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1176** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of laughing clown's face on a red background, inside a yellow circle, wearing a small, black bowler hat and a large blue bowtie with white spots, black and red type on green background,  
375mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1177** poster

1977  
Blankenberge,  
26 to 28 July 1977,  
White and pink type on a dark blue background and colour illustration of clown dowing a hand stand with one hand and holding a violin with the other, he is wearing a suit with international flags on it,  
422mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1178** poster

No date  
Berchem, Kleine Singel,  
Friday 27 May to Wednesday 1 June,  
Colour illustration of two clowns torsos in a yellow background with some stars, blue, red, white and black type on blue, yellow and white backgrounds,  
333mm x 650mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1179** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of five clown heads and hands holding a banner with yellow type on blue background and red type on white background,  
Printed by Aussel, Paris  
580mm x 200mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1180** poster

Circa 1960s  
Colour illustration of three clowns' torsos, the one in the middle is wearing a green jacket with yellow checked lines and is dropping a light up dynamite stick next to the one on the front who reacts scared,  
Printed by Globe Posters Corp, Chicago,

522mm x 720mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1181** poster

No date  
Tivoli,  
September 17 to October 11,  
Colour illustration of large clown's head with a surprised face, wearing a small red hat with feathers and holding a large red and white candy cane on a yellow background, also white and red, blue and black type,  
610mm x 841mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1182** poster

No date  
Colour illustration of large clown face wearing a green rounded hat with orange ribbon, rearing horse on centre left and two smaller clowns one on top right wearing an orange suit and blue ruffle neck and one riding a small motorbike wearing a blue and orange stripey suit on bottom right, over a yellow background,  
680mm x 877mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1183** Poster

1991  
Automne 1991,  
Association Nationale pour le Developpement des Arts du Cirque,  
Colour photograph of sculpture of white face clown's torso, wearing a red ruffle neck and cuffs with yellow trimming, white gloves and green jester style hat with yellow bobbles on the end of the peaks on a black background,  
400mm x 600mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1184** poster

No date  
Monte-Carlo,  
Black and yellow type on white background and colour illustration of clown's face with curly ginger hair and mustache, blending onto the background,  
Printed by Imprimerie Monegasque-Monaco,  
402mm x 600mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1185** poster

No date  
Red, blue, black and white type on yellow background and colour illustration of white and red clown's head and shoulders, pointing at the viewer,



the clown is wearing a small blue bowler hat with green ribbon, a yellow bowtie with large green polka dots with red rim and white gloves,  
Printed by De Jong - Litho, Robertson, C.P.,  
443mm x 610mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1186** poster

No date  
Brussel, Koninklijk Circus,  
26 November,  
Colour illustration of clown's head wearing a tall yellow hat and a large green and blue stripey bowtie over a red and white stripey background,  
Printed by Impresor 311,  
400mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1187** poster

Circa 1973  
Colour illustration of large clown's face on the foreground to the left, with white, red and black face wearing a small purple top hat and a large yellow bowtie with brown polka dots, circus performers on the background including animals, trapeze and high wire acts,  
Printed by Arti Grafiche Fiorin s.a.s. Via Vignola 3 Milano,  
345mm x 488mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1188** poster

1973  
Schwarzwaldhotel,  
3 February,  
Black type and full body illustration of a clown in a long dress, skis and a scarf in black on orange background,  
425mm x 605mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1189** poster

No date  
Gladbeck, Festplatz Wilhelmstr,  
Wednesday 22 to Friday 24,  
Yellow and black type on green and yellow background and colour illustration of clown's torso with white and red painted face wearing a red, blue and yellow diamond shape pattern coat and a black hat and holding a miniature of himself on the palm of his hand,  
205mm x 308mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1190** poster

1931

Burrow Hill Field, seaton, Tuesday 21 July,  
Black type on orange background with list of attractions on bottom section,  
Printed by Stuart G. Goad, Printer, Fore Street, Brixham,  
280mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1191** poster

No date  
Black type and illustrations of circus acts on green paper, including acrobatics, equestrian acts and wild animals on front and black type on reverse,  
170mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1192** poster

No date  
India's favourite show,  
Black and white photographs of circus acts including acrobatics and animal acts on a blue background with an yellow diamond shape in the centre and two orange romboid shapes on bottom section with photographs of acts inside,  
Signed Studio Saragam on bottom right,  
Printed by Prasad Process(PVT) Ltd, Madras 26,  
766mm x 1016mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1193** poster

No date  
Colour photographs of circus acts including two female Chinese acrobats in red outfits in the centre on a black background,  
300mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1194** poster

Circa 1960s  
Partington, Friday 5 and Saturday 6 June,  
Gwyn, trapeze act,  
Shetland Liberty ponies,  
Geese Twins,  
Ace, juggling act,  
Dymond, balancing act,  
Juanita,  
Borris,  
Los Santos, plate spinning act,  
Silver, equestrian act,  
Running Fox and Company,

Red, blue and black type on white, red, yellow and blue backgrounds,  
Printed by Duffin & Son Ltd, Market Street, South Normanton,  
255mm x 472mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1195** poster

1963  
The Kusicks, trapeze act,  
The Juggling Melvilles,  
Jo Jo, Starri, Cha Cha & Scats, clowns,  
Shetland ponies,  
Royall's performing dogs,  
Joe Gandey's geese,  
The High Jacks,  
Red, black and blue type on white, red, yellow and blue backgrounds,  
Printed by Duffin & Son Ltd, South Normanton, Derby,  
252mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1196** poster

No date  
Australia,  
Colour photographs of circus acts on the sides and colour balloons with  
white text and black and red type on orange background on the front,  
touring dates and booking details on reverse,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1199  
433mm x 560mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1197** poster

1967  
Palazzo dello Sport Bregamo, 6 to 7 May,  
4<sup>o</sup> trofeo Enrico Rastelli,  
Duo Boteve,  
Chong & Mana,  
Tott & Ina,  
Daviso Martini,  
Pepito Alvarez,  
Norman Crider,  
Rudy Cardenas,  
White and black type on blue, orange and white backgrounds with blue  
and white photographs of the acts on the sides in the centre,  
Printed by Poligrafiche Bolis Bergamo,  
337mm x 958mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1198** poster

No date

Denmark,  
Miss Margaret's elephants,  
Les Dinat,  
Les Craddocks,  
Nino Rubio,  
Viril,  
A & R van Bolen,  
Topsy & Brown,  
2 Oswinos,  
Gabriella,  
3 Steckels,  
Ivan Bratuchin,  
Schumanns,  
Colour illustration of circus acts on the left hand side including elephants, acrobats, sailors, equestrian acts and clowns, and white, red and yellow type on the right hand side, over green, red, blue and yellow backgrounds, 627mm x 850mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1199** poster

No date  
Australia,  
Colour photographs of circus acts on the sides and colour balloons with white text and black and red type on orange background on the front, touring dates and booking details on reverse,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1196  
433mm x 560mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1200** poster

No date  
Tom Duffy's Circus presented in collaboration with the Chinese National Circus,  
Colour illustration of a red and yellow parasol in the centre and Chinese dragon, clown's face, tiger, horse and female acrobat around it on a purple background with a yellow and red border,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1201  
322mm x 681mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

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Tom Duffy's Circus presented in collaboration with the Chinese National Circus,  
Colour illustration of a red and yellow parasol in the centre and Chinese dragon, clown's face, tiger, horse and female acrobat around it on a purple background with a yellow and red border,

Duplicate see 178R47.1200  
322mm x 681mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1202** poster

No date  
Tom Duffy's Circus presents in collaboration with the Chinese National Circus,  
Colour illustration of white horse on a round yellow background with a female Chinese gymnast on the left and black and white type on a pink and yellow background, also a Chinese dragon on bottom right and a tiger and a clown's face on bottom left,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1203  
420mm x 598mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1203** poster

No date  
Tom Duffy's Circus presents in collaboration with the Chinese National Circus,  
Colour illustration of white horse on a round yellow background with a female Chinese gymnast on the left and black and white type on a pink and yellow background, also a Chinese dragon on bottom right and a tiger and a clown's face on bottom left,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1201  
420mm x 598mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1204** poster

No date  
Tom Duffy's Circus presents in collaboration with the Chinese National Circus,  
Colour illustration of female Chinese gymnast on the top section over a yellow circle and green and white type on a pale blue and dark blue backgrounds, also a Chinese dragon on bottom right and a tiger and a clown's face on bottom left,  
296mm x 627mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1205** poster

2006  
Colour photographs of circus acts including acrobatics, aerial, clowns and animal acts,  
Left blank on bottom section for adding location and date,  
424mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1206** poster

No date

Presents in co-operation with the Chinese National Circus,  
From Tian Jin, bungee jumping spectacular,  
Imperial Chinese lions, Zhong Gou Shizi,  
Royal Bengal and Siberian tigers presented by Tommy and Marilyn Chip-  
perfield,  
The Rolling Rafas,  
The Spinning Carpets, Tao Tao,  
6 Palomino Liberty horses,  
The Silk Road, Yang Bin& Liu Jun,  
Crocodiles and snakes,  
Sophie's performing dogs,  
The Konyots, clowns,  
Aerial rope, Suyu & Shen Ni,  
Cavalcade,  
Hand balancing, Li Xuemei,  
Yellow, white and blue type on pink, pale and dark blue backgrounds and  
colour illustration of Chinese dragon's head and clown's face with Chinese  
writing on centre right,  
Left blank on bottom section for adding location and date,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1207  
451mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1207** poster

No date

Presents in co-operation with the Chinese National Circus,  
From Tian Jin, bungee jumping spectacular,  
Imperial Chinese lions, Zhong Gou Shizi,  
Royal Bengal and Siberian tigers presented by Tommy and Marilyn Chip-  
perfield,  
The Rolling Rafas,  
The Spinning Carpets, Tao Tao,  
6 Palomino Liberty horses,  
The Silk Road, Yang Bin& Liu Jun,  
Crocodiles and snakes,  
Sophie's performing dogs,  
The Konyots, clowns,  
Aerial rope, Suyu & Shen Ni,  
Cavalcade,  
Hand balancing, Li Xuemei,  
Yellow, white and blue type on pink, pale and dark blue backgrounds and  
colour illustration of Chinese dragon's head and clown's face with Chinese  
writing on centre right,  
Left blank on bottom section for adding location and date,

Duplicate see 178R47.1206  
451mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1208** poster

No date  
Nurnberg, Deutschherrnwiese, 21 to 27 October,  
Black and white type on yellow, red and blue backgrounds and black and  
white photographs of circus acts including polar bears, elephants, Chinese  
acrobatic acts, aerial act, clowns and horses,  
324mm x 627mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1209** poster

No date  
Colour photographs of circus acts including Chinese acrobats, clowns and  
tiger on an orange and green background with white stars,  
418mm x 590mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1210** poster

2012-2013  
In the grounds of Imma, Royal Hospital Kilmainham, 5 December to 6  
January,  
Colour illustration of ball mask on a blue background with colour bubbles,  
combined red and yellow type in the centre and colour photograph of clown  
and three women in red Santa outfits on bottom right corner,  
294mm x 417mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1211** poster

2009-2010  
In the grounds of the Royal Hospital Kilmainham, 28 November to 3 Jan-  
uary,  
Combined red and yellow type on a dark blue background, snowflake bor-  
ders on top and bottom section and colour photograph of clown on bottom  
right corner,  
296mm x 423mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1212** poster

2008-2009  
Royal Hospital Kilmainham, 29 November to 4 January,  
Combined red and yellow type on a wintery landscape background and  
colour photograph of clown and stuffed toy polar bears on bottom section,  
295mm x 418mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1213** poster

Circa 1988

Colour illustration of circus acts including clowns, a male trapeze act and an African warrior as well as a stripey black and white circus tent with world flags along the bottom edge,

Left blank for adding location and date on bottom section,

274mm x 505mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1214** poster

No date

Draperstown, Cattle Mart, Tuesday 11 to Wednesday 12 April,

Colour illustration of clown holding a cartooche reading A World of Circus over a black and white stripey circus tent and colour photograph of a male aerial act wearing a large white cape on top right, over a yellow and pink background,

270mm x 500mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1215** poster

No date

Colour photographs of circus acts in circles in the centre of the poster over a black background with little white lights and combined yellow and red type and an image of planet earth on top section,

Bottom section left blank for adding location and date,

Duplicate see 178R47.1216,

410mm x 626mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1216** poster

No date

Colour photographs of circus acts in circles in the centre of the poster over a black background with little white lights and combined yellow and red type and an image of planet earth on top section,

Bottom section left blank for adding location and date,

Duplicate see 178R47.1215,

410mm x 626mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1217** poster

No date

Berkine, contorsionist act,

Bactrian camels,

Oxo, Eddie and Picorette, clowns,

On top section combined red and yellow type on a blue circle and white background, in the centre colour photograph of male contorsionist and man with two camels and black, pink and red type on blue and yellow



background,  
Bottom section left blank for adding location and date,  
310mm x 640mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1218** poster

1989  
Revenge of the Ninja,  
Red and black type on white background and illustration of a ninja in the  
centre, on bottom section programme and black and white photographs  
of a man and a lioness and two acrobats walking on rolling globes,  
431mm x 617mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1219** poster

No date  
Navan, Beechmount, Sunday 12 to Sunday 19 February,  
Colour illustration of a white horse in a yellow circle on a blue background  
and yellow type, on bottom section a Chinese dragon, a tiger's head and  
a clown's face,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1220,  
595mm x 840mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1220** poster

No date  
Navan, Beechmount, Sunday 12 to Sunday 19 February,  
Colour illustration of a white horse in a yellow circle on a blue background  
and yellow type, on bottom section a Chinese dragon, a tiger's head and  
a clown's face,  
Duplicate see 178R47.1219,  
595mm x 840mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1221** poster

1967  
Greystones, Tuesday 27 June,  
The Electronic Man,  
Miss Algir, aerial act,  
Merlar and assistant, balancing act,  
The King of the Riffle,  
John,  
Wiviana, trapeze act,  
Mobida, equestrian act,  
Miss Bridgette,  
Steve McCourt and his dog King,  
Mister Walter, trick cycling act,

Benjamino and Sonja, balancing act,  
Eddie Verlain, juggling act,  
Dinelo & Yocum, clowns,  
Hymie Klotz, juggling act,  
Lu Chiang, magic act,  
Red and black type on pale yellow background and black and white photographs of circus acts,  
501mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1222** poster

1967  
Middleton, Monday 12 June,  
The Electonic Man,  
Miss Algir, aerial act,  
Merlar and assistant, balancing act,  
The King of the Riffle,  
John,  
Wiviana, trapeze act,  
Mobida, equestrian act,  
Miss Bridgette,  
Steve McCourt and his dog King,  
Mister Walter, trick cycling act,  
Benjamino and Sonja, balancing act,  
Eddie Verlain, juggling act,  
Dinelo & Yocum, clowns,  
Hymie Klotz, juggling act,  
Lu Chiang, magic act,  
Red and black type on white background and black and white photographs of circus acts,  
501mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1223** poster

1967  
Cobh, Sunday 11 June,  
The Electonic Man,  
Miss Algir, aerial act,  
Merlar and assistant, balancing act,  
The King of the Riffle,  
John,  
Wiviana, trapeze act,  
Mobida, equestrian act,  
Miss Bridgette,  
Steve McCourt and his dog King,  
Mister Walter, trick cycling act,  
Benjamino and Sonja, balancing act,

Eddie Verlain, juggling act,  
Dinelo & Yocum, clowns,  
Hymie Klotz, juggling act,  
Lu Chiang, magic act,  
Red and black type on white background and black and white photographs  
of circus acts,  
501mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1224** poster

1965  
Youghal, Tuesday 15 June,  
Medranos, high wire act,  
Lulu and Pirlre, comedy act,  
Hercules, strong man,  
Saida & partner, juggling act,  
Les Bouglion, trick cycling act,  
Madalene and partner,  
Britt Maria, trapeze act,  
Chang-Liana-Cheng,  
Porter No.13,  
Dueff, juggling act,  
Madame Yo Hard,  
Leser Troupe of Arabs, acrobatic act,  
Red and black type on yellow background and black and white pho-  
tographs of circus acts,  
500mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1225** poster

No date  
Blarney, Sunday 2 October,  
Guldan's Siberian bears,  
Kelwins, aerial act,  
Mike & Perla, juggling act,  
Lisa Vlady, acrobatic act,  
Maureen & Jorgen Gabriel, musical act,  
The Burgos, trick cycling act,  
The Ryalto Troupe, equestrian act,  
Banana, clown,  
Les Thinis Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Stankiewicz, juggling act,  
John Duffy presenting a troupe of horses and ponies,  
Miss Rosita, acrobatic act,  
Marie, juggling act,  
Rose-Resy, high wire act,  
REd and black type on yellow and red backgrounds, with black and white

photographs of the acts,  
Printed by Lee Press, Cork,  
510mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1226** poster

No date  
Cork, 6 to 8 May,  
Cecil Sheridan, comedy act,  
Hiawathas, performing prairie dogs,  
Mickser Reid,  
Oe La La,  
Tschen Maa,  
John McCormack & Co,  
Marko Kolo,  
Krusser's Troupe of midget ponies,  
Vera Morgan,  
Miss Elsa Rath,  
Carlo Miazanos,  
The Sherran Troupe of cowboys and Indians,  
Anneta,  
Red and black type on yellow background and black and white photographs of acts,  
Printed by Lee Press, Cork,  
510mm x 767mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1227** poster

1938  
Berlin Tower,  
6 Ellanos, high wire act,  
The Great Russhe Troupe of Riders,  
Nicka performing elephant,  
Performing lions presented by Topinski,  
Madame Bebe,  
Performing zebra, Jackos,  
Tschenn Maa, aerial and juggling act,  
Lanky, comedy act,  
Bobby,  
Adrianos Troupe,  
9 Crechkos, musical act  
The Westerguard Troupe,  
Ello & Jerome, comedy act,  
The Pierro Troupe, aerial act,  
Bebe, Jake, Kinks & Co,  
the Great Elando,  
Mrs Cassey,

John McCormick,  
The Two Gideons,  
Tankie, Bibi & Tinkie,  
Wiz Bang, Fritz Khann, Arab horses,  
The Tit and Tat, midget ponies,  
6 Karolys, equestrian act,  
Black and red type on yellow background with red border,  
Printed by Corrigan & Wilson Ltd, 13 Sackville Place, Dublin,  
385mm x 1010mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1228** poster

No date  
Moonhill, Frensham, 11 July to 3 August,  
Tony and his Wonder Dogs,  
Zena, Zebo & Zebra, equestrian comedy act,  
Lax & Lex, acrobatic act,  
Magic of the Orient,  
Western Pastimes,  
Trapino, trapeze act,  
Sordelo & Company,  
Quartette Pinto, tight wire act,  
Tino, Stalight & Dynamite, ponies,  
A host of clowns & Augustes,  
Red and blue type on white, red and yellow backgrounds,  
Printed by Willsons Printers, Leicester,  
205mm x 306mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1229** poster

No date  
Gunga-Din, strong man act,  
Tango, intelligent horse act,  
Fantail Fantasy with Jackobbeans,  
The Amazing Glass Tower presented by Bryan,  
Snowy the goat,  
Snakes from Africa and the Amazon,  
Fireater,  
Knife throwing with Kung Fu choppers,  
Abow Ben Adam with troupe of local acrobats,  
Big and Little, horses,  
Napolian the mule,  
Tred type on off white background,  
Printed by J. & G. Innes Ltd, Cupar,  
280mm x 442mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1230** poster

1947-1948

Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 20 December to 24 January,

Les Clerans, aerial act,

Albert Carre,

Robert Fossett Jnr, equestrian act,

Abdalah Cherifien, acrobatic act,

Charley Doubles & Pauline, high wire clowning act,

Royla Windsor lilliputian ponies presented by Joe Barry,

Rough, Ready & Jane, a pony, a dog and a donkey,

Aga Burmese elephant presented by Abdul Bey,

La Dame Blanche, equestrian act,

Sir Robert Fossett's lions presented by Captain Parsons,

Five Ralfinis, musical act,

The Dynamos, cycling act,

Sandow Sisters, trapeze act,

Miehe Pfanner Trio, comedy act,

Margaret, equestrian act,

Chief Eagle Eye & Co,

The Four Hermans, juggling act,

Chung Wong, juggling act,

Green and red type on off white background with a border of holly,

Printed by Willsons, Printers, Leicester,

324mm x 507mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1231** poster

No date

Grand Theatre, Doncaster, Monday 18 February,

Robert Bros. lions presented by Captain Yank Miller,

Earl, Vicky and Sasha, rope spinning act,

Otto Bros. comedy act,

The Four Ottowas, equestrian act,

Miss Dorothy Yelding, equestrian act,

Spangletti, comedy equestrian act,

Tex Teccla, equestrian act,

Toss Em & Miss Em,

Madame Emilie Truzzi and her educated pets assisted by Leonessa,

Joey, pony,

Jacko, monkey,

Andy & Bobbe,

Phil Williams,

Buffalo Bill,

Vicky Oakley,

bobbie Roberts Liberty ponies,

Lotus Brothers,

Romaine & Doreena, comedy acrobatic act,  
White, Blue and red type on off white background  
Printed by Taylors, Wombwell,  
314mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1232** poster

1944  
Platt Fields, Manchester, Monday 29 to Wednesday 31 May,  
The Great Rosaire Family, equestrian act featuring Le Petite, Vivian &  
Idella,  
The Flying Marentos, aerial act,  
Joanetta,  
Betsy, horse,  
Los Valentos, wire walking act,  
Little Freddy, Whisky & Poppy, clowns,  
Nobby, Billy and Crackers, Liberty ponies,  
The Lotus Bros.  
Miss Idella, equestrian act,  
The Graceful Ladies, trapeze act,  
The Bouncing Moras,  
The Marvellous Cycling Diacoffs,  
Red and blue type on off white background with crown and wings on top  
section,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
258mm x 650mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1233** poster

1946  
Tuckwells Field, Oxford, Tuesday 21 and Wednesday 22 May,  
Manya's Shetland ponies,  
Locarno's pigeons and dogs,  
Jane, monkey,  
Miss Margaret, balancing act,  
Rough & Ready,  
Taran, comedy act,  
Yolande, contorsionist act,  
Christine, equestrian act,  
Lio Hoi Tsehn,  
The Konyots, acrobatic comedy act,  
Myrtle, equestrian act,  
Miss Violette,  
Java, pony,  
Sandow Sisters, trapeze and aerial act,  
Red and blue type on off white background,

260mm x 705mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1234** poster

1948  
Welfair Field, Criggleston, Wednesday 14 July,  
Springbok and Elsie Moncaster, magic act,  
Satan, horse,  
Tex & Texie,  
Silver, pony,  
Twinkle, clown,  
Lio Hoi Tshen, aerial and juggling act,  
Wallie and Twinkle, clowns,  
Smoky,  
Desmonde,  
Beauty,  
Jock, Lightning, The Royal Clowns,  
Wally Crocker,  
Spitfire, mule,  
Geoffrey, wire walking act,  
Blue and red type on off white background,  
Printed by Gideon Shaw, The Electric Press, Castleford,  
230mm x 722mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1235** poster

Circa 1947  
Bettws-y-Coed, Monday 29 September,  
Sandow's Troupe of Shetland ponies,  
Sandow Sisters, aerial act,  
Jane, monkey,  
Tex Bowman's see-saw ponies,  
Archibald, comedy horse,  
The Texans,  
Tarran, comedy juggling act,  
Margaret, equestrian act,  
Emperor, horse,  
Lady, pony,  
Captain Joe Barrie presents Tony, equestrian act,  
Violette, high wire act,  
Myrtle,  
Christine, equestrian act,  
Rough & Ready, pony and dog act,  
Lio Hoi Tsehn,  
Longton Troupe,  
The Two Stan Leos, comedy acrobatic act,



Red and blue type on white background and blue, white and red illustration of laughing clown's head on top section,  
257mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1236** poster

No date  
St Francis Theatre, Letchworth, week commencing Monday 24 January,  
Finella, tiger,  
Royal Ponies,  
Tamborine Three, dancing act,  
Monty, tight rope walking monkey act,  
Tishy, comedy horse act,  
The Royal Tappas,  
Sloe, comedy juggler,  
Coppa Dene assisted by Jose, tight wire act,  
Royal Arco, clown,  
Babette Leoncello,  
The Royal Clowns,  
Prince Loi Tsehn,  
The Royal Bartons, acrobatic act,  
Leon Volpre presents Royal Tiny,  
The Royal Aerialists,  
Printed by Willsons Printers, Leicester,  
257mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1237** poster

1946  
Witney, The Leys, 24 April,  
The Great Blondini, tight rope act,  
Clem Merk and his lions,  
'Appy 'Arry and his donkey,  
Chowding, juggling act,  
Reco Bros. Liberty horses presented by Monsier Zigmunt,  
The Teddy Bears' tea party,  
Pancho, Prince & Ajax, horses,  
The Florida Sisters, trapeze act,  
Monkey's steeplechase,  
Comedy horses,  
Canadian Cowboys,  
Judy the chimpanzee,  
Liberty ponies presented by Mr Leonard,  
Miss Parry, dancing act,  
Black Balla, equestrian act,  
Pe-Po, 'Appy 'Arry, Spu & Potato, clowns,  
Reco & May, comedy wire act,

Amar & Alana, balancing act,  
Red and blue type on off white background and red, white and blue illustration of a clown and an equestrian act in a circus ring on top section,  
306mm x 710mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1238** poster

Circa 1946  
The Great Blondin, tight rope act,  
Clem Merk and his lions,  
'Appy 'Arry and his donkey,  
Chonw Ding, juggling act,  
Reco Bros. Liberty horses presented by Monsieur Zigmunt,  
The Teddy Bears' tea party,  
Pancho, Prince & Ajax, horses,  
The Florida Sisters, trapeze act,  
Monkey's steeplechase,  
Comedy horses,  
Canadian Cowboys,  
Judy the chimpanzee,  
Liberty ponies presented by Mr Leonard,  
Miss Parry, dancing act,  
Black Balla, equestrian act,  
Pe-Po, 'Appy 'Arry, Spu & Potato, clowns,  
Reco & May, comedy wire act,  
Amar & Alana, balancing act,  
Red and blue type on off white background,  
Printed by Willsons, King Street, Leicester,  
385mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1239** poster

Circa 1947  
Bingley Hall, Birmingham, 20 December to 24 January,  
Les Clerans, aerial act,  
Albert Carre,  
Robert Fossett Jnr, equestrian act,  
Abdalah Cherifien, acrobatic act,  
Charley Doubles & Pauline, high wire clowning act,  
Royal Windsor lilliputian ponies presented by Joe Barry,  
Rough, Ready & Jane, a pony, a dog and a donkey,  
La Dame Blanche, equestrian act,  
Aga Burmese elephant presented by Abdul Bey,  
Sir Robert Fossett's lions presented by Captain Parsons,  
Five Ralfinis, musical act,  
The Dynamos, cycling act,  
Sandow Sisters, trapeze act,

Miehe Pfanner Trio, comedy act,  
Margaret, equestrian act,  
Chief Eagle Eye & Co,  
The Four Hermans, juggling act,  
Chung Wong, juggling act,  
Green and red type on off white, green and red background with a border  
of holly,  
Printed by Willsons, Printers, Leicester,  
384mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1240** poster

No date  
Appleby-in-Westmorland, Wednesday 13 to Sunday 17 July,  
Black type on yellow background listing a range of performing animals  
and other circus acts including Eastern magic,  
423mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1241** poster

1926  
Yelverton, Wednesday 23 June,  
Robert Fossett Junior, equestrian act,  
Dolly Fairy, equestrian act,  
Mons. Otti and Lady Partner,  
Mdlle. Marie, equestrian act,  
Mdlle. Evillo, acrobatic act,  
Carrie & Dick,  
The Troupe Glorias, acrobatic act,  
Mdlle, Molas,  
M Victor,  
The Great Sandow, strongman,  
Sports of Ancient Rome, The Days of Nero,  
Wee Mee, Babs, Peter, Ginger, Tooti Too, clowns,  
Bumper the bucking mule,  
Blue and red type on white background with decorative blue border and  
portraits of Sir Robert Fossett and Robert Fossett on top section framed  
by horse shoes, an illustration of racing chariots in the centre, two clown  
heads and a bucking mule being ridden by a man on bottom section,  
383mm x 1013mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1242** poster

Circa 1930s  
Witney Recreation Groud, Tuesday 24 July,  
Cowboys & Cowgirls,  
Broncho Busters,

Royal Mizuno Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Lockhart's elephants,  
Red, black and blue type on off white background and blue and white  
illustrations of a Wild West act on top section and performing elephants  
on bottom section,  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings Printers, Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
382mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1243** poster

1928  
Saxonette, strongman,  
Dimple, comedy equestrian act,  
9 Rainbow Horses,  
Greyhound racing,  
Chang, Indian elephant, introduced by Miss Isabelle,  
Lucky Zig Zag, pony,  
The Ape Man,  
Ida, trapeze act,  
Peggy, pony,  
Robert Francis, equestrian act,  
The Arabian twin educated stallions,  
Blue and red type on white background with solid blue border and blue  
and white illustration of strongman lifting an elephant within a contrap-  
tion in the centre,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Moody Bors. Ltd, Printers, Birmingham,  
383mm x 1015mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1244** poster

1946  
The Links Nairn, Tuesday 23 July,  
Elephants, lions, tigers, bears,  
Red and blue type on off white background,  
260mm x 700mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1245** poster

No date  
Combined red, black and yellow and white, black and red type on blue  
background with roaring leopard's head within a green circle on centre  
right,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
1018mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1246** poster

No date  
Black type on green background,  
375mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1247** poster

1935  
Turyeham Recreation Ground, Brixham, Thursday 8 August,  
Group of elephants,  
Tarrazarny's Liberty horses,  
Charlie,  
The Longtons,  
Chavelier St. Cyr, equestrian act,  
Mademoiselle Isabel, equestrian act,  
Capt. Clare,  
The Monkey's Derby,  
The Margrets, acrobatic act,  
Charivari and Pony Trot,  
Those dashing men on the Flying Trapeze,  
The Ringalettos, aerial act,  
Weedoo Haut Ecole, presented by Lieut. Essmond,  
Cigarette, Castapip, Funny Felix, Simpo, clowns,  
An Act Absurd,  
The Ryans,  
Don Sabastia's orchestra,  
The Qubecs, equestrian act,  
Blue, black and red type on white background with solid red border,  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings Ltd, Printers Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
250mm x 378mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1248** poster

1931  
Bailey's dancing elephants,  
Broncho Bill's prairie spotted horses,  
Kilty lassies bagpipe band,  
Blue and red type on off white background, printed on both front and  
reverse with the same information,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings Ltd, Printers Colehill Street, Birmingham,  
510mm x 318mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1249** poster

1979  
Oxford, The Oxpens, Monday 1 to Saturday 6 October,  
Colour illustration of clown on a tightwire, playing a trumpet and holding  
a red umbrella over his head and elephant, lion and tiger on a blue back-  
ground,  
322mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1250** poster

1978  
West Bromwich, Dartmouth Park, Monday 13 to Saturday 18 November,  
Colour illustration of clown on a tightwire, playing a trumpet and holding  
a red umbrella over his head and elephant, lion and tiger on a blue back-  
ground,  
322mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1251** poster

1966  
Bedford, Cardington Road, Everard Meadow, Thursday 27 to Saturday  
29 October,  
5 elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Anton & Manet, trapeze act,  
Derrick & 3 Pretty Girls,  
Georgie and his boxing kangaroo,  
8 Royal Welsh ponies, presented by Joe Barry,  
Frankie, Whimmie, Alec, Spudo, Georgie, clowns,  
Exotic group,  
Miss Louise and her poodle revue,  
The Delrio Sisters, highwire act,  
The Two Graces, rolling globe act,  
Alec Halls,  
Tony, Jantai high school horses,  
Fossett's Arab stallions,  
Victor & Partner, acrobatic act,  
Riding Bloomfields,  
Lions and lionesses,  
Black, white, red and yellow type on multicolour backgrounds and colour  
illustrations of circus animals on top section and left hand side and a  
clown's head,  
Printed in England by W. E. Bery Ltd, Bradford,  
319mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1252** poster

1965  
Hull Fair,

5 elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Anton & Manet, trapeze act,  
Derrick & 3 Pretty Girls,  
Jacko and his boxing kangaroo,  
8 Royal Welsh ponies, presented by Joe Barry,  
Jacko, Whimmie, Alec, Tom-Tom, Georgie, clowns,  
Exotic group,  
Miss Louise and her poodle revue,  
The Delrio Sisters, highwire act,  
The Two Graces, rolling globe act,  
Alec Halls,  
Tony, Jantai high school horses,  
Fossett's Arab stallions,  
Tommy Sandow, balancing act,  
Ivan Karl, strongman,  
Black, white, red and yellow type on multicolour backgrounds and colour  
illustrations of circus animals on top section and left hand side and a  
clown's head,  
Printed in England by W. E. Bery Ltd, Bradford,  
319mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1253** poster

1968  
Abergavenny, Bailey Park, Friday 19 to Saturday 20 April,  
Baby elephants presented by Jules Hani,  
Anton & Manet, trapeze act,  
Texan Cowboy rodeo,  
8 Royal Welsh ponies, presented by Joe Barry,  
Alec Halls, musical clown,  
The Riding Pullmans,  
Suez Panama, exotic group,  
Pinder Sisters, tightghwire act,  
The Two Valemi, juggling act,  
Joe, Barry and Tony, equestrian act,  
6 clowns,  
Violetta, highwire act,  
Sir Robert Fossett's boxing kangaroo versus Frankie Fossett,  
The Three Internationals, acrobatic act,  
Court's Royal Cream ponies, elephants and zebras presented by Derrick  
and Ivor Rosaire,  
African lions,  
Black, white, red and yellow type on multicolour backgrounds and colour  
illustrations of circus animals on top section and left hand side and a  
clown's head,  
Printed in England by W. E. Bery Ltd, Bradford,

319mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1254** poster

1959  
Ashford, Sankey's Field Bybrook, Friday 15 and Saturday 15 August,  
Arab Stallions,  
Herd of elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire & Co,  
12 Sensational Rodos Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Pauline, highwire act,  
Anderson Bros. musical clowns,  
Tex & Anita,  
Shetland ponies,  
Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,  
Frankie & Partner, clowns,  
Exotic act,  
Kitt Frances,  
The Three Longtons, juggling act,  
Miss Mary's equestrian and dancing dog revue, featuring Shoo-Shoo,  
Madame Spanglettie,  
Two Bentleys,  
6 Flying Dagyars,  
Ronus,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds and  
colour illustration of elephant's head on top right and roaring leopard's  
head on centre left,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
317mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1255** poster

1962  
Falmouth, Recreation Ground, Monday 21 to Tuesday 22 May,  
Arab Stallions,  
Herd of elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire & Co,  
The Amazing Comos,  
Pauline, highwire act,  
Michael Austin, acrobatic act,  
Christine,  
Welsh ponies, presented by Joe Barry,  
Tony, high school horses,  
Frankie, George, David, clowns,  
Exotic act,  
Kitt Frances,  
Alec Halls, musical clown,  
David Rosaire's perky pekes,  
Madame Spanglettie,



Two Frendys Trio, acrobatic act,  
Anton and Manet, aerial act,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds and  
colour illustration of elephant's head on top right and roaring leopard's  
head on centre left,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
317mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1256** poster

1963  
West Bromwich, Greet Green Recreation Ground, Monday 27 to Wednes-  
day 29 May,  
Arab Stallions,  
Herd of elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire & Co,  
The Amazing Comos,  
Pauline, highwire act,  
Exotic Act,  
Christine,  
Welsh ponies, presented by Joe Barry,  
Tony, Jantai, high school horses,  
Michael Austin, acrobatic act,  
Karl Heinz and Barbara with chimpanzees,  
Kitt Frances,  
Alec Halls, musical clown,  
Miss Louise, dog revue,  
The Great Ivan Karl, strong man,  
Two Frendys Trio, acrobatic act,  
Etna, fire eating act,  
Anton and Manet, aerial act,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds and  
colour illustration of elephant's head on top right and roaring leopard's  
head on centre left,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
317mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1257** poster

1964  
Solihull, Junction of Haslucks Green Road and Straford Road, Friday 10  
and Saturday 11 April,  
Arab Stallions,  
Whimsical Walker, Alec & Dodo, clowns,  
Herd of elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire & Co,  
Raoul & Lena,  
The Teenagers, Christine, Michael & Derek equestrian act  
Exotic Act,

Going to the Fayre, Juliette, Christine, Ann & Derek,  
Welsh ponies, presented by Joe Barry,  
Tony, Jantai, high school horses,  
Michael Austin, acrobatic act,  
Scott's sea lions,  
Kitt Frances,  
Alec Halls, musical clown,  
Miss Louise, dog revue,  
The Sabres,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds and  
colour illustration of elephant's head on top right and roaring leopard's  
head on centre left, last act stuck on paper over original poster,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
317mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1258** poster

1964  
Deal, Victoria Park, Friday 31 July to Saturday 1 August,  
Arab Stallions,  
Whimsical Walker, Alec & Dodo, clowns,  
Herd of elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire & Co,  
Raoul & Lena,  
The Teenagers, Christine, Michael & Derek equestrian act  
Exotic Act,  
Going to the Fayre, Juliette, Christine, Ann & Derek,  
Welsh ponies, presented by Joe Barry,  
Tony, Jantai, high school horses,  
Michael Austin, acrobatic act,  
Scott's sea lions,  
Kitt Frances,  
Alec Halls, musical clown,  
Miss Louise, dog revue,  
Raoulenas, comedy acrobatic act,  
Jos de Graafe, fire eating act,  
Anton and Manet, aerial act,  
The Sabres,  
Terry Duggan presenting panthers, leopards and lions,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
317mm x 503mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1259** poster

1950  
Wagon Works, Sports Ground, 17 to 19 August,  
Kala Nag, elephant,

Menelic the tight rope walking tiger,  
Leopards,  
Lions,  
Cuddly teddy bears,  
The boxing kangaroo,  
Merry monkey jungle,  
Red, black, white and blue type on off white background with the word  
circus & zoo running down the left and bottom edges,  
Printed by McKane & Son, Keswick,  
380mm x 500mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1260** poster

1949  
Kala Nag, elephant,  
Tigers,  
Leopards,  
Lions,  
Cuddly teddy bears,  
The boxing kangaroo,  
Merry monkey jungle,  
Red, black, white and blue type on white background with the word circus  
& zoo running down the left and bottom edges,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
380mm x 515mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1261** poster

1963  
Birmingham Parks,  
Red and blue type on white and a yellow square in the centre listing the  
various locations where the circus is going to appear and the dates,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
315mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1262** poster

1964  
Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, Monday 1 to Tuesday 2 June,  
The Sabres,  
Red and black type on yellow background and black and white photograph  
of five men in suits holding guitars in the centre,  
Printed by Southey Printers, Merthyr,  
375mm x 507mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1263** poster

Circa 1968

Abergavenny, Bailey Park, Friday 19 to Saturday 20 April,  
Colour illustration of a lion in the centre and four lionesses on the back-  
ground performing in a cage,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
318mm x 510mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1264** poster

1966  
Bedford, Cardington Road, Everard Meadow, Thursday 27 to Saturday  
29 October,  
Colour illustration of elephant balancing on circus platforms and four ele-  
phants laying on the floor with a trainer wearing Indian style clothing and  
tubant in a circus ring with red spot light on the background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
318mm x 500mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1265** poster

1973  
Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, Monday 4 to Saturday 9 June,  
Colour illustration of herd of performing elephant on the background, on  
the foreground an elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth,  
Printed by Clarke and Sherwell Ltd, Northampton,  
318mm x 463mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1266** poster

1985  
Oxford, Abingdon Road, Thursday 13 to Sunday 13 October,  
Liberty ponies presented by Robert Fossett Junior,  
The Human Bullet presented by the Tabak Brothers,  
Los Comancheros,  
Duo Mariano, juggling act,  
Elaine Baranton, juggling act,  
Three's Company, animal act,  
Sir Robert Fossett's African lionesses and Royal Bengal tigers,  
The Porto Rico's, comedy acrobatic act,  
Duo Folke, balancing act,  
Indian elephants presented by Robert Fossett Junior,  
The Biasini Troupe,  
Black, white and yellow type on blue background and colour illustrations  
of circus acts and animals around the edges including two clown torsos,  
elephants, tigers, horses, lion and cannon ball act,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
420mm x 596mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1267** poster

1986

Dudley, Buffery Park, Friday 20 to Sunday 22 June,  
Liberty ponies presented by Robert Fossett Junior,  
The Human Bullet presented by the Tabak Brothers,  
Los Comancheros,  
Duo Mariano, juggling act,  
The Bruxons, tight wire act,  
Three's Company, animal act,  
Sir Robert Fossett's African lionesses and Royal Bengal tigers,  
Duo Folke, balancing act,  
Indian elephants presented by Robert Fossett Junior,  
The Rudys,  
Goldie, aerial act,  
Kim King Ringmaster,  
Black, white and yellow type on blue background and colour illustrations  
of circus acts and animals around the edges including two clown torsos,  
elephants, tigers, horses, lion and cannon ball act,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
420mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1268** poster

1989

Banbury, Spiceball Park, Tuesday 7 to Sunday 12 November,  
Indian elephants presented by Robert Fossett & Goldie,  
Arab tumblers,  
The Biasinis,  
Liberty ponies presented by Robert Fossett,  
The Barantons, juggling act,  
Senorita Manolita, balancing act,  
Elephant & pony cascade,  
The Duo Douglas,  
High school equestrian display,  
Exotic animal fantasy presented by Goldie Fossett,  
Joseph & his Dogs,  
Gabriella,  
Pete Burrells Director,  
Black, white and yellow type on blue and red backgrounds and colour  
illustrations of circus acts and animals around the edges including two  
clown torsos, elephants, camel, horses, llama and bicycle act,  
420mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1269** poster

1990

Keswick, The Crossings, High Hill, Friday 21 to Sunday 23 September,

Indian elephants presented by Robert Fossett & Goldie,  
Arab tumblers,  
The Biasinis,  
Liberty ponies presented by Robert Fossett,  
The Barantons, juggling act,  
Senorita Manolita, balancing act,  
Elephant & pony cascade,  
The Duo Douglas,  
High school equestrian display,  
Exotic animal fantasy presented by Goldie Fossett,  
Joseph & his Dogs,  
Gabriella,  
Ringmaster Kim King,  
Black, white and yellow type on blue and red backgrounds and colour  
illustrations of circus acts and animals around the edges including two  
clown torsos, elephants, camel, horses, llama and bicycle act,  
420mm x 595mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1270** poster

1985

Orpington, Goddington Park, Tuesday 2 to Monday 8 April,  
Liberty ponies presented by Robert Fossett Junior,  
The Human Bullet presented by the Tabak Brothers,  
Los Comancheros,  
Duo Mariano, juggling act,  
Elaine Baranton, juggling act,  
Three's Company, animal act,  
Sir Robert Fossett's African lionesses and Royal Bengal tigers,  
The Porto Rico's, comedy acrobatic act,  
Duo Folke, balancing act,  
Indian elephants presented by Robert Fossett Junior,  
The Biasini Troupe,  
Black, white, red and yellow type on red and yellow backgrounds and  
colour illustrations of circus acts and animals on centre section showing  
a large clown's head surrounded by showgirls riding a herd of elephants,  
white horses, tigers, leopard and camel on a blue background,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
420mm x 620mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1271** poster

1988

Sevenoaks, Gasworks Field Circus site, Otford Road, Monday 29 to Wednes-  
day 31 August,  
Indian elephants presented by Robert Fossett & Goldie,  
The Sensational Human Bullet,

The 4 Kass,  
Liberty ponies presented by Robert Fossett,  
Los Comancheros,  
Duo Folke, balancing act,  
Elephant & Ponie cascade,  
The Marianos, juggling act,  
High school equestrian display,  
Exotic animals presented by Goldie,  
The Hercules, comedy act,  
Goldie,  
Spanners and Koffy, clowns,  
Ringmaster Kim King,  
Black, white, red and yellow type on red and yellow backgrounds and  
colour illustrations of circus acts and animals on centre section showing  
a large clown's head surrounded by showgirls riding a herd of elephants,  
white horses, tigers, leopard and camel on a blue background,  
415mm x 593mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1272** poster

1964  
Cheltenham, Sandford Mill, Monday 1 to Tuesday 2 June,  
Fossett's Arab stallions,  
Indian Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire and Co.,  
Raoul & Lena,  
Raoulenas, comedy acrobatic act,  
Going to the Fayre with Juliette, Christine, Ann and Derek,  
Welsh ponies presented by Joe Barry,  
The Teenagers, Christine, Michael and Derek, equestrian act,  
Tony, Jantal, high school horses,  
Alec Hall, musical clown,  
Terry Duggan presenting tigers, leopards and lions,  
Ringmaster Claude Yelding,  
Anton and Manet, acrobatic act,  
Kitt Frances,  
Michael Austin, acrobatic act,  
Miss Louise, dog revue,  
Scott's sea lions,  
Jos de Graffe,  
Whimsical Walker, Alec and Dodo, clowns,  
Exotic act presented by Juliette,  
Red, blue and black type on white background with red border and blue  
and white illustration of roaring leopard's face in centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
337mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1273** poster

1962

Evesham, Gas Works Meadow, Friday 6 to Saturday 7 April,

Arab stallions,

Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire and Co.,

The Amazing Comos, aerial act,

Pauline, high wire act,

Frendy's Trio, acrobatic act,

Welsh ponies presented by Joe Barry,

David Rosaire's Perky Pokes,

Tony high school horse,

Terry Duggan presents panthers, leopards and lions,

Ringmaster Claude Yelding,

Alec Halls, musical clown,

Kitt Frances,

Madame Spanglettie,

Anton and Manet, aerial act,

Michael Austin, acrobatic act,

Frankie, George, David, clowns,

Exotic act,

Red, blue and black type on white background with red border and blue

and white illustration of roaring leopard's face in centre,

Printed by W. E. Berry Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

338mm x 760mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1274** poster

1958

Rugby, Fair Ground, Cattle Market, Friday 31 October to Saturday 1

November,

Arab Stallions,

Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,

The Amazing Silvers, equilibrist act,

Pauline, high wire act,

Anderson Bros., musical clowns,

Tex & Anita,

Shetland ponies,

Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,

Frankie & Partner, clowns,

Dolores, trapeze act,

Lightning & Cyclone, equestrian act,

Kitt Frances,

The Three longstons, juggling act,

Miss Mary's equestrian and dancing dog revue,

Madame Spanglettie,

Aga, elephant,



Gabriele & Germaine, acrobatic act,  
Capt. Bailey Fossett presents, panthers, jaguars, leopards, pumas,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds with  
colour illustration of roaring leopard on centre left,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
315mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1275** poster

1956  
Liskeard, Rapson's Field, Station Road, Thursday 31 May to Saturday 2  
June,  
Arab stallions presented by B. Fossett,  
Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
The Amazing Zarov Troupe, equilibrist act,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Eve, Toots & Eva, aerial act,  
Kit Carson,  
Shetland ponies,  
Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,  
Lightning & Cyclone, equestrian act,  
Ringmaster Joe Rolt,  
the Patricks, acrobatic act,  
Marius, trapeze act,  
The Five Internationals, aerial act,  
The Flying Biddalls, aerial act,  
Shoo-Shoo,  
Aga, elephant,  
Spuds, Pip, Squeek and Company, clowns,  
The Longtons,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds with  
colour illustration of roaring leopard on centre left,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
315mm x 505mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1276** poster

1957  
Arab Stallions presented by Miss Mary Chipperfield,  
Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Ronus,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Aga, elephant,  
Shetland ponies,  
The Flying Dernos, trapeze act,  
Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,  
Capt. Bailey Fossett with panthers, jaguars, snow leopards and black

panther,  
Samoyeds,  
Voltage by Sheila,  
Harry Grimdle and clowns,  
Benson and Benson,  
Rondellies, acrobatic act,  
De-Vel & Partner, juggling act,  
Harry & George, comedy act,  
Dagyar Troupe, acrobatic act,  
John the wonder horse presented by Miss Mary Chippefield,  
Lightning and Cyclone, equestrian act,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds with  
colour illustration of roaring leopard in centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
338mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1277** poster

1958  
Liskeard, Tregady Show Ground, Addington Road, Friday 30 to Saturday  
31 May,  
Arab stallions,  
Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
The Amazing Silvers, equilibrist act,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Aga, elephant,  
Shetland ponies,  
Miss Mary's equestrian and dancing dog revue,  
Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,  
Tex & Anita,  
Captain Bailey Fossett presenting phanters, jaguars, leopards, pumas,  
The Three Longtons, juggling act,  
Kit Frances,  
Dolores, trapeze act,  
Gabriele & Germaine, acrobatic act,  
Anderson Bros., musical clowns,  
Madame Spanglettie,  
Frankie and Partner, clowns,  
Lightning & Cyclone, equestrian act,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds with  
colour illustration of roaring leopard in centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
338mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1278** poster

1959

Rye, The Salts, Monday 17 to Tuesday 18 August,  
Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Rondos Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Flying Dagyars,  
Shetland ponies,  
Miss Mary's equestrian and dancing dog revue,  
Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,  
Tex & Anita,  
Captain Bailey Fossett presenting phanters, jaguars, leopards, pumas,  
The Three Longtons, juggling act,  
Kit Frances,  
Two Bentleys,  
Ronus, acrobatic act,  
Anderson Bros., musical clowns,  
Madame Spanglettie,  
Frankie and Partner, clowns,  
Exotic act,  
Combined red and yellow and black type on multicolour backgrounds with  
colour illustration of roaring leopard in centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
340mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1279** poster

1950  
Monmouth, Little Chippenham, Thursday 27 April,  
The Amazing Juleos, trapeze act,  
Aga, elephant,  
Lions,  
El Voleros,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
The Yolandas, acrobatic act,  
Briff, Braff and Broff, acrobatic act,  
Horses,  
Elephants,  
The Amazing Samoyeds,  
The Flying Zombies, aerial act,  
Pip & Cherry, comedy act,  
Ricardo, equestrian act,  
The Boston Troupe,  
Babs Zola,  
The Hudson Troupe,  
Babs, Coffee, Zanie and August, clowns,  
Combined red and yellow, red and white and black, yellow, white and blue  
type on multicolour backgrounds with colour illustration of roaring tiger

in centre,  
340mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1280** poster

1953  
Arab stallions presented by B. Fossett,  
Aga, elephant,  
The Amazing Maravilhas,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Renaldi and Karina,  
Shetland ponies,  
Europe's Premier Ballerina,  
Gerald Hyde, equestrian act,  
Captain Bailey Fossett presenting lions, tigers, panthers, leopards and  
bears,  
Court's Amazing Samoyeds,  
Reg and Wyn,  
Marians dogs and monkeys,  
Ricardo, equestrian act,  
The Great Affirg, acrobatic act,  
Captain Bailey Fossett's elephants,  
Jenny the bucking bronco,  
Lightning & Cyclone, equestrian act,  
The Longton Family,  
Little Lesley Laffin and the Cricks with Trixie, clowns,  
Combined red and yellow, red and white and black, white and blue type on  
multicolour backgrounds with colour illustration of roaring tiger in centre,  
Left blank for adding location and dates, with handwritten notes referring  
to the design,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
340mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1281** poster

1953  
Coalville, Central Field, Thursday 9 to Saturday 11 April,  
Arab stallions presented by B. Fossett,  
Elephants,  
The Amazing Maravilhas,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Retter & Co., clowns,  
Shetland ponies,  
The Great African Troupe,  
Gerald Hyde, equestrian act,  
Captain Bailey Fossett presenting lions, tigers, panthers, leopards and  
bears,

Court's Amazing Samoyeds,  
The Amazing Springboks,  
Ricardos, equestrian act,  
Duart Sisters & Anton, trapeze act,  
Madame Anastasini presenting Raymond the wonder horse,  
Jenny the bucking bronco,  
Lightning & Cyclone, equestrian act,  
Doscaminis, acrobatic act,  
Ringmaster Jack Desmonde,  
Combined red and yellow, red and white and black type on multicolour  
backgrounds with colour illustration of roaring tiger in centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
340mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1282** poster

1955  
Musselburgh, Race Course, Wednesday 24 to Saturday 27 August,  
Arab stallions presented by B. Fossett,  
Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
Stephenson's ponies and dogs,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Aga, elephant,  
Shetland ponies,  
Los Soratas, equestrian act,  
Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,  
Captain Bailey Fossett presenting lions, tigers, panthers, leopards,  
Court's Amazing Samoyeds,  
The Longtons Troupe,  
Florence, equestrian act,  
Zola Bros.,  
The Five Internationals, aerial act,  
The Flying Biddalls, aerial act,  
Spud and George,  
Patrick, comedy tightrope act,  
Marius, trapeze act,  
Lightning & Cyclone, equestrian act,  
Combined red and yellow, red and white and black type on multicolour  
backgrounds with colour illustration of roaring tiger in centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
340mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1283** poster

1956  
Winchester, Whiteway's Stratton's Meadow, Thursday 28 to Saturday 30  
June,

Arab stallions presented by B. Fossett,  
Elephants presented by Ivor Rosaire,  
The Amazing Zarov Troupe, equilibrist act,  
Pauline, high wire act,  
Aga, elephant,  
Shetland ponies,  
Spuds, Pip, Squeek and Company, clowns,  
Silfaris, Star Royal, high school horses,  
Captain Bailey Fossett presenting wild animals,  
Eve, Toots & Eva, aerial act,  
The Longtons Troupe,  
Kit Carson,  
Ringmaster Joe Rolt,  
The Five Internationals, aerial act,  
The Flying Biddalls, aerial act,  
Shoo-Shoo,  
The Patricks, comedy acrobatic act,  
Marius, trapeze act,  
Lightning & Cyclone, equestrian act,  
Combined red and yellow, red and white and black type on multicolour  
backgrounds with colour illustration of roaring tiger in centre,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
340mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1284** poster

1935  
Turyeham Recreation Ground, Brixham, Thursday, August,  
Group of elephants,  
Tarrazarny's Liberty horses,  
Charlie,  
The Longtons,  
Chavelier St. Cyr, equestrian act,  
Mademoiselle Isabel, equestrian act,  
Capt. Clare,  
The Monkey's Derby,  
The Margrets,  
Charivari and Pony Trot,  
Those dashing men on the Flying Trapeze,  
The Ringalettos, aerial act,  
Weedoo Haut Ecole, presented by Lieut. Essmond,  
Cigarette, Castapip, Funny Felix, Simpo, clowns,  
An Act Absurd,  
The Ryans,  
Don Sabastia's orchestra,  
The Qubecs, equestrian act,

Blue, black and red type on white background with solid red border,  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings Ltd, Printers Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
260mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1285** poster

No date  
Charlie, high wire act,  
Robert Fossett, equestrian act,  
The spotted beauty and the elegant beast presented by Captain Francis  
Bailey, animal act,  
The Qubecs, equestrian act,  
Cigarette, Castapip, Funny Felix, Simpo, clowns,  
Horses presented by Carl Roberts,  
Red, combined red and yellow and blue type on white background and  
blue and white photographs of the acts along the right hand side,  
255mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1286** poster

No date  
Red and blue type on off white background listing wild animals on bottom  
section,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
255mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1287** poster

No date  
Red type on off white background announcing the arrival of the Sir Robert  
Fossett's Circus and Menagerie,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
255mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1288** poster

Circa 1950s  
Flint, Maes-Y-Dre Field, Duke Street, Monday 12 to Wednesday 14 July,  
Red and blue type on off white background listing wild animals,  
Printed by G. W. McKane & Son, Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
254mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1289** poster

1951

Solihull, Lugtrout Lane, Wednesday 12 and Thursday 13 April,  
Colour illustration of five lions and lion tamer wearing a white shirt and  
red trousers performing in a cage in the circus ring,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
500mm x 765mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1290** poster

No date  
Flint, Maes-Y-Dre Field, Duke Street, Monday 12 to Wednesday 14 July,  
Colour illustration of five lions in a cage with trainer wearing a red shirt  
and white trousers, one of the lions is leaping over the trainer's head,  
Printed in England by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
513mm x 696mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1291** poster

Circa 1950s  
Colour illustration of five lions in a cage with trainer with his back to the  
viewer, wearing a red jacket and black trousers, one of the lions is leaping  
over the trainer's head and black and red type on yellow background,  
Left blank for adding location and date,  
505mm x 763mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1292** poster

No date  
Lincoln, South Common, Monday 20 to Saturday 25 October,  
White, yellow, red and blue type on white background,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,  
506mm x 760mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1293** poster

1955  
Musselburgh, Race Course, Wednesday 24 to Friday 27 August,  
Colour illustration of three elephants performing over a background with  
a yellow circle with blue, green and red around it,  
511mm x 762mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1294** poster

No date  
Great Yarmouth Hippodrome,  
Satring May Chipperfield,  
Colour illustration of May Chipperfield in the centre, behind a leaping  
tiger, other circus animals on the right and left, clowns, a trapeze act and  
a female performer,



217mm x 313mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1295** poster

No date  
Birmingham, Hay Mills, 14 to 26 September,  
Black type on light brown background,  
Printed by Harold Flint and Co. Ltd. (Printers), The Fordrough, Hay  
Mills, Birmingham 25,  
190mm x 252mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1296** poster

1961  
Birmingham, 23 December to 9 January,  
Colour illustration of clown lying on his back on the floor while holding  
a flag announcing the circus, white horses rearing on right hand side and  
a roaring tiger's head on bottom centre, over a blue background, red and  
green type with information on reverse,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd., Bradford,  
316mm x 471mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1297** poster

Circa 1970s  
Liverpool Stadium, 26 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustration of circus acts and animals including the head of a roar-  
ing lion in the centre, the heads of an elephant, a crocodile and a polar  
bear and a complete leopard in circles in the corners, a white poodle and  
a clown's face in the centre at either side of the lion, also trapeze act on  
top centre and galloping horses on the bottom on a red background with  
gold scrolls, with type in scrolls,  
215mm x 320mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1298** poster

1977  
Hastings, Summerfields, 25 July to 6 August,  
Colour illustration of circus acts and animals including the head of a roar-  
ing lion in the centre, the heads of an elephant, a crocodile and a polar  
bear and a complete leopard in circles in the corners, a white poodle and  
a clown's face in the centre at either side of the lion, also trapeze act on  
top centre and galloping horses on the bottom on a red background with  
gold scrolls, with type in scrolls,  
215mm x 320mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1299** poster

No date

Croydon, 16 to 28 November,

Colour illustration of circus animals including a roaring tiger's head in the centre with a lion's head, a polar bear, poodles, horses, elephants and two clowns' faces around it on a blue background,

218mm x 306mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1300** poster

No date

Palace Variety Theatre, Blackpool, starting Monday 18 January,

Herd of baby elephants presented by B. Roberts,

Sidney, boxing kangaroo,

David & Goliath,

Circusettess,

Grafton & Antonio, perch act,

Satan & Hamlet,

Antonio, juggler,

Jenny Jones, mule,

Jacko, Bobo, Junco, clowns,

The Great Moises, high wire act,

Herman, dancing horse,

Scottish dog revue,

De'Naros, erial act,

Lions, leopards, tigers, pumans presented by Frank Carlos,

Blue and red type on brown background with blue border,

Printed by Berry Ltd, Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

124mm x 217mm

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**178R47.1301** poster

No date

Presented by Robert Brothers,

Opera House, Manchester, starting Monday 16th July,

African lions,

Zebras and Llamas,

Aranbian stallions,

The Circusettes,

Scottish dog revue,

Sultan, dancing horse,

Nugget & Rebecca, baboons,

Beauty and her Dancing Lovelies,

Baby elephants,

Blue and red type on white background,

Printed by Rainbow Art Services Ltd, London, N.1,

148mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1302** poster

No date  
Presented by Bournemouth International Centre and Circus Atlas,  
The Purbeck Hall, Bournemouth International Centre, Tuesday 5 to Sunday 31 August,  
colour illustration of a clown holding planet earth on the tip of his finger  
and blue border with shiny white stars,  
295mm x 417mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1303** poster

1985  
25 May to 26 October,  
Colour illustration of laughing clown on top left corner, running clowns on  
bottom left corner, a wheel of death and two seals on bottom right corner  
with a pink border with yellow dots,  
255mm x 318mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1344** poster

No date  
Wheel of Death,  
Colour photograph of man crowching on a wheel of death up in the air  
over a clown and audience and combined blue and white, red and yellow  
and yellow type on red background at the top,  
300mm x 420mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1345** poster

No date  
Les Quinconces,  
Miss Curtis, La Femme Obus, human cannon ball act,  
Tarzan dans la fosse aux lions avec Jacky Rex,  
Jose Moese,  
Williams Moore, equestrian act,  
John, Tomomp. Footit, Loyal Max and Pekari, clowns,  
Colour illustration of woman in bikini being launched from a cannon over  
a blue starry background and yellow, red, white and blue type on blue,  
red, yellow and white backgrounds,  
300mm x 769mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1346** poster

No date  
Russia's World Champion Acrobatic Team,

Black and white photograph of two men performing a floor acrobatic act, with one standing on his hands parallel to the floor and the other standing on his head with one hand and doing the splits,  
560mm x 860mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178R47.1347** poster

Circa 1984

Colour illustration of Chinese troupe formed by 2 men and 10 women riding a bicycle, wearing white, long sleeve tops and red trousers on a yellow and red background,  
350mm x 603mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

## **Business Records - 178H24**

**178H24.1** Minutes of Meetings and Accounts of the Circus Friends Association  
1934-1981

3 bound books of minutes of meetings and accounts for years 1934-1937, 1937-1946 and 1946-1953 and bundle of documents including minutes and accounts dated between 1953 and 1981  
Manuscript and typed,  
Varios sizes  
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**178H24.2** Minutes of Meetings and Accounts of the Association of Circus Proprietors of Great Britain  
1933-1978

3 bound books of minutes of meetings and accounts for years 1933-1942, 1943-1949, 1950-1978, contain some loose documents and correspondence and a booklet of rules for members and bundle of documents including minutes and accounts dated between 1932 and 1974  
Manuscript and typed,  
Varios sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178H24.3** Receipt

1942

Receipt from Francis Edwards Ltd., for 'Thirteen Year with the Wild Beast of India' Hans Brick's material,  
1p.  
200mm x 167mm  
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**178H24.4** business records

1947-1966

Various original and copies of documents relating to Bertram Mills business activities including, copies of annual statements of the Chairman, report and accounts, rules to staff and press guide, description of circus acts, correspondence relating to the sale of assets and photocopies of circus plan,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178H24.5** business records

No date  
Various documents related to the Bostock and Wombwell menagerie including correspondence with Birmingham Education Department, forms for contracts for ground and billposting, catalogue of animals and some stickers,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

## Maps, Plans and Charts - 178M16

**178M16.1** Chipperfield's Circus Ring plan

1954  
Colour coded aerial plan of Chipperfield's circus ring, with admission prices according to location of seating,  
350mm x 360mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178M16.2** Bertram Mills Circus plan

1962-1963  
Colour coded aerial plan of Bertram Mills circus ring at Olympia, Grand Hall, 18 December 1962 to 2 February 1963,  
507mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178M16.3** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus plan

No date  
Brigg, Wednesday 21 to Thursday 22 October,  
Black and white coded aerial plan of Fossett's circus ring and seating plan,  
508mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178M16.4** Billy Smart Circus plan

No date  
Colour coded aerial plans of Billy Smart Circus, with admission prices according to location of seating,  
507mm x 630mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178M16.5** Robert Brothers Circus Booking plan

No date

Black and white plan with areas divided in segments for Oxleage, Gloucester,

466mm x 352mm

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## Programmes - 178K43

**178K43.1** Astley's Royal Amphitheatre programme

1853

1st June to 30th May

M. Alphonse Thevelin, aerial gymnast,

Mr. Alfred Cooke, family and pupils on 3rd week of the Equestrian Gala, The Chase or Life on the Turf,

Mr. William Cooke's Scenes in the Arena, equestrian gala including, Miss Clarissa Cooke in aerial poses, Young Godolphin in the Postilion of Lilliput, Mr. W. Barlow in Punch in Paris, Mr. Boswell in Polandric Exercises, Madlle. Marie in Leap of Banners, Madlle. Rebecca and Mr. W. Barlow in Sylph-Like Echo & Charming Narcissus,

Mr. Alfred Cooke, The Petite Equestrians, Eugene Godolphin, Adelaide, Ada and the baby rider Frederick Cooke in Glittering King of the Air or Shining Herald of Aurora,

Mare Raven,

Court Jester or Dance of Follies,

Mr. Boswell, comedian,

Mr. C. Stonette and his dog Hector, comedian,

ringmasters Messrs. Alfred Cooke, W. Barlow and Widdicomb,

Black type on white background describing the acts of the enactments and listing performers and other acts,

2p.p,

J. W. Peel, Printer to the Establishment, 74 New Cut, Lambeth, Nine Doors from Cornwall Road,

510mm x 378mm (open)

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**178K43.2** Astley's Royal Amphitheatre programme

28 June 1852

Monday 28th June 1852 and during the week,

Mr. Alfred Cooke, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Craddock, Mr. Widdicomb, Mr. Tibbs, Signor Chiarini, Mr. Baswell, Mr. T. Barry, Mrs. Aldred Cooke, Miss Lydia Pearce, Mrs. Moreton Brookes, Mr. C. Leclercq Junior, Mr. S. Smith, Mr. Hustleby, Mr. Johnson, Mr. F. Hustleby, Miss Fenton and

Miss T. Avery in St. George and the Dragon or the Seven Champions of Christendom,  
Batty's Scenes in the Arena including, Cavalcade, Tom Thumb on two horses, Madlle. Louise Massotta in Leap of Streamers, Signor Chiarini introducing his horses Lily & Taglioni, Mr. Boswell in Polandric Exercises, Mr. Bridges juggler, Miss Barrand in Seasons, Mr. Alfred Cooke in Shaw, the Life-Guardsman, Mr. T. Barry, clown, Mr. Boswell, comedian, Mr. R. Hemming gymnastic buffoon,  
Mr. Johnson, Mr. Lloyd, Mr. S. Smith, Mr. F. Hustleby, Mr. C. Leclercq Junior, Miss Fenton and Mrs. Moreton Brookes in Jack Junk,  
Black type on white background describing the acts of the enactments and listing cast of performers and other acts,  
2p.p,  
J. W. Peel, Printer to the Establishment, 74 New Cut, Lamberth,  
506mm x 381mm (open)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.3** Astley's Royal Amphitheatre programme

22 October 1853

Saturday 22nd October, Monday 24th October and during the week 1853,

Miss Kate Cooke,

Europe's National Amphitheatre,

Mr. Aldred Cooke,

Mr. James Barlow,

Mr. A. Bridges,

Mr. William Barlow,

Mons. Schmidt,

Sig. Carlottie,

Sig. Francois,

Sig. Croueste,

Sig. Bezzini,

Mr. R. Smith,

Mr. Stonette,

Mr. Widdicomb,

Master Victor Cooke,

Master Alfred Cooke,

Master Harry Cooke,

Master Bradbury,

Master Tom Thumb,

Master Gee,

Master W. Gee,

Mister William Cooke,

Miss Kate Cooke,

Mrs. Alfred Cooke,

Mrs. Jackson,

Mrs. Bradbury,

Mad. Bridges,  
Mad. Schmidt,  
Mad. Bezzini,  
Mdle. Masotta,  
Mdle. Clarissa,  
Mdle. Croueste,  
Mdle. Avery,  
Mdle. Russel,  
Mdle. Jane Cooke,  
Mdle. Wilkinson,  
Mdle. Alice Cooke,  
Mdle. Scott & Gee,  
Miss Emily Cooke,  
Mad. Lee,  
Mad. Valentine,  
Mdle. Gertrude,  
Mr. Jackson, clown,  
Mr. Adams, clown,  
Mr. Powell,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. John Cooke,  
Mr. Henry Cooke,  
Mons. Russili,  
Master James Cooke,  
Mons. Cleush's troupe of dogs and monkeys,  
Jupiter's Decree and the Fall of Phaeton or the Fiery Courses of the Sun,  
ringmasters Messrs. Alfred Cooke, W. Barlow, Widdicomb and R. Smith,  
Black type on white background listing cast of performers as well as the  
acts of the enactment and other acts,  
2p.p,  
J. W. Peel, Printer to the Establishment, 74 New Cut, Lambeth, Nine  
Doors from Cornwall Road,  
498mm x 375mm (open)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.4** Astley's programme

No date

14th November and all the week,

Miss Ada Isaacs Menken as Mazeppa, Mr. Gresham, Mr. Montague, Mr.  
Atkins, Mr. Johnstone, Mr. G. Craig, Mr. Webber, Miss Julia Seaman,  
Mrs. E. F. Edgar, Miss Minnie Clifford, Mr. Basil Potter, Mr. Henry  
Frazer, Mr. J. Craddock, Mr. W. Templeton, Miss Liversey, M. Milano  
and Miss Annie Cooke in Mazeppa

Sig. Redmond on his Indian rope trick,

Mr. Dulcimer Pipes, Mr. Atkins, Mr. W. Templeton, Mr. Johnstone, Mr.  
G. Atkins, Mrs. E. F. Edgar and Miss Minnie Clifford in The Double-



Bedded Room,  
Black type on white background and black and white illustration of man wearing a loin cloth, tied up to a galloping horse and chased by a dog or wolf in a landscape,  
2p.p,  
Printed by Nowell's (late Peel's ) Steam Machine, 74 New Cut, Lambeth,  
480mm x 380 mm (open)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.5** Astley's programme

No date  
Saturday 19th October, Monday 21st and following nights  
Farewell performance of Miss Adah Isaacs Menken,  
Mr. Felix Rogers, Mr. David Evans, Mr. Walter Carle, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Craddock, and Miss Josephine Fiddes in Good for Nothing,  
Mr. David Evans, Mr. Walter Carle, Mr. H. River, Mr. Felix Rogers, Miss Josephine Fiddes, Mrs. Bishop, Miss Julia Craven, Mr. Bassil Potter, Miss Adah Isaacs Menken, Mr. Vivian, Mr. Craddock, Mr. Bentley, Mr. Arthur and Miss Duberry in Mazeppa and the Wild Horse,  
Black type on white background containing listing of cast and enactment acts,  
2p.p,  
Wilkes & Pollard, Machine Printers, 63 Newington Butts, S.,  
500mm x 370mm (open)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.6** Astley's programme

9 October 1864  
Monday 9th October and during the week,  
Miss Adah Isaacs Menken, Mr. J. Elphinstone, Mr. Basil Potter, Mr. T. J. Anderson, Mr. Atkins, Mr. E. Garden, Mr. W. M. Terrott, Mrs. St. Henry, Miss Kate Carson, Mr. J. Russell, Mr. J. B. Johnstone, Mr. Webster, Mr. Bedford, Mr. Templeton, Mr. Prichard, in Child of the Sun,  
Miss Carline Parkes, Mr. Webster, Mr. Prichard, Miss Amy Cleveland, Miss M. Morton, Miss Harriett Pelham, Miss Pelham, Master Granger, Miss Louise Laidlaw, Miss Minnie Sidney, Miss Nelly Nesbitt, Mr. Atkins, Miss Lizzie Britton, Mr. W. Corri, Miss Stewart, Mr. W. Templeton, Miss Dormer, Miss Fanny Melville, Miss Thompson, Miss Murray, Miss Webster, Miss Kate Blandford, Mdlle. Marie Milet and Mr. E. T. Smith in Ixion or The Man at the Wheel,  
Black type on white background containing listing of cast of performers and enactment acts,  
2p.p,  
Printed by Arliss & Co., 15 Great Queen St.,  
500mm x 380mm (open)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.7** Astley's programme

No date

Monday 11th November and following evenings,  
Farewell performance of Miss Adah Isaacs Menken,  
Mr. Felix Rogers, Mr. David Evans, Mr. Clifford, Mr. Bentley, Miss  
Beatrice Marston and Miss Julia Craven in *That Rascal Jack*,  
Mr. Evans, Mr. Walter Carle, Mr. H. Rivers, Mr. Felix Rogers, Miss  
Josephine Fiddes, Miss Julia Craven, Mr. Basil Potter, Miss Adah Isaacs  
Menken, Mr. Vivian, Mr. Craddock, Mr. Bentley, Mr. Arthur and Miss  
Duberry in *Mazeppa and the Wild Horse*,  
Black type on white background containing listing of cast of performers  
and enactment acts,

2p.p,

Wilkes & Pollard, Machine Printers, 63 Newington Butts, S.,  
250mm x 380mm (close)

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.8** Astley's programme

3 July 1865

Monday 3rd July 1865 and during the week,  
Miss Adah Isaacs Menken,  
Mr. Johnstone, Miss Nisbitt, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Atkins, Mrs. C. Whar-  
ton, Miss Ada Edson and Miss Minnie Sidney in *The Wandering Minstrel*,  
Mr. Gresham, Mr. T. J. Anderson, Mr. J. B. Johnstone, Mr. Atkins,  
Mr. Weaver, Miss Josephine Fidler, Mrs. C. Wharton, Miss Nisbitt, Mr.  
Basil Potter, Miss Adah Isaacs Menken, Mr. Johnstone, Mr. Craddock,  
Mr. Shelton, Mr. Harry Croueste, Miss Ninnie Sidney and Miss Clifton  
in *Mazippa or the Wild Horse of Tartary*,  
Mr. G. Craig, Mr. J. Craddock, Mr. H. Crouest, M. Milano and Mdlle.  
Luoise Tournaire in *Love and Folly*,  
Black type on white background containing listing of cast of performers  
and acts,

2p.p,

Printed by Arliss & Co., 15 Great Queen St.

500mm x 380mm (open)

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.9** Manley's New Grand Palace Circus programme

No date

Bar Act by Roy Lasserter,  
Rice & Henry, aerial trapeze act,  
Mdlle. Emmeline, equestrian act,  
J. Rassetto, jester,  
Victoria, the great fire pony,  
Ernestino, trick act,  
Comical White, clown,  
The Rassetto's Troupe, triple horizontal bar act,

Mr. S. Mangley's Leonora, jumping mare,  
Whiteo & Casheio, acrobatic clowns,  
Charley's Aunt, equestrian monkey, introduced by Gilbert Featherstone,  
Mr. James, equestrian act,  
Princess Elise, strong woman,  
Gilbert Featherstone, Doncaster jockey,  
Sisters Violella on the telephone wire,  
Golden Cloud, performing horse,  
Mr. C. Conrade, Mr. Williams, Mr. Gilbert Featherstone, Mr. W.  
Lawrence, Mr. C. White, Mr. Duval, Mr. Ross, Mr. Stephens, Mr.  
Walters, Mr. Charles, Mr. Brown, Mr. Ellesmere, Mr. Rutland, Mr. H.  
Foxy, Mr. Smith, Mlle. Emmeline & Miss Violet and Miss Lauraine in  
Late Great War equestrian spectacle,  
Black type on off white background will listing of cast of performers and  
acts, also black and white illustration of clown on top left,  
1p.,  
Gotobed & Co., Steam Printers, 29 Gt. Charlotte St., Blackfriars,  
215mm x 254mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.10** Hippodrome programme

19 August 1889  
Representation de Gala,  
Mm. Lacaille, Legay, Gautier and Gaty, Course Olympique,  
Les Frere Harlow, comedy act,  
Mm. Vilmot and Lester, cycling act,  
M. Allen , M. Gilbert, M. Donbavand, equestrian act,  
Thora and Thecla, fix bar act,  
Mlle. Antoinette Gontard,  
Mlle. Maria Gentis,  
Mlle. Clotilde Maestrick,  
Mlle. Amanda and Mm. Aldred and Georges O'Meers, tightrope act,  
Course de Berberie ou le Corso a Rome,  
Le lion,  
Mme. Maestrick, Mlle. Antoinette Gontard, M. Franchi, Mlle. Picardi, M.  
Ferretti, M. Couarraze, Mm. Legay, Lacaille and Gaurier, M. Gontard,  
Mme. Gontard, M. F. Gontard, Mm. Pointel, Tombeux, Escudie and  
Rousseau, M. Giannotti, M. E. Harlow and M. C. Harlow in La Chasse,  
pantomime,  
Blue and red type on front cover in French with French flags and other  
symbols under title and a red and blue stripy border, inside black type on  
white background listing performers and acts  
2p.p,  
Printed by Paris, Imp. G. Morris, Rue Amelot, 64,  
150mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.11** Hippodrome programme

No date

Mm. Lacaille, Legay, Gautier and Gaty, Course Olympique,

M. Gilbert, M. Allen, M. Donbavand, equestrian act,

Mm. Viltmot and Lester, cycling act,

Mlle. Antoinette Gontard,

Mlle. Maria Gentis,

Mme. Clotilde Maestrick,

Mlles. Thora and Thecla, fix bar act,

M. Allen,

M. Gilbert,

M. Donbavand,

Don Juan A. Caicedo, wire act,

M. Lucotte in Manowuvre Romaine,

Le Lion,

Mme. Maestrick, Mlle. Antoinette Gontard, M. Franchi, Mlle. Picardi, M.

Ferretti, M. Couaraze, Mm. Legay, Lacaille and Gaurier, M. Gontard,

Mme. Gontard, M. F. Gontard, Mm. Pointel, Tombeux, Escudie and

Rousseau, M. Giannotti, M. E. Harlow and M. C. Harlow in La Chasse,

pantomime,

Colour illustration on front cover of female equestrian act, cherubs blowing

trumpets, clown and arms and armour and musical instruments in

red, and black over a green background and advertisement on reverse in

same colours, inside black type in French on off white background listing

performes and acts,

2p.p,

Imprimerie Chaix (succ. Cheret), 18 rue Brunel, Paris,

146mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.12** The London Opera House programme

19 November 1913

Kingsway, 19th to 23rd November 1913,

Colour illustration of equestrienne in red hunting jacket and top hat on a

rearing horse, brown type on off white background type inside, contains

listing of acts and performers, including programme of society circus ,wire

acts, equestrian acts and performing animals, and commercial advertise-

ments with monochrome illustrations

8p.p,

207mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.13** Batty's Great London Circus programme

No date

Miss Lena Foottit and Master Foottit, clown,

Bros. Stelling, clowns,

Mr. Jas. Furr, comic equestrian act,

The Bros. Alexander and Mr. G. Craig, gymnasts,  
Funny Julian in The Deserter comedy act,  
Master George Batty, equestrian act,  
Signor Lorenzo, the man of mystery,  
Mrs. Stelling, equestrian act,  
Little Julian, trained dogs act,  
Mr. Thomas Batty, equestrian act,  
Mr. C. Clarke, high wire act,  
Mdlle. Catherine, equestrian act,  
Funny Little Julian, comedy act,  
Mr. Jas. Frederick Cooke, equestrian act,  
Mr. E. Sidney, juggling act,  
Mr. Clarke, Mr. H. L. Boswell and Funny Julian in Dennie's Riding  
Lesson,  
Black type on off white background with shield containing castle and lions  
on front cover, listing of performers and acts inside and special notice by  
Mr. Thomas Batty on reverse with testimonials,  
2p.p,  
Allbut and Daniet, Printers, Hanley,  
134mm x 206mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.14** The Great Olympia Hippodrome and Circus programme  
1887  
Lilliputian pony act by Fe Fo Fi Fum,  
The Enchanted Hats comedy act by Messieurs Etherdo and Pugh,  
Senor George, equestrian act,  
Alber, clown,  
Achmet Pasha, slack wire act,  
La Poste by Mr. Hull, equestrian act,  
Rumbo, clown,  
Mephisto, contorsionist,  
Roman Games,  
Ladies' Steeple-Chase,  
Olympian Race,  
Pigmy Flat Race,  
Roman Chariot Race,  
Broncho Horses,  
Mdlle. Mancini, equestrian act,  
Jolly Juba, clown,  
Daring Globe Ascension by Mons. Rossini,  
Mons. Austin, aerial act,  
Mons. Emile, equestrian act,  
Mm. Etherdo and Pugh, equestrian act,  
Messieurs Hull and Zoalos, equestrian act,  
Austin, clown,

Mons. Rossini, act on stilts,  
R. Hull, equestrian act,  
Mm. Pugh and Etherdo on the horizontal bar,  
The Great Stag Hunt,  
Black type on off white background with black and white illustrations of  
equestrian and high wire acts along the left hand side and bottom edge,  
1p.,  
253mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.15** Great International Cirque programme

1885  
Theatre Royal, Maiden Lane, Covent Garden, Christmas season 1885-  
1886,  
The Covent Garden Circus Company Limited,  
Clowns,  
Mdle. Lena, equestrian act,  
Mons. Houel, grotesque,  
FauleinEichlerette and her troupe of performing monkeys,  
Signorina Elvire Magni, equestrian act,  
Little Valdo, clown,  
Miss Emma and Miss Rosa, equestrian act,  
Mr. James Humel, horizontal bar performer,  
Mdle. Ella and Mons. Guillaume, equestrian act,  
Miss Amalia Orford, equestrian act,  
Little Frisky, clown,  
Abachi and Mazus, gymnastic act,  
Signor Ercole Magni, equestrian act,  
Mdles. Elvira and Gisella, tight and slack wire act,  
Miss Florence Godfrey, equestrian act,  
George Foottitt, clown,  
Signor Paul Cinquevalli,  
Jennie O'Brien, equestrian act,  
Signorina Diomir Magni, equestrian act,  
Messrs. Thompson and Flexmore, clowns,  
Mr. George Batty, equestrian act,  
Mr. William Orford, equestrian act,  
M. Guion and A. Daniels, Les Deux Agoust,  
Black type on blue background with black and white illustration of fe-  
male equestrian act standing on galloping horse and commercial advertis-  
ing around the edges on the front cover and commercial advertising on  
back cover, inside listing of cast of performers and acts,  
2p.p,  
Charles Dickens and Evans, Printers, 24 Great New Street, E.C.,  
196mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.16** Royal English Circus programme

13 May 1901

Windmill Lane, Cape Hill, Smethwick, Monday 13th May 1901 and during the week,

Master Tony Transfield,

Gregory and Shadow, comedy act,

H. Yelding,

Miss Winnie Scott, soubrette and dancer,

Bros. Volbecque, comedy acrobatic act,

Mdlle. Allen, meneage act,

Princess Annie, contorsionist act,

The Three Charms, aerial act,

H. Sloan, equestrian act,

Miss Felix,

Dan Gregory,

Miss Marie Winsome, impersonator,

Princess Annie, equestrian act,

Transfield's cinematograph,

God Save the King,

Grand Final March,

Blue type on off white background listing cast of performers and acts and monochrome illustration in redish purple showing a female equestrian stood on two galloping horses in the centre, performing dogs on top right, a parrot firing a gun on the left and clowns and gymnasts on the bottom section as well as three black and white portrait photographs of Geo. Batty, J. H. Greenwood and H. Davenport,

1p.,

Smethwick Telephone Co., Borough Printing Works,

128mm x 256mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.17** Lord George Sanger's Great Hippodramatic and Spectacular Circus programme

No date

Mdlles. Marie and Yetta on the lofty wire,

Brothers Artois on the horizontal bar,

James Holloway,

Brothers Austin,

Mr. Joseph Craston with clairboyant and talking horse, Tipster,

Mdlles. Violet, Topsy and Rose, on the slack wire,

H. Austin, equestrian act,

Dance Linwood, clown,

Prof. James in ladder act,

Mdlle. Florezell, contorsionist act,

Mdlle. Lillian, equestrian act,

James Holloway, clown,

Madame Pauline de Vere, lion tamer,  
Harry Whitely's singing donkey,  
Messrs. Cottrell and Austen, equestrian act,  
The Fernandez Family, trapeze act,  
Sisters Ani and Ino, aerial gymnasts,  
Herr Ulric, aerial act,  
Professor Henry, lion tamer,  
Great War in the Soudan and Fall of Khartoum,  
Black type on white background listing cast of performers and acts,  
1p.,  
Harris and Sons, Steam Printers, Eastgate, Rochester,  
193mm x 253mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.18** Tony Felix's New Royal English Circus programme

No date  
Sam Anderson, equestrian act,  
Baby Augouste, comical act,  
Dicky Hull, clown equestrian act,  
Sam France, Sam Anderson and Babry Augoust, comical act,  
The Great Moras, on the three horizontal bars,  
Miss Amalia, equestrian act,  
Sam Anderson, clown,  
Thomas H. Cullen, nautical scene,  
Sam France,  
The Real Japanese Imperial Troupe,  
William Richards, equestrian act,  
Dicky Hull, buffoon,  
Rivolo,  
The Mitsutas,  
Miss Marie Louise, equestrian act,  
Tony Felix, clown,  
Miss Minnie Connelly, equestrian act,  
Three fold programme with colour illustration of various equestrian, clown-  
ing acts and aerial and floor acts on the outside with a golden border and  
black type on the inside listing cast of performers and acts in the centre  
and commercial advertisemens on the sides,  
125mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.19** Newsome's Grand Hippodrome Circus programme

26 January 1873  
Victoria Street, Liverpool, Friday 26th December 1873 to Wednesday 7th  
January 1874,  
Mdle. Emma and Mr. Fredericks, equestrian act,  
Mr. Ducrow, equestrian act,  
Mr. Sippell, clown,



Signor Andrea, equestrian act,  
Mr. Patterson, jester,  
Miss Virginia Coralie Newsome, Miss Ella Bertha Newsome, Miss Pauline Newsome, Miss Annie Bianca, Miss Lillie Meers, Miss Marguerita Fredericks, Miss Henrietta Bartman, Miss Jane Williams, Miss Lewis, Master Nieman, Master Johnson, Miss Cooper, Miss Robinson, Mr. J. Newsome, Mr. Meers and Mr. Harvie in Cinderella or the Little Galss Slipper,  
Pietro, clown,  
Little Meers, clown,  
Black type on off white background with black decorative border,  
1p.,  
Printed at The Albion General Steam Printing Works, Sir Thomas's Buildings, Liverpool,  
218mm x 336mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.20** Grand Circus programme  
27 November 1893  
Royal Aquarium, Great Yarmouth,  
Mr. T. Allen,  
Miss Amelia Swallow, equestrian act,  
J. Brett, clown,  
Messrs. Walker & W. Allen, trick riding act,  
J. W. Collier, clown,  
Collier, the boxing kangaroo,  
Miss Marie Flexmore, equestrian act,  
Vicini & Vernon,  
Mdlle. Fredrica, performing dog act,  
Messrs. T. Allen & W. Ware, double trick act,  
A. Walker, clown,  
Walter Allen, clown,  
Miss Queenie Delphine,  
Florence, Louise & Elba, trapeze act,  
Professor Collier, equestrian act,  
The Great Water Carnival,  
Black type on off white background with illustration of gnomes playing musical instruments on the top section,  
1p.,  
J. Buckle, Steam Printers, 36 King Street and Dene Side, Great Yarmouth,  
206mm x 337mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.21** Julian's International Circus programme  
Circa 1892  
Brothers Stelling,  
Master Alfred Eugene, juggling act,  
Miss Laura, equestrian act,

Mr. A. Stelling, equestrian act,  
Pedro, clown,  
The Three Simpletons, comedy act,  
Mdlle. Isabelle and Thomas H. Culeen, equestrian act,  
Mons. Preistel,  
Miss Julian, equestrian act,  
Brothers Haygo, acrobatic act,  
Mdlle. Eleise Gaertner, equestrian act,  
Hurst, comedy act,  
Whimsical Willie,  
Mr. J. Julian, equestrian act,  
George Testo and Miss Fannie Orni, gymnastic act,  
Black type on yellowish background with list of cast of performers and  
acts,  
190mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.22** Barnard's New Royal Circus programme

No date  
Mdlle. Thomassine Allen, equestrian act,  
Hendricks, clown,  
Mons. Alfrano, assisted by Chips,  
Billy, equestrian dog,  
Burgess, clown,  
Les Dials, juggling act,  
Mr. William Swallow, equestrian act,  
Mdlle. Jennie Alleyne, equestrian act,  
Tatters and his automated acrobats, Tom, Dick and Harry,  
Jackles, clown,  
Mdlle. Frederica, performing dogs act,  
Miss Swallow,  
Black type on white background with black and white photgraphic portrait  
of Mr. George Barnard on the front and list of cast of performers and acts  
on reverse and commercial advertising on front and reverse,  
1p.  
97mm x 256mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.23** Theatre Royal programme

20 August 1888  
Birmingham, Monday 20 August 1888 and following nights,  
Mr. Arthur Roberts,  
The Old Guard,  
Mr. Malcolm H. Grahame,  
Mr. Joseph Tapley,  
Mr. Alec Marsh,  
Mr. L. Roche,

Miss Hettie Bennett,  
Mr. J. J. Dallas,  
Miss Guilia Warwick,  
Miss Carrie Coote,  
Miss Nellie Woodford,  
Miss Annie Halford,  
Miss Flo Wilton,  
Miss Edith Hoppe,  
Miss Jenny Wren,  
Miss Bob Akers,  
Miss Eva Stanley,  
Miss Mary MacDonald,  
Miss Mary Marsden,  
Miss Bertha Bartlett,  
Miss Susie Sinclair,  
Miss Wynne Waltham,  
Miss Laura Lloyd,  
Mr. L. Bridgman,  
Mr. Grattan,  
Miss T. Thompson,  
Miss Poppie Hoppie,  
Mr. W. Cowell,  
Miss Marie Glover,  
Miss Alleyn,  
Barnes of New York,

Black type on off white background with a figure framed within two columns and capital with a griffin on the top section on bottom right and left on the front and highly decorative border and listing cast of performers and acts on reverse,

1p.

195mm x 270mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.24** Lord George Sanger's Equestrian and Zoological Exhibition programme

1899

Windsor Castle, 17 July

Navy blue type on silk with coat of arms on top section, listing acts, some of the performers and animals,

1p.,

290mm x 378mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.25** Barnum & Bailey Greatests Show on Earth programme

1898

Last six weeks, closing 2 April 1898,

Twelve enormous canvas pavilions,

Four hundred blue ribbon horse fair,  
Menaries of wild and trained beasts,  
The famous collection of wonderful freaks,  
Clowns,  
The Mahdi: or, For The Victoria Cross,  
Black type on off white background with black and white illustration of  
equestrian parade on top section, from The Illustrated Sporting and Dra-  
matic News,  
1p.,  
126mm x 358mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.26** Astley's Theatre programme

5 November 1883  
Westminster Bridge Road,  
Mr. Harry J. C. Vernon, Mr. J. G. Wilton, Mr. Fred Evans, Mrs. J.  
F. Brian, Mr. W. D. Gresham, Mr. Metcalfe, Mr. George Reeves, Miss  
Louise Neville, Mr. Alfred Balfour, Miss Kate Forrester, Miss M. Reeves  
and Miss Maud Forrester in Giddy Godiva or The Girl who was Sent to  
Coventry,  
Mr. Lewis Sealey, Mr. Harry J. C. Vernon, Mr. L. Webster, Mr. J.  
G. Wilton, Mr. Richards, Mr. A. Balfour, Miss Kate Neville, Mrs. J.  
Elmore, Mrs. J. F. Brian, Mr. W. D. Gresham, Miss Maude Forrester,  
Mr. Frank Paul, Mr. L. Maxwell, Mr. A. Balfour, Mr. G. Reeves, Miss  
Kate Forrester, Miss Louise Neville and Miss M. Reeves in Mazeppa or  
the Wild Horse of Tartary,  
Miss Maude Forrester, equestrian act,  
Black type on off white background listing the acts and cast of performers,  
2p.p,  
190mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.27** The Yarmouth Hippodrome programme

20 July 1903  
Marine Parade, Great Yarmouth,  
Aquatic Variety Spectacle & Circus,  
Miss Nellie Cockrill,  
Baby Tilley, lion taming act,  
The Marvellous Freres Phillipe,  
Vasco,  
The Lizzette Troupe, acrobatic act,  
Alexandra and Bertie, aerial act,  
The Two Yoricks,  
Mdlle. Yvette, equestrian act,  
Baby Culeen, equestrian act,  
Miss Rubini,  
Rabbitt,

Black type on white background listing the cast of performers. Reproduction,  
180mm x 233mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.28** The Yarmouth Hippodrome programme

24 August 1903  
Marine Parade, Great Yarmouth,  
Aquatic Variety Spectacle & Circus,  
Zetho's performing dogs,  
The Uniques, floor acrobatic act,  
The Mar-Ta-Fi Trio, acrobatic act,  
Cruickshank,  
Sons of the Desert - Azaraks, acrobatic act,  
Ed. Ransley, diving act,  
Stylo, hoop act,  
Little Rabbitt & his Comical Donkey Tommy,  
The Two Yoricks, comedi act,  
Happy Jackles,  
Victoria Dagmar, gymnastic act,  
Gilbert's Great Circus Company,  
Performing horses and ponies,  
The Elysian Troupe, comic musical act,  
Black type on white background listing the cast of performers. Reproduction,  
180mm x 233mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.29** Continental Circus Berlin programme

1992  
UK, Prestwich,  
Chris Barltrop, ringmaster,  
Gela Louise, antipodiste,  
Rüngeland's Equine Carousel, presented by June Witney,  
Robert Foxall, Olympian gymnast on Roman Rings,  
The Konyots, clowns,  
The 3 Julians, balance,  
Rani the elephant, presented by Eddie Singer,  
The Menzah Brothers, acrobats,  
The Duo Galos, gymnasts,  
Lee Ann's Poodle Parade,  
Rob Alton, BMX,  
The Colorados, western act,  
The Rodionovs,  
The Witney Family, bareback riders,  
Front illustration of a falling acrobat reaching for another's hands on a blue background, back acts list with colour photographs of several acts

on a blue background, middle colour photographs of several acts on an orange background with multicoloured stars, lettering multicoloured, Designed by Tony Shuker, photography by Michael Little, 556mm x 398mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.30** Continental Circus Berlin programme

1991  
UK,  
Chris Barltrop, ringmaster,  
The Lesters, jugglers,  
Rüngeland's Equine Carousel, presented by June Witney,  
Robert Foxall, Olympian gymnast on Roman Rings,  
Tito, comedy,  
The 3 Julians, balance,  
Rani the elephant, presented by Edwin Singer,  
The Hammich Brothers, acrobats,  
The Duo Galos, gymnasts,  
Lee Ann and her Poodles,  
Rob Alton, BMX,  
The Colorados, western act,  
Antaeus, escapology,  
The Witney Family, bareback riders,  
Front illustration of a falling acrobat reaching for another's hands on a blue background, back acts list with colour photographs of several acts on a blue background, middle colour photographs of several acts on a yellow background with multicoloured stars, lettering multicoloured, Designed by Tony Shuker, photography by Neil Bennett, 558mm x 397mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.31** Tower and Winter Garden programme

1934  
Embossed silver illustration of Blackpool Tower and Winter Gardens in the centre with a circular and then square border on a strong pink background on the front cover, inside colour illustration of a circus parade outside the tower building, blue and white photographs of performers and colour illustrations of tower scenes with text, circus and other event programmes and commercial advertising,  
22p.p  
192mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.32** Tower and Winter Garden programme

1934  
Embossed silver illustration of Blackpool Tower and Winter Gardens in the centre with a circular and then square border on a strong pink background

on the front cover, inside colour illustration of a circus parade outside the tower building, blue and white photographs of performers and colour illustrations of tower scenes with text, circus and other event programmes and commercial advertising,  
22p.p  
192mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.33** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1948  
Colour photograph of tiger tamer in cage with seven tigers on blue background on front cover, black and white photographs of performers and acts inside and programme in the centre,  
4p.p  
120mm x 182mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.34** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1967  
Colour cartoon illustration of clown driving a car full of circus animals on orange background on front cover, black and white photographs of performers and acts inside with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
153mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.35** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1971  
Colour illustration of trapeze act in mid air over a green background with spot lights on the front cover, black and white photographs of the performers and acts inside with text , programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
5p.p  
152mm x 228mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.36** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1972  
Colour illustration of man in pink and white outfit on the floor and woman in blue outfit riding a rearing elephant on a blue background on the front cover, black and white photographs of the performers and acts inside with text , programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
152mm x 228mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.37** Blackpool Tower & Winter Gardens programme  
1940  
Golden embossed illustration of the Tower and the Winter Gardens on red and blue backgrounds, colour illustrations, some black and white photographs and programmes of events, also commercial advertising inside,  
24p.p  
190mm x 248mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.38** Blackpool Tower & Winter Gardens programme  
Circa 1940s  
Red and black embossed illustrations over a golden background with a cut out shape on the right showing the Tower through, colour illustrations, some black and white photographs and programmes of events, also commercial advertising inside,  
22p.p  
190mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.39** Tower Circus programme  
1934  
Black and white photographs of elephant stood on a stool on one leg and three bears standing on their back legs on the front cover, sepia photographs of acts and performers with text inside and programme on back cover,  
2p.p  
238mm x 317mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.40** Magical Tower Circus Around the World with Mooky programme  
2005  
Colour photograph of clown's head on top right holding the world with white gloves with cut outs showing circus acts through and the Tower on top of the world over a dark blue and starry background, introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts inside with text and photograph of the circus ring in the centre,  
12p.p  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.41** Tower Circus Centenary programme  
1994  
Colour illustration of clown climbing the Tower holding a glass of champagne on one hand and an cake with candles on the other on a white and blue background, colour photographs of performers and acts inside with text and programme in the centre over a photograph of the circus ring,  
8p.p



210mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.42** Blackpool Tower, Peter Jay's International Circus programme  
1989  
26 May to 4 November,  
Colour illustration of circus acts including a clown's face on top left, a female aerialist in a red bikini below, three rearing horses and an elephant on bottom left, a clown's face on bottom centre, a tiger and lion's head on bottom right and a cycling act above on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.43** Blackpool Tower, Peter Jay Presents International Circus programme  
1990  
25 May to 3 November,  
Colour illustration of circus acts including a clown's face on top right, the face of the ringmaster and elephants and horses on top left, a female aerialist in a red bikini on bottom left and a leopard and a panther's head on bottom right on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
210mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.44** Tower Circus Jubilee Season programme  
1944  
Black and white photocopy of programme,  
2p.p  
266mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.45** The Tower, Blackpool programme  
1913  
Black and white photocopy of programme,  
4p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.46** Tower Circus, Blackpool programme  
1947-1948  
Black and white photocopy of programme,  
4p.p

A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.47** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1951  
Black and white photocopy of programme,  
1p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.48** Tower & Winter Gardens Blackpool programme

1937  
Embossed gold illustration of Blackpool Tower and Winter Gardens on red background on the front cover, inside blue and white photographs of performers and colour illustrations of tower scenes with text, circus and other event programmes and commercial advertising,  
22p.p  
188mm x 248mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.49** Tower & Winter Gardens Blackpool programme

1936  
Embossed gold illustration of Blackpool Tower and Winter Gardens on blue background on the front cover, inside blue and white photographs of performers and colour illustrations of tower scenes with text, circus and other event programmes and commercial advertising,  
22p.p  
190mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.50** Tower Place & Grand programme

1927  
Colour illustration of the Tower and Winter Gardens from the beach and male and female harlequins on a pale yellow background on the front cover, inside blue and white photographs of performers and colour illustrations of tower scenes with text, circus and other event programmes and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
157mm x 248mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.51** Tower Place and Grand programme

1923  
Colour illustration of the Tower and Winter Gardens from the beach and circus and animal scenes around it on the front cover, inside blue and white photographs of performers and colour illustrations of tower scenes with text, circus and other event programmes and commercial advertising,  
20p.p

155mm x 246mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.52** Blackpool Tower and Winter Gardens programme

1941  
Green and white illustration of the promenade with the tower and the beach at night on front cover, inside blue and white photographs of performers with text and event programmes,  
7p.p  
190mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.53** Tower Circus programme

1942  
Black and white portrait photograph of two clowns in the centre and red outline illustrations of different circus acts in red on a yellow background on the sides on front cover, inside and on back cover programme,  
2p.p  
127mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.54** Tower Circus programme

1943  
Black and white portrait photograph of two clowns in the centre and red outline illustrations of different circus acts in red on a yellow background on the sides on front cover, inside and on back cover programme,  
2p.p  
127mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.55** Tower Circus programme

1948  
Colour illustration of colour balloons with act names on a black background on front cover, inside and on back cover programme,  
2p.p  
153mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.56** Tower Circus programme

1949  
Colour portrait photograph of clown in black boater's hat on a blue background on front cover, inside black and white photographs and performers and acts and colour illustrations of tower scenes, programme in the center,  
8p.p  
170mm x 237mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.57** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1950

Colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on a red background on the front cover, inside colour photograph of Carlie Cairoli with Paul, black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre,

6p.p

175mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.58** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1951

Colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on a red background on the front cover, inside colour photograph of Carlie Cairoli with Paul, black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre,

6p.p

175mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.59** Blackpool Tower Circus, Special TV programme

1951

Colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on a red background on the front, on reverse programme,

1p

175mm x 235mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.60** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1952

Colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on a red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre,

Autographed by Charlie Cairoli and Paul,

4p.p

175mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.61** Tower Circus Blackpool programme

1954

Summer Season, 15 April to 16 October, with special silk cover with red ribbon, containing colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on an off white background, inside programme with same illustration on a red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of

performers and acts and programme in the centre, autographed on back cover,

8p.p

185mm x 258mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.62** Tower Circus Blackpool programme

1955

Summer Season, 7 April to 15 October, with special silk cover with red ribbon, containing colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on an off white background, inside programme with same illustration on a red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre, autographed on back cover,

8p.p

185mm x 258mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.63** Tower Circus Blackpool programme

1956

Summer Season, 29 March to 20 October, with special silk cover with red ribbon, containing colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on an off white background, inside programme with same illustration on a red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre, autographed on back cover,

8p.p

185mm x 258mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.64** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1958

Colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on a red background on the front cover, inside colour photograph of Charlie Cairoli and showgirl, black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre,

6p.p

175mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.65** Tower Circus Blackpool programme

1959

Summer Season, 26 March to 17 October, with special silk cover with red ribbon, containing colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush

on an off white background, inside programme with same illustration on a red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
185mm x 258mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.66** Tower Circus Blackpool programme

1960  
Summer Season, 14 April to 15 October, with special silk cover with red ribbon, containing colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a can of paint and a brush on an off white background, inside programme with same illustration on a red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
185mm x 258mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.67** Tower Circus Blackpool programme

1961  
Special silk cover with red ribbon, containing colour illustration of a cartoon clown wearing blue trousers and red braces riding a rocket into space on an off white background, inside programme with same clown holding a ring of world flags at the bottom from a circus ring which rise up to the top of the cover across space into earth on a black background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in the centre,  
6p.p  
185mm x 258mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.68** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1962  
Colour illustration of cartoon clown and animals riding a rocket into space over the Blackpool Tower on a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts, colour photograph of Charlie Cairoli and showgirl and programme in the center,  
4p.p  
175mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.69** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1964  
Colour illustration of cartoon clown playing a large portable drum and animals around it on a black background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and commercial

advertising,  
4p.p  
175mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.70** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1965  
Colour illustration of cartoon clown balancing over a fountain on a brown and black background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
175mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.71** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1963  
Colour illustration of cartoon clown dressed as ringmaster holding a whip, standing in front of the Blackpool tower on a yellow and orange background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, colour photograph of Charlie Cairoli with showgirl and programme in the centre,  
4p.p  
175mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.72** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1966  
Colour dots in the shape of a fountain on a black background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre on an orange background and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
155mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.73** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1968  
Colour illustration of two men in white shirts and purple leotards in the centre and three showgirls in silver top hats and red sleeveless tail jackets on a blue and black background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Gazette Printers, Blackpool,  
6p.p  
155mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.74** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1969

Colour illustration of animals covering a clown with sand on the beach with the Blackpool tower behind them on a yellow background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Printed by United Printing Services, Stanley Road, Blackpool,

6p.p

155mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.75** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1970

Colour illustration of cartoon clown and animals riding a rocket into space with the Blackpool tower behind them on a black background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Printed by United Printing Services, Stanley Road, Blackpool,

6p.p

155mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.76** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1973

Black cartoon illustration of Charlie Cairoli main features with red nose on a yellow background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

155mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.77** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of cartoon clown with bauble costume on a black background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, loose insert for the Opera House

Printed by United Printing Services, Stanley Road, Blackpool,

7p.p

155mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.78** Blackpool Tower Circus Fantastic programme

1975

Colour portrait photographs of Charlie Cairoli and Mary Chipperfield in circles and illustration of animal heads in yellow and red scroll joining the



photos on a black starry background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by United Printing Services, Stanley Road, Blackpool,  
6p.p  
155mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.79** Blackpool Tower Circus Fantastic programme

1976  
Colour illustration of Charlie Cairoli, showgirls and circus animals and riders on a red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Renault Printing Co. Ltd., 54 College Road, Birmingham, B44 8BS  
6p.p  
155mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.80** Blackpool Tower Circus Fantastic programme

1978  
Colour illustration of tiger leaping towards the front on a blue starry background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Gibbons Barford Print, Wolverhampton,  
6p.p  
152mm x 228mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.81** Blackpool Tower Circus Fantastic programme

1980  
Colour illustration of four clown faces on a purple and pink starry background on the front cover, inside colour and black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Gibbons Barford Print, Wolverhampton,  
6p.p  
153mm x 233mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.82** Blackpool Tower Presents the Chinese Circus programme

1988  
Colour illustration of smiling clown face on top left, Chinese dragon and acrobat below, roaring tiger on bottom and showgirl seating on an elephant's head on bottom right on an orange and red background on the front cover,

inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.83** Blackpool Tower Presents Mexican Nacional Circus programme

1991

Five colour photographs of performers in squares over the Mexican flag on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.84** Blackpool Spectacular Tower Circus programme

1997

Colour photograph of clown on a black background with colour balls and scrolls on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text, and programme in the centre on glossy paper,

6p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.85** Blackpool Tower Circus programme

1999

Colour photograph of ringmaster, ventriloquist with bird, clown and man in orangutan outfit on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text, and programme in the centre on glossy paper,

6p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.86** Blackpool Tower Presents Mooky's Circus of Dreams programme

2009

Colour photograph of clown's torso on bottom right wearing a white night hat, holding white smoke on his hand where he appears on the back of a travelling wagon and a man in a tall hat looking from above angrily on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text, and programme in the centre on glossy paper,

12p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.87** Tower Circus Gala Show programme

1996

Colour illustration of jester in red and yellow outfit on a white background

with mask on top section and red curtains opened on the sides on the front cover, inside introduction and colour photographs of acts and performers text, on glossy paper,

6p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.88** Boswell's South African National Circus programme

1958

Includes an introduction and a programme in the central pages as well as information on different acts with black and white photographs including, Koringa,

The Flying Marilees,

The Cycling Bales,

Trio Chromatique,

Les Morellys,

Trevor Bale,

Stanley Boswell,

The Volants,

The Congars,

Colour illustration of woman wrestling a crocodile, surrounded by other crocodiles and snakes on the front cover and clown on back cover

9p.p

183mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.89** The Big Top programme

No date

W. H. Wilkie's circus programme containing black and white photographs of the acts and the circus and short paragraphs as well as some advertising and illustrations inside, also colour illustration of a circus tent, a clown's torso on the foreground and a female aerial act on the right

18p.p

210mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.90** Boswell Wilkie Circus programme

Circa 1960s

Colour illustration of two clown faces on right hand side and small circus ring on bottom left with different countries' flags above on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text in Dutch and English, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

180mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.91** Boswell's Circus programme  
1954  
Colour illustration of clown face on bottom left and small circus ring with polar bear jumping through a hoop and animal trainer, trapeze act and woman seating on edge of ring on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text in Dutch and English, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
180mm x 243mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.92** Boswell Bros. Circus programme  
1952-1953  
Colour illustration of trapeze act in mid air over a yellow and pink background, small clown holding a white circle with a roaring lion's head in the centre on bottom left, on the front cover, inside introduction, black, green and white photographs of acts and performers with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
190mm x 243mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.93** W. H. Wilkie's Super Big Top Circus programme  
1957  
Colour illustration of clown's face on left hand side over a blue background and red, green and black type on yellow background on the right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs and orange and white illustrations of acts and performers with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
182mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.94** Boswell's Circus programme  
1956  
Colour illustration of top section of clown holding a circus ring with his left hand, with clowns playing music and car, three white horses, three elephants and acrobatic acts on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text in English and Dutch and commercial advertising,  
7p.p  
213mm x 275mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.95** Boswell-Wilkie Circus programme  
Circa 1960s  
Colour illustration of female aerial act in yellow bikini with pink stars

hanging from a rope in the centre, over a circus ring with two elephants and clowns on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers on yellow background, with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

187mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.96** Boswell's National Circus programme

1959

Colour illustration of music band lead by a woman on the left and lions and elephants on the right hand side, over a yellow background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

187mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.97** Boswells' National Circus programme

1961

White and brown photographs of acts and performers around the left and bottom edges and red, yellow and brown type on stripey white and yellow background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, also newspaper cutting for an act and press pass for the Frontier Post & Times dated 8 September 1961,

10p.p

187mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.98** Boswell's Sirkus Combined with Wilkie programme

Circa 1960s

Colour illustration of white face clown covering the page on a yellow background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

163mm x 235mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.99** W. H. Wilkie Presents the Fabulous Dancing Waters programme

No date

Colour illustration of woman playing a piano over a multicolour background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs on red background of acts and performers with text in English

and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
180mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.100** Boswell Wilkie Circus programme

1975  
21st birthday programme, 1954-1975,  
Colour photograph of group of clowns holding a white circle with text  
reading birthday 21st Verjaarsdag on a blue background on the front page,  
inside introduction, colour photographs on red background of acts and  
performers with text in English and Dutch, programme and commercial  
advertising,  
8p.p  
177mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.101** Boswell Wilkie Circus programme

Circa 1970s  
Colour illustration of laughing clown's face on a top section and roaring  
tiger's head and performing sea lions on bottom section, on front cover,  
inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text in  
English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
160mm x 257mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.102** Boswell Wilkie Circus programme

1973-1974  
Colour illustration of laughing clown's face on orange background on front  
cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with  
text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial ad-  
vertising,  
8p.p  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.103** Boswell Wilkie Circus programme

1971-1972  
Colour illustration of a man in a brown trunks and a woman in a bikini  
and pink feathers hanging from a rope and trapeze acts on the back-  
ground, over blue and white, on front cover, inside introduction, colour  
photographs of performers and acts with text in English and Dutch, pro-  
gramme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
185mm x 242mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.104** Boswell's National Circus programme

1960

Colour illustration of laughing clown's face on top right and lion's head on bottom right over a red background with yellow, blue and black type, also a white, blue and yellow rosette reading golden jubilee on bottom left, on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

185mm x 242mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.105** Boswell's South Africa's National Circus programme

1957

Colour illustration of Davy Crockett and a wild west scene in a circus ring on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

185mm x 248mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.106** Doyles Circus International programme

No date

Colour illustration of lion tamer's hat and stick laid on a yellow chair inside a cage in a circus ring on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text in English and Dutch, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

185mm x 242mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.107** Brian Boswell's Circus programme

No date

Colouring book programme,

Colour illustration of roaring lion's head and leaping tiger on a blue background and yellow and red type on the front cover, inside out line of circus performers and scenes for colouring and a loose programme page,

11p.p

213mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.108** Brian Boswell's Circus programme

Circa 1990s

Purple and red type on yellow background with red stars and images of past programmes on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performs, a page on animal care and programme,

8p.p  
211mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.109** Circus Hippodrome programme

2004-2005  
4 December to 9 January,  
Folding programme with poster inside,  
Colour illustration of laughing clown's face in orange outfit and woman  
in red long dress riding a white horse and colour photograph of roller-  
coaster ride on the background of the front cover, inside programme over  
blue starry background with colour photographs of acts and inside, same  
clown's face surrounded by colour portraits of all the circus staff,  
150mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.110** Circo Chen programme

No date  
Folding programme with woman in pink biking and white feathers, roar-  
ing lion's head, chimpanzee, trapeze act and clown's face over a black  
background on the front cover, inside laughing clown's face and inside  
programme and colour photographs of acts and performers, in Portugese,  
132mm x 233mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.111** Robert Bros. Mammoth Circus and Zoo programme

1954  
Blue and white photograph of two Robert brothers and red type on white  
background on front cover, programme inside and text on back cover writ-  
ten by Bobby and Tommy Roberts,  
2p.p  
145mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.112** Robert Bros. Present Hip Hip Zoo Ray Circus programme

1953  
Red type on off white background with illustrations of a lion and a bear  
in red on the front cover, programme inside and information about the  
zoo on back cover,  
2p.p  
127mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.113** Festival Circus Presented by Robert Bros. Circus programme

1953  
Red type on off white background with illustration of a clown in red on  
the front cover and programme inside with illustrations,  
2p.p



127mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.114** The Hippodrome Theatre programme

1955  
Dudley, Monday 30 May,  
Hip Hip Zoo Ray Circus,  
White and black type and illustration of the Hippodrome building on a blue background with white stars on the front cover, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
4p.p  
120mm x 185mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.115** Palace Theatre programme

1953  
Chelsea, Monday 19 October,  
Hip Hip Zoo Ray Circus,  
Blue and white illustrations of circus acts in three dimensional segments on the front cover on a red background, programme in centre and commercial advertising,  
4p.p  
127mm x 185mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.116** Robert Bros. Mammoth Circus and Zoo programme

1959  
Coloured photograph of two Robert brothers on the front cover over a yellow star on a purple background, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and an essay about the origin of the modern circus on the last page, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.117** Robert Bros. Mammoth Circus and Zoo programme

1958  
Coloured photograph of two Robert brothers on the front cover over a yellow star on a purple background, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and an essay about the origin of the modern circus on the last page, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.118** Robert Bros. Mammoth Circus and Zoo programme  
1960  
Coloured photograph of two Robert brothers on the front cover over a yellow star on a purple background, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and an essay about the origin of the modern circus on the last page, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.119** Robert Bros. Mammoth Circus and Zoo programme  
1956  
Coloured photograph of two Robert brothers on the front cover over a yellow star on a purple background, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and an essay about the origin of the modern circus on the last page, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.120** Robert Bros. Mammoth Circus and Zoo programme  
1960  
Coloured photograph of two Robert brothers on the front cover over a yellow star on a purple background, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and an essay about the origin of the modern circus on the last page, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.121** Robert Brothers Circus programme  
1965  
Colour illustration of elephants performing with feathers on their heads and other animals on the top section over a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.122** Robert Brothers Circus programme  
1965  
Colour illustration of elephants performing with feathers on their heads

and other animals on the top section over a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.123** Robert Brothers Circus programme

1967  
Colour illustration of elephants performing with feathers on their heads and other animals on the top section over a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.124** Robert Brothers Circus programme

1966  
Colour illustration of elephants performing with feathers on their heads and other animals on the top section over a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.125** Robert Brothers Circus programme

1968  
Colour illustration of elephants performing with feathers on their heads and other animals on the top section over a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.126** Robert Bros. International Circus programme

1961  
Colour illustration of two Robert brothers opening a curtain to reveal a circus behind it with many acts including performers and animals on front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on

circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.127** Robert Bros. International Circus programme

1962  
Colour illustration of two Robert brothers opening a curtain to reveal a circus behind it with many acts including performers and animals on front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.128** Robert Bros. International Circus programme

1963  
Colour illustration of two Robert brothers opening a curtain to reveal a circus behind it with many acts including performers and animals on front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.129** Robert Bros. International Circus programme

1964  
Colour illustration of two Robert brothers opening a curtain to reveal a circus behind it with many acts including performers and animals on front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Robert family and the acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, article on circus and commercial advertisement on last page,  
8p.p  
140mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.130** Robert Brothers Circus programme

No date  
Colour illustration of lion jumping through a hoop on fire over a red background on the front cover, inside colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertisement on back cover,  
8p.p  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.131** Theatre Royal Glasgow programme  
 1951  
 The Festival Circus arranged by Robert Bros., two weeks commencing Monday 2 July,  
 Blue, black and white illustration of the Royal theatre on front cover, inside programme and commercial advertising with black and white illustrations, on back cover, black and white photographs of theatres and text,  
 6p.p  
 145mm x 223mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.132** Robert Bros. Present Hip Hip Zoo Ray Mammoth Circus programme  
 1949  
 Blue illustration of lion's head in a circle in the centre and blue type on white background on front cover, inside programme in blue type and details about menagerie on back cover,  
 2p.p  
 130mm x 190mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.133** Robert Bros. Mammoth Circus programme  
 No date  
 Red type on yellow background with red border on front cover, inside programme in red type over yellow,  
 2p.p  
 130mm x 190mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.134** The Opera House programme  
 1951  
 The Festival Circus by arrangement with The Robert Bros., Manchester, week commencing 16 July,  
 Red, black and white illustration of the Opera House building with people and cars outside on the front cover, inside the programme over several pages and commercial advertising,  
 6p.p  
 147mm x 230mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.135** Palace Theatre programme  
 1953  
 Hip Hip Zoo Ray Circus, presented by The Robert Brothers, East Ham, week commencing Monday 26 January,  
 Red, white and blue illustration of three girls in Mexican hats dancing and written music notes and stars on the front cover, inside programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

4p.p  
130mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.136** The Bedford Theatre programme

1947  
Hip Hip Zoo Ray Circus, presented by The Robert Brothers,  
Candem Town, week commencing Monday 29 December,  
Blue and white illustration of a large building and landscape and blue  
type on white background on the front cover, inside programme in the  
centre and commercial advertising,  
4p.p  
130mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.137** Palace Theatre programme

1957  
Hip Hip ZooRay Circus, presented by Robert Bros.,  
Leicester, week commencing Monday 25 February,  
Blue, pink and white illustration of nude woman holding a large music  
note dancing and smiling crescent moon, wearing a top hat on the front  
cover, inside programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
4p.p  
130mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.138** The Grand Theatre of Varieties programme

1951  
Hip Hip Zoo Ray Circus, presented by Robert Bros.,  
Churchgate, Bolton, week commencing Monday 24 December,  
Red, white and blue illustration of flamenco dancer on top section and  
advertisement on the bottom on the front cover, inside programme and  
commercial advertising,  
2p.p  
145mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.139** Hippodrome programme

1946  
Hip Hip Zoo Ray Circus,  
Aston, week commencing Monday 11 November,  
Black illustration on pink background of large building and landscape on  
the front cover, inside programme and commencial advertising,  
2p.p  
145mm x 224mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.140** Edinburgh International Circus programme  
1974-1975  
The Leith Theatre, Thursday 18 December,  
Black and white illustration of resting lion on front cover, inside introduction by Robert D. Moore and programme in the centre all typed,  
4p.p  
151mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.141** Robert Brothers Circus programme  
1971  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
170mm x 248  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.142** Robert Brothers Circus programme  
1970  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
170mm x 248  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.143** Robert Brothers Circus programme  
1969-1970  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
170mm x 248  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.144** Robert Brothers Circus programme  
1969  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
170mm x 248  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.145** Robert Brothers Circus programme  
No date  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on orange background on the

front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
170mm x 249  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.146** Robert Brothers Circus programme

1975  
Theatre Royal, Norwich, 10 to 15 February,  
Robert Brothers Circus,  
Black and white illustration of clown holding a sign and elephant holding a paint brush on a red background on the front cover, inside introductions, programme and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
150mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.147** Robert Brothers Super Circus programme

Late 1980s  
Colour photograph of three Robert brothers on bottom section and circus tent within a red, orange and white star above on front cover, inside colour photographs of acts, performers and circus tent and programme in the centre, also a loose page with programme in black and white with black and white illustration of ringmaster holding a whip,  
7p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.148  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.148** Robert Brothers Super Circus programme

Late 1980s  
Colour photograph of three Robert brothers on bottom section and circus tent within a red, orange and white star above on front cover, inside colour photographs of acts, performers and circus tent and programme in the centre, also a loose page with programme in black and white with black and white illustration of ringmaster holding a whip,  
6p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.147  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.149** Robert Brothers Super Circus programme

Late 1980s  
Colour photograph of three Robert brothers on bottom section and circus tent within a red, orange and white star above on front cover, inside colour photographs of acts, performers and circus tent and programme in the centre, also a loose page with programme in black and white with



black and white illustration of ringmaster holding a whip,  
6p.p  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.150** Bobby Brothers Super Circus programme

1994  
Golden Jubilee 1944-1994,  
Colour photograph of Bobby Roberts wearing a white and gold jacket on  
the foreground and photograph of himself with three performing elephants  
on the background on the front cover, inside introduction, history of the  
circus and the Roberts family, colour photographs of performers and acts  
with text and other short articles, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.151** Bobby Brothers Super Circus programme

1994-1995  
Golden Jubilee 1944-1994,  
Colour photograph of Bobby Roberts wearing a white and gold jacket on  
the foreground and photograph of himself with three performing elephants  
on the background on the front cover, inside introduction, history of the  
circus and the Roberts family, colour photographs of performers and acts  
with text and other short articles with insert programme in the centre,  
7p.p  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.152** Robert Brothers Circus programme

1973  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head and elephant's head on a blue  
background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and  
white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the  
centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.153  
165mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.153** Robert Brothers Circus programme

1973  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head and elephant's head on a blue  
background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and  
white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the  
centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.152  
165mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.154** Granada Presents the Robert Brothers Circus programme

No date  
Black and yellow illustration of clown on a step ladder holding a paint brush on his hand and red type on yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.155  
182mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.155** Granada Presents the Robert Brothers Circus programme

No date  
Black and yellow illustration of clown on a step ladder holding a paint brush on his hand and red type on yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.154  
182mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.156** Robert Brothers Super Circus programme

No date  
Colour photograph of three Robert brothers on centre within a red, yellow and white star on light blue background on front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts, performers and insert programme in the centre printed in black and white,  
6p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.157  
211mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.157** Robert Brothers Super Circus programme

No date  
Colour photograph of three Robert brothers on centre within a red, yellow and white star on light blue background on front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts, performers, programme missing  
4p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.156  
211mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.158** Hungarian State Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of large clown's face on left hand side and various smaller circus acts including poodles, horses and elephants on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and space for autographs and programme on last page, all on a yellow background,

6p.p

213mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.159** Robert Brothers Famous Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of large smiling clown's face in the centre and a blond woman in a white bikini hanging from a rope on a starry blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white and colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

210mm x 299mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.160** Spanish National Circus programme

2006

Colour illustration of flamenco dancer in red dress over a blue background and clown's face peaking from behind a curtain on top right corner on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

211mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.161** Bobby Roberts Super Circus programme

2008

Colour photograph of Bobby Roberts on a horse, wearing a white jacket and holding a microphone in a circus ring on the front page, inside introduction and history of Bobby Roberts, colour photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre, article about animal care and commercial advertising,

8p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.162** Robert Brothers Famous Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of two clown faces in the centre and different circus animals below including, horses, tigers, lion, elephants, gorilla, camels

poodles and boxing kangaroo on a blue background on the front cover, inside programme with colour illustrations around the right, left and bottom edges, Thorney wildlife park advert on back cover,  
2p.p  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.163** Circus Bonanza programme

No date  
Colour illustration of circus tent in red and orange, and grey and white horse's head and elephant on platform, inside programme, black and white and colour photographs of acts and performers and celebrities,  
4p.p  
213mm x 299mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.164** Bobby Roberts Super Circus programme

1993  
Colour photograph and illustration of three elephants and two people in a circus ring, one of the elephants is laying down on the floor and the other two are standing on it with their front legs, on the front cover, inside history of circus and Roberts family, colour photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and other articles,  
6p.p  
214mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.165** Bobby Roberts Super Circus programme

1998-1999  
Colour photograph of Bobby Roberts wearing a blue jacket on the foreground and stood in the circus ring wearing a silver coat and two female elephant riders on the background on the front cover, inside history of circus and Roberts family, colour photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and other articles,  
8p.p  
214mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.166** Bobby Roberts Super Circus programme

2007  
Colour photograph of Bobby Roberts on a horse, wearing a white shirt on a brown background, on the front page, inside introduction and history of Bobby Roberts, colour photographs of acts and performers and programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
213mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.167** Robert Brothers Famous Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of smiling clown's face, wearing a Union Jack top hat over a white and blue background on the front cover, inside colour photographs of acts and performers with text and programme in the centre, 6p.p

213mm x 299mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.168** Circus Festival programme

1998

Bournemouth International Centre,

Colour photograph of different circus acts on a black background on the front cover and the illustration of the earth with ribbon reading Circus Atlas, inside introduction and colour photographs of acts and performers with text and programme in the centre,

6p.p

213mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.169** Robert Brothers Super Circus programme

1991-1992

S.E.C.C. Glasgow,

Black and white photograph of three Roberts brothers and black and white type on front cover with introduction at the bottom of the page, inside programme and black and white photographs of performers and acts along the sides, on back cover black and white photographs of acts and performers and acknowledgements,

2p.p

189mm x 273mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.170** Robert Brothers Circus Bonanza programme

No date

Christmas Spectacular,

White, grey and black illustration of elephant stood on its back legs on a circus platform, holding a flag reading Christmas Spectacular on it, over a light blue background and red and yellow curtains on the sides on the front cover, inside colour photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and historical information on back cover,

4p.p

212mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.171** Robert Brothers International Circus programme

1985-1986

Scottish Exhibition and Conference Centre, Sunday 8 December to Saturday 26 January,

Colour illustration of elephant's head with trunk in a knot, a clown balancing a bucket of water on a stick on his nose and a juggler over a white background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

150mm x 208mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.172** Robert Brothers Famous Circus programme

1978

Colour illustration of two clown faces in the centre and different circus animals below including, horses, tigers, lion, elephants, gorilla, camels poodles and boxing kangaroo on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and wildlife park advert on back cover,

6p.p

210mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.173** Billy Smart's New World Circus and Menagerie programme

1956

Colour illustration of laughing clown's face on a blue background and type on bottom section on a yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of patrons, owners, performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,

12p.p

185mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.174** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1947

Southsea Common, Western Parade,

Colour illustration of cowboy clown in the centre, equestrian acts and clowning on top section and caged animals on bottom section over a dark blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of patrons, owners, performers and acts and programme in the centre,

5p.p

140mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.175** Billy Smart's New World Circus and Menagerie programme

1955

Colour illustration of man in blue jacket riding a white horse out of a grey square and holding a gun up in the air, also a clown and a man in a coat inside the box, green and blue type on red and yellow background on

front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of patrons, owners, performers and acts with text and programme in the centre, also commercial advertising on last page,

11p.p

145mm x 224mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.176** Billy Smart's New World Circus and Menagerie programme

Circa 1954

Colour illustration of elephant riding a tricycle wearing a police hat on a green a blue stripey background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of patrons, owners, performers and acts with text and programme in the centre, also commercial advertising on last page,

12p.p

140mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.177** Billy Smart's New World Circus and Menagerie programme

Circa 1954

Colour illustration of elephant riding a tricycle wearing a police hat on a green a blue stripey background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of patrons, owners, performers and acts with text and programme in the centre, also commercial advertising on last page,

12p.p

140mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.178** Billy Smart's New World Circus and Menagerie programme

1954

Colour illustration of elephant riding a tricycle wearing a police hat on a green a blue stripey background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of patrons, owners, performers and acts with text and programme in the centre, also commercial advertising on last page, contains two sets of covers

14p.p

140mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.179** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1947

Gaumont State, Kilburn, Christmas 1947,

Red outline illustrations of circus acts including a clown playing a drum, horses, elephants, a caged tiger and clowns on a blue background on the front cover, inside programme in blue and red type on a white background with red illustrations around the edges and blue and white photographs

of Billy Smart and Lord Morrison on the back cover,  
2p.p  
138mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.180** Billy Smart's Quality Big Top Show programme

1993  
Richmond,  
Colour illustration of harlequin's torso holding a baton with a harlequin's head shape handle on a white background with red and golden type on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of the Smart family members and some stories, programme on a blue insert and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
212mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.181** Billy Smart's Circus Charity Gala Performance programme

1968  
White and black type on golden background on the cover, inside introduction by Fred Pontin, articles and acknowledgements, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
20p.p  
215mm x 280mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.182** Royal Windsor Big Top Show

1977  
Home Park, Windsor, 28 May,  
Black and white illustration of Wombwell's tent with elephant walking out and people around on top section and silver and white type on blue background on the front cover, inside Black and white photographs of the Queen, famous personalities and circus performers, articles and commercial advertising,  
22p.p  
213mm x 304mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.183** Billy Smart's Circus and Wild West Show programme

1958  
Colour illustration of Billy Smart wearing a black hat and holding a cigar with white clowns around him on a purple and green background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of owners, performers and acts with text and programme in the centre, also commercial advertising,  
12p.p



187mm x 248mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.184** Billy Smart's Circus and Wild West Show programme

1959  
Colour illustration of Billy Smart wearing a black hat and holding a cigar with white clowns around him on a purple and green background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of owners, performers and acts with text and programme in the centre, also commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
187mm x 248mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.185** Billy Smart's Circus Gala Charity Performance programme

1969  
Pink and yellow illustration of clown holding a big heart with information inside and a straw hat on a yellow background on the front cover, inside introduction by Bernard Delfont, articles and acknowledgements, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, also Ravenswood Village Settlement insert,  
22p.p  
218mm x 280mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.186** Fairfield Christmas Circus programme

No date  
26 December to 23 January,  
Black and white illustration of clown and elephant on a red background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performed, programme in the centre, brief history of Fairfield and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.187** The Billy Smart Circus Ball programme

1966  
Blue type on white background and commercial advertising on back cover,  
2p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.188  
130mm x 205mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.188** The Billy Smart Circus Ball programme

1966  
Blue type on white background and commercial advertising on back cover,  
2p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.187  
130mm x 205mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.189** Billy Smart New World Circus and Menagerie programme  
1952  
Red and yellow type on white background with red stripey border and two clown faces on the bottom section on the front cover, inside black and white photographs and information on performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
142mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.190** Billy Smart New World Circus programme  
1952  
Black and white portrait photographs of some members of the Smart family, performers and other personalities on a white background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with some information, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.191** Billy Smart's Circus programme  
1962-1963  
Colour illustration of a white face and a red nose clown on profile looking at each other from each edge of the page and pink and blue stripey background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.192** Billy Smart's Circus programme  
1963  
Colour illustration of a white face and a red nose clown on profile looking at each other from each edge of the page and pink and blue stripey background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, page featuring royal visit, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.193** Billy Smart's Super Circus programme  
No date

Colour illustration of pink baby elephant leading a circus parade on a wagon followed by other animals and two clowns on an orange background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, also contains tickets stapled to the inside of the front cover,  
14p.p  
177mm x 242mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.194** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1962  
Colour illustration of show girl in green outfit and large feather head dress standing on an elephant's leg while the elephant is balancing on a circus platform on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.195** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1961  
Colour illustration of show girl in green outfit and large feather head dress standing on an elephant's leg while the elephant is balancing on a circus platform on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.196** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1968  
Colour illustration of elephant wearing a stripey blue and yellow apron bathing a baby elephant, which is holding an umbrella, bubbles and blue background on front cover, inside introduction, article on the late Billy Smart, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
180mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.197** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1964  
Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, black

and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.203

180mm x 247mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.198** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1966

Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.202

180mm x 247mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.199** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1965

Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.201

180mm x 247mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.200** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1964-1965

Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

180mm x 247mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.201** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1965

Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, report

on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.199  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.202** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1966  
Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.198  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.203** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1964  
Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.197  
180mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.204** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1969  
Colour illustration of elephant wearing a stripey blue and yellow apron bathing a baby elephant, which is holding an umbrella, bubbles and blue background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.205  
178mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.205** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1969  
Colour illustration of elephant wearing a stripey blue and yellow apron bathing a baby elephant, which is holding an umbrella, bubbles and blue

background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.204

178mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.206** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1968

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a stripey blue and yellow apron bathing a baby elephant, which is holding an umbrella, bubbles and blue background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

178mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.207** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1968

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a stripey blue and yellow apron bathing a baby elephant, which is holding an umbrella, bubbles and blue background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate 178K43.208

178mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.208** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1968

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a stripey blue and yellow apron bathing a baby elephant, which is holding an umbrella, bubbles and blue background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.207

178mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.209** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1950

colour illustration of white face clown's head shouting and pointing on a pink and yellow background on the front cover, inside black and white

photographs of acts and performers and text, programme in the centre,  
6p.p  
185mm x 243mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.210** Billy Smart's Christmas Circus programme

1972-1973  
Colour illustration of male trapeze act and two Santa Clause pulling a cracker open underneath on a blue and white background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, also contains a booking form,  
10p.p  
180mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.211** Billy Smart's New World Circus and Fun Fair, Festival of Britain Souvenir programme

1951  
Colour illustration of white face clown seating at a chair with young girl stood behind him on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
185mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.212** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1966  
Colour illustration of show girl in green outfit and large feather head dress standing on an elephant's leg while the elephant is balancing on a circus platform on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
178mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.213** Billy Smart's New World Circus programme

1967  
Colour illustration of pink elephant wearing a pointy hat and seating on a circus platform and a tamer in a red, gold and black outfit holding a whip on a blue background on the front page, inside introduction, article on the late Billy Smart, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
14p.p  
178mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.214** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1969

Colour illustration of baby elephant wearing a pointy hat and a tutu, standing on its hinds with its back to the viewer and the head turned on a marron background with white stars, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

178mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.215** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1970

Colour illustration of baby elephant wearing a pointy hat and a tutu, standing on its hinds with its back to the viewer and the head turned on a marron background with white stars, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

180mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.216** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1970

Colour illustration of baby elephant wearing a pointy hat and a tutu, standing on its hinds with its back to the viewer and the head turned on a marron background with white stars, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, also inside one loose ticket

14p.p

178mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.217** Billy Smart's Christmas Circus programme

1971-1972

Fairfield Hall, Croydon,

Colour illustration of a man and two clowns dressed in Santa Clause outfits riding a sledge pulled by a horse on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

178mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.218** Billy Smart's New World Circus, Star Gala Performance programme

1960



Golden cover with red heart and type on bottom right, inside programme with colour illustration of show girl in green outfit and large feather head dress standing on an elephant's leg while the elephant is balancing on a circus platform on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

18p.p

195mm x 259mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.219** Billy Smart's New World Circus, Star Gala Performance programme

1961

Golden cover with red heart and type on bottom right, inside programme with colour illustration of show girl in green outfit and large feather head dress standing on an elephant's leg while the elephant is balancing on a circus platform on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

18p.p

185mm x 247mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.220** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1966

Colour photograph of clown's face with red nose and black hat on the front cover, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

179mm x 242mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.221** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1967

Colour photograph of clown's face with red nose and black hat on the front cover, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.222

179mm x 242mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.222** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1967

Colour photograph of clown's face with red nose and black hat on the

front cover, inside introduction, report on royal visit, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.221

179mm x 242mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.223** Royal Gala Performance Billy Smart's Circus programme

1964

Colour illustration of people on the front cover, inside programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

42p.p

205mm x 257mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.224** Billy Smarts programme

1996

Colour illustration of harlequin on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers, commercial advertising and insert programme,

11p.p

210mm x 295mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.225** Billy Smart's programme

No date

Colour illustration of large harlequin behind a circus tent holding the entrance open and performers emerging from it on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers, commercial advertising and insert programme,

9p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.226** Billy Smart's Circus programme

1968

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a stripey blue and yellow apron bathing a baby elephant, which is holding an umbrella, bubbles and blue background on front cover, inside introduction, article on Billy Smart, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

178mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.227** David Smart Super Circus programme

No date

Battersea Park,

Colour illustration of female equestrian wearing a long red outfit and a top hat, a female's face wearing golden hair dress and necklace and a clown's face on the right hand side and a trapeze act on the left on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.228

210mm x 297mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.228** David Smart Super Circus programme

No date

Battersea Park,

Colour illustration of female equestrian wearing a long red outfit and a top hat, a female's face wearing golden hair dress and necklace and a clown's face on the right hand side and a trapeze act on the left on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.227

210mm x 297mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.229** Billy Smart's Circus programme

No date

Photocopy of 1946 programme and a front cover and a back cover of Smart circus programme,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.230** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1947

White and blue photograph of roaring tiger's head on top section and blue and pink type on pink and white background in the bottom section on the front cover, inside introduction, blue and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,

8p.p

142mm x 215mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.231** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1949

Black and white photograph of roaring tiger's head on top section and black and red type on red and white background in the bottom section on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,  
4p.p  
142mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.232** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1954  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.233** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

No date  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.234** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

Circa 1955  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, also contains an inset with update programme  
12p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.235** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

No date  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,  
8p.p

140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.236** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1958  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, also contains an inset with update programme  
12p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.237** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1957-1958  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, commercial advertising and contains an inset with programme  
10p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.238** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1953  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.239** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1956  
Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and commercial advertising, also contains an inset with programme  
12p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.240** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1951

Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,

7p.p

140mm x 215mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.241** Chipperfield's Circus and Menagerie programme

1957

Colour photograph of roaring tiger's head breaking out of the paper cover on centre and gold, white and orange type on red and blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and commercial advertising, also contains an inset with programme

11p.p

140mm x 215mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.242** Chipperfield's Circus and Zoo programme

1947

Red type on white background on the front cover, inside black type on white background containing programme,

2p.p

125mm x 185mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.243** Chipperfield's Circus and Zoo programme

1946

Red and green type on white background with green stripes across the top and bottom sections on the front cover, inside black type on white background containing the programme and handwritten notes on back cover,

2p.p

144mm x 223mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.244** Chipperfield's Bingley Hall Circus programme

1960-1961

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a crown on right hand side and yellow, black and white type on red, yellow and blue background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, red comical illustrations, programme in centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

215mm x 135mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.245** Chipperfield's Bingley Hall Circus programme

1959

Birmingham, 26 December,

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a crown on right hand side and yellow, black and white type on red, yellow and blue background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, red comical illustrations, programme in centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.246

215mm x 135mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.246** Chipperfield's Bingley Hall Circus programme

1959

Birmingham, 26 December,

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a crown on right hand side and yellow, black and white type on red, yellow and blue background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, red comical illustrations, programme in centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

Duplicate see 178K43.245

215mm x 135mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.247** Chipperfield's Africa's Greatest Circus programme

1967

Colour illustration of rearing white horse on right hand side and clown's face on bottom left over a green background with red, black, yellow and blue type on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers on different colour backgrounds with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

180mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.248** The Great Caucasian Circus programme

1945

Blue and white illustration of roaring lion's head within a circle and blue and white type on blue and white background on front cover, inside blue type programme,

2p.p

130mm x 189mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.249** Sally Chipperfield's Circus programme

1983

Westover Ice Rink, 1 July to 10 September,

Colour illustrations of circus acts including a high wire act on top right, a roaring lion's head on top left next to an acrobatic act, animals along the bottom section, leopards and panthers on stepped contraption with tamer and clown's face on right over a blue background on front cover, inside colour photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

148mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.250** Chipperfields Circus programme

1972

Colour illustration of woman in blue outfit with white cape and pink feather head piece and wild animals breaking through paper into the picture on a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, Black and white and colour photographs of performers and acts with titles and some text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

178mm x 242mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.251** Chipperfields Circus programme

1972-1973

Colour illustration of woman in blue outfit with white cape and pink feather head piece and wild animals breaking through paper into the picture on a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white and colour photographs of performers and acts with titles and some text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

178mm x 242mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.252** Chipperfields Circus and Menageries programme

1969

Colour illustration of wild animals breaking through paper into the picture on a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

156mm x 215mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.253** Chipperfields Circus and Menageries programme

1970

Colour illustration of wild animals breaking through paper into the picture on a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the



centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
156mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.254** Chipperfield's Circus programme

1964  
Colour illustration of wild animals around the edges on a dark red background and blue and black type on a yellow background in the centre on the front cover, inside introduction and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text on colour and white backgrounds, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
165mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.255** Chipperfield's Circus programme

1963  
Colour illustration of wild animals around the edges on a dark red background and blue and black type on a yellow background in the centre on the front cover, inside introduction and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text on colour and white backgrounds, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
165mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.256** Chipperfield's Circus programme

1959  
Colour illustration of wild animals around the edges on a dark red background and blue and black type on a yellow background in the centre on the front cover, inside introduction and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text on colour and white backgrounds, insert with programme and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
165mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.257** Chipperfield's Circus programme

1960  
Colour illustration of wild animals around the edges on a dark red background and blue and black type on a yellow background in the centre on the front cover, inside introduction and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text on colour and white backgrounds, insert with programme and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
165mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.258** Chipperfield's Circus programme  
 1962  
 Colour illustration of wild animals around the edges on a dark red background and blue and black type on a yellow background in the centre on the front cover, inside introduction and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text on colour and white backgrounds, programme in the centre and 2p.p insert with programme, also commercial advertising and entrance tickets,  
 12p.p  
 165mm x 222mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.259** John Pearson's Gigantic Christmas Circus, Menagerie and Fun Fair programme  
 1949-1950  
 The King's Hall, Balmoral, Belfast, 22 December to 14 January,  
 Black and white photograph of roaring tiger in the centre and black type on red background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
 6p.p  
 155mm x 217mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.260** Glasgow Empire programme  
 1946  
 Week commencing Monday 16 December,  
 Blue and orange illustration of three female performers peeping behind a blue screen and a man in checked jacket and trousers performing on stage on the front cover, inside commercial advertising and programme in the centre,  
 4p.p  
 120mm x 185mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.261** Glasgow Empire programme  
 1947  
 Week commencing, Monday 3 November,  
 Red, grey and white illustration of woman's face behind of a hand fan on the front cover, inside commercial advertising and programme in the centre,  
 4p.p  
 122mm x 185mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.262** Chipperfield Brothers Christmas Circus programme  
 1994-1995

Sheffield, December 26 to January 15,  
Red and black photograph of woman from behind and white unicorn and  
white type on red background on the front cover, inside introduction,  
black and white photographs of performers and acts and programme in  
the centre,  
4p.p  
148mm x 209mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.263** Chipperfields Circus programme

1976  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger's face surrounded by clowns heads,  
performing elephants, lion's head polar bear, poodles and two horses, on  
a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, history of the  
Chipperfield circus, black and white and colour photographs of performers  
and acts and commercial advertising, also 2 p.p insert with programme  
and blue and white photographs,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.264  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.264** Chipperfields Circus programme

1976  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger's face surrounded by clowns heads,  
performing elephants, lion's head polar bear, poodles and two horses, on  
a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, history of the  
Chipperfield circus, black and white and colour photographs of performers  
and acts and commercial advertising, also 2 p.p insert with programme  
and blue and white photographs,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.263  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.265** Chipperfields Circus programme

1975  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger's face surrounded by clowns heads,  
performing elephants, lion's head polar bear, poodles and two horses, on  
a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, history of the  
Chipperfield circus, black and white and colour photographs of performers  
and acts and commercial advertising, also 2 p.p insert with programme  
and blue and white photographs,  
8p.p  
210mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.266** Sally Chipperfields Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of clown, elephant, bear, poodle, lioness and horse on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white and colour photographs of performers and acts on blue background with text, programme in the centre,

4p.p

210mm x 296mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.267** Chipperfield Brothers Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of large clown's face, leaping lion and cycling acrobatic act on blue, pink and red background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,

4p.p

210mm x 297mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.268** Chipperfields Present the King's Hall Circus programme

1977-1978

King's Hall, Derby, 24 December to 22 January,

Black and white illustration of clown, bear, elephant, horse, tiger and poodle on a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

4p.p

180mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.269** Chipperfields Circus programme

1974

Chipping Norton, Oxfordshire,

Colour illustration of tiger leaping from the circus ring towards the viewer and blue curtains on front cover, inside introduction, black and white and colour photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

180mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.270** Sally Chipperfield's Circus programme

No date

Colour illustration of cartoon lion and tiger stood in front of a circus tent and clown on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the

centre and 2p.p insert with programme and black and white photographs,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.271  
150mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.271** Sally Chipperfield's Circus programme

No date  
Colour illustration of cartoon lion and tiger stood in front of a circus tent and clown on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.270  
150mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.272** Chipperfields Bingley Hall Xmas Circus programme

No date  
  
5th season,  
Colour illustration of white rearing horse on the right hand side, clown face on bottom left and black illustration of wild cat and tamer in cage on a green background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
167mm x 223mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.273** Chipperfields Bingley Hall Xmas Circus programme

No date  
6th season,  
Colour illustration of white rearing horse on the right hand side, clown face on bottom left and black illustration of wild cat and tamer in cage on a green background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
167mm x 223mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.274** Chipperfields Bingley Hall Xmas Circus programme

No date  
7th season,  
Colour illustration of white rearing horse on the right hand side, clown face on bottom left and black illustration of wild cat and tamer in cage on

a green background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

167mm x 223mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.275** Sally Chipperfield Presents The King's Hall 2nd Xmas Circus programme

1978-1979

Black type on blue background, loose programme, souvenir booklet missing,

1p.

177mm x 252mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.276** Chipperfield's Circus programme

1977

Blue and white photographs of two acts on the front cover and blue type over white background, programme inside in blue type, loose programme, souvenir booklet missing,

2p.p

204mm x 253mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.277** Chipperfields Circus programme

1972

Blue and white illustration of woman in performing outfit with cape and feather head dress on the left hand side and wild animals around the bottom and right edges, on a white and blue background on the front cover, inside programme in blue type,

2p.p

175mm x 225mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.278** Bingley Hall Christmas Circus programme

1981-1982

Programme in black type on white background on front cover, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text in the centre and back cover,

2p.p

148mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.279** The New 1959 Production of Chipperfield's Circus programme

1959

Black type on white background with black zig-zag border, loose programme, souvenir booklet missing,

1p.  
141mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.280** The New 1959 Production of Chipperfield's Circus programme  
1959  
Black type on white background with simple black border, loose programme, souvenir booklet missing,  
1p.  
141mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.281** Billy Russell's Grand Family Circus programme  
1955  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of seal, elephant, three men dressed as Mexicans around a pond and a woman in a long green skirt and bikini top with fruit head dress on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, pink illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
123mm x 178mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.282** Billy Russell's Grand Family Circus & Water Spectacular programme  
1953  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of fountain act on top right, clown's head with a trumpet on top left, chimpanzees in band uniforms playing drums on bottom left and elephant's head on centre right in mainly red and blue on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, pink illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
125mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.283** Billy Russell's Grand Family Circus programme  
1952  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Black, red, white and blue type on blue, orange and yellow background and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p

125mm x 183mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.284** Billy Russell's Grand Family Circus, Zoo and Pets Corner programme

1956

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Black, red, white and blue type on blue, orange and yellow background and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, pink illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

125mm x 183mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.285** Billy Russell's Grand Family Circus, Zoo and Pets Corner programme

1957

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Black, red, white and blue type on blue, orange and yellow background and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, blue illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

125mm x 183mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.286** Billy Russell's Grand Family Circus, Zoo and Pets Corner programme

1958

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Black, red, white and blue type on blue, orange and yellow background and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, blue illustrations, autographed programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

125mm x 183mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.287** Billy Russell's Grand Family Circus, Zoo and Pets Corner programme

1959

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Black, red, white and blue type on blue, orange and yellow background



and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, blue illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

125mm x 183mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.288** Billy Russell's Grand Circus programme

1961

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 3 June to 16 September,

Black, red, white and blue type on blue, yellow and red background and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, black illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

140mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.289** Billy Russell's Grand Circus programme

1962

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 4 June to 22 September,

Black, red, white and blue type on blue, yellow and red background and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, black illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

140mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.290** Billy Russell's Grand Circus programme

1963

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 3 June to 21 September,

Black, red, white and blue type on blue, yellow and red background and colour illustration of cartoon clown's face with mouth open on top right on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

140mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.291** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme

1964

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 6 June to 19 September,

Colour illustration of woman's head with a white top hat and large orange ribbon on her neck on a blue starry background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, black illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

140mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.292** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme

1965

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 4 June to 18 September,

Colour illustration of woman's head with a white top hat and large orange ribbon on her neck on a blue starry background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

140mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.293** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme

1966

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 30 May to 17 September,

Colour illustration of woman's head with a white top hat and large orange ribbon on her neck on a blue starry background on the front cover, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, black illustrations, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

140mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.294** Liverpool Stadium Circus programme

No date

Opens December 24,

Black and white photographs of acts and animals around the edges on the front page and white, black and red type, inside red and black type on white background with details of pricing and programme, clown act on back cover with text,

2p.p

146mm x 226mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.295** Liverpool Stadium Circus programme

No date

Opens December 24,

Blue and white photographs of acts and animals around the edges on the front page and white and blue type, programme on reverse

1p.  
128mm x 257mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.296** Hippodrome Circus Great Yarmouth programme

1934  
Colour illustration of three clown faces breaking through a paper ring in the centre and four circus acts on the edges including weight lifting, equestrian act, trapeze act and balancing act over a redish background on the front cover, inside programme in the centre and commercial advertising on the sides, on reverse equestrian act with eight horses,  
Three fold programme,  
180mm x 254mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.297** Hippodrome Circus Great Yarmouth programme

1935  
Colour illustration of three clown faces breaking through a paper ring in the centre and four circus acts on the edges including weight lifting, equestrian act, trapeze act and balancing act over a redish background on the front cover, inside programme in the centre and commercial advertising on the sides, on reverse equestrian act with eight horses,  
Three fold programme,  
180mm x 254mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.298** Hippodrome Circus Great Yarmouth programme

1938  
Colour illustration of three clown faces breaking through a paper ring in the centre and four circus acts on the edges including weight lifting, equestrian act, trapeze act and balancing act over a redish background on the front cover, inside programme in the centre and commercial advertising on the sides, on reverse equestrian act with eight horses,  
Three fold programme,  
180mm x 254mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.299** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme

1968  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, from 1 June,  
Colour illustration of woman in blue bikini and white and blue feather head dress and bum seating on an elephant's head on front cover, inside introduction with brief history of circus and Astley related prints, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
183mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.300** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1976  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of two clowns appearing on the right edge and a seal holding a red ball on its nose in the centre over a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.301** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1978  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of two clowns appearing on the right edge and a seal holding a red ball on its nose in the centre over a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.302** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1975  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of two clowns appearing on the right edge and a seal holding a red ball on its nose in the centre over a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.303** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1977  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of two clowns appearing on the right edge and a seal holding a red ball on its nose in the centre over a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.304** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1971  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of female aerial act hanging from her hair while juggling  
battons on fire over a black and blue background on the front cover, inside  
black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme  
in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.305** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1974  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of Cossack riders and dancers in red and white outfits  
and white and brown horses over a blue background on the front cover,  
inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, pro-  
gramme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.306** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1969  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of aerial act hanging from a black contraption in the  
centre, woman in a long blue dress and poodles and man balancing glasses  
with his mouth in a yellow outfit on the bottom section over a yellow  
and orange background on the front cover, inside introduction with brief  
history of circus, black and white photographs of performers and acts with  
text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.307** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme  
1970  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of circus acts including trapeze on top section and  
clowns, performing animals and poodles with performers on the bottom  
section over a yellow and orange background on the front cover, inside  
black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme  
in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
182mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.308** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme

1972

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Colour illustration of circus acts including trapeze on top section and Chinese and Hungarian acrobats, woman riding a white horse and woman with poodles on the bottom section over a yellow and red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

182mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.309** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme

1973

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Colour illustration of men spitting and juggling fire and head of man with turban on a red, yellow and orange background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

182mm x 245mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.310** International Super Circus programme

1982

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Presented by Jack and Peter Jay,

Colour illustrations of circus acts including roaring tiger's face on top left, trapeze act, acrobatic troupe, elephants, horses, clowns, mermaids and ventriloquist with monkey doll on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.311** International Super Circus programme

1983

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Presented by Peter Jay,

Colour illustration of roaring tiger's face on bottom right, smiling clown face on top left and water fountain on bottom left on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.312** International Festival of Circus programme

1983  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of smily clown face on top left, trapeze act, two bicycle riders and lady seating on elephant's head on an orange background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.313** International Circus programme

1989  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 10th anniversary, 21 June to 9 September,  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of smily clown face on top left, female aerial act in red bikini, white horses, elephant, lion, tiger and clowns' heads on the bottom and David Hibling wearing a red jacket and black top hat on his had on a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.314  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.314** International Circus programme

1989  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 10th anniversary, 21 June to 9 September,  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of smily clown face on top left, female aerial act in red bikini, white horses, elephant, lion, tiger and clowns' heads on the bottom and David Hibling wearing a red jacket and black top hat on his had on a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.313  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.315** Super Circus programme

1984

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of smily clown face on top left, water fountain act on bottom left, wheel of death act and elephant's head on blue and black background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.316  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.316** Super Circus programme

1984  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of smily clown face on top left, water fountain act on bottom left, wheel of death act and elephant's head on blue and black background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
Duplicate see 178K43.315  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.317** Yasmine Smart's Circus programme

1981  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 17 June to 12 September,  
Presented by Jack and Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of roaring lion's head on top left, elephants, white horses, clowns, water fountain, seal and woman holding microphone on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.318** Hippodrome Circus Great Yarmouth programme

1987  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of smiley clown's face on top left, Chinese acrobats and dragon, aerial act, woman seating on elephant's head, Bulgarian troupe of acrobats and fountain in centre on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,



10p.p  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.319** Hippodrome Super Circus Great Yarmouth programme

1985  
Presented by Peter Jay,  
Colour illustration of smiley clown's face on top left, fountain on bottom left and wild animals and horse on bottom right, on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.320** Superdrome Circus programme

1993  
Blackpool Pleasure Beach,  
Folding programme with poster inside with colour photographs of acts and performers and programme in the centre,  
212mm x 305mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.321** Sally Chipperfield's Christmas Circus programme

No date  
The Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth, 26 December to 13 January,  
Blue type on yellow background,  
1p.  
140mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.322** Billy Russell's Circus Spectacular programme

1978  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour illustration of Chinese building and dragons on blue, yellow and pink on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre with red, yellow, black and white illustration around the edges and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
177mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.323** Jimmy Chipperfield's Circus World programme

No date  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Black and white illustration of clown's face and circus animals in the centre, black and white type on red background on the front cover, inside introduction and historical background, black and white photographs of

acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Duplicate see 178K43.324

6p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.324** Jimmy Chipperfield's Circus World programme

No date

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Black and white illustration of clown's face and circus animals in the centre, black and white type on red background on the front cover, inside introduction and historical background, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Duplicate see 178K43.323

6p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.325** Jimmy Chipperfield's Circus World programme

No date

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Black and white photograph of equestrian act with two horses and female trainer on red background on the front cover, inside introduction and historical background, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

213mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.326** Peter Jay's All New Circus & Water Spectacular programme

1999

Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,

Colour photograph of female in red, yellow and black swimming costume, clown's face and white horse over a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white and colour photographs of acts and performers with text and programme in the centre,

8p.p

214mm x 297mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.327** Peter Jay's Superdrome Circus programme

1991

Blackpool Pleasure Beach,

Colour photograph of circus ring and curtain with neon sign above reading Peter Jay's Superdrome Circus on the front cover, inside introduction,

colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

211mm x 299mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.328** All New Superdrome Circus programme

1995

Peter Jay presents The Russian Fantasy,

Colour illustration of man stood up on elephant's head with right fist raised on a black background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

211mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.329** Peter Jay's All New Festival Circus programme

1995

London International Circus Festival,

Folding programme with poster inside with colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers and text, and programme in the back, 212mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.330** Peter Jay's Superdrome Circus programme

1992

Blackpool Pleasure Beach,

Colour photograph of circus ring and curtain with neon sign above reading Peter Jay's Superdrome Circus and performers waiving underneath on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

211mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.331** All New Superdrome Circus programme

1996

Peter Jay presents the Big One Hundred Celebration,

Colour photographs of ringmaster and performers on a pink background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

211mm x 299mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.332** One Ring Rules Them All programme  
2001  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour photograph of eight synchronise swimmers performing on the bottom of the page over a purple, red and blue background and a black and white star with the words one right rules them all around it above on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
212mm x 299mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.333** One Ring Rules Them All programme  
2002  
Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Black and white star with the words one right rules them all around on top section on a blue, purple and black background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre,  
6p.p  
212mm x 299mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.334** The Hippodrome programme  
2004  
All New 25th Anniversary Circus & Water Spectacular,  
Colour photograph of the Hippodrome on a black background with colourful circles around it on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
212mm x 299mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.335** Peter Jay's Circus Greatest Hists programme  
2003  
Celebrating 100 years 1903-2003, the Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth,  
Colour photograph of the Hippodrome on a black background with colour beams of light coming out of it on the top section on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
210mm x 299mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.336** Sir Robert Fossett British and International Circus programme  
No date

Red and blue type on off white background and monochrome illustrations of circus acts on reverse with programme of performers, 1p.  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings, Ltd, Printers Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
150mm x 285mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.337** Sir Robert Fossett's Original Circus programme

No date  
The Park, Snaith, Saturday 19 October,  
Red and blue type on off white background and monochrome illustrations of circus acts on reverse with programme of performers and circus tent on the front,  
1p.  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings, Ltd, Printers Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
150mm x 285mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.338** Sir Robert Fossett's Mammoth Jungle Circus and Zoo programme

1962  
Birmingham, various locations between the 9th and the 28th of July,  
Red and blue type on blue background with acts on the front and locations of performances and dates on reverse,  
1p.  
140mm x 229mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.339** The Original Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1936  
Monochrome illustration of female equestrian act, clown and man riding elephant in blue over a yellow and red background on the front cover, inside programme in blue type on yellow background,  
2p.p  
145mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.340** Fossett & Bailey Circus programme

No date  
Black type on off white paper, programme inside,  
2p.p  
Printed by R. J. Acford Ltd, Lennox Street, Bognor Regis,  
129mm x 193mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.341** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

No date

Black type on grey background, programme spreads over front and reverse,  
1p.  
130mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.342** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1938  
Brixham, 6 June,  
Black and yellow illustration of smiling clown's face on top section and four clowns hopping about on bottom section on front cover, inside programme and black and white photograph of man riding an elephant carrying a pony in a sling with its mouth and black and white photograph of circus ring with horses on reverse with text,  
2p.p  
Printed by Thomas Brayshaw Ltd, Circus Printers, Chesterfield,  
130mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.343** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1939  
Black type on blue background with programme inside,  
2p.p  
Printed by Caxton Press, Whitland,  
130mm x 193mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.344** The Original Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1935  
Blue type on blue background with illustration of smiling clown's face in centre on blue on the front cover, inside programme,  
2p.p  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings Ltd, Printers, Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
Duplicate see 178K43.345  
145mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.345** The Original Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1935  
Blue type on blue background with illustration of smiling clown's face in centre on blue on the front cover, inside programme,  
2p.p  
Printed by Parkes & Mainwarings Ltd, Printers, Coleshill Street, Birmingham,  
Duplicate see 178K43.344  
145mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.346** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
 1939-1940  
 Black type on off white paper, programme inside,  
 2p.p  
 Printed by Ellenbray Press, Frome, Somerset,  
 123mm x 170mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.347** Sir Robert Fossett's Big Zoo Circus programme  
 1942  
 Black type on green background with Black green illustration of circus ring  
 in the centre with elephant, clowns, lion, equestrian act and trapeze act  
 on the front cover, inside programme and illustration of female equestrian  
 act on back cover,  
 2p.p  
 Printed by Willsons Printers, Leicester,  
 130mm x 190mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.348** Sir Robert Fossett's Big Zoo Circus programme  
 Circa 1943  
 Black illustrations of circus acts including female equestrian, lion tamer  
 and clown on pink background on the front cover, inside programme,  
 2p.p  
 Printed by G. W. McKane & Son, Keswick,  
 116mm x 185mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.349** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
 1943  
 Black type on pink background with programme in the centre,  
 2p.p  
 Printed by G. W. McKane & Son, Keswick,  
 120mm x 180mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.350** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
 1944  
 Black type on yellowish background with programme in the centre,  
 2p.p  
 Printed by G. W. McKane & Son, Keswick,  
 120mm x 180mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.351** Sir Robert Fossett's Gigantic Circus & Zoo programme  
 1945  
 Black type on pink background with smiling clown's face in a circle in the  
 centre with his hands held at either side of his head with a finger pointing

upwards, programme in the centre,  
2p.p  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
125mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.352** Sir Robert Fossett's Gigantic Circus & Zoo programme

1947  
Black type on green background with black and white photograph of elephant's head in profile in the centre on front cover, inside programme,  
2p.p  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
130mm x 193mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.353** Sir Robert Fossett's Gigantic Circus and Zoo programme

1948  
Black type and red illustration of lion's head on off white background on the front cover, inside programme,  
2p.p  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
130mm x 192mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.354** Sir Robert Fossett's Gigantic Circus & Zoo programme

1949  
Blue and red type on greenish background and red and blue illustration of elephant's head in profile on top section on front cover, inside programme,  
2p.p  
Printed by Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
128mm x 192mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.355** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1950  
Black type on green background and black illustration of elephant's head in profile on top section on front cover, inside programme,  
2p.p  
128mm x 192mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.356** Sir Robert Fossett's Mammoth Jungle Circus and Zoo programme

1952  
Black type on pink background and black illustration of lion's head in the centre on the front cover, inside programme with illustration of clown in the middle, also text and illustration of tiger seating on a circus platform on back cover,  
2p.p



Printed by G. W. McKane & Son, Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
130mm x 192mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.357** Great Britain's Famous Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
No date  
Red and blue type on blue background and blue and white photograph of  
elephant standing on a ball on the front page, inside programme,  
2p.p  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford and the Winfield Press, Rugby,  
140mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.358** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
1940  
Black type on blue background, programme on front page, blank on re-  
verse,  
1p.  
180mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.359** National Tour programme  
1974  
Red type on yellow background with decorative corners,  
1p.  
212mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.360** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
1974  
Colour photograph of tiger leaping through the paper on front cover and  
red and blue type on yellow on the right hand side, inside introduction,  
colour photographs of acts and performers with text and loose page with  
programme red type on yellow background,  
7p.p  
Designed and printed by Clarke & Sherwell Ltd, Northampton,  
232mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.361** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
1973  
Colour photograph of tiger leaping through the paper on front cover and  
red and blue type on yellow on the right hand side, inside introduction,  
colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text  
and programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
Designed and printed by Clarke & Sherwell Ltd, Northampton,  
Duplicate see 178K42.362

232mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.362** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1973

Colour photograph of tiger leaping through the paper on front cover and red and blue type on yellow on the right hand side, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text and programme in the centre,

8p.p

Designed and printed by Clarke & Sherwell Ltd, Northampton,

Duplicate see 178K42.361

232mm x 180mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.363** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1972

Colour photograph of tiger leaping through the paper on front cover and red and blue type on yellow on the right hand side, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text and programme in the centre,

8p.p

Designed and printed by Clarke & Sherwell Ltd, Northampton,

Duplicate see 178K42.364

232mm x 180mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.364** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1972

Colour photograph of tiger leaping through the paper on front cover and red and blue type on yellow on the right hand side, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text and programme in the centre,

8p.p

Designed and printed by Clarke & Sherwell Ltd, Northampton,

Duplicate see 178K42.363

232mm x 180mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.365** Sir Robert Fossett's The Original English Circus programme

1953

Colour illustration of black panther leaping through a paper hoop on a blue background and red and white type on top section on the front cover, inside the story of Fossett circus, articles about the war years and other information, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,

8p.p

Printed by W. Chudley and Son Ltd, Holloway St. Exeter,  
185mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.366** Sir Robert Fossett's The Original English Circus programme  
1954

Colour illustration of black panther leaping through a paper hoop on a blue background and red and white type on top section on the front cover, inside the story of Fossett circus, articles about the war years and other information, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,  
8p.p

Printed by W. Chudley and Son Ltd, Holloway St. Exeter,  
185mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.367** Sir Robert Fossett's The Original English Circus programme  
1955

Colour illustration of black panther leaping through a paper hoop on a blue background and red and white type on top section on the front cover, inside the story of Fossett circus, articles about the war years and other information, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,  
8p.p

Printed by W. Chudley and Son Ltd, Holloway St. Exeter,  
185mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.368** Sir Robert Fossett's The Original English Circus programme  
1956

Colour illustration of black panther leaping through a paper hoop on a blue background and red and white type on top section on the front cover, inside the story of Fossett circus, articles about the war years and other information, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text and programme in the centre,  
8p.p

Printed by W. Chudley and Son Ltd, Holloway St. Exeter,  
185mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.369** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme  
1976

Colour illustration of elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth on an orange background in a circle in the centre of the front page with pinkish scrolls around it and a blue border, inside programme with colour illustrations of white horse, elephants head and leaping tiger on the top section and clown and woman on the bottom and list of zoo animals on

the back cover with outline illustration of elephant,  
2p.p  
212mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.370** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1977

Colour illustration of elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth on an orange background in a circle in the centre of the front page with pinkish scrolls around it and a blue border, inside programme with colour illustrations of white horse, elephants head and leaping tiger on the top section and clown and woman on the bottom and list of zoo animals on the back cover with outline illustration of elephant,

2p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.371** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1978

Colour illustration of elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth on an orange background in a circle in the centre of the front page with pinkish scrolls around it and a blue border, inside programme with colour illustrations of white horse, elephants head and leaping tiger on the top section and clown and woman on the bottom and list of zoo animals on the back cover with outline illustration of elephant,

2p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.372** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1979

Colour illustration of elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth on an orange background in a circle in the centre of the front page with pinkish scrolls around it and a blue border, inside programme with colour illustrations of white horse, elephants head and leaping tiger on the top section and clown and woman on the bottom and list of zoo animals on the back cover with outline illustration of elephant,

2p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.373** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1980

Colour illustration of elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth on an orange background in a circle in the centre of the front page with pinkish scrolls around it and a blue border, inside programme with colour illustrations of white horse, elephants head and leaping tiger on the top

section and clown and woman on the bottom and list of zoo animals on the back cover with outline illustration of elephant,

2p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.374** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1981

Colour illustration of elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth on an orange background in a circle in the centre of the front page with pinkish scrolls around it and a blue border, inside programme with colour illustrations of white horse, elephants head and leaping tiger on the top section and clown and woman on the bottom and list of zoo animals on the back cover with outline illustration of elephant,

2p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.375** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

Circa 1980s

Colour illustration of elephant holding a woman upside down in its mouth on an orange background in a circle in the centre of the front page with pinkish scrolls around it and a blue border, inside programme printed and stuck on top of existing text with colour illustrations of white horse, elephants head and leaping tiger on the top section and clown and woman on the bottom and list of zoo animals on the back cover with outline illustration of elephant,

2p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.376** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1984

Folding programme with colour photograph of elephant holding a bunch of flowers poster in the centre,

Colour photograph of running tiger on a black background with white type and red type on a yellow background with a border of white stars in blue circles and red dots on top section on the front cover, inside programme in the centre with colour photographs of acts and performers around it and colour photographs and text on reverse,

211mm x 299mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.377** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1985

Folding programme with colour photograph of elephant holding a bunch of flowers poster in the centre,

Colour photograph of running tiger on a black background with white type and red type on a yellow background with a border of white stars in blue circles and red dots on top section on the front cover, inside programme in the centre with colour photographs of acts and performers around it and colour photographs and text on reverse,  
211mm x 299mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.378** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1986

Folding programme with colour photograph of elephant holding a bunch of flowers poster in the centre,

Colour photograph of running tiger on a black background with white type and red type on a yellow background with a border of white stars in blue circles and red dots on top section on the front cover, inside programme glued on top of the original programme in the centre with colour photographs of acts and performers around it and colour photographs and text on reverse,

211mm x 299mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.379** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

Circa 1980s

Folding programme with colour photograph of elephant holding a bunch of flowers poster in the centre,

Colour photograph of running tiger on a black background with white type and red type on a yellow background with a border of white stars in blue circles and red dots on top section on the front cover, inside programme in the centre with colour photographs of acts and performers around it and colour photographs and text on reverse,

211mm x 299mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.380** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1957

Black and white photographs of acts and black type on off white background on the front cover, inside programme with black and white illustrations of circus acts on the corners and black and white photographs of acts and performers on back cover,

2p.p

190mm x 248mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.381** The Original Robert Fossett & Bailey Combined Circus and Menagerie programme

No date

Black type on red background,

1p.  
Printed by Moody Bros. Ltd, Birmingham,  
93mm x 69mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.382** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus programme

1951  
Black and white photocopy of original programme with lion's face on front cover, inside separate photocopy containing programme and illustration of two clowns, one on each side, on reverse details of zoo with illustration of tiger seating on a circus platform,  
2p.p  
298mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.383** Robert Fossett's Circus programme

No date  
Black and white photocopy of original programme with female equestrian act in the centre on the front cover and programme inside,  
2p.p  
210mm x 257mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.384** Bailey's Big Circus and Western Show programme

1929  
Black and white photocopy of original programme with elephant holding a man by the head in its mouth on the front cover and programme inside over two pages,  
3p.p  
210mm x 258mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.385** Gerry Cottle's Christmas Circus plus Gigantic Indoor Fun Fair programme

1991-1992  
Wembley Halls 1, 2 and 3, 20 December 1991 to 12 January 1992,  
Colour photograph of Jeremy Beadle riding an elephant in circle in the centre of the front cover, over a yellow background, inside introduction, Gerry Cottle's story, colour photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
214mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.386** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date  
White, red and blue type on white background with name of circus and programme on the front,

1p.  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,  
173mm x 270mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.387** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date  
Black and white photograph of Gerry Cottle with a circus tent and a BBC truck on the background and a blue border with white dots on the front cover, inside black and white portraits of performers in circles with their names and programme towards the bottom right, on the back cover advertising for world tour,  
2p.p  
214mm x 302mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.388** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date  
Black and white photograph of Gerry Cottle with a circus tent and a BBC truck on the background and a red border with white dots on the front cover, inside black and white portraits of performers in circles with their names and programme towards the bottom right, on the back cover advertising for world tour,  
2p.p  
214mm x 302mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.389** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date  
Black and white photograph of Gerry Cottle with a circus tent and a BBC truck on the background and a red border with white dots on the front cover, inside black and white portraits of performers in circles with their names and programme towards the bottom right, on the back cover advertising for world tour,  
2p.p  
214mm x 302mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.390** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1978  
Black and white photograph of woman and tiger on a platform in a circus ring and a red border with white stars on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of Mary Chipperfield, Gerry Cottle and an elephant act and text and programme, on the back cover black and white photographs of The Loonies and The Cimarro Brothers with text,  
2p.p  
214mm x 302mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



- 178K43.391** Cottle & Austen's Circus, Jumbo Colouring Book and Programme  
1987-1988  
Cottle & Austen's Christmas Circus, 26 December 1987 to 17 January 1988,  
Blue illustration of an elephant wearing a coat with details of event on a pink background on the front cover, inside programme and different circus scenes for colouring,  
6p.p  
213mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.392** Gerry Cottle's Circus, Jumbo Colouring Boox and Programme  
No date  
Blue illustration of an elephant wearing a coat with details of event on a blue background on the front cover, inside programme and different circus scenes for colouring,  
6p.p  
213mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.393** Cottle & Austen's Circus and Combined Shows programme  
1973  
White and red type on black oblong in the centre with golden scrolls around and colour illustration of circus tent on bottom section and portraits of two men in medallions on either side on a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white illustrations of behind the scenes staff and list of names, black and white photographs of circus animals and trainers and attached programme in black type on pink background, on back cover colour photograph of circus performers of the smallest greatest show on hearth,  
3p.p  
256mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.394** Cottle & Austen's Circus and Combined Shows programme  
1973-1974  
London Festival Circus, Christmas Season 1973-1974, Granby Halls, Leicester,  
White and red type on black oblong in the centre with golden scrolls around and colour illustration of circus tent on bottom section and portraits of two men in medallions on either side on a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white illustrations of behind the scenes staff and list of names, introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre, commercial advertising and on back cover colour photograph of circus performers of the smallest greatest show on hearth,  
8p.p

256mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.395** Cottle & Austen's Circus and Combined Shows programme  
1972

White and red type on black oblong in the centre with golden scrolls around and colour illustration of circus tent on bottom section and portraits of two men in medallions on either side on a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white illustrations of behind the scenes staff and list of names, introduction, black and white photographs of animals and trainers on back page, programme in the centre and on back cover colour photograph of circus performers of the smallest greatest show on hearth,

4p.p  
256mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.396** Cottle & Austen's Circus and Combined Shows programme  
1972

Christmas Season, Granby Halls, Leicester, White and red type on black oblong in the centre with golden scrolls around and colour illustration of circus tent on bottom section and portraits of two men in medallions on either side on a blue background on the front cover, inside black and white illustrations of behind the scenes staff and list of names, introduction, black and white photographs of animals and trainers on back page, programme in the centre and on back cover colour photograph of circus performers of the smallest greatest show on hearth,

4p.p  
256mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.397** International Circus on Ice programme

No date

Cottle & Austen's Circus present the first ever tour of Great Britain, Blue and white illustration of a female ice skater jumping on the foreground, aerial acts and birds on the background and a circus tent on bottom left on the front cover, inside introduction and programme and questionnaire on reverse,

Duplicate see 178K43.420

2p.p  
Printed by E. Cheesman Ltd, Joseph Street, Barnsley, Yorks,  
149mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.398** Cottle & Austen's Circus Spectacular programme  
1971

Illustrations and type on red, blue and white on the front cover showing a showgirl and a clown's face, inside introduction and programme and factual information on back cover,

2p.p

Printed by Trelawney Press Ltd, White Lund, Morecambe,

193mm x 255mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.399** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date

Red type on cream background with starry border and solid red border,

1p.

210mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.400** Cottle and Austen Presents Christmas Circus and Ice Spectacular programme

1973-1974

Colour illustration of ice skating elephant wearing a pink skirt, ice skating clown and three ice skating showgirls on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

Printed by W. E. Berry, Nesfield Works, Bradford,

213mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.401** Gerry Cottle's Circus Poster, Magazine programme

1978-1979

Bradford programme,

Six fold poster/magazine with colour photograph of circus ring with acts and performers in circles around the edges on the front cover, year of the clown article with colour photographs, article on history of circus with black and white and colour photographs, show business on wheels article with colour photographs and poster inside with the same image as the front cover, two additional inserts, one contains the programme with a black and white photograph of Charlie Cairoli and one containing details about the circus tour, seaside special article with colour photographs on reverse,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

218mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.402** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1976

Autumn season,

Colour illustration of clown's face with yellow gloves on a blue background

and five colour balloons on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers within star shapes and programme in the centre, other information on back cover within two flags,

2p.p

178mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.403** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

Circa 1980s

Colour illustration of head of clown on top right holding a circles containing circus acts including a woman in a white outfit holding a tiger, a man with his head inside a lion's mouth, a trapeze act, and elephant and a zebra,

Four fold brochure with information about the Cottle family circus and colour photographs of acts and performers inside and added insert programme, colour photograph of Susan Lacey with tiger on reverse,

214mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.404** Cottle & Austen's Combined Circus programme

1988-1989

Wembley, Saturday 24 December 1988 to Sunday 15 January 1989,

Colour illustration of roaring tiger's face on a blue background and yellow and red type on the front cover, inside history of circus, programme and colouring book, also reproduction of two circus poster advertising upcoming circus shows, front cover image repeated on back cover

6p.p

212mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.405** Cottle & Austen's Combined Circus programme

1988-1989

Battersea Park Hippodrome, Saturday 17 December 1988 to Sunday 8 January 1989,

Colour illustration of roaring tiger's face on a blue background and yellow and red type on the front cover, inside history of circus, programme and colouring book, also reproduction of two circus poster advertising upcoming circus shows, front cover image repeated on back cover

6p.p

212mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.406** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date

Four fold brochure with colour photograph of five white face clowns on a black background and red and yellow type on a blue background inside a blue oblong shape on top left, inside information about Gerry Cottle

and colour photographs, colour photographs of acts and performers in the centre, commercial advertising and added insert programme,  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.407** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date

Four fold brochure with colour photograph of five white face clowns on a black background and red and yellow type on a blue background inside a blue oblong shape on top left, inside information about Gerry Cottle and colour photographs, colour photographs of acts and performers in the centre, commercial advertising and added insert programme,  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.408** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date

Four fold brochure with colour photograph of five white face clowns on a black background and red and yellow type on a blue background inside a blue oblong shape on top left, inside information about Gerry Cottle and colour photographs, colour photographs of acts and performers in the centre, commercial advertising and added insert programme,  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.409** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1984-1985

Four fold brochure with colour photograph of five white face clowns on a black background and red and yellow type on a blue background inside a blue oblong shape on top left, inside information about Gerry Cottle and colour photographs, colour photographs of acts and performers in the centre, commercial advertising and added insert programme,  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.410** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date

Blue type on off white background with illustration of clown's face on top right and introduction on front cover, inside blue and off white photographs of performers and back of house scenes programme and article on being a circus proprietor, commercial advertisement on back cover,  
2p.p  
215mm x 303mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.411** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1978

Dare to dream and the dream will come true article, blue type and blue

photographs on blue background on one side, on the other side programme,  
1p.  
320mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.412** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1976  
Black and white illustration of clown on the left, roaring lion in the centre  
and ice skater on the right with circus tent and elephants and horses  
on the background and international flags above on the top section and  
programme below,  
1p.  
212mm x 198mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.413** The Show Must Go On programme

Circa 1979  
Black type on white background with introduction on top section and  
programme below, Joker costume hire advertisement on reverse,  
1p.  
203mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.414** The Show Must Go On programme

Circa 1979  
Black type on white background with introduction on top section and  
programme below,  
1p.  
203mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.415** Gerry Cottle's Christmas Circus programme

No date  
Wembley Grand Hall,  
Programme on the centre in green type over yellowish background and  
illustration of seal balancing a Christmas pudding on its nose on the front,  
on reverse history of circus by Sandy Davidson,  
Duplicate see 178K43.416  
1p.  
274mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.416** Gerry Cottle's Christmas Circus programme

No date  
Wembley Grand Hall,  
Programme on the centre in green type over yellowish background and  
illustration of seal balancing a Christmas pudding on its nose on the front,  
on reverse history of circus by Sandy Davidson,

Duplicate see 178L43.415  
1p.  
274mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.417** Gerry Cottle's Christmas Circus programme

1977  
Royal Silver Jubilee programme,  
Blue and white illustration of clown on the left, roaring lion in the centre and ice skater on the right with circus tent and elephants and horses on the background and international flags above on the top section and programme below on the front cover, inside blue and white photographs of the circus and text, on back cover blue and white photographs of performers and text,  
2p.p  
208mm x 294mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.418** Cottle-Chipperfield Circus programme

1982  
Colour photograph of circus ring with parade in the centre with American and British flags in a circle on a blue background and colour illustration of clown on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers and long articles, half the programme in English and half in Chinese with programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
275mm x 373mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.419** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1976  
Christmas season,  
Colour illustration of clown's face with yellow gloves on a blue background and five colour balloons on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers within star shapes and programme in the centre, other information on back cover within two flags,  
2p.p  
178mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.420** International Circus on Ice programme

No date  
Cottle & Austen's Circus present the first ever tour of Great Britain,  
Blue and white illustration of a female ice skater jumping on the foreground, aerial acts and birds on the background and a circus tent on bottom left on the front cover, inside introduction and programme and questionnaire on reverse,

Duplicate see 178K43.397

2p.p

Printed by E. Cheesman Ltd, Joseph Street, Barnsley, Yorks,

149mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.421** Gerry Cottle's Christmas Circus and Carnival programme  
1992-1993

Wembley Exhibition Halls, 24 December 1992 to 10 January 1993,

Colour photograph of Jeremy Beadle wearing a red tail jacket and black trousers on bottom left corner with arms open wide and a fairground at night on the background on the front cover, inside introduction to Jeremy Beadle, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, followed by articles on circus and fairground topics and commercial advertising,

8p.p

212mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.422** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1976

Colour photograph of circus acts in the ring including aerial acts, floor acrobatics and clown on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers with text and other articles and programme,

8p.p

212mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.423** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1978

Black and white photograph of aerial act in the circus ring, blue and white type and blue border with white stars on the front cover, inside introduction to Gerry Cottle and Charlie Cairoli, with black and white photographs and equestrian act above programme, on back cover black and white photographs of performers and acts,

2p.p

212mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.424** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1977-1978

Cardiff Christmas Season,

Black and white photograph of woman and tiger on a platform in a circus ring and an orange border with white stars on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of Mary Chipperfield, Gerry Cottle and an elephant act and text and programme, on the back cover black and white



photographs of acts and performers with text,  
2p.p  
212mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.425** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date  
The Grand Programme,  
Black type on white background with smiley clown's face and stars by  
the title and programme below and line border around it with decorative  
corners,  
1p.  
212mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.426** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1976  
Wattaya-Muscat, Oman, 19 to 26 November,  
Red, green, blue and white type on white background with green, red,  
white and blue lines on the bottom section on the front cover, inside  
introduction, programme and black and white photographs of acts and  
performers with text in English and Arabic,  
6p.p  
222mm x 308mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.427** Gerry Cottle's All New Circus programme

No date  
Black and white photocopy of programme,  
1p.  
212mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.428** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date  
Black and white type on white background with programme on front cover,  
inside articles about the circus practices and standards and wild animal  
welfare on back cover commercial advertising,  
2p.p  
151mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.429** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1974  
Colour illustration of large clown's face and roaring lion's head on right  
hand side with circus ring on the left showing three elephants and their  
trainer performing below world flags on the front cover, inside introduc-  
tion, black and white photographs of acts and performers and programme,

commercial advertising on back cover,  
6p.p  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.430** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme  
1974-1975

Sophia Garden Pavilion, Christmas Season, Colour illustration of large clown's face and roaring lion's head on right hand side with circus ring on the left showing three elephants and their trainer performing below world flags on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers and programme, commercial advertising on back cover,  
6p.p  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.431** Cottle and Austen's Circus programme  
Circa 1970

Red type on white background with illustration of smiley clown's face on the front cover, inside blue type on white background with introduction to history of circus and programme, on reverse advertisement for the Dorset steam and historic fund,  
2p.p  
190mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.432** The World Famous Moscow State Circus programme  
1998-2000

Colour photograph of clowning act on a hot air balloon with a clown in the basket trying to hook an umbrella onto another clown, which is hanging in the air's foot on a black background on the front cover, inside introduction and colour photographs of acts and performers with text and programme in the centre,  
8p.p  
Printed by Perfectaprint, Byfleet, Surrey KT14 7JG  
212mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.433** The Moscow State Circus programme

No date  
Colour photograph of a rag doll wearing a traditional Russian woman's hat and a pierrot's costume on a brown background on the front cover, inside programme and colour photographs of acts and performers with text with introduction to the history of circus in Russia,  
6p.p  
212mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.434** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1991

The grand Programme,

Black type on white background with programme below and star border around it,

Typescript,

1p.

212mm x 298mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.435** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

No date

Colouring book and puzzle pages programme,

Colour illustration of smiley clown on front cover with yellow and blue type on a red background on the top section on the front cover, inside programme and circus scenes to colour and central puzzle page,

8p.p

222mm x 308mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.436** Gerry Cottle's Circus programme

1980

Southampton Tuesday 18 to Saturday 29 March,

Six fold poster/magazine with colour photograph of circus ring with acts and performers in circles around the edges on the front cover, year of the clown article with colour photographs, article on history of circus with black and white and colour photographs, show business on wheels article with colour photographs and poster inside with the same image as the front cover, additional insert programme, seaside special article with colour photographs on reverse,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford,

218mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.437** The Circus of Horrors programme

No date

Colour photograph of female vampire's face showing behind an open metal hatch in a box with metal spears on the front cover, inside programme and colour photographs of acts and performers with text, on back cover save the rhino campaign article,

6p.p

145mm x 206mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.438** The Circus of Horrors programme

Circa 2000

Red type on black background on front cover, on glossy card, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts and performers with text, programme

in the centre and commercial advertising, also circus merchandise advertising,

10p.p

213mm x 300mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.439** Continental Circus Berlin programme

1991

Colour illustration of blond man leaping into another man's hands in the air, a circus ring on the bottom section with circus master, a blue border and pink, yellow, red and blue type on the front cover, inside poster showing colour photographs of circus performers and acts on a yellow background, on back cover programme with circus performers around the edges,

2p.p

280mm x 398mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.440** Gerry Cottle's Circus Parade programme

No date

Colour photograph of performers posing in the circus ring and green, yellow and purple type on the front cover, inside introduction to Gerry Cottle's story and his family with colour photographs and various articles on animal welfare, the history of circus and others with colour photographs, programme missing,

6p.p

213mm x 275mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.441** Burnt Stub Zoo, Circus and Amusement programme

1934

Chessington, Surrey,

Green type on off white card with opening hours, animal feeding times and circus programme inside and information on amusements on back cover,

2p.p

142mm x 224mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.442** Burnt Stub Zoo, Circus and Amusement programme

No date

Back cover of programme containing part of the circus programme, green type on off white card with opening hours on reverse,

1p.

130mm x 205mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.443** Belle Vue programme

No date

Manchester,  
Christmas circus, 24 December to 23 January,  
Photocopy of original programme in black and white,  
3p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.444** Belle Vue Royale Circus programme

1921  
Manchester,  
Photocopy of original programme in black and white, containing programme and commercial advertising,  
20p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.445** Belle Vue programme

1931-1932  
Manchester,  
Photocopy of original programme in black and white, containing programme and commercial advertising,  
2p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.446** Belle Vue programme

1932-1933  
Manchester,  
Photocopy of original programme in black and white, containing programme, photographs of acts and commercial advertising,  
3p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.447** Belle Vue Mammoth Centenary Year Circus programme

1935-1936  
Manchester,  
Red and black illustrations of circus acts, including ringmaster, equestrian act, clown, lion and seal on a brown background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
258mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.448** Belle Vue Colossal Coronation Circus programme

1936-1937  
Manchester,

Photocopy of original programme in black and white, containing programme, photographs of performers with text, articles and commercial advertising,

5p.p

A3

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.449** Belle Vue Circus programme

1937-1938

Manchester,

Photocopy of original programme in black and white, containing programme, photographs of performers with text and commercial advertising,

5p.p

A3

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.450** Belle Vue Circus programme

1938-1939

Manchester,

Photocopy of original programme in black and white, containing programme, photographs of performers with text and commercial advertising,

5p.p

A3

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.451** Belle Vue Circus programme

1940-1941

Manchester,

Colour illustration of laughing clown's face within a circle with yellow neck ruff on a blue background on front page, inside programme, black and white photographs of performers and commercial advertising,

4p.p

145mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.452** Belle Vue Circus programme

1942-1943

Manchester,

Colour and black and white photocopies of original programme, showing a clown on the front and an elephant on reverse and programme inside,

2p.p

A4

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.453** Belle Vue Circus programme

1943-1944

Manchester,

Colour illustration of laughing clown in a blue circle in the centre and

white horses below on a yellow background with red, blue and white stars on the front cover, inside programme and black and white photographs and Coco the clown on back cover,

2p.p

130mm x 213mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.454** Belle Vue Circus programme

1944-1945

Manchester,

Black and white photograph of lion's head in a circle in the centre and illustration of white horses below on a red background with yellow, blue and white stars on the front cover, inside programme and black and white photographs and black illustrations of circus acts on red background on back cover,

2p.p

130mm x 213mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.455** Belle Vue Grand Victory Circus programme

1945-1946

Manchester,

Three fold programme with colour illustration of two laughing clowns on top section, red and black in the centre and other circus acts on bottom section including animal trainer and equestrian act on a yellow background on the front cover, inside programme, black and white photographs of performers including Hal Denver with text and red and black illustrations of circus acts on a yellow background on the right and bottom sections,

93mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.456** Belle Vue Gigantic International Circus programme

1946-1947

Manchester,

Brown, grey and yellow illustration of equestrian act on white background with grey border on front cover, inside introduction, monochrome illustrations and black and white photographs with text on performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

190mm x 250mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.457** Belle Vue Grand International Circus Revue programme

1947-1948

Manchester,

Black, white and red illustration of band girl on a bowing horse on a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white

illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text including Billy Merchant, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.458** Belle Vue 20th International Circus programme

1948-1949  
Manchester,  
Black type on red, yellow and blue illustrations of circus acts on the background, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, other short articles and commercial advertisement,  
18p.p  
145mm x 221mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.459** Belle Vue 21st International Circus programme

1949-1950  
Manchester,  
Colour illustration of elephant seating down and squirting water out of its trunk and two clowns on bottom section on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, other short articles and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
146mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.460** Belle Vue 22nd International Circus programme

1950-1951  
Manchester,  
Red, black and white illustration of man playing the sousaphone on a yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, other short articles and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
145mm x 221mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.461** Belle Vue 23rd International Circus programme

1951-1952  
Manchester,  
Colour illustrations of circus performers and animals around the globe on a red and yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, other short articles and commercial advertising,



18p.p  
145mm x 224mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.462** Belle Vue 24th International Circus programme

1952-1953  
Manchester,  
Colour illustration of circus performers and animals in a circus ring with illustration of George Lockhart on the right on yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, other short articles and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
143mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.463** Belle Vue International Silver Jubilee Circus programme

1953-1954  
Manchester,  
Colour illustration of laughing clown wearing a bowler hat with candles around it on a red, yellow, blue and white background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, other short articles and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
145mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.464** Belle Vue 26th International Circus programme

1954-1955  
Manchester,  
Colour illustrations of circus acts including clowns, wild west, bear, elephant and tiger on a blue background with yellow, black and white type on a red background on the top section on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
145mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.465** Belle Vue 27th International Circus programme

1955-1956  
Manchester,  
Colour illustration of George Lockhart, a tiger, a horse and a clown on a red background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and autographed photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

18p.p  
145mm x 224mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.466** Belle Vue International Circus programme

Circa 1950s  
Manchester, 22 December to 3 February,  
Colour illustrations of smiling clown's face and circus animals around the edges on a blue background and black, red, green and blue type on a yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
143mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.467** Belle Vue Circus programme

1957-1958  
Manchester,  
Colour illustration of elephant in stripey trousers seating on a circus platform on a yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, other short articles and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
143mm x 224mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.468** Belle Vue Circus programme

1958-1959  
Manchester,  
Colour illustration of bear in a skirt, hat and scarf riding a motorbike and clown in a police man's uniform directing the traffic on a blue background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
143mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.469** Belle Vue 31st International Circus programme

1959-1960  
Manchester, 24 December to 6 February,  
Colour illustration of chimpanzee playing a drum on a white and yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p

143mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.470** Belle Vue Circus programme  
1960-1961  
Manchester, 23 December to 4 February,  
Colour illustration of clown on a high wire over a cage full of lions on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
145mm x 222mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.471** Belle vue 35th International Circus programme  
1963-1964  
Manchester, 20 December to 1 February,  
Colour illustration of lions and acrobats on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
142mm x 219mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.472** Belle vue 36th International Circus programme  
1964-1965  
Manchester, 23 December to 6 February,  
Colour illustration of clowns on the forefront with circus animals behind them including elephants, horses, dogs and lion on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
20p.p  
145mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.473** Belle vue 37th International Circus programme  
1965-1966  
Manchester, 23 December to 5 February,  
Colour illustration of clown, chimpanzee, Native American and circus animals on a yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
144mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.474** Belle vue 38th International Circus programme  
1966-1967  
Manchester, 22 December to 4 February,  
Colour illustration of clown and girl on a yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
140mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.475** Belle Vue 39th International Circus programme  
1967-1968  
Manchester, 21 December to 3 February,  
Colour illustration of circus acts in an orange circus ring including leopard, panther, seals, clown and acrobats on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
144mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.476** Belle Vue 40th International Circus programme  
1968-1969  
Manchester, 20 December to 8 February,  
Colour illustration of galloping white horses with feather head dress on a blue background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
16p.p  
144mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.477** Belle Vue 41st International Circus programme  
1969-1970  
Manchester, 19 December to 7 February,  
Colour illustration of leaping tigers and man on a blue and black background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
145mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.478** Belle Vue 42nd International Circus programme  
1970-1971  
Manchester, 23 December to 6 February,

Colour illustration of female wire walker in a pink tutu kneeling down on the wire and a clown below watching her on a blue background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

16p.p

145mm x 215mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.479** Belle Vue International Circus Showtime programme

1972-1973

Manchester, 21 December to 3 February,

Colour illustration of two clowns' torsos and four white horses galloping on a white and blue background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

178mm x 235mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.480** Belle Vue International Circus Startime programme

1973-1974

Manchester, 21 December to 2 February,

Colour illustration of herd of elephants performing on circus platforms on the background and female trainer wearing a red jacket, black top hat, black short and high black boots on a yellow background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

178mm x 237mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.481** Belle Vue International Circus Startime programme

No date

Manchester, 20 December to 1 February,

Colour illustration of clown holding his red and yellow bowler hat up on his hand and wild west and elephant act on the background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

14p.p

178mm x 234mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.482** Belle Vue International Circus programme

1976-1977

Manchester, 23 December to 5 February,

Colour illustration of leaping tiger and woman in pink outfit on a blue and

circus ring background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

150mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.483** Belle Vue Winter Circus International programme

1977-1978

Manchester , 22 December to 4 February,

Black, red and yellow illustration of roaring lion's head in a circle and head of ringmaster on a yellow background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

12p.p

150mm x 212mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.484** Belle Vue Golden Jubilee Circus programme

1978-1979

Manchester , 22 December to 3 February,

Pink illustration of elephant walking upright with a circus flag on a blue background with white outline of circus acts on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Printed by Hutton Hartley & Co, Ltd, Manchester,

12p.p

148mm x 205mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.485** Belle Vue Circus Spectacular programme

1979-1980

Manchester , 21 December to 2 February,

Black and white photograph of leaping tiger on a yellow background with green and black type on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Printed by Alf Smith & Co, Bradford,

12p.p

150mm x 208mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.486** Belle Vue Circus programme

1980-1981

Manchester , 26 December to 31 January,

Colour cartoon illustration of clown holding balloons, lion and horse on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers

with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Peter Scott (Printers) Ltd, Burnley, Lancs,  
12p.p  
153mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.487** Belle Vue 53rd International Circus programme

1981-1982  
Manchester , 26 December to 30 January,  
Colour cartoon illustration of clowns climbing up an elephant with a tin of paint and a brush next to stack up letters reading circus and ringmaster on the background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Peter Scott (Printers) Ltd, Burnley, Lancs,  
12p.p  
153mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.488** Bertram Mills Great International Circus and Christmas Fair programme

1920-1921  
Olympia, 17 December to 24 January,  
Colour illustration of clown in yellow outfit with black duck and star and green moon on it, holding a fishing rod, standing on a white and red chair with a white circle behind him on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, floor plan of circus and fair, black and white illustrations and photographs of scenes, performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
12p.p  
187mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.489** Bertram Mills Circus and Christmas Fair programme

1921-1922  
Olympia, 16 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustration of clown in blue outfit with green duck on it, holding a whip on a yellow background and holding a white circle behind his head on the front cover, inside introduction, floor plan of circus and fair, black and white illustrations and photographs of scenes, performers and acts with text, short articles on rides and games and commercial advertising,  
11p.p  
185mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.490** Bertram Mills International Circus and Christmas Fair programme  
1922-1923

Olympia, 22 December to 20 January,  
Front cover missing, inside introduction, floor plan of circus and fair, black and white illustrations and photographs of scenes, performers and acts with text, short articles on rides and games and commercial advertising,  
9p.p  
188mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.491** Bertram Mills International Circus and Fun Fair programme  
1923-1924

Olympia, 20 December to 23 January,  
Colour illustration of woman in an orange dress standing on a black horse with a whip on her hand, over a white background on the front cover, inside introduction, floor plan of circus and fair, black and white illustrations and photographs of scenes, performers and acts with text, short articles on rides and clowns and commercial advertising, also an insert for a programme painting competition,  
13p.p  
188mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.492** Bertram Mills International Circus and Fun Fair programme  
1924-1925

Olympia, 18 December to 21 January,  
Colour illustration of boy in white, green and yellow jockey outfit standing on a white horse holding a red cap on his hand next to a clown in a circus ring with expectators on the forefront on the front cover, inside introduction, floor plan of circus and fair and road and rail maps to Olympia, black and white illustrations and photographs of scenes, performers and acts with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
188mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.493** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme  
1925-1926

Monday 21 December to Saturday 23 January,  
Decorative cover containing a colour illustration of Mr Ducrow as the Courier of St. Petersburg on card on the front cover and programme inside clown in a white outfit with red border ruffles holding a tray full of miniature lions and two black and white horses galloping underneath on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white illustrations and photographs of scenes, performers and acts with text and articles and commercial advertising,  
24p.p  
205mm x 257mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



- 178K43.494** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme  
 1926-1927  
 20 December to 22 January,  
 Colour illustration of half clown, half white horse creature on a black background on the front cover, bound in black leather cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts with text pink insert with programme and commercial advertising,  
 33p.p  
 200mm x 265mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.495** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme  
 1927-1928  
 21 December to 24 January,  
 Colour illustration of Astley performing an equestrian act in 1827 and black and white illustration of a recreation act on bottom of page on decorative cover, inside elephant's head covered in Spanish head dress and net and holding a tamborin with its trunk on a yellow background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs and illustrations of performers and acts with text, various articles and commercial advertising,  
 24p.p  
 205mm x 270mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.496** Bertram W. Mills' Circus 10th Olympia Season programme  
 1929-1930  
 20 December to 23 January,  
 Colour illustration of three elephants and woman wearing a safari hat seating on the one in the middle on a yellow background on the front cover, bound in black leather cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs and illustrations of performers and acts with text, various articles and commercial advertising,  
 27p.p  
 215mm x 285mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.497** Bertram W. Mills' Olympia Circus at the City Hall, Manchester programme  
 1929-1930  
 21 December to 18 January,  
 Colour illustration of clown in a white outfit with red trim ruffles holding a tray full of miniature lions and two black and white horses galloping underneath on a blue background on the front cover, inside article about Astley, black and white illustrations and photographs of performers and acts with text, articles, insert photocopy of programme and commercial advertising,  
 14p.p

190mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.498** Bertram W. Mills' Circus and Menagerie programme

1930  
Olympia, London, summer season,  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger riding a white horse on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction to who is who in the Bertram Mills circus, black and white photographs and illustrations of performers and act and programme in the centre,  
6p.p  
142mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.499** Bertram W. Mills' Circus and Menagerie programme

1930  
Photocopy of programme with note reading 'apparently the 2nd edition',  
263mm x 205mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.500** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme

1930-1931  
22 December to 24 January,  
Colour illustration of Astley's amphitheatre showing an equestrian act in 1808 on decorative cover, inside nine lions on a blue and orange background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs and illustrations of performers and acts, programme in the centre with road map, various articles and commercial advertising,  
32p.p  
208mm x 266mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.501** Bertram Mills' Circus and Menagerie programme

1931  
Olympia, London,  
Colour illustration of tiger riding a white horse on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction to who is who in Bertram Mills circus, black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.502** Bertram Mills' Circus and Menagerie programme

1932  
Olympia, London,  
Colour illustration of tiger leaping over a man in traditional Inidan outfit on the foreground and other tigers on the background over blue on the

front cover, inside introduction to who is who in Bertram Mills circus,  
black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the  
centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

140mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.503** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme

1932-1933

22 December to 25 January,

Black and white illustration of Queen Victoria at Olympia watching the  
circus on decorative cover, inside artist illustration of clown's torso on a  
blue and red grainy background on the front cover, inside introduction,  
black and white photographs and illustrations of performers and acts,  
insert programme in the centre with road map, various articles and com-  
mercial advertising,

Printed by Fleetway Press Ltd,

30p.p

215mm x 275mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.504** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme

1933-1934

21 December to 25 January,

Black and white photograph of lion's head on decorative cover, inside artist  
illustration of female equestrian act standing on a white horse with a white  
face clown behind in a circus ring on the front cover, inside introduction,  
black white photographs of performers and acts, cartoons of circus acts  
with articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Fleetway Press Ltd,

32p.p

204mm x 279mm\_x0000\_\_x0000\_\_x0000\_\_

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.505** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme

1933-1934

21 December to 25 January,

Artist colour illustration of female equestrian act standing on a white horse  
with a white face clown behind in a circus ring on the front cover, inside  
introduction, black white photographs of performers and acts, cartoons of  
circus acts with articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Fleetway Press Ltd,

28p.p

186mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.506** Bertram Mills' Circus and Menagerie from Olympia programme

1934

Colour artist illustration of laughing Pierrot on a blue and white background with artist signature by Gilbert Holiday on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

10p.p

142mm x 220mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.507** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia programme

1934-1935

Black and white illustration of horses performing on front cover and equestrian and equilibrist acts back cover, on decorative cover, inside black and white portraits of Bertram Mills, The Earl of Lonsdale and The Lord Daresbury on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs and illustrations of performers and acts, section covering who is who of Bertram Mills circus and commercial advertising,

Printed by Fleetwood Press Ltd,

30p.p

212mm x 274mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.508** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1935-1936

20 December to 25 January,

Colour illustration of woman with lion resting its head on her shoulder on a blue and pink background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs and illustrations of performers and acts, section covering who is who of Bertram Mills circus and commercial advertising,

Printed by Fleetwood Press Ltd,

30p.p

188mm x 240mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.509** Bertram Mills' Circus and Menagerie programme

1936

Chelmsford, 10 to 14 April,

Black and yellow illustration of cartoon clown's head on top right and black type on yellow background,

1p.

143mm x 222mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.510** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1936-1937

Olympia, London 22 December to 27 January,

Colour illustration of Joe Craston in his signature clown's costume on front

cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts, some articles, section covering who is who of Bertram Mills circus and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Fleetwood Press Ltd,  
30p.p  
190mm x 242mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.511** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1936  
April to October,  
Colour illustration of woman with lion resting its head on her shoulder on a blue and pink background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Fleetwood Press Ltd, London,  
10p.p  
142mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.512** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1937-1938  
Olympia, London 22 December to 27 January,  
Colour illustration of Koringa's head on top section in green and black and crocodiles and snakes below on a black background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, some articles, programme with illustrations in the centre and commercial advertising,  
Printed by Fleetwood Press Ltd,  
28p.p  
182mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.513** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1939  
April to October,  
Colour illustration of Koringa on top section in green and black with crocodiles and snakes below on a purple background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
142mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.514** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1938-1939  
Olympia, London 22 December to 26 January,

Colour illustration of three clowns on colourful background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of performers and acts with text, programme with illustrations in the centre and commercial advertising, Printed by Fleetwood Press Ltd, 30p.p 187mm x 240mm Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.515** Newcastle Empire programme

1939  
Newcastle Empire, commencing Monday 20 November, Colour illustration of bunch of flowers in wrapping with performers on the flowers on an off white background on front cover, inside programme and commercial advertising on back cover, Printed by John Waddington Ltd, Leeds and London, 2p.p 185mm x 250mm Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.516** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1940  
Colour illustration of Koringa on top section in green and black with crocodiles and snakes below on a purple background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of Bertram Mills, his sons, The Earl of Lonsdale and the Lord Burghley, programme in the centre and commercial advertising, 4p.p 140mm x 216mm Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.517** Glasgow Empire programme

1940  
Glasgow Empire, commencing Monday 1 January, Colour illustration of bunch of flowers in wrapping with performers on the flowers on an off white background on front cover, inside programme and commercial advertising on back cover, Printed by John Waddington Ltd, Leeds and London, 2p.p 185mm x 250mm Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.518** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1946-1947  
Olympia, London 20 December to 1 February, Colour illustration of Joe Craston on a blue background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme with illustrations in the centre and commercial advertising,

22p.p  
187mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.519** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1947  
Colour illustration of Joe Craston on a red background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 219mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.520** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1948  
Colour illustration of Joe Craston on a red background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.521** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1949  
Colour photograph of white face clown in colourful sequence outfit holding a white circle advertising the circus on a black background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.522** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1949-1950  
Olympia, London 20 december to 2 February,  
Outline illustration of horses head in profile within a star with red dots on a green background with golden stripes on decorative cover, inside colour photograph of two clowns holding a white poster with circus information on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme with illustrations in the centre and commercial advertising,  
24p.p  
190mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.523** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1950-1951  
Black and white illustration of elephant standing on a circus platform its

back legs on a red background within white leafy circle on decorative cover, inside colour photograph of lin walking on right rope on a brown background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs and illustrations of acts and performers with text, programme with illustrations in the centre and commercial advertising,  
24p.p  
190mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.524** C&B M, Silver Jubilee programme

1951-1952  
Blue velour with silver embossed letters decorative cover, inside colour photograph of white face clown breaking through paper on top left and showgirl on bottom right on a white background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs and illustrations of acts and performers with text, programme with illustrations in the centre and commercial advertising,  
24p.p  
200mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.525** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1951  
Colour photograph of white face clown in colourful sequence outfit holding a white circle advertising the circus on a green background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 211mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.526** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1952  
Colour photograph of lion on a green and red background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 211mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.527** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1952-1953  
Golden type on red background on decorative cover, inside colour illustration of seal holding a yellow ball on its nose and penguins on a yellow and green background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme with illustrations in the centre and commercial advertising,



24p.p  
200mm x 243mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.528** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1953-1954  
Black illustration of horse's head in a circle on red background on decorative cover, inside colour photograph of man directing a band of chimpanzees on a blue, green and yellow background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme with illustrations in the centre, article on the story of Bertram Mills circus and commercial advertising,  
24p.p  
200mm x 243mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.529** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1954-1955  
Black type on yellow with cut out circle in the centre showing a tiger's face on decorative cover, inside colour illustration of tiger leaping through a hoop on a green background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme with illustrations in the centre, article entitled sketch book and commercial advertising,  
20p.p  
190mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.530** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1954  
Colour illustration of chimpanzee riding a bicycle with another chimpanzee on its shoulders, both wearing red dungarees and yellow jumpers on green and yellow background on front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.531** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1955  
Colour illustration of chimpanzee riding a bicycle with another chimpanzee on its shoulders, both wearing red dungarees and yellow jumpers on green and yellow background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
6p.p

140mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.532** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1956-1957

Olympia, London 19 December to 2 February, Green type and embossed figure of a clown on red velour on decorative cover, inside colour illustration of three clowns' heads on a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre with illustrations and commercial advertising,

16p.p

187mm x 213mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.533** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1956

Black and white illustrations of elephants in clothing within white circles on the top right and bottom left corners on a red background on decorative cover, inside colour illustration of tiger leaping through hoop on a blue, yellow and red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

8p.p

145mm x 227mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.534** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1957

Colour illustration of tiger leaping through hoop on a blue, yellow and red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

6p.p

140mm x 215mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.535** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1958

Colour illustration of tiger leaping through hoop on a blue, yellow and red background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,

8p.p

140mm x 216mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.536** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1959

Colour illustration of three clowns on a green and yellow background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,

12p.p

178mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.537** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1960

Colour illustration of three clowns on a green and yellow background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,

12p.p

178mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.538** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1961

Colour illustration of three clowns on a green and yellow background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,

12p.p

178mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.539** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1962

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a pink ribbon and playing with a yellow balloon in a circus ring with a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,

12p.p

178mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.540** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1961-1962

Golden type on red velour background on decorative cover, inside colour

illustration of elephant wearing a pink ribbon and playing with a yellow balloon in a circus ring with a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre with illustrations and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,  
16p.p  
188mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.541** Bertram Mills' Circus programme  
1962-1963

Olympia, London, 18 December to 2 February,  
Golden type on red velour background on decorative cover, inside colour illustration of circus acts including clown, chimpanzees, elephants, horse, aerial act, cage animals and trick cyclist on blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre with illustrations and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,  
16p.p  
188mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.542** Bertram Mills' Circus programme  
1963-1964

Olympia, London, 18 December to 2 February,  
Golden type on red velour background on decorative cover, inside colour illustration of circus acts including clown, chimpanzees, poodles, horses and aerial acts in the circus ring on blue background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre with illustrations and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,  
16p.p  
188mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.543** Bertram Mills' Circus programme  
1963

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a pink ribbon and playing with a yellow balloon in a circus ring with a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,  
10p.p  
178mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.544** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1964

Colour illustration of circus acts including aerial act, Cossacks, girl with drum and man in red and gold outfit with golden head dress on a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre, articles and commercial advertising,

8p.p

178mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.545** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1965-1966

Red outline of horses and red type on yellow velour decorative cover, inside colour photograph of white face clown wearing a colourful sequence outfit, holding a white circle with circus information on a black background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

16p.p

188mm x 255mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.546** Bertram Mills' Circus programme

1966-1967

Colour illustration of elephant wearing a pink ribbon and playing with a yellow balloon in a circus ring with a blue background on the front cover, inside introduction, black and white photographs of acts and performers with text, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,

Printed by Welbecson Press Ltd, London,

14p.p

176mm x 243mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.547** Bertram Mills' Circus To-Day's programme

No date

Black type on light brown background containing list of acts on front and reverse,

1p.

184mm x 241mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.548** Carrick Theatre programme

Circa 1940

Southport,

White and brown type on a green, white and brown background on the front cover, Bertram Mills Circus programme in the centre and commercial

advertising, also contains a handbill for another event,  
Printed by Richard Whewell (Bolton)Ltd., 225 Folds Road, Bolton,  
4p.p  
144mm x 223mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.549** Sanger's Grand National Amphitheatre programme

No date  
Westminster Bridge Road,  
Scenes in the Circle,  
Richard III and the Great Battle of Bosworth Field and the Death of  
White Surrey,  
Cinderella,  
Black type on off white background with embossed border,  
2p.p  
155mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.550** Sanger's Grand National Amphitheatre programme

No date  
Westminster Bridge Road,  
Scenes in the Arena by Mr Sanger's Continental and English Circus Com-  
panies,  
Richard III and Battle of Bosworth Field and Battle of White Surrey,  
Miss Grant Washington as Richard III,  
Miss Gladys Ffolliott as Dick Turpin,  
Courier of St. Petersburg, Mr John Irving,  
Flight of Fancy, Mdle. Emma,  
Clowns, Tout-en-Semble',  
Acrobatic performances by Messrs. Linden and Warren,  
The Newmarket Jockey by George A. Rolland,  
'Les Diables', Messrs. Flexmore and Thomson,  
Bareback riding by Miss Lizzie Rolland,  
Clown, M. Le Bar,  
Performance in the invisible wire, Master James Holloway,  
Equestrian act, Mr John Irving,  
Clown, Little Sandy,  
The American Huntress, Madame Caroline Rolland,  
Elephants introduced by M. G. Orpwood,  
Acrobatic acts by James Crockett and Harry Hunt,  
Richard III with Miss Grant Washington, Miss Gladys Ffolliott, Mr Fank  
Stewart, Miss Violet Russell, Mr Edward Falcon, Miss Nelly Falcon, Mr  
Onwhyn, Mr Redford, Mr Wallis, Mr William Falcon,  
Rookwood or Turpin's Ride to York & Death of Bonny 'Black Bess' with  
Miss Gladys Ffolliott, Miss Lettie De Witte, Mr Le Barr, Mr Flexmore,  
Mr Irving, The Great Littel Sandy, Mr Lindon, Mr Landroll, Mr Orpwood,  
Mr Falcon, Mr W. Rolland, Miss Violet Russell, Mrs W. Beard,

Black type on off white background with embossed border,  
2p.p  
153mm x 246mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.551** Programme of the Grand Moustre Fete and People's National  
Gathering  
1894  
Birmingham,  
Black type on red background on front cover and off white background  
inside, containing list of events and acts including Messrs J & G Sanger,  
7p.p  
115mm x 184mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.552** Lord George Sanger's Grand Colosseum Circus programme  
Circa 1908  
Marron type on off white background with illustrations of circus perform-  
ers along the right and left edges including, highwire walking, clowns,  
acrobats, animals and equestrian act, programme in the centre,  
Printed by Wilson's Printers, Leicester,  
2p.p  
420mm x 265mm (open)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.553** Lord George Sanger's Circus and Menagerie programme  
1920  
Black type on off white background with programme of acts in the centre  
and black and white photograph of two elephants holding a bicycle outside  
the Sanger's circus tent on the bottom of the page, other documents glued  
to the reverse including two handbills and a check,  
Printed by James Upton Ltd., Printers, Birmingham and London,  
1p.  
223mm x 350mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.554** Lord George Sanger's Circus and Menagerie programme  
1922  
Black type on orange background with programme in center,  
Printed by James Upton Ltd., Printers Birmingham and London,  
1p.  
220mm x 277mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.555** Lord John Sanger's Circus programme  
Circa 1921  
Black and white illustration of clown's torso holding a sign reading pro-  
gramme on the front cover and black type on off white background, inside

100 years of Sangers article with black and white photograph and programme as well as commercial advertising, on back cover article continues also with black and white photographs,  
Printed by Wiles & Co., Printers, 6 George Street, Richmond, Surrey,  
2p.p  
190mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.556** Lord John Sanger's Combined Shows programme

Circa 1920s  
Black and white illustration of clown's torso holding a sign reading programme on the front cover and black type on off white background, inside programme and large black and white photograph of women holding lion cubs on back cover the Empire Zoo with illustrations,  
2p.p  
160mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.557** Lord John Sanger's Circus programme

Circa 1927  
Black and white illustration of clown's torso holding a sign reading programme on the front cover and black type on off white background, inside 106 years of Sangers article with black and white photograph and programme as well as commercial advertising, on back cover article continues also with black and white photographs,  
Printed by Wiles & Co., Printers, 6 George Street, Richmond, Surrey,  
2p.p  
194mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.558** Lord John Sanger's Circus programme

Circa 1928  
Black and white illustration of seal holding a large ball on its nose and circus parade on background on front cover, inside 107 years of Sangers article with black and white photograph and programme as well as commercial advertising, on back cover article continues also with black and white photographs,  
Printed by Wiles & Co., Printers, 6 George Street, Richmond, Surrey,  
2p.p  
194mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.559** Revue Circus Presented by Lord John Sanger programme

1932  
Black illustration of showgirl bursting out of a paper ring held by a clown on stilts on a blue background on the front cover, inside programme,  
Printed by Brading & Company, The Printers, Station Road, Horley, Surrey,



2p.p  
155mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.560** Empire programme  
1933  
Glasgow, week commencing Monday 29 May,  
Lord John Sanger's Big Jungle Revue,  
Blue type on off white background with geometrical illustrations on front  
cover, inside commercial advertising and programme in the centre,  
Printed by Stilwell, Dabry & Co Ltd., Advertising Contractors, London,  
6p.p  
143mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.561** Empire programme  
1934  
Finsbury Park, week commencing Monday 19 February,  
Lord John Sanger Circus Sensation,  
Blue type on off white background with geometrical illustrations on front  
cover, inside commercial advertising and programme in the centre,  
Printed by Stilwell, Dabry & Co Ltd., Advertising Contractors, London,  
6p.p  
143mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.562** Lord John Sanger's Circus programme  
1934  
Green, black and white illustration of showgirl in the centre with the head  
of a laughing clown above her and two roaring lion heads on the bottom  
corners on the front cover, inside programme and after performance shows  
on back cover,  
Printed by Willsons' Leicester,  
2p.p  
129mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.563** Empire programme  
1934  
Shepherds Bush, week of Monday 26 February,  
Lord George Sanger's Circus Sensation,  
Blue and white type on white and blue background on front cover, inside  
commercial advertising and programme,  
Printed by Advertising Agents, Geo. J. Smith & Co., Ltd, 20 Easy Row,  
Birmingham,  
4p.p  
142mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.564** Salford Royal Hippodrome programme  
1935  
Monday 25 March and during the week,  
Lord John Sanger's Wild Animal Circus,  
Three fold, blue type on white background with programme in centre,  
425mm x 287mm (open)  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.565** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme  
1935  
Black and orange illustrations of ring master, roaring lion, female eque-  
strian act and performing dog on blue background on the front cover, inside  
programme and after performance show on back cover,  
Printed by Stafford & Co., Ltd., Printers, Netherfield, Nottingham,  
2p.p  
130mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.566** Grand Theatre programme  
1936  
Croydon, week commencing Monday 20 January,  
Lord John Sanger's Animal Arena,  
Blue type and illustration of showgirl on off white background on front  
cover, inside commercial advertising and programme in the centre,  
Printed by Haycock Press, London,  
4p.p  
142mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.567** Lord George Sanger's Circus Revue programme  
1937  
The Opera House, Cheltenham, commencing Monday 8 March,  
Black type and small illustration of a landscape and scrolls on centre over  
an off white background on front cover, inside programme,  
Printed by Frod & Branch Ltd., Gloucester,  
2p.p  
190mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.568** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme  
1937  
Black and orange illustrations of ring master, roaring lion, female eque-  
strian act and performing dog on blue background on the front cover, inside  
programme and Circus Fans' Association information on back cover,  
Printed by Stafford & Co., Ltd., Printers, Netherfield, Nottingham,  
2p.p  
130mm x 192mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.569** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme

1938

Black and orange illustrations of ring master, roaring lion, female equestrian act and performing dog on blue background on the front cover, inside programme and Circus Fans' Association information on back cover, Printed by Stafford & Co., Ltd., Printers, Netherfield, Nottingham,

2p.p

130mm x 192mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.570** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme

Circa 1939-1945

Black and orange illustrations of ring master, roaring lion, female equestrian act and performing dog on blue background on the front cover, inside programme and Circus Fans' Association information on back cover, Printed by Stafford & Co., Ltd., Printers, Netherfield, Nottingham,

2p.p

130mm x 192mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.571** Lord George Sanger programme

Circa 1943

Purple type and illustration of a galloping horse on off white background on front cover, inside programme and Sanger family facts on back cover, Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd., Bradford,

2p.p

128mm x 193mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.572** Lord George Sanger programme

1944

Purple type and illustration of a galloping horse on off white background with note about the war and autograph on front cover, inside programme and purple and white photograph of Princess Alexandra visiting George Sanger's circus on back cover,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd., Bradford,

2p.p

128mm x 193mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.573** Lord George Sanger programme

1946

Blue type and illustration of a galloping horse on off white background on front cover, inside circus facts, programme in the centre and blue and white photograph of Princess Alexandra visiting George Sanger's circus on back cover,

Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd., Nesfield Printing Works, Bradford,

4p.p  
93mm x 130mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.574** Lord George Sanger programme

1947  
Purple type and illustration of a galloping horse on off white background with paragraph by George Sanger on front cover, inside circus facts, programme in the centre and purple and white photograph of Princess Alexandra visiting George Sanger's circus on back cover,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd., Bradford,  
4p.p  
125mm x 193mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.575** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme

1949  
Green and white illustration of laughing clown's face and paragraph by George Sanger on front cover, inside programme and Sanger circus facts and information on what happens before the circus comes to town on back cover,  
Printed by Willsons, Leicester  
2p.p  
128mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.576** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme

1951  
Green and white illustration of laughing clown's face and paragraph by George Sanger on front and programme on reverse,  
1p  
128mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.577** L. Sanger's Festival Circus programme

1951  
Black illustration of clown's face wearing pointy hat and ruffled collar on bottom corner and black type on front cover, inside programme and illustration of laughing clown's face,  
Printed by G. W. McKane & Son, Reliance Printing Works, Keswick,  
2p.p  
128mm x 195mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.578** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme

1952  
Green and white illustration of laughing clown's face and paragraph by George Sanger on front cover, inside programme and Sanger circus facts

and information on what happens before the circus comes to town on back cover,

Printed by Willsons, Leicester

2p.p

128mm x 190mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.579** The Penguin Ice Revue programme

1952

Blue illustration of a penguin and blue type on off white background on the front cover, inside programme,

Printed by Invicta Press, Horley, Surrey,

2p.p

168mm x 205mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.580** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme

1954

Sophia Ganderns' Pavilion, Cardiff, Christmas season,

Colour illustration of laughing clown's face wearing a black top hat and red and black type on yellow background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of family members and text on the history of the Sanger circus, programme in the centre, black and white photographs of acts and the Royal family with text and commercial advertising,

Printed by Priory Press Ltd., The Friary, Cardiff,

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8p.p

185mm x 123mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.581** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme

1954

Red and white illustration of laughing clown's face and paragraph by George Sanger on front cover, inside programme and Sanger circus facts,

Printed by Willsons, Leicester

2p.p

128mm x 190mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.582** Lord George and Pops Sanger's Circus and Menagerie programme

1957

Cartoon illustration of a flying source with clowns, a lion and a bear and an animal trainer and ringmaster hanging from it on a step ladder over a circus tent in pink and black on a yellow background on front cover, inside programme and brief history of the Sanger circus on back cover,

Printed by Hasting Printing Co., Portland Place, Hastings,

2p.p

143mm x 230mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.583** Lord George and Pops Sanger's Circus programme  
 1958  
 Colour photograph of head of roaring lion on a white background on front cover, inside programme and brief history of the Sanger circus on back cover,  
 Printed by Hasting Printing Co., Portland Place, Hastings,  
 2p.p  
 144mm x 218mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.584** Lord George and Pops Sanger's Circus programme  
 1959  
 Colour photograph of head of roaring lion on a white background on front cover, inside programme and brief history of the Sanger circus on back cover,  
 Printed by Hasting Printing Co., Portland Place, Hastings,  
 2p.p  
 144mm x 218mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.585** Lord George Sanger's Circus programme  
 Circa 1962  
 Colour photograph of head of roaring lion on a yellow background on front cover, inside black and white photographs of acts, animals and performers with text, programme in the centre and short article on back cover, also two newspaper cuttings found inside, see 178G21.89,  
 Printed by Hasting Printing Co., Portland Place, Hastings,  
 4p.p  
 175mm x 240mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.586** Bertram Mills Royal Circus Performance Souvenir programme  
 1952  
 Olympia, London, 18 December,  
 Red, yellow and white type on blue background with Royal seal on top section and a circle cut out in the centre through which a clown can be seen walking the high wire on the front cover, inside colour photographs of the Queen and Prince Philip, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
 54p.p  
 217mm x 280mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.587** Bertram Mills Circus Gala Performance for Jewish Child's Day programme  
 1953  
 21 December,

Three colour illustrations of Grimaldi the clown on the front cover over a white background, inside introduction, loose programme, some articles and commercial advertising,

Printed by Woburn Printing Co, Ltd, Upper Woburn Place,

24p.p

209mm x 285mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.588** Bertram Mills Royal Circus Performance Souvenir programme

1955-1956

Olympia, London, 21 December,

Yellow type on marron background with Royal seal on top section and a circle cut out in the centre through which a female equestrian riding a horse standing up can be seen on the front cover, inside colour photographs of the Queen and Prince Philip, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,

36p.p

215mm x 280mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.589** Bertram Mills Royal Circus Performance programme

1959

Olympia, London, 17 December,

White type on blue background and a circle cut out in the centre through which a male equestrian riding a horse standing up can be seen on the front cover, inside colour photographs of the Princess Margaret, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme, also insert page on Her Royal Highness the Princess Royal,

28p.p

217mm x 280mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.590** Bertram Mills Circus Gala Performance in Aid of the Animal Health Trust programme

1959

Olympia, London, 22 December,

White and yellow type on blue background and illustration of a rearing horse in red on the top section on the front cover, inside black and white photograph the Queen, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,

36p.p

217mm x 280mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.591** Bertram Mills Circus Gala Performance in Aid of the Animal Health Trust programme

1960

Olympia, London, 23 December,  
White and yellow type on red background and illustration of a leaping leopard on the top section on the front cover, inside black and white photograph the Queen, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
38p.p  
217mm x 280mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.592** Bertram Mills Circus Royal Performance programme

1960  
Olympia, London, Wednesday 21 December,  
Black, green and yellow type on off white background on the front cover, inside colour illustrations of the Queen and Prince Philip, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
66p.p  
220mm x 280mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.593** Bertram Mills Circus Gala Performance in Aid of the Animal Health Trust programme

1962  
Olympia, London, Thursday 20 December,  
Black type on blue background and colour illustration of a clown seating on the floor on the front cover, inside black and white photograph of the Queen, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
36p.p  
225mm x 284mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.594** Bertram Mills Circus Royal Performance programme

1963  
Olympia, London, 19 December,  
White type on blue background and a circle cut out in the centre through which horses and ponies can be seen running around the circus ring on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of the Queen and Princess Margaret, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
28p.p  
217mm x 280mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.595** Bertram Mills Circus Gala Performance in Aid of the Animal Health Trust programme

1963  
Olympia, London, 20 December,  
Green, black and red type on yellow background and coloured black and white photograph of rearing elephant and man in red outfit on the front



cover, inside black and white photograph of the Queen, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
26p.p  
225mm x 285mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.596** Bertram Mills Circus Gala Performance in Aid of the Animal Health Trust programme  
1964  
Olympia, London, Monday 21 December,  
Colour illustration of ringmaster wearing a red tail jacket, black trousers and top hat and colourful curtains on the sides on the front cover, inside black and white photograph of the Queen, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
28p.p  
223mm x 280mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.597** Bertram Mills Circus Royal Performance programme  
1965  
Olympia, London, Tuesday 21 December,  
Black type on golden background on the front cover, inside black and white photographs of the royal family and the Queen, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
30p.p  
225mm x 290mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.598** Bertram Mills Circus Gala Performance in Aid of the Animal Health Trust programme  
1965  
Olympia, London, Wednesday 22 December,  
Black and white photograph of head of lion on the front cover, inside black and white illustration of the Queen, introduction, commercial advertising, articles and programme,  
28p.p  
225mm x 285mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.599** Bertram Mills Gala Performance in Aid of World Refugee Year programme  
No date  
Black and pink illustration of clown, ringmaster and female performer on a black background on the front cover, inside introduction, articles, programme in the centre and commercial advertising,  
16p.p  
228mm x 287mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.600** The Great Carmo Circus & Menagerie programme  
1929  
Green type on golden background on the front cover, inside black type on yellow background containing the programme and paragraphs about the circus on alternate pages,  
6p.p  
127mm x 163mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.601** The Great Carmo Circus & Menagerie programme  
1929  
Red type on golden background on the front cover, inside black type on yellow background containing the programme and paragraphs about the circus on alternate pages,  
6p.p  
127mm x 163mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.602** The Great Carmo Circus programme  
Circa 1937  
Red type in the centre within a circle and red illustrations of Carmo's head in three different personas including Chinese, Egyptian and Indian costumes around it and a lion on the bottom section, also outline of circus acts in the corners including trapeze, equestrian and high wire on a yellowish background on the front cover, inside programme,  
2p.p  
145mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.603** Empire, Penge programme  
Circa 1915  
The Great Carmo, One Man Revue, Monday 13 September and during the week,  
Black and white photograph of Carmo wearing an evening suit within an oval shape on the front cover and black type on off white background, inside programme, on back cover, reward notice,  
Printed by Cullingford & Co., Printers, Colchester,  
2p.p  
135mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.604** Bostock's Royal Italian Circus programme  
1929  
Wood Green Empire, Wednesday 13 February 1929,  
Orange and black illustration of a woman with a head scarf and open arms stood behind books, music implements and art implements on bottom section and orange type on off white background on the front cover, inside,

commercial advertising and programme in the centre,  
Printed by Geo. J. Smith & Co., Advertising Contractors, 20 Easy Row,  
Birmingham,  
4p.p  
142mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.605** Bostock's Three Ring Circus programme

1928-1929  
Empress Hall Earl's Court, London,  
Colour illustration of roaring tiger's head breaking through the paper  
and white type on blue background on the front cover, inside, black and  
white photographs of performers and acts, some text, programme and  
commercial advertising,  
18p.p  
170mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.606** Wombwell's and Bailey's New York Circus programme

No date  
Brown and gold illustrations on off white background showing planet  
earth, wild animals on the right, people on the left, including African  
warrior and man in uniform and portrait of George Wombwell on top left  
corner on the front cover, inside programme, on back cover bird's eye view  
of Wombwell's menagerie tents and crowds of people,  
2p.p  
225mm x 283mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.607** Bostock's Big Circus, Jungle & Jolly Town programme

No date  
Edmund Road Drill Hall, Sheffield,  
Photocopy of programme, showing a female equestrian riding a horse and  
a clown holding a circus balloon in front of her on the front cover, inside  
programme and commercial advertising,  
3p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178K43.608** Bostock's Jungle Circus and Laughter Show programme

No date  
Edmund Road Drill Hall, Sheffield,  
Photocopy of programme, showing a lion's head on the front cover, inside  
programme,  
2p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178K43.609** Bostock's Circus programme  
 1919  
 Black type on orange paper with list of acts and floral border, newspaper cuttings glued to reverse,  
 Printed by Biddle and Son Printers, Guildford,  
 1p.  
 185mm x 230mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.610** Great Yarmouth Hippodrome programme  
 1903-1978  
 Black and white photocopies of programmes,  
 Various sizes  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.611** Chipperfield's Circus programme  
 1988  
 Black and white photocopies of programmes,  
 Various sizes  
 Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178K43.612** Chipperfield's Circus programme  
 No date  
 Souvenir booklet containing an insert programme, the booklet has a colour illustration of circus animals including roaring tigers and lions, polar bears and elephants on a red background and black and gold type on the front cover, inside colour photographs of acts and performers with text and commercial advertising, the programme is black type on blue paper,  
 9p.p  
 210mm x 300mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection

## Bibliographies and Catalogues - 178J9

- 178J9.1** Catalogue of the Sale of Van Amburgh's Whole Establishment catalogue  
 1845  
 The Roman Amphitheatre, Cooper Street, Manchester, 18 March  
 Blue type on white background containing the conditions of sale and listing of items to be auctioned including horses, wild animals and implements, also contains pencil annotations  
 4p.p,  
 S. A. Hurton, Printer, Queen Square, Liverpool,  
 146mm x 220mm  
 Circus Friends Association Collection

## Proclamations - 178S5

### 178S5.1 Important Announcement proclamation

12 March 1888

Announcement of speeches and appearances regarding the horse killing wolves at Lord George Sanger's theatre in London where Alpine Charlie captured the Siberian wolves,

Navy blue type on off white background,

1p.,

128mm x 386mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178S5.2 Public Notice proclamation

13 December 1836

Notice is given that Pablo Fanque's Benefit is fixed for Tuesday 13th December 1836,

Black type on off white background with coat of arms on top centre and description of event,

Printed by W. Scraggs Printer, Cork,

257mm x 440mm (framed)

Circus Friends Association Collection

## Handbills - 178T40

### 178T40.1 J. F. Willie's Happy Family Miniature Circus handbill

Circa 1890s

Brown type on off white background listing performing animals and two press reviews, also brown illustrations of animal heads, one in each corner and a dog above a large horse shoe in the centre,

225mm x 291mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178T40.2 A Grand Collection of Birds and Wild Beasts handbill

No date

To be seen alive in a commodious room near the Black-Boy in this town,

Golden Eagle,

Vulture,

Panther,

Wolf,

Half-and-Half

The Oronoto,

The Fiery Link,

The Oposon,

A Mango,

An ape,

Capuchine,

Jackall,  
Black type on white background with coat of arms on top section,  
127mm x 182mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.3** Fossett's Famous Circus handbill

No date  
Coming to your town with all new shows,  
Performing lions,  
Elephants,  
Motorcycling bears,  
Bouncy riding poodles,  
midget sulkie ponies,  
Russian State Circus acts,  
Bobo, Barney and Toni, clowns,  
Chitty Chitty Bang Bang,  
Crazy Car,  
Black and red type on white background with illustration of lion on top  
left and ice cream advertising stamp on reverse,  
166mm x 214mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.4** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill

1977-1978  
Sophia Garden Pavilion, Cardiff, 26 December 1977 to 21 January 1978,  
Blue and white photograph of woman and tiger on platform, yellow, or-  
ange, black, red and blue type and orange border with white and yellow  
stars and brief list of attractions on bottom left, on reverse timings, pric-  
ing and booking form,  
Duplicate see 178T40.5  
140mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.5** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill

1977-1978  
Sophia Garden Pavilion, Cardiff, 26 December 1977 to 21 January 1978,  
Blue and white photograph of woman and tiger on platform, yellow, or-  
ange, black, red and blue type and orange border with white and yellow  
stars and brief list of attractions on bottom left, on reverse opening times,  
pricing and booking form,  
Duplicate see 178T40.4  
140mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.6** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill

1978-1979  
Alexandra Palace, London, Tuesday 26 December to Saturday 6 January,

Blue and yellow type on pink background with white illustration of smiley clown's face and showgirl and listing of acts on bottom left, on reverse opening times, pricing and booking form,  
Duplicate see 178T40.7  
138mm x 286mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.7** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill  
1978-1979

Alexandra Palace, London, Tuesday 26 December to Saturday 6 January,  
Blue and yellow type on pink background with white illustration of smiley clown's face and showgirl and listing of acts on bottom left, on reverse opening times, pricing and booking form,  
Duplicate see 178T40.6  
138mm x 286mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.8** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill  
No date

The Big Christmas Show, Tuesday 23 December to Saturday 17 January,  
Purple, yellow and white type on pink and blue background with blue and white illustration of smiley clown's face and roaring lion's head on right hand side and list of acts on bottom left and blue border with yellow stars, on reverse postal booking form,  
155mm x 204mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.9** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill  
No date

Clapham Common, Monday 27 December to Saturday 15 January, Big New Christmas Spectacular,  
Colour illustration of showgirl and clown with elephant, giraffe, chimpanzee and camel on a flying carpet over a yellow background, postal booking form on reverse,  
150mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.10** Gerry Cottle's Circus and Wild West handbill  
No date

Wembley, Wednesday 26 December to Sunday 20 January, London's traditional Christmas show,  
Colour illustration of Native American shooting an arrow with a bow, showgirl riding an elephant, white horses and roaring lion with circus tent on the background and a £2 off voucher on the bottom section, on reverse list of acts, opening times and payment methods,  
100mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178T40.11** Cottle and Austen's Combined Circus handbill  
No date  
Wembley, Saturday 24 December to Sunday 15 January,  
Yellow, red, black and blue type on blue, white and yellow background  
and colour illustration of showgirl seating on an elephant's trunk on top  
section and woman in white trousers and blouse carrying a tiger on her  
shoulders and three tigers walking by her side, list of acts on bottom right  
and text in Arabic on reverse,  
91mm x 195mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.12** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill  
No date  
The Round House, London, Wednesday 3 to Saturday 13 November,  
Black and orange type on black and orange background, with price list  
and list of acts on bottom section,  
Duplicate see 178T40.13  
150mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.13** Gerry Cottle's Circus handbill  
No date  
The Round House, London, Wednesday 3 to Saturday 13 November,  
Black and orange type on black and orange background, with price list  
and list of acts on bottom section,  
Duplicate see 178T40.12  
150mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.14** Cottle & Austen's Circus and Ice Spectacular handbill  
1973-1974  
Sophia Gardens Pavilion, Cardiff, 26 December 1973 to Saturday 26 Jan-  
uary 1974,  
Red and green type on white background with list of acts and price of  
admission and red star border, postal booking form on reverse,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford  
150mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.15** Cottle & Austen Second Great International Circus handbill  
No date  
Granby Hall, Leicester, Saturday 22 December to Sunday 20 January,  
Red and green type on white background listing acts, opening times and  
admission price,  
Printed by W. E. Berry Ltd, Bradford  
130mm x 217mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



**178T40.16** Circus Ethiopia handbill

No date

Manchester, Thursday 1 to Saturday 3 and Thursday 8 to Sunday 11 October,

Colour photograph of contortionist on top section and acrobats below, opening times and booking hotline details and a £1 off voucher on bottom section, on reverse information about the circus,

100mm x 212mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.17** The Circus of Horrors handbill

No date

Rijnhal Arnhem, Netherlands, 12 to 16 March,

Three fold handbill with colour photograph of a woman in a jar and a man in a top hat and dark glasses screaming next to it, inside information in Dutch, colour photographs and newspaper reviews in English, on reverse calendar of events,

100mm x 212mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.18** The Circus of Horrors handbill

No date

Manchester, Chorlton Park, Thursday 1 to Saturday 10 October,

Green, blue and white type on grey background and colour photograph of woman in a jar and man in a top hat and dark glasses screaming next to it, £1 off voucher on bottom section and some information on reverse with photograph of acts,

100mm x 212mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.19** Zambezi Express handbill

No date

Riverside Studios, Hammersmith, Friday 4 to Sunday 27 September,

Colour photograph of performers and white, yellow, blue and red type on a brown background and yellow on the bottom right, on reverse colour photograph of performers, location, dates, opening times and price of admission on the bottom,

Duplicate see 178T40.20,

100mm x 212mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.20** Zambezi Express handbill

No date

Riverside Studios, Hammersmith, Friday 4 to Sunday 27 September,

Colour photograph of performers and white, yellow, blue and red type on a brown background and yellow on the bottom right, on reverse colour photograph of performers, location, dates, opening times and price of admission on the bottom,

Duplicate see 178T40.19,  
100mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.21** The Moscow State Circus handbill

No date  
Birmingham Perry Park, Monday 30 May to Sunday 5 June,  
Three fold handbill, colour illustration of Russian Cossacks charging on horses and female acrobat on front cover, inside colour photographs of acts and poster in the centre with opening times and price of admission, on reverse text, opening times and price of admission,  
Printed by Dewynters Ltd, London,  
98mm x 207mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.22** The World Famous Moscow State Circus handbill

No date  
Preston, Guild Hall, Monday 26 to Wednesday 28 January,  
Colour photograph of acts on a red and black background and white and black type with opening hours and price of admission,  
150mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.23** Gerry Cottle's Cardiff Christmas Circus handbill

No date  
Sophia Gardens Pavilion, Cardiff, Monday 23 December to Saturday 1 February,  
Black, Yellow and purple type on yellow and pink background and colour illustration of Rupert the Bear, includes listing of some acts on the front and booking form on the reverse,  
155mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.24** The Manzani Family Circus Theatre of the 70's handbill

No date  
Kilburn Grange Park, Messina Avenue, Wednesday 29 to Friday 31 August,  
Black type on yellow background with Beefeater blowing a trumpet on top left corner,  
128mm x 192mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.25** The Adventures of Sinbad, Christmas Circus handbill

No date  
Blackpool Tower, 25 November to 21 January,  
Colour photograph of pirate clown holding a musquet and a sword while surfing with a sail ship on and outline of an island on the background on the front on reverse, colour photographs of performers and text including prices and contact details,

150mm x 213mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.26** Blackpool Tower Circus handbill

1958  
Colour illustration of cartoon clown in blue trousers and orange braces from behind and animals around a white circle on the front, on reverse list of acts, prices and booking form,  
166mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.27** Blackpool Tower Circus handbill

1954  
Colour illustration of cartoon clown in blue trousers and red braces from behind holding a tin of paint and brush over a red background on the front, on reverse list of acts and booking arrangement details  
170mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.28** Belle Vue 53rd International Circus handbill

1981-1982  
Saturday 26 December to Saturday 30 January,  
Red and black illustration of two clowns climbing onto each other's shoulders on top of an elephant, the top clown is holding a tin of paint and a brush next to a circus sign and the ringmaster is stood watching behind on yellow background,  
146mm x 242mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.29** Lord John Sanger's New Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Wothing, Brougham Road Field, East Worthing, Monday 4 to Saturday 9 August,  
Balck type on off white background, possible reverse of cheque, see 178Z50.56,  
115mm x 195mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.30** The New Sanger's Circus handbill

1930  
East Worthing, Brougham Road Monday 4 to Saturday 9 August,  
Black type on yellow background,  
117mm x 198mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.31** Bertram Mills Circus handbill

1940  
The hippodrome, Dudley, 12 to 17 February,  
Black and white illustration of Koringa's head and a crocodile on the top

section and list of acts below on black type over a yellowish background,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbroath,  
143mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.32** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

1956  
Exeter, Hamlin Lane Playing Fields, 25 to 27 July,  
Yellow, red and blue type on orange and white backgrounds with illustration of winged elephant on bottom left corner and red, yellow, white and black type on yellow, red and white backgrounds listing acts on reverse,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbroath,  
Duplicate see 178T40.33  
140mm x 203mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.33** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

1956  
Exeter, Hamlin Lane Playing Fields, 25 to 27 July,  
Yellow, red and blue type on orange and white backgrounds with illustration of winged elephant on bottom left corner and red, yellow, white and black type on yellow, red and white backgrounds listing acts on reverse,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbroath,  
Duplicate see 178T40.32  
140mm x 203mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.34** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Solihull, stratford Road, Shirley, 16 to 18 June,  
Yellow, red and blue type on red and white backgrounds with illustration of clown's face on bottom right corner and red, yellow, white and black type on yellow, red and white backgrounds listing acts on reverse,  
Printed by Welbeckson Press Ltd, London,  
Duplicate see 178T40.35  
140mm x 203mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.35** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Solihull, stratford Road, Shirley, 16 to 18 June,  
Yellow, red and blue type on red and white backgrounds with illustration of clown's face on bottom right corner and red, yellow, white and black type on yellow, red and white backgrounds listing acts on reverse,  
Printed by Welbeckson Press Ltd, London,  
Duplicate see 178T40.34  
140mm x 203mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178T40.36** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill  
1963  
Staines, Shortwood Common, 27 to 30 March,  
Blue, red and white type on red, yellow and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white, blue and red type on red, white, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,  
145mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.37** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill  
1963  
Salisbury, Old Sarum Estate, 10 to 12 October,  
Blue, red and white type on red, yellow and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white, blue and red type on red, white, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,  
Duplicate see 178T40.38  
145mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.38** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill  
1963  
Salisbury, Old Sarum Estate, 10 to 12 October,  
Blue, red and white type on red, yellow and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white, blue and red type on red, white, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,  
Duplicate see 178T40.37  
145mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.39** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill  
No date  
High Wycombe, The Rye, 8 to 10 April,  
Blue, red and white type on red, yellow and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white, blue and red type on red, white, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,  
Duplicate see 178T40.40  
145mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.40** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date

High Wycome, The Rye, 8 to 10 April,

Blue, red and white type on red, yellow and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white, blue and red type on red, white, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,

Duplicate see 178T40.39

145mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.41** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date

Paignton, Clennon Valley, 18-23 July, Silver Jubilee tour,

Blue, red, yellow and white type on red, blue and white background and illustration of tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white, blue and red type on red, white, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,

145mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.42** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date

Southampton, The Common, 3 to 8 October, Silver Jubilee tour,

Blue, red, yellow and white type on red, blue and white background and illustration of tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white, blue and red type on red, white, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,

145mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.43** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date

Nottingham, Goose Fair site, 16 to 28 April,

Blue, red and white type on red, white and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and of tiger on bottom right corner on the front, on reverse, white type on red, blue and yellow background listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,

145mm x 210mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.44** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date

Dundee, Riverside Park, 13 to 18 August,

Blue, red and white type on red, white and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and of tiger on bottom right corner

on the front, on reverse, white type on red, blue and yellow background  
listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,  
145mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.45** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Hull, Walton Street Fairground, 14 to 19 May,  
Blue, red and white type on red, white and white background and illustration of clown on top left corner and of tiger on bottom right corner  
on the front, on reverse, white type on red, blue and yellow background  
listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,  
145mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.46** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Silver Jubilee Tour,  
Yellow, white, blue and red type on red, blue, white and yellow background  
listing acts and illustration of chimpanzee hanging from the word circus,  
145mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.47** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Southampton, Royal Pier Recreation Ground, 11 to 16 June,  
Red, green and black type on off white background with listing of acts  
and green illustration of a lion walking the wire on top right,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbroath,  
Duplicate see 178T40.48  
126mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.48** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Southampton, Royal Pier Recreation Ground, 11 to 16 June,  
Red, green and black type on off white background with listing of acts  
and green illustration of a lion walking the wire on top right,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbroath,  
Duplicate see 178T40.47  
126mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.49** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Exeter, Wonford Playing fields, 9 to 14 July,  
Red, green and black type on off white background with listing of acts  
and green illustration of a lion walking the wire on top right,

Printed by Herald Press, Arbroath,  
126mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.50** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

1954  
Scarborough, Burniston Road Recreation Ground, 6 to 9 May,  
Red, green and black type on off white background listing acts and green  
illustration of a chimpanzee on the phone,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbrouath,  
130mm x 193mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.51** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Carlisle, Britts Park, 23 to 26 September,  
Red, green and black type on off white background listing acts and green  
illustration of a chimpanzee on the phone,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbrouath,  
130mm x 193mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.52** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

No date  
Kendal, Appleby Road, 11 to 13 August,  
Red, green and black type on off white background listing acts and green  
illustration of a chimpanzee on the phone,  
Printed by Herald Press, Arbrouath,  
130mm x 193mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.53** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill

1931  
Exeter, Pinhoe Road, 27 April to 2 May,  
Black illustrations of circus acts including showgirls, laughing clown's  
head, horses and polar bear on the top section and tiger on a horse, lions  
and a cannon on the bottom section and black type all on a blue back-  
ground,  
Printed by The Salisbury Press Ltd, Salisbury,  
255mm x 154mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.54** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair at Olympia handbill

1947-1948  
Olympia, Grand Hall, 19 December to 31 January,  
Black type on off white background with clown's face wearing a pointy  
hat in the centre and list of acts on the ruffles of his neck piece on the  
front, on reverse plan of the ring and seating sections,



Printed by The Salisbury Press Ltd, Salisbury,  
150mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178T40.55** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair at Olympia handbill  
1932-1933  
Olympia, Grand Hall, 22 December to 25 January,  
Black type on off white background and list of acts on the front, on reverse  
plan of the ring and seating sections,  
Printed by The Salisbury Press Ltd, Salisbury,  
143mm x 223mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.56** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair handbill  
1938-1939  
Olympia, Grand Hall, 22 December to 26 January,  
Purple type on white background with illustration of rearing horse on the  
left hand side and list of acts on the front, on reverse plan of the ring and  
seating sections,  
Printed by The Herald Press, Arbroath,  
145mm x 223mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.57** Bertram Mills Circus and Menagerie handbill  
No date  
Boston Sleaford Road, 31 May to 2 June,  
Black type on yellowish background with programme in the centre and  
caricature of laughing clown on top right corner,  
Printed by Salisbury Press Ltd, Salisbury  
140mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.58** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair at Olympia handbill  
1936-1937  
Olympia, Grand Hall, 22 December to 27 January,  
Black type on off white background with programme in the centre and  
caricature of laughing clown on top right corner, on reverse plan of the  
ring and seating sections,  
Printed by Salisbury Press Ltd, Salisbury  
140mm x 220mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.59** The Great Carmo's Circus handbill  
1937  
Blue and red type on off white background and blue and white photographs  
of the circus tent on the front and animals on reverse as well as Carmo's  
portrait in one of his characters, brief description of main act and patrons

Printed by Brayshaw & Bateman, Printers, Wheeldon Works, Chesterfield,  
144mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.60** The Great Carmo's Circus handbill

No date  
Blue and red type on off white background and blue and white photographs of the circus tent on the front and animals on reverse as well as female aerial act, brief description of main acts  
Printed by Brayshaw & Bateman, Printers, Wheeldon Works, Chesterfield,  
144mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.61** The Billy Smart's Circus Ball handbill

1966  
Royal Albert Hall, 15 November,  
In aid of mentally handicapped children,  
Black, red and blue type with information and price tickets, ticket application form on back cover,  
92mm x 267mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.62** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

No date  
Hull, East Park Central site, 19 to 24 August,  
Red and blue illustration of elephant bathing a baby elephant,  
142mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.63** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

No date  
York, The Knavesmire, 7 to 12 June,  
Black type on yellow and white backgrounds, black and white photographs of acts along the left hand side and black and white illustration of circus performers and animals walking towards the viewer on bottom section,  
159mm x 233mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.64** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

No date  
Birmingham, Hay Mills, 19 March to 12 April,  
Red and blue illustration of elephant bathing a baby elephant,  
142mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178T40.65** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
York, The Knavesmire, 29 July to 3 August,  
Red and blue illustration of elephant bathing a baby elephant,  
142mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.66** Billy Smart's World's Greatest Circus handbill  
No date  
Clapham Common, 25 October to 13 November,  
Red, blue, black and white type on red and white backgrounds with blue,  
red and white illustration of elephant's head on top right corner holding  
a circus sign with its trunk and a small animal tamer on bottom right,  
140mm x 218mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.67** Billy Smart's World's Greatest Circus handbill  
1966  
Birmingham, Hay Mills, Hay Barn recreation ground, 17 March to 2 April,  
Red, blue, black and white type on red and white backgrounds with blue,  
red and white illustration of elephant's head on top right corner holding  
a circus sign with its trunk and a small animal tamer on bottom right,  
140mm x 228mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.68** Billy Smart's World's Greatest Circus handbill  
No date  
Birmingham, Hay Mills, Hay Barn recreation ground, 27 March to 13  
April,  
Red, blue, black and white type on red and white backgrounds with blue,  
red and white illustration of elephant's head on top right corner holding  
a circus sign with its trunk and a small animal tamer on bottom right,  
138mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.69** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
Birmingham, Perry Barr, 21 September to 3 October,  
Blue type on white background and white type on black and white photo-  
graph of elephant's foot standing over a woman's head laying on the floor,  
170mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.70** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
Preston, Queen's Road site, 3 to 8 September,  
Black, white and green type on white and green background and black  
and white illustration of dancing elephant and woman in green tartans,

180mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.71** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

No date  
Glasgow, Queen's Park, 27 May to 8 June,  
Black and white type on white and yellow background and black and white  
illustration of dancing elephant and woman in yellow tartans,  
180mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.72** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

1964  
Blackheath 19 to 31 October, Leyton, Lea Bridge Road, 2 to 14 November,  
Red and black type with highlight acts on off white background and red  
and white illustration of woman with large feather headdress standing on  
an elephant's leg,  
150mm x 247mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.73** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

1964  
Porsmouth, Scunthelsea Common, 27 July to 8 August,  
Red, blue and black type with highlight acts on white background and  
red, pink and white illustration of woman with large feather headdress  
standing on an elephant's leg,  
150mm x 259mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.74** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

No date  
Clapham Common, 22 October to 10 November,  
Black and blue type on dard red and white backgrounds and black and  
white photographs of acts along the left handside and black, red and  
white illustration of a large circus troupe with animals walking towards  
the viewer on bottom centre,  
158mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.75** Billy Smart's Circus handbill

No date  
Poole, Ladies Walking Fields, 24 to 29 July,  
Black and blue type on dard red and white backgrounds and black and  
white photographs of acts along the left handside and black, red and  
white illustration of a large circus troupe with animals walking towards  
the viewer on bottom centre,  
158mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178T40.76** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
Wood Lane, Scrubs Recreation ground, 25 October to 11 November,  
Black and blue type on dard red and white backgrounds and black and  
white photographs of acts along the left handside and black, red and  
white illustration of a large circus troupe with animals walking towards  
the viewer on bottom centre,  
158mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.77** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
1957  
Rotherham, The Fairground, 14 to 23 March,  
Black, white and green type on white and green background and black  
and white illustration of dancing elephant and woman in green tartans,  
180mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.78** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
1964  
Crewe , King George Vth, playing fields, 25 to 30 May,  
Red and black type with highlight acts on off white background and red  
and white illustration of woman with large feather headdress standing on  
an elephant's leg,  
145mm x 260mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.79** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
Rhyl, Brooks Field, Rhuddlan Road, 18 to 23 May,  
Red and black type with highlight acts on brown background and red and  
white illustration of woman with large feather headdress standing on an  
elephant's leg,  
145mm x 260mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.80** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
Slough, Upton Court Park, 14 to 19 September,  
Red and black type on white background and red, yellow and black illus-  
tration of cartoon clown in the centre wearing a red suit and yellow tie  
and hat and children running towards him from top right corner,  
185mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.81** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
Clampham, 18 October to 13 November,

Red and black type on white background and red, yellow and black illustration of cartoon clown in the centre wearing a red suit and yellow tie and hat and children running towards him from top right corner,  
185mm x 250mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178T40.82** Billy Smart's Circus handbill  
No date  
Birmingham, The Greyhound Stadium car park, Perry Bar, 16 November to 5 December,  
Black, white and red type on red and white background and black and white photographs of circus acts along the left handside and black and white photograph of row of elephants standing on each other's backs along the bottom edge, more text on reverse  
180mm x 235mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.83** Billy Smart's Circus, Variety Club Star Gala Performance handbill  
No date  
Shepherds Bush, W. 12 Wood Lane, The Scrubs recreation ground, Monday 30 October,  
Red and black type on light brown background, Ring Master Bruce Forsyth, all proceedings to be devoted to Variety Club's children's charities,  
183mm x 143mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.84** Great Yarmouth Hippodrome handbill  
1983  
29 June to 17 September,  
Colour illustration of large clown's face laughing on top left corner, roaring tiger's head on bottom right corner and fountain on bottom left and black and white photograph of Big Daddy on bottom edge and red border with yellow line of dots,  
141mm x 212mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.85** Great Yarmouth Hippodrome handbill  
1985  
20 June to 7 September,  
Pink and white illustration of large clown's face laughing on top left corner, wild animals on bottom right corner and fountain on bottom left, also pink and white photograph of Big Daddy on bottom edge and line of white dots around the edges,  
140mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178T40.86** Great Yarmouth Hippodrome handbill  
1971

Commencing 29 May,  
Black and white illustration of showgirl with feather skirt and high pony tail, and black and white type on black and white background on the front, on reverse Britannia Pier advertisement,  
162mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.87** Chipperfield Circus handbill  
1971-1972  
Rainbow Theatre, formerly Finsbury Park, Astoria, 27 December to 8 January,  
Black and white illustration of a clown's torso with a chimpanzee on his shoulders and list of acts along the right hand side including Zira, Los Juanitos, Les Gambys, Le Famille Santus and Brian Ando, show times and other information on reverse,  
183mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.88** Chipperfield Circus handbill  
1989-1990  
Cork, Tuesday 26 to Sunday 7,  
Yellow and red combined type and red, white and black type on blue and white backgrounds,  
105mm x 155mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.89** Sally Chipperfield's Circus handbill  
No date  
Westover Ice Rink, Bournemouth, 1 July to 10 September,  
Dark blue type and listing and illustrations of animals on light blue background on front, on reverse prices and booking form,  
149mm x 211mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.90** Sally Chipperfield's Christmas Circus handbill  
No date  
Bingley Hall Exhibition Centre, Broad Street, Birmingham, Saturday 18 December to Wednesday 5 January,  
Red type and illustration of a rearing horse on white background on front, on reverse booking form,  
149mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.91** Sally Chipperfield's Christmas Circus handbill  
No date  
Bingley Hall Exhibition Centre, Broad Street, Birmingham, Thursday 1 to Sunday 11 January,

Red and black type and red illustration of a rearing horse on white background on front, on reverse booking form,  
160mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.92** Sally Chipperfield's Circus handbill

1988  
Theatre Royal, St. Helens, Tuesday 16 to Sunday 21 February,  
Black, gold and red type on blue background and colour illustrations of circus animals and performers including tigers, mules, eskimo dogs, budgerigards and clowns,  
173mm x 227mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.93** Chipperfield's Circus handbill

No date  
Birmingham, Hay Barn recreation ground, Hay Mills, Monday 13 to Saturday 25 October,  
White and black type on red and white background, black and white illustration of human cannon ball act on right hand side and black and white photographs of circus acts along the left edge,  
178mm x 240mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.94** Blackpool Tower Circus handbill

2008  
Mooky's Circus Carnival,  
16 to 24 February,  
Colour photograph of clown wearing a blue, red and gold uniform, Mexican hat with Blackpool Tower on the top section and holding maracas on a green a yellow background, on reverse advertisement for Jungle Jim's towering adventureland,  
100mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178T40.95** Blackpool Tower Circus handbill

1988  
1 June to 6 November,  
Chinese Circus from Chong Qing,  
Black, red and yellow illustrations of laughing clown on top left corner, Chinese performer on top of a Chinese dragon, roaring tiger and show girl on elephant's head on a yellow background, on reverse text and black and white photographs on Chinese circus,  
219mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



## **Obituaries, Births, Death and Marriage Certificates - 178Q6**

### **178Q6.1** Tragic Death of George Sanger Obituary

2 December 1911

Obituary dedicated to George Sanger in The Era, containing details about his life and career and black and white portrait of Sanger in the centre, 328mm x 438mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

### **178Q6.2** Billy 'Little Billy' Merchant Obituary related material

Circa 1990s

Newspaper obituaries and photocopies of obituary articles for Jimmy Scott and Alby Austin, circus clowns and Roberto Germain, entertainment agent

Circus Friends Association Collection

### **178Q6.3** Dame Laura Knight's Obituary and Funeral material

1970

Items related to Dame Laura Knight's death including a newspaper obituary, a note to a Mr Saunders regarding the memorial service and a memorial and thanksgiving service card for Dame Laura Knight,

Typescript,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

### **178Q6.4** Kitty Roberts funeral related material

2008

Funeral service card,

Passed away 19 February 2008

Folding white card with colour portrait photograph of Kitty Roberts on the cover as a mature woman and a black and white photograph in circus outfit as a young woman on the back cover, inside order of service and a thank you card sent to attendees to the funeral

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

## **Newspaper Cuttings and Scrapbooks - 178G21**

### **178G21.2** Newspaper Cuttings

1838-1947

Newspaper cuttings relating to circus and performers, including Barnum, The American Circus, The Alambra Palace, Drury Lane Theatre, Pawnee Bill Wild West, Imre Kiralfy, Cirque Imperial de France, Zazel, The Theatrical Observer, The Graphic, The Illustrated London News and The Performer,

Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178G21.3** Rosaire's Circus scrapbook  
1940-1955  
Scrapbook relating to Rosaire's Circus, contains posters, black and white photographs, newspaper cuttings, programs and letters,  
51p.p  
260mm x 360mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.4** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1925-1936  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, advertisements and black and white photographs relating to multiple circuses and acts including Belle Vue Circus, Hengler's Circus, Blackpool Tower, and Sir Robert Fossetts, includes deaths of Buff Bill Kayes, Whimsical Walker the clown and Mary Ann Bevan 'the world's ugliest woman',  
61p.p  
243mm x 348mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.5** Chapman's and Fossett's Circus scrapbook  
1938-1955  
Scrapbook of posters, programmes, newspaper cuttings relating to Chapman's circuses, including Great London Zoo-Circus and Bingley Hall Circus until their closure, and Sir Robert Fossett's Circus,  
61p.p  
245mm x 350mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.6** Lord John Sanger's Circus scrapbook  
1937-1954  
Scrapbook relating to Lord John Sanger's Circus, contains advertisements, black and white photographs, programmes and newspaper cuttings,  
34p.p  
254mm x 310mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.7** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1929-1936  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Fossett's, Rosaire's, Blackpool Tower, John Duffy and Sons and Crystal Palace,  
61p.p  
245mm x 348mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178G21.8** Bertram Mills' Circus scrapbook  
1936-1937  
Scrapbook relating to Bertram Mills' Circus, contains drafts of promotional text, newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs, programmes, performance schedules and letters,  
85p.p  
215mm x 333mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.9** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1937-1938  
Scrapbook of posters, newspaper cuttings, and black and white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Chapman's and Rosaire's,  
34p.p  
253mm x 311mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.10** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1925-1937  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs and advertisements, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Chapman's, Lord John Sanger's, Astley's, Blackpool Tower, Crystal Palace and Belle Vue,  
61p.p  
240mm x 350mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.11** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1940-1950  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, mostly from the World's Fair, and black and white photographs relating to multiple circuses and acts including Cirque Molier and Sanger's Circus,  
259mm x 311mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.12** Lord John Sanger's Circus scrapbook  
1939-1955  
Scrapbook relating to Lord John Sanger's Circus, contains posters, newspaper cuttings, programmes and advertisements, 53 pages,  
245mm x 350mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.13** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1952-1957  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings from the World's Fair, black and white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Robert Fossett's, Blackpool Tower, Lord George Sanger's and Chipperfields,

268mm x 349mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.14** Multiple Circus scrapbook

1930-1938

Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs, programmes and advertisements, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Johnny Swallow's Broncho Bill's Circus, Chapman's Zoo Circus, Lord George Sanger's,

34p.p

249mm x 310mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.15** Multiple Circus scrapbook

1939-1940

Scrapbook of advertisements, newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs relating to multiple circuses and acts including Blackpool Tower, Barnum and Bailey, John Duffy and Sons, Chipperfield's and Rosaire's,

54p.p

242mm x 350mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.16** Multiple Circus scrapbook

1938

Scrapbook of advertisements, newspaper cuttings, advertisements and black and white photographs and a seating plan relating to multiple circuses and acts including Blackpool Tower, Sir Oswald Stoll's Coliseum Circus, Sir Robert Fossett's, Belle Vue and Chipperfield's,

54p.p

244mm x 351mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.17** Bertram Mills' Circus scrapbook

1925-1938

Scrapbook relating to Bertram Mills' Circus, contains posters, advertisements, promotional text, black and white photographs and newspaper cuttings,

62p.p

244mm x 351mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.18** Bertram Mills' Circus scrapbook

1939-1949

Scrapbook relating to Bertram Mills' Circus, contains posters, advertisements, programmes, black and white photographs and newspaper cuttings,

66p.p

244mm x 351mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178G21.19** Bertram Mills' Circus scrapbook  
1938-1939  
Scrapbook relating to Bertram Mills' Circus, contains posters, advertisements, programmes, black and white photographs and newspaper cuttings,  
54p.p  
244mm x 352mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.20** Newspaper Cuttings scrapbook  
1978-2004  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circus subjects including animal cruelty allegations and accidental deaths and injuries of performers,  
39p.p  
312mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.21** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1940-1946  
Scrapbook of posters, newspaper cuttings, programmes and black and white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Blackpool Tower, Chessington, Chipperfield's, Paulo's, John Duffy and Belle Vue,  
58p.p  
241mm x 351mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.22** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1934-1950  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs, advertisements and seating plans, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Pagel's and Harmston's,  
43p.p  
239mm x 361mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.23** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1932-1947  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, programmes, letters, black and white photographs and advertisements, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Pagel's, Harmston's and Bertram Mills,  
44p.p  
243mm x 356mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.24** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1950-1953  
Scrapbook of posters, newspaper cuttings, advertisements and black and

white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Blackpool Tower, Chipperfield's, Billy Smarts, John Duffy and Sons and Belle Vue,  
82p.p  
387mm x 520mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.25** Bertram Mills' Circus scrapbook  
1948-1955  
Scrapbook relating to Bertram Mills' Circus, contains posters, newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs and programmes,  
77p.p  
453mm x 418mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.26** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1946-1950  
Scrapbook of posters, newspaper cuttings and programmes relating to multiple circuses and acts including Blackpool Tower, Moscow Circus, Bertram Mills and Chipperfield's,  
82p.p  
388mm x 390mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.27** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1952-1954  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Moscow State Circus, Bertram Mills, Billy Smarts, Harringay Circus,  
37p.p  
222mm x 282mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.28** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1928-1944  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bostock and Wombwell's Menagerie and Bertram Mills,  
110p.p  
285mm x 410mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.29** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1952-1960  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Chipperfield's, Harringay Circus,  
50p.p

255mm x 305mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.30** Fairground scrapbook

1951-1954

Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs, relating to multiple fairgrounds and rides including the Ilkeston Charter Fair, Bolton New Year Fair and Loughborough Annual Fair,

46p.p

255mm x 306mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.31** Multiple Circus scrapbook

1936-1975

Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Rosaire's, Bertram Mills and Billy Smarts,

98p.p

310mm x 417mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.32** Multiple Circus scrapbook

No date

Scrapbook of black and white photographs and newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bertram Mills, Billy Smarts, Knie and Chipperfields,

52p.p

225mm x 287mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.33** Multiple Circus scrapbook

1952-1954

Scrapbook of photographs and newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Jack Hylton's, Rosaire's and Bertram Mills,

48p.p

257mm x 307mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.34** Multiple Circus scrapbook

No date

Scrapbook of black and white photographs and newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circus and acts including Chipperfield's, Billy Smarts and Belle Vue,

56p.p

230mm x 290mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178G21.35** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1928-1938  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bertram Mills, Barnum and Bailey and George Sanger,  
122p.p  
305mm x 377mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.36** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1923-1935  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating mostly to Bertram Mills Circus,  
130p.p  
300mm x 385mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.37** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1933-1935  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bertram Mills, and with particular focus on freak shows,  
102p.p  
300mm x 372mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.38** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1926-1936  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating multiple circuses and acts, including circus history and Bertram Mills,  
155p.p  
305mm x 703mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.39** Circus newspaper cuttings  
No date  
Three newspaper cuttings relating to circuses, one part of an article by the clown Whimsical Walker, one about a luxury showman's van built for C J Birkmyre of Billy Smart's Circus and one about the animal trainer Alexander Kerr  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.40** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1967-1968  
Scrapbook of colour photographs, postcards and tickets, relating to multiple circuses and carnivals including Cirkus Frankello, Circo Americano and Kaiserslauterne,  
10p.p  
250mm x 365mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



- 178G21.41** Circus Fantastic scrapbook  
1964  
Scrapbook of programmes and black and white photographs, relating to Circus Fantastic,  
20p.p  
256mm x 356mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.42** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
No date  
Scrapbook of black and white photographs, newspaper cuttings and post-card, relating to multiple circuses and acts including including Olympia, Shirley Fossett, Freya Jose, The Cordons, Gosta Kruse, Dior Sisters, Frazesco, Charly Baumann, The Cairolis, Fabiola, and the Shumans,  
34p.p  
220mm x 283mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.43** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1952-1953  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bertram Mills, Jack Hylton's, Chipperfield's and Harringay's,  
14p.p  
215mm x 286mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.44** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1949-1960  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs and advertisements, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Belle Vue, Billy Smart's, Bertram Mill's, Rosaire's,  
61p.p  
220mm x 283mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.45** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1979-1982  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including James Brothers, Belle Vue and Gandey's,  
36p.p  
244mm x 369mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.46** Circus Photography scrapbook  
1951-1956  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, mostly from a series of articles on circus photography in the 'Amateur Photographer',

46p.p  
256mm x 313mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.47** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1916-1958  
Scrapbook of photographs, newspaper cuttings and advertisements, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bertram Mills, Sanger's, Fosssett's and Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey,  
110p.p  
200mm x 323mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.48** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1949-1971  
Scrapbook of newspaper articles, black and white photographs and advertisements, many articles in Dutch, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Chipperfield's, Boswell's and Billy Smart's,  
109p.p  
210mm x 329mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.49** The Circus Fans Association scrapbook  
1950-1951  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings of 'The Circus Fans' Association Notes' by Dicky Bird and 'British Circus Ring Notes' by Hurd, and The Circus Fan's Association Bulletin No 7, 11, 13 and 14,  
38p.p  
305mm x 246mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.50** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1930-1958  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs and copies of posters and illustrations, relating to multiple circus and acts including Clyde Beatty, Bertram Mills, Blackpool Tower and Chapman's,  
134p.p  
194mm x 325mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.51** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1938-1961  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs and copies of posters and illustrations, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bertram Mills, Blackpool Tower and Liverpool Stadium,  
94p.p  
193mm x 321mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178G21.52** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1929-1962  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs and correspondence, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Belle Vue, Fossett's and Bertram Mills,  
238p.p  
207mm x 322mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.53** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1961-1964  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, black and white photographs, and correspondence, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Billy Smarts, Billy Russell's, Bertram Mills, Soviet State Circus and Chipperfield's,  
108p.p  
208mm x 329mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.54** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1935-1956  
Scrapbook of photographs and newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Bertram Mills, Chipperfield's and Blackpool Tower,  
260p.p  
242mm x 263mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.55** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1935-1954  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, posters and photographs relating to multiple circuses and acts including Billy Smart's, Bertram Mills, Belle Vue and Rosaire's,  
94p.p  
192mm x 324mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.56** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1963-1978  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, photographs, advertisements and correspondence, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Belle Vue, Cottle and Austen and Billy Smart's,  
196p.p  
205mm x 330mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.57** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1934-1952

Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Chipperfield's, Blackpool Tower, Billy Smart's and Bertram Mills, 202p.p  
217mm x 332mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.58** Circus Photographs scrapbook  
1934-1975

Scrapbook of photographs, relating to multiple circus and acts including Chapman's Bertram Mills, Lord George Sanger's, Chipperfield's and Bostock and Wombwell's,  
37p.p  
340mm x 274mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.59** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus Wagons scrapbook  
1969-1970

Scrapbook of writing, newspaper cuttings and photographs mostly relating to the restoration of ten Circus Wagons belonging to Sir Robert Fossett's Circus by The Circus World Museum, and their appearance in the Great Schlitz Circus Parade at Milwaukee,  
52p.p  
342mm x 270mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.60** Multiple Circus scrapbook

No date  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including George Wombwell's, Lord George Sanger's, Billy Smart's and Bertram Mills,  
102p.p  
282mm x 334mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.61** Multiple Circus scrapbook

1937-1976  
Scrapbook of posters, newspaper cuttings and photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Chipperfield's and Billy Smart's,  
48p.p  
258mm x 302mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.62** Multiple Circus scrapbook

1982-1983  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circus and acts including Chipperfield's, Blackpool Tower and Austen Brothers',  
41p.p

258mm x 318mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.63** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1987-1988  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings,  
relating to multiple circuses and acts including Billy Smart's, Blackpool  
Tower and Chipperfield's,  
41p.p  
260mm x 330mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.64** CFA Notes scrapbook  
1937-1943  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs, mostly  
of CFA Notes by 'Dicky Bird',  
53p.p  
287mm x 335mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.65** CFA Notes scrapbook  
1955-1957  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and photographs, mostly of The Circus  
Fans Association Notes by 'The President', The Circus Friends Circle by  
'Dumbo', British Circus Ring Notes by 'Hurd' and The Big Top Fans  
Monthly Notes by Ken Woodward,  
40p.p  
262mm x 379mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.66** CFA Notes scrapbook  
1953-1954  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and photographs,  
of The Circus Fans' Association Notes by 'Dicky Bird', 'The President' and  
'The Hon Secretary', as well as articles on Billy Smart's, Chipperfield's,  
Rosaire's, Fossett's, Sanger's, Billy Russell's and Bertram Mills,  
45p.p  
250mm x 378mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.67** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1955-1957  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs, relat-  
ing to multiple circuses and acts including Chipperfield's, Bertram Mills,  
Rosaire's, Billy Russell's,  
45p.p  
245mm x 377mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178G21.68** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1951-1960  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and photographs, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey's and Kelly the Clown,  
30p.p  
253mm x 366mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.69** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1954-1958  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white photographs relating to multiple circuses and acts including Chipperfield's, Rosaire's, Bertram Mills and Billy Russell's, as well as many pictures of Pekingese dogs,  
46p.p  
245mm x 378mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.70** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1986-1987  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Cross Brothers, Gandey's Circus and Chipperfield's,  
40p.p  
260mm x 322mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.71** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1984-1985  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Austen Brothers, Blackpool Tower and Gerry Cottle's, and many articles on allegations of animal cruelty in circuses,  
41p.p  
260mm x 320mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.72** Circus Photographs scrapbook  
1962-1979  
Scrapbook of photographs of multiple circus acts including Joan Rosaire and her Golden Horses, The Flying Cherokees, The Marchitas, Ria in the Golden Moon and Rudi Lenz,  
20p.p  
252mm x 297mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.73** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1979-1986

Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Jimmy Fossett's, Rosaire's and Billy Smart's,  
41p.p  
260mm x 318mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.74** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1983-1984  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Robert Brothers, Chipperfield's and Gerry Cottle's,  
25p.p  
250mm x 376mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.75** Circus Articles, newspaper cuttings  
No date  
Selection of newspaper cuttings, photographs, writing and artwork relating to multiple circuses and acts, including a photograph of a man leading a camel through the street and an article from the Weekly Illustrated about the Rivel Family  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.76** Basil Afarasieff scrapbook  
1922-2000  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, photographs and correspondance, relating to the life of contortionist Basil Afarasieff, or Asief, who was involved with the Royal Italian Circus,  
43p.p  
240mm x 367mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.77** Early Circus scrapbook  
1876-1893  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings and black and white illustrations, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Sanger's, Ginnett's and Barnum's,  
80p.p  
275mm x 377mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.78** Early Circus scrapbook  
1879-1898  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, programmes and black and white illustrations, relating to multiple circuses and acts including Barnum's, Chiarini's Royal Italian Circus, Ginnett's and Sanger's,  
128p.p  
264mm x 377mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178G21.79** Multiple Circus scrapbook  
1939-1962  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings, relating to multiple circuses and acts including  
Blackpool Tower, Hengler's, and Rosaire's,  
180p.p  
400mm x 463mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.80** Circus scrapbook  
1935-1975  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings created by Hal Thomas containing a variety of articles on different circuses and performers, also contains some loose pages,  
Aprox. 132p.p  
220mm x 348mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.81** Newspaper Cuttings referring to Billy 'Little Billy' Merchant  
No date  
Photocopies of newspaper articles relating to Billy 'Little Billy' Merchant and Jimmy Scott, circus clowns  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.82** Newspaper Cutting part of Hans Brick Animal Trainer and Circus Performer's material  
1933-1951  
Newspaper and magazine articles about Hans Brick mainly on British newspapers including, The Daily Mirror, The Evening News, The Daily Herald and some German and French newspapers in English, German and French and circus topics,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.83** Dame Laura Knight related newspaper cuttings  
1960-1970  
Newspaper cuttings related to Dame Laura Knight, including advertisement for an exhibition,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.84** Circus Fans Association scrapbook  
1934-1936  
Scrapbook containing newspaper cuttings about the CFA mainly by Charles Lawrence but also by other authors and some loose cuttings,  
65p.p, (only 43p.p used)  
285mm x 397mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



- 178G21.85** Circus Fans Association scrapbook  
1951-1955  
Scrapbook containing newspaper cuttings about the CFA and CFA bulletins, British Circus Ring notes, mainly by Hurd and Big Top Fans' first annual report,  
44p.p  
280mm x 405mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.86** Circus Fans Association scrapbook  
1941-1949  
Scrapbook containing newspaper cuttings about the CFA, some CFA bulletins and membership cards and British Circus Ring notes, mainly by Bernard C. Harris,  
38p.p  
270mm x 408mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.87** Circus scrapbook  
1949-1961  
Scrapbook containing newspaper and magazine cuttings on British and foreign circuses in colour and black and white, including Circus Medrano, Hunt Bros. Royal International Circus, Bertram Mills, Smarts, Fossetts, Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey amongst others, some obituaries, wedding news and other articles on performers and circus news,  
34p.p  
310mm x 344mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.88** Lord John Sanger scrapbook  
1911  
Scrapbook of newspaper cuttings on the death and funeral of Lord George Sanger, also contains some correspondence and other items of ephemera,  
17p.p  
280mm x 410mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.89** Newspaper cuttings on Lord George Sanger's Circus  
Circa 1962  
Newspaper cuttings about Baby Jumbo the elephant and Sanger Circus winding-up petition, attached to a programme see 178K43.585,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178G21.90** Bertram Mills Circus newspaper cuttings  
1934-1991  
Newspaper cuttings and magazine articles on Bertram Mills' circus, including an issue of Modern Railway News journal and Bertram Mill's

obituary,  
Original and photocopies,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.91** The Great Carmo Circus newspaper cuttings  
1926-1966  
Newspaper cuttings, including an article by Dame Laura Knight, pages  
from a scrapbook, photocopies of articles and two issues of Abra Cadabra  
magic journal,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.92** Various newspaper cuttings  
1930  
Newspaper cuttings including E. H. Bostock's wedding report  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.93** Billy Smart's Circus newspaper cuttings  
1956-2005  
Newspaper articles on Billy Smart's Circus,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.94** Chipperfield Circus newspaper cuttings  
1953-1961  
Chipperfields' Circus News newspapers and Gloucester Journal, includes  
photos of Zira, Katharina and Mr Pastry amongst others,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178G21.95** Circus newspaper cuttings  
1939-1979  
Various circus related articles, some on animal rights, some on the death of  
Gordon Howes, lion tamer, the Great Wallenda, also some foreign articles  
and a Cottle & Austin's Circus newspaper,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

## **Correspondence - 178F31**

**178F31.1** Correspondence  
1930-1934  
Letters to Miss Florence Sanger-Reeve from Miss Martha Vesque,  
French,  
Include a colour drawing of an acrobatic act,

Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178F31.2** Correspondence

1954-1960

Letters addressed to Mr David Strachan, from the Circus Fans' Association of Great Britain and Ringling Bros and Barnum & Bailey circus, both on headed paper,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178F31.3** Correspondence

1974-1988

Correspondence between Cyril Betram Mills and Billy Merchant, including some Christmas cards, one photocopy and one envelope,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178F31.4** Correspondence

1931-1958

Letters and envelopes addressed to Hans Brick relating to his professional career as an animal trainer and as an author, some in letter headed paper in English, French and German, including correspondence with British Lion Film Corporation, the Circus Friends Association, London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company, R. W. Thompson Author & Journalist, John Duffy & Sons' Circus and the Birtish Museum amongst others, Typescript and handwritten,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178F31.5** Correspondence

No date

Letters to Miss Sanger Reeve from Bernard and Mabel Harris and letter of invitation to Sunday service from G. K. Gillespie to the Sanger circus staff,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178F31.6** Correspondence

1913-1989

Correspondence relating to the Bertram Mills Circus including business and courtesy letters, a staff memorandum and an invitation to a performance,

Vairous sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178F31.7** Correspondence

3 June 1986

Letter from George Speaight to Mr Cheverill about Cirque L'Ancienne  
book,  
Type,  
205mm x 256mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

## Photographs and Postcards - 178C108

### 178C108.1-5 Photographs

1903

Black and white photographs of circus performers and personalities including a portrait of Buffalo Bill dedicated to Lord George Sanger and Sanger's Britannia tableau waggon,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178C108.6-9 Bostock and Wombwell Photograph Albums

1900-1914

Four photographic albums containing black and white photographs of Bostock and Wombwell menageries, including animals, employees, a range of performers, locations, and travelling and setting up scenes,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178C108.10-48 Fossett's Circus Photographs

Circa 1930s-1940s

Behind the scenes black and white photographs of circus performers and animals from Fossett's Circus, mostly original, some are modern reproductions,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178C108.49-185 Photographs and Postcards

20th Century

Black and white and colour photographs, postcards and promotional photographs of acts, performers, circus tents, animals and others,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178C108.186-323 Photographs and Postcards

1958-1960

Black and white photographs and postcards of circus acts, performers and animals on and off the ring from various circuses including Bertram Mills, Chipperfields at various locations in the United Kingdom including Kelvin Hall, Belle Vue, Olympia, Blackpool Tower, Great Yarmouth, Birmingham and Kendal, some contain annotations on reverse,

Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.324-328** Monte Carlo Circus Festival Photographs

1981-1987

Colour photographs of Lindsay Temple at the Monte Carlo Circus Festivals posing with performers and next to Chipperfield tigers outdoors in cage,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.329-332** Den Curtis Photographic Albums

1954-1969

Photographic albums put together by Den Curtis, containing black and white photographs of circuses, performers and animals with annotations, including Chipperfields, Bertram Mills, Smarts, Hoxie Bros., Blackpool Tower, Belle Vue, Robert Bros., and Luckens Continental Circus,

320mm x 220mm x 25mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.333-354** Hans Brick Animal Trainer and Circus Performer's Photographs

No date

Black and white photographs and postcards of people, animals and performers, including a portrait photograph of Hans Brick and photographs of Circus Busch with text in German and English and a small negative,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.355** Hans Brick Animal Trainer and Circus Performer's Photographic Album

No date

Black and white photographs of journey's around different parts of the world, caged animals, people and circus performers,

Approx. 42p.p

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.356-413** Billy Merchant Circus Performer's Photographs

No date

Black and white photographs and some postcards of Billy Merchant and other circus performers on and off the circus ring, some autographed,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.414** Billy Merchant circus performer's photographic album

No date

Black and white photographs of Billy Merchant and other performers and some postcards, with hand written annotations,

15p.p  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.415** Blackpool Tower and Chipperfield Circus Photographic Album  
1940-1951

Black and white photographs and postcards of acts and performers on and off the ring with annotations,

15p.p  
248mm x 280mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.416** Sketches of the Circus Photographic Album

Late 1980s

Lord John Sanger & Sons' Circus, featuring animals, carriages, workers and performers as well as Lord George Sanger on transit, parading and on circus site, contains some pen and ink drawings, Photograph of Augustus Denton on front cover painting the circus,

12p.p  
763mm x 262mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.417-435** Lindsay Temple circus Photographs

1970-1976

Black and white photographs of circus performers and animals, mainly in the ring and portrait of Lindsay Temple with Franz Althoff and Charles Cairoli, mainly stamped by David Jamieson,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.436-488** Bertram Mills Circus Photographs

No date

Black and white photographs of circus performers and animals including Coco the clown, Nicolina the animal tamer, Mills' horses and circus scenes,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.489-597** Sanger's Circus photographs

Circa 1880s-1930s

Black and white photographs and postcards of the Sanger circus and family, including family portraits, show fronts, performers, musicians, parades and carriages, some of the people on the photographs have been identified, Photographs 178C108.502-515 show Lord George Sanger's Circus on a European tour,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.598-668** The Great Carmo Circus photographs

1935-

Black and white photographs and postcards of The Great Carmo Circus including many of The Great Carmo in different personas, Rita Carmo and circus scenes and performs,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.669-680** Bostock Menagerie photographs  
1920-1934

Black and white photographs and postcards of Bostock and Wombwell menagerie including images of the Bostocks and some performers, Bidewell and two photos of Alex Day with elephants,  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.681-786** Billy Smart Circus photographs  
1946-1973

Black and white photographs of Billy Smart's Circus, showing performers, animals, trucks and tents,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.787-788** Great Yarmouth Hippodrome photographs  
1904-1934

Black and white photographs of the interior and exterior of the Hippodrome,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.789-903** Blackpool Tower Circus photographs  
1940-1962

Black and white photographs and postcards of performers at Blackpool Tower Circus and performer's publicity photographs some of them autographed,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.904-971** Photographs and Postcards  
1952-1977

Black and white and colour photographs and postcards of circus acts, performers and animals on and off the ring from various circuses including Sarrasani, Captain Alfred Schneider, Cody and Reaney, some contain annotations on reverse, some are autographed and some are promotional images of acts,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.972** Lindsay Temple circus Photographic album  
1961-1963

Photographic album containing black and white photographs of circus

acts, performers and animals by Lindsay Temple, some pages empty,  
26p.p  
365mm x 268mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.973** Lindsay Temple circus Photographic album  
1957-1961  
Photographic album containing black and white photographs of circus  
acts, performers and animals by Lindsay Temple,  
22p.p  
365mm x 268mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178C108.974-1170** Circus photographs  
1953-1992  
Colour and black and white photographs of Jay Miller's Circus, Mike  
Austin's Circus, Gerry Cottle's Circus, Robert Brothers Circus, Chipper-  
field's Circus, Circus Krone, Circus Paulos and Gandey's Circus including  
tents, performers and acts, also Bertam Mills and Blackpool Tower Circus  
posters, circus enthusiast events, circus models, also a wedding at Galaxy  
Circus,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

## Original Artwork - 178V11

**178V11.1** The Acrobats print  
No date  
Drypoint on paper,  
black and white illustration of two circus acrobats performing in mid-air  
on the trapeze inside a circus tent on top section, fairground rides and  
stalls on the background and the audience on the bottom section,  
Artist: Dame Laura Knight,  
312mm x 465mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.2** La Pompe du Quai de L'Ecole print  
No date  
Lithograph on paper,  
black and white illustration of market stalls and portable theatre in a city,  
Artist: Louis Albert Guislain Bacler d'Albe (1805),  
Printer: de Villain,  
250mm x 196mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.3** Royal Menagerie print  
1813



Etching on paper,  
black and white illustration of wild animals including elephant, rhinoceros,  
zebra, lions, tiger, bear, kangaroos, camel and many more in a landscape.  
Taken from life amongst the numerous assemblage at the Royal Menagerie  
Exeter Change, Strand, London,  
Artist: Samuel Howitt (1756/7-1822),  
Publisher: S. Polito proprietor,  
495mm x 285mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.4** Circus Rider print

1897-1899  
Circus Rider, from L'Estampe Moderne series,  
Lithograph on paper,  
Colour illustration of the front section of a horse ridden by a lady rider on  
the foreground over yellow background and a clown and a man in white  
outfit and black out face on the background  
Artist: Richard Ranft (1862-1931),  
308mm x 407mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.5** Equestrian Performer drawing

No date  
Ink on card,  
black and white illustration of the back of a female rider standing on two  
horses,  
Artist: I. J. C.,  
172mm x 146mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.6** Circus Scene drawing

No date  
Ink on card,  
black and white comical illustration of circus ring with elephant, chasing  
a man dressed in tails and top hat, equestrian act, two ladies on a trapeze,  
man smoking a pipe walking on a horizontal bar, lion tamer and clown,  
Artist: CATT,  
341mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.7** La Force de L'incomparable Signior Colpi print

No date  
black and white illustration of floor acrobatic troupe in the centre sur-  
rounded by twelve smaller images of acrobatic acts. Reproduction,  
258mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.8** Le Singe Savant print

Circa 1826

Lithograph and watercolour on paper,

Colour illustration of performing monkeys show on a platform with dressed monkey walking on a wire within an urban setting and surrounded by people,

Artist: Martin Sylverstre Baptiste (1791-1858),

Printer: Godefroy Engelmann (1788-1839),

237mm x 158mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.9** Circus Parade drawing

No date

Ink and watercolour wash on paper,

black and white illustration of circus parade showing a horse pulled cart with band, cebras, elephant, man on stilts, clowns, Britannia cart and Native American on horse,

Artist: Charles Lawrence,

321mm x 158mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.10** Mazeppa print

No date

Woodcut on paper,

black and white illustrations of the Mazeppa poem, showing the portrait of a woman on top centre, Mazeppa tied to a galoping horse along the right and left edges and a jousting scene on the bottom edge,

195mm x 250mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.11** La Force de L'incomparable Signior Colpi print

No date

black and white illustration of floor acrobatic troupe in the centre surrounded by twelve smaller images of acrobatic acts. Reproduction,

258mm x 380mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.12** Lion Taming Scenes print

No date

Woodcut on paper,

black and white illustrations one of a man stroking lions, tigers and leopards in a landscape with palm trees and another of a person bandaging a lion's paw,

505mm x 132mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.13** Vampire drawing

No date

Ink on card,

black and white illustration of a woman's face in the middle, a vampire on the right and a bare chested man on the left,

311mm x 260mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.14** Adah Isaacs Menken as Mazeppa print

No date

Lithograph on paper,

Colour illustration of woman tied up to a black galloping horse in a mountainous landscape,

Printers: Concanen, Lee & Siebe, 12 Frith Street,

225mm x 330mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.15** Mr. Grimaldi print

11 October 1820

Lithograph on paper,

black and white illustration of bust portrait of man in suit,

Artist: Wageman,

Printer: Blood,

Publisher: Mr. Charles Westmacott,

118mm x 164mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.16** William Frederick Wallett, The Queen's Jester print

No date

Engraving on paper,

black and white illustration of 3/4 figure of a man in a long jacket stood with his right hand on his chest,

Artist: Mayall,

Printer: D. J. Pound,

212mm x 316mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.17** Mr. Ducrow as the Courier of St. Petersburg print

No date

Woodcut on paper,

black and white illustration of a man in uniform riding standing up on five horses and carrying seven flags,

Publisher: R. Lloyd and G. Skelt,

373mm x 260mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.18** Marks's New Equestrian Characters print

No date

Etching, engraving and watercolour on paper,  
Colour illustration of four equestrian acts, The Sailor's Return, The Greek  
Warrior, The Reaper and The Flower Girl,  
Publisher: J. L. Marks, 91 Long Lane, Smithfield, London,  
250mm x 206mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.19** Marks's New Equestrian Characters print

No date  
Etching, engraving and watercolour on paper,  
Colour illustration of four equestrian acts, The Swiss Girl, The Alpin  
Hunter, The Life Guardsman and The Flying Dutchman,  
Publisher: J. L. Marks, 91 Long Lane, Smithfield, London,  
250mm x 206mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.20** Arena of Astley's Amphitheatre, Surrey Road print

1 December 1815  
Engraving on paper,  
Two black and white illustrations, on top interior view of theatre with  
equestrian act on the edge and other performers in the centre, band on  
bottom right and audience on balconies, on the bottom external view of  
building,  
Artist: George Jones (1786-1869),  
Printer: W. Wise,  
Publisher: Robert Wilkinson, No. 58 Cornhill,  
245mm x 308mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.21** Alley-Oop! drawing

No date  
Ink and watercolour wash on paper,  
black and white illustration of clown holding a hoop on the left hand side  
and elephant stood on his back legs on a platform on the right, signed on  
bottom right corner in ink and on bottom left in pencil,  
Artist: Salomon van Abbe (1883-1955),  
556mm x 430mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.22** Bertram Mills Circus drawing

24 December 1933  
Ink on board,  
black and white illustration of circus acts including clowns, call-boy, box-  
ing, kangaroo, female lion tamer, acrobat and juggling seal in individual  
windows with text, signed by Arthur Ferrier on bottom left corner in ink,  
on reverse in pencil 'Our artists sketches at Olympia', 'To Bertram Mills  
with the Editor's Compliments', 'Original of Arthur Ferrier cartoon from

the News of the World Dec 24th 1933',  
Artist: Arthur Ferrier (1891-1973)  
510mm x 317mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.23** Bertram Mills Circus drawing

22 December 1929

Ink on board,

black and white illustration of circus acts coming out of a paper hoop including a lady on an elephant's trunk, Whimsical Walker clown, trapeze act, equestrian rider, a roller skating act, clowns and floor acrobat, also a small scene of performer in the tube with text on bottom left corner, signed Arthur Ferrier on bottom right corner in ink, on reverse 'Comic Artists impression of the Circus at Olympia', on mount board 'Reproduced in the News of the World 22nd Dec 1929'

Artist: Arthur Ferrier (1891-1973),

510mm x 335mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.24** Our Call-Boy Presents Bertram Mills Circus drawing

30 December 1928

Ink on board,

black and white illustration of circus acts, some of which are emerging from a paper hoop held by a call-boy on top left and include clowns, a bear riding a bicycle, a man carrying a lion on his shoulders, an elephant carrying a man in his mouth, a roller skating act on a platform and a scene with performing animals including a fish on top right with text, signed Arthur Ferrier on bottom left in ink, on mount board 'Reproduced in the News of the World, December 30th 1928',

Artist: Arthur Ferrier (1891-1973),

508mm x 321mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.25** Bertram Mills Circus drawing

23 December 1934

Ink on board,

black and white illustration of circus acts including; a female equestrian act, elephant on platform, trapeze act, clowns, Hagenbeck's tigers and tightrope act and a call boy on bottom right corner reading a notice, signed Arthur Ferrier on bottom right in ink, on mount board 'Original of Arthur Ferrier's cartoon from News of the World, Dec. 23rd 1934',

Artist: Arthur Ferrier (1891-1973),

508mm x 318mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.26** Circus Tent painting

No date

Oil on canvas,  
Painting of white circus tent surrounded by lorries, horses and people in a landscape, signed by Niblett, on reverse painting of female nude, unframed  
306mm x 255mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.27** Circus Tent painting

No date  
Oil on canvas,  
Painting of circus tent in a landscape with living wagons on the side, signed by Niblett, on reverse painting of farm yard, unframed,  
465mm x 358mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.28** Bertram Mills' Circus at Olympia painting

No date  
Gouache on panel,  
Painting of four elephants seating on platforms and a handler with his arms raised on brown background,  
450mm x 315mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.29** William Frederick Walleth print

1861  
Engraving on paper,  
black and white illustration of 3/4 figure of a man in a long jacket stood with his right hand on his chest, presented in a golden embossed frame with a royal embossed coin beneath and dedicated to Brown Esq. from his old friend W. F. Walleth,  
Artist: Mayall,  
Printed by D. J. Pound,  
398mm x 295mm (framed)  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.30** Bertram Mills Circus Supershow

No date  
Gouache on card,  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
Colour painting of many circus acts including a woman riding an elephant, russian dancers, jugglers, equestrian acts, acrobats and performing dogs, as well as a man sitting on top of a lampost, a woman balancing on the moon and two astronauts with a rocket, main background red with yellow and white stars, lettering multicoloured,  
Signed in bottom right corner by Leon Chossley,  
762mm x 386mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.31** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair

1950

Gouache on card,

Olympia Grand Hall, 19 December to 1 February,

The 5 Meteors, flying trapeze,

Adolf Fischer's Elephants, Jenny Piccolo and Baby,

The Fredonas, risley act,

The Lorandos, comedy wire-walkers,

The Phantom Horses,

Margot Edwards, horseback juggling,

The Katyanas and Rondellis with Anita, aerial pot pourri,

Wacker's Jockey Dogs,

The Schaller Brothers, trampoline,

La Tosca,

Johnny's Teddy Bears,

The Hollywood Sky Ballet,

The Percelly's, balancing act,

The Baker's Comedy pas de Deux,

The Deblars, motorcycle act,

The Shetland Ponies Kindergarten,

The Petroffs, triple bars,

The Bedouin Riders,

Alexander and his Lions including the wire-walking lion Negus,

Colour illustrations of one dog sitting on the back of another as it jumps a fence, a woman leaping onto a wire, a bear riding a rocking horse and six acrobats on an elevated structure, lettering and backgrounds multi-coloured,

315mm x 405mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.32** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair

No date

Gouache on card,

Circus at Olympia, 18th December to 1st February,

Colour illustration of two clowns, one in green holding the trunk of an elephant, the other in red answering a telephone, background blue and pink, lettering multicoloured,

329mm x 521mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.33** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair

No date

Gouache on card,

Circus at Olympia Grand Hall, 17th December to 1st February,

Colour illustration of many circus acts including elephants, two chimpanzees, one on stilts, one on a top horse, horses, six performing poodles led by a woman in a pink dress, acrobats and a clown, background image

of circus ring with night sky above, lettering yellow and white,  
Signed in bottom right corner by 'L C', probably Leon Chossley,  
760mm x 380mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.34** Circus Acts Painting

No date  
Gouache on card, paper covering on top,  
For Bertram Mills Circus,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including horses, elephants with a female trainer, a man carrying a cheetah on his shoulders, a tiger, lion, panther and polar bear, three chimpanzees riding a bicycle, three sea lions playing with a ball, a woman balancing on one leg on a bicycle, acrobats and a clown, background image of circus ring with night sky above, no lettering, blank space left for details along the bottom,  
597mm x 472mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.35** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair Olympia

1966  
Gouache on card, paper covering on top,  
17 December to 29 January,  
Colour illustration of a leaping acrobat and a single white star, lettering white, yellow and orange, background blue,  
772mm x 382mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.36** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair Olympia

No date  
Gouache on card, with lettering and illustrations stuck on separately,  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
Colour illustrations of a poodle, a clown and an elephant, background red and blue, lettering yellow, black and white,  
760mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.37** The Incomparable Josephine Berosini

No date  
Gouache on card, lettering and photographs stuck on separately,  
For Bertram Mills Circus,  
Advertisement for balancing act Josephine Berosini,  
Two black and white photographs of Josephine Berosini, one balancing on a high wire, the other a close up on her face, lettering black and white, background orange,  
320mm x 143mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection



**178V11.38** Royal Performance of Bertram Mills Circus

1955-1956

Light card print out of earlier poster, mounted on heavier card, new lettering and parts of illustration stuck on separately, paper covering on top, Performance of Bertram Mills Circus for the Queen and Duke of Edinburgh, 21 December,

Colour illustration of a clown, a different head stuck on to the original image, background black and white, lettering black,  
358mm x 463mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.39** The Franciscos and Roman Games

No date

Gouache on card, lettering and photographs stuck on separately,  
For Bertram Mills Circus,

Advertisement for The Franciscos, clowns, and Roman Games with Douglas Kossmayer, the 'Ben Hur' of the Circus,

Two black and white photographs, one of three clowns, the other of a man in roman armour holding the reigns of three horses in a row, standing with one foot each on the back of the two outer horses, background orange lettering black,

157mm x 323mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.40** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair Olympia

No date

Gouache on card, paper covering on top,

Olympia, 17 December to 1 February,

Senorita Mara, aerialist,

Phyllis Allen's Poodles,

The Johns, trampoline comedy,

Rudi Lenz's Chimpanzees,

The Schumanns present Grand Carousel,

Hermané, balancing,

Fiesta in Valencia by the Schumann Family, liberty spectacle,

Jarz, trapeze,

Danion's Sea lions,

Leonardo, juggler,

Tonito, wire walker,

Coco and a host of Clowns,

Laribles, springboard,

Here Comes Robin Hood by the Schumanns, High School act,

Bertram Mills Elephants, presented by Joan Kruse,

Ruppert's Bears,

Clown Entrée, featuring Jacko, Little Billy and Nikki,

Colour illustrations of an acrobat, a clown, two poodles, a chimpanzee on stilts and another one on a toy horse, background blue with white stars,

lettering white, yellow and red,  
322mm x 759mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.41** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair Olympia

No date  
Gouache on card,  
19 December to 31 January,  
Colour illustration of a man carrying a cheetah on his shoulders and three orange tigers, background blue and red, lettering yellow and white,  
556mm x 814mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.42** Bertram Mills Circus Supershow

No date  
Gouache on card,  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 30 January,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including a man in indian dress, a woman riding an elephant, three horseback riders, three jugglers and three women balancing on spheres, background red with yellow and white stars and white, lettering multicoloured,  
Signed by 'L C', probably Leon Chossley,  
311mm x 509mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.43** Bertram Mills Circus Mirror Third Edition

No date  
Gouache on card,  
Design for cover of Bertram Mills Circus Mirror,  
Colour illustration of a woman riding a white horse with smaller images of five clowns, a ringmaster, two elephants with trainer, a ballerina standing on the back of a horse and three high wire performers, background multicoloured, lettering black and red,  
Signed by Leon Chossley,  
318mm x 440mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.44** Circus Acts Painting

No date  
Gouache on card,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including elephants, two chimpanzees, one on stilts, one on a top horse, horses, six performing poodles led by a woman in a pink dress, acrobats and a clown, background image of circus ring with night sky above, no lettering,  
537mm x 412mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178V11.45** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair  
1962-1963  
Gouache on card mounted on a wooden board, paper cover on top,  
Olympia Grand Hall, 18 December to 2 February,  
Colour illustration of many circus acts including horses, elephants with a  
female trainer, a man carrying a cheetah on his shoulders, a tiger, lion,  
panther and polar bear, three chimpanzees riding a bicycle, three sea  
lions playing with a ball, a woman balancing on one leg on a bicycle,  
acrobats and a clown, background image of circus ring with night sky  
above, lettering multicoloured,  
763mm x 381mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178V11.46** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair Olympia  
No date  
Gouache on card, paper cover on top,  
17 December to 29 January, featuring Kossmayers unrideable Mule,  
Colour illustration of a man in victorian dress being kicked by a donkey,  
background red and turquoise, lettering multicoloured,  
476mm x 381mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178V11.47** Bertram Mills' Circus  
No date  
Gouache on card,  
Olympia Grand Hall, 22 December to 27 January, featuring The Great  
Frederico,  
Colour illustration of a man swinging from a rope by his teeth, background  
image of circus ring, lettering multicoloured,  
314mm x 442mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178V11.48** Circus Acts Painting  
No date  
Gouache on card,  
Colour illustrations of acrobats hanging from supports decorated as a  
rocket, the moon and a star, a man in chinese dress who appears to be  
flying, a group of cossack riders with swords and a woman in band cos-  
tume playing a drum with three russian dancers behind her, background  
image of the night sky, no lettering,  
Signed by Leon Crossley,  
381mm x 506mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178V11.49** Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair Olympia  
No date  
Transparency, with paper lettering stuck on, originally to be layered over

a poster design to show possible lettering for poster,  
Reads 'Bertram Mills Circus and Fun Fair Olympia Grand Hall', lettering  
yellow and white,  
Signed by 'L C', probably Leon Chossley,  
541mm x 396mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.50** Bertram Mills Circus Super Show

No date  
Transparency, with lettering painted on, originally to be layered over a  
poster design to show possible lettering for poster,  
Reads 'Bertram Mills Circus Super Show', lettering yellow, red, green,  
orange and white,  
381mm x 500mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.51** Jack Nibblet's Circus Sketches

No date  
286 loose sketches and 6 sketchbooks of circus acts, animals and performers  
from various international circuses including Smarts, Bertram Mills and  
Robert Bros. by Jack Nibblet,  
Pen and ink, felt pen, watercolour, pencil and pastel,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.52** Circus Themed prints

No date  
Colour and black and white reproductions of circus themed artworks fea-  
turing equestrian acts and clowns,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.53** Clown Artwork

No date  
Drawings and painting of clowns in felt pen and gouache,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.54** Clown Prints

20th Century  
Colour digital prints of famous clowns including Charlie Cairoli, Grock,  
Coco and Popov, by Royston Knipe,  
252mm x 355mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.55** Pantomime print

No date  
Brown and white lithograph of two clowns and a ballerina bowing,

425mm x 303mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.56** Fairground and Sideshow print  
1927

La Sere de la Realite,  
Outdoor fairground and sideshow scene,  
Etching on paper,  
By C. H. Clement,  
445mm x 315mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.57** Circus Themed watercolours  
1945-1960

Group of watercolours of circus tents and transport, including Fossett's,  
Rosaire, Reaneys, Reco Bros. Robert Bros., Chipperfields and Billy Smart,  
Pen and ink and watercolour,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.58** Kunstreiter und Gaukler (Equestrian and Jugglers) portfolio of  
prints  
1877-1881

Fold out portfolio containing circus themed lithographs mounted on green  
card with red text in German by Heinrich Lang, showing mainly acrobats,  
clowns and equestrian acts, some pages contain multiple studies, contains  
28 prints on 25 mounts,  
Published by Adolf Ackermann, Munchen, 1881  
320mm x 240mm mount  
224mm x 143mm print  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.59** Serge Panorama du Cirque portfolio of prints  
1944

Artist portfolio of circus prints by Serge Maurice Feaudierre, limited edi-  
tion of 1000, contains fold out pages with text in French, containing an  
introduction to the portfolio and circus with colour illustrations and 80  
loose monochrome lithographs themed around different circus focus areas  
such as caged animals, trapeze acts, clowning, equestrian acts, acrobatics,  
aerial acts, etc, signed in print, with title on bottom right corner,  
Lithograph on paper,  
Published by Arc en Ciel, Paris  
300mm x 244mm prints,  
318mm x 262mm x 30mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178V11.60** Bostock and Wombwell Medal Designs

No date

Designs for Bostock and Wombwell menagerie medals with lions in the centre in red and gold and blue and gold, watercolour on grey card with pencil border by Dance & Duerden medal manufacturers, Morley, Leeds, 83mm x 122mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**Various - 178Z50**

**178Z50.1** Hassan Ali envelope

1899

Brown envelope with text reading Hassan Ali, Egyptian Giant, Barnum and Bailey Show 1899,

185mm x 133mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.2** Cemetery receipt

1 October 1872

Blue receipt issued by Liverpool Parochial Cemetery, Walton, payment received from Mr. McDougall for the interment of William D. Rochez in envelope and small newspaper cutting,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.3** Theatre Royal envelope

No date

White envelope with purple type reading Theatre Royal, Haymarket and in ink and pencil 'Mrs Menken's Autograph', 'Adah Isaacs Menken 1835-1868 Eng echers',

124mm x 91mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.4** Views and Order of the Procession, Barnum and Bailey Show booklet

1899

Hard cover fold out booklet with red fabric spine and title printed on yellow paper and stuck to the front cover, containing eight monochrome views in red showing animals and carts parading with titles and order of the procession in the centre in red type for the Barnum and Bailey Show, 105mm x 155mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.5** Grande Cavalcade Illustrée du Grand Cirque Anglo Américain booklet

No date

Hard cover fold out booklet with green covers with black type on the front and the figure of a woman and of a man on horses on reverse and colour

illustrations of circus parade inside showing horses and riders in different costumes and themed carriages, signed T. C. Barlow, Glasgow,  
152mm x 96mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.6** Les Heraults d'Armes Cavalcade booklet

No date  
Hard cover green with white triangle pattern and blue spine, fold out booklet containing colour illustrations of a parade including horse riders, chefs, man riding a turkey, people in different costumes and themed carts and animals, signed L. Musso,  
202mm x 295mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.7** Hassan Ali memento

No date  
Hard cover booklet with red and black squares pattern and gold spine containing a black and white image of Hassa Ali, Egyptian Giant at 28 years of age,  
105mm x 155mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.8** Granby Halls Booking Form

1973  
Advertisement and booking form for Winter Spectacular Circus, Zoo and Fun Fair at Granby Halls, Leicester, 16 December to 7 January, Elbriarno, high wire, Mighty William, strongman, The Shetland Ponies and Baby Llamas, The Juggling Melvilles, Betty Blue's Doggy Revue, The Black Bears, Brewer the Kicking Mule, Sovereign the Palomino, Pawnee Joe, Betty James and Otaki and Co, western act, High Nonsense, Scats and Wee Willie, The Comancheros, bareback riders, 2 pages, lettering black and green, cover has black line illustrations of boughs of holly and a lion's head,  
103mm x 261mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.9** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus and Zoo Business Card

No date  
Blue type on off white background with monochrome equestrian scene in red on right hand side,  
116mm x 78mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.10** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus Ticket Booklet

No date

Booklet of circus tickets containing duplicate tickets from No.14215 to No.14299, first few tickets missing, black type on off white background and pink covers,

152mm x 100mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.11** Pinders Circus Ticket Booklets

No date

Booklet of circus tickets containing duplicate tickets from No.3201 to No.3299 with prices for reserved seats, black type on off white background and off white covers and booklet of free tickets containing duplicate tickets in red type,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.12** Broncho Bill and Bailey's Big Circus and Western Show Ticket

No date

Blue type on pink background with illustration of elephant holding a man by the head in its mouth and monkeys on the top of the scene's frame,

Printed by Moody Bros. Ltd, Printers, Birmingham,

127mm x 99mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.13** Sir Robert Fossett's Circus Ticket

No date

Half price ticket,

Colour illustration of circus acts including clowns, elephants, horses and man being shot out of a cannon around a small programme in the centre on a blue background,

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.14** Gerry Cottle's Circus Discount Voucher

No date

Discount vouchers for 25p for Gerry Cottle's Circus, blue type on blue background with darker blue border with stars and text,

100mm x 85mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.15** Gerry Cottle's Circus Discount Voucher

No date

Discount vouchers for 50p for Gerry Cottle's Circus, red type on white background with red border with stars, illustration of a 50p coin and text,

100mm x 85mm

Circus Friends Association Collection



- 178Z50.16** Cottle & Austen Circus Spectacular Ticket  
No date  
Guest ticket with black and blue illustration of clown's face and girl with feather head dress on the top section and black type on blue,  
90mm x 68mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.17** Gerry Cottle's Circus Half Price Vouchers  
No date  
Birmingham, Thursday 3 to Sunday 20 March,  
Blue and white type on white background with human cannon ball, location and prices on reverse,  
90mm x 205mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.18** The New Gerry Cottle Circus Christmas Card  
Circa 1983  
Ocean Park Hong Kong,  
Colour illustration of circus acts including a polar bear, leopard and panther on the front and a rocket on the background on a blue background, inside Christmas greetings message from Gerry and family,  
2p.p  
115mm x 173mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.19** Take 6 Circus Pamphlets Presentation Folder  
1977  
In Gerry Cottle's Big Top, Clapham Common, London, Wednesday 16 November,  
Silver card folder with red, black, blue and yellow type and small colour illustrations of trapeze act, elephant and animal tamer, empty inside, printers details on last page,  
2p.p  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.20** Gerry Cottle's Circus Sticker  
No date  
Window sticker showing colour illustration of smiling clown's face on a white background and red and yellow type with a blue border with white stars, oblong in shape,  
180mm x 140mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.21** Chicos Christmas Circus Ticket  
No date  
Colour photograph of clown holding a ring with the name of the circus inside it and circus acts in Christmas baubles on a red background with

green border with snow flakes,  
149mm x 68mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.22** Model Clowns

No date  
Models of different types of clown, including Charlie Cairoli, a tramp clown  
a white face clown and others, made out of clay and painted,  
About 170mm height  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.23** Bertram Mills Circus Jigsaw Puzzles

No date  
Four boxes of Bertram Mill's Circus scenes 200 piece jigsaw puzzles and a  
jigsaw puzzle glued onto a wooden board  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.24** Greeting Cards

No date  
Christmas cards and greeting cards with circus themes, some with hand  
written messages, one shows The Wallendas, a high wire act,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.25** L'Olympia Circus Tickets

1967  
Black type on cream background in French, contain brief hand written  
notes about location and date on reverse,  
139mm x 112mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.26** Group Ticket Postal Application Form

1969  
Ringling Bros and Barnum & Bailey Circus group application form for the  
99th season at Boston Garden on Tuesday 13 to Monday 26 May,  
Four fold form with colour illustration of tiger and man riding an elephant  
inside, colour photographs of acts with names written by hand in the centre  
and brief text and price of admission and booking form on reverse,  
219mm x 96mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.27** Circus Roncalli Merchandise Catalogue

No date  
Golden type and winged horse on blue backgroun on front cover, inside  
colour photographs of product with description in German and price and  
purchase form on back cover,  
6p.p

145mm x 276mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.28** Circus Friends Association material  
1935-1970

Invitations, menus and programmes, some autographed, from CFA rallies and reunions, also newspaper article about the 21st reunion and the Circus Friends Association book of rules and objects,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.29** Billy Merchant 'Little Billy' material  
1956-1958

The Not Forgotten Association Grand Christmas Party invitations from the Royal Family to war disabled ex-service men in hospital, taking place at the Royal Riding School, Buckingham Palace, green and red type on off white card with invitation details, two contain ivy leaves and bell illustrations on top section on the front and programme of entertainment on reverse, in which Billy Merchant 'Little Billy' features, one autographed and two photocopy and card sections of circus programmes, without the programme,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.30** Various documents belonging to Hans Brick

No date  
Three fold taxidermist catalogue with list of merchandise, illustrations, black and white photographs and prices, business cards including Has Brick's, a christmas pamphlet from French circuses to other circuses, a visitor's guide for Craigend Castle Zoological and Botanical Park, in English, French and German,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.31** Build your own Circus booklet

No date  
Cardboard booklet containing colour cut out circus images for assembly and image of two children playing with the built model on the front cover, in the centre a text by D. M. Priestly about the booklet and circus story and instructions for assembly on back cover,  
Printed in Sweden,  
13p.p  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.32** Giant Mobile Press Out booklet

No date  
Circus cut out mobile and and colouring images with instructions on reverse of front cover and story, cut out mobile in centre,

A Bancroft Activity book,  
10p.p  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.33** Jumbo's Circus Cut Out Models booklet

No date  
Colour cut out models of circus characters and animals on cloth lined board,  
2p.p  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.34** Dame Laura Knight related material

1965-1970  
Dame Laura Knight exhibition catalogues for the Royal Academy, Aquascutum and the Upper Grosvenor Galleries,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.35** Circus Themed Artwork relate material

1963-1975  
Art exhibition catalogues for Clifford Hall and Les Expositions D'ete au Palais des Beaux-Arts de Bruxelles, with list of artworks and some images, in French and English, postcards containing circus art images by various artists, including Dame Laura Knight and Picasso and two loose pages containing circus themed artworks and calendar page,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.36** Humberto Circus Pop Up booklet

No date  
Colour illustration of lion's head in a blue background on front cover and clown balancing two balls on back cover, inside a circus ring scene pops up when open with trapeze, equestrian, wild animals and clown amongst others,  
2p.p  
226mm x 320mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.37** Bertram Mills Circus Luncheon booklets

1931-1967  
Booklets containing decorative front cover often showing circus scenes and artwork containing several pages with fold out table plans, guest lists, also separate invitations and postcards with time table and location of shows,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.38** Bertram Mills Circus Greetings Cards

No date

Greetings cards with circus themed artwork,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.39** Bertram Mills Circus Booking Forms  
1953-1967

Booking forms with different designs with locations and times of performances and cards containing listing of towns to be visited by the circus addressed to different individuals,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.40** Bertram Mills Circus Tickets  
1952-1968

Circus tickets including two complementary tickets for the Royal Performance,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.41** The Parlour of Knowledge Tickets

No date  
Olympia Fun Fair, free horoscope reading tickets,  
Black type on off white background,  
105mm x 133mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.42** Book of Autographs

1936  
Pages from a book of autographs from performers at Bertram Mills Circus,  
Biro on blue paper,  
122mm x 98mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.43** Vista Screen 3D Viewer

No date  
Vista Screen 3D viewer and two boxes of Bertram Mills' circus views, all in original boxes,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.44** Bertram Mills Circus Press Passes

No date  
Round card badges with a red rearing horse and green type and red and white cord  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.45** Bertram Mills Circus Royal Box Marks

No date

One paper and one wooden oblong royal box marks with the letters, B and L below a crown,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.46** Christie's Catalogue

1967  
Catalogue of modern British drawings, prints, paintings and sculpture including the property of Bertram Mills Circus,  
Black type on yellow background cover and listing of items for auction inside,  
155mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.47** Memorial Service programme

1974  
Coco the Clown's memorial service at St. Paul's Cathedral programme,  
Black type on white background,  
Printed by Barnard & Westwood Ltd, 9 Railway Street, London,  
4p.p  
185mm x 248mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.48** Sunday Service programme

1952  
Sunday 22 June, Nottigham Forest, Goose Fair site,  
Great United Service in the Big Top of Bertram Mills' Circus,  
Printed by Keightly's Printers, 55a Sherwood Street, Nottingham,  
2p.p  
142mm x 223mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.49** Paintings Exhibition Pass

1936  
The Leger Galleries, Old Bond Street, Tuesday 8 December,  
Exhibition of Paintings 'The Circus' under the patronage of the Circus Fans' Association of Great Britain, to be opened by Bertram Mills,  
Black and red type on yellow card,  
140mm x 115mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.50** Book Advertising handbill

No date  
No Bars Between by Alex Kerr,  
Leaflet advertising the publication of book on training wild animals by animal trainer Alex Kerr at Bertram Mills circus,  
Black and white photograph of man kneeling down next to a laying down tiger on front with some text on bottom section, on reverse black type on

white background and purchase form,  
155mm x 200mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.51** Photocopies of Circus Drawings

No date  
Photocopies of circus drawings showing Bertram Mills circus tent, the  
stables and the ring,  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.52** Bertram Mills Circus stickers

No date  
Blue sticker with white and yellow type for Bertram Mills Circus and Fun  
Fair at Olympia and a three folding promotional table stand in blue with  
white type,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.53** Belle Vue Circus tickets

1981-1982  
Black type on pale pink background, tickets with perforated lines for tear-  
ing away,  
197mm x 70mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.54** Belle Vue Circus Centenary postcard

1935  
Manchester, Saturday 21 December,  
Red illustration of rearing horses on either side of a circle, which contains  
a laughing clown's face and red type below on off white card,  
90mm x 140mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.55** Belle Vue Circus booking forms

1949-1982  
Folding booking forms containing colour illustrations and black and white  
and colour photographs of acts and animals with time table of shows,  
menus, prices, details of other amenities and booking forms,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.56** Lord John Sanger's Circus & Menagerie cheque

1930  
Cheque payable to Mr Patron for £100 from Lord John Sanger,  
198mm x 110mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178Z50.57** Sanger Family material  
Circa 1899-1900s  
Remembrance and thank you cards and luncheon invitation  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.58** Clown cut-out  
No date  
Osterreichischer National Circus,  
Full clown figure with arms wide open, wearing a red and yellow stripey jacket, a black hat with a red feather and red and black trousers with information on the reverse in German,  
235mm x 305mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.59** Coopers Ltd catalogue for the sale of Bostock and Wombwell Transport Plant  
1931  
Old Sheep Market, Scotswood Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Monday 30 November,  
Black type on off white background with conditions of sale on front cover, listing of items for sale inside and company's advertising on back cover,  
2p.p  
144mm x 224mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.60** Model Circus  
Circa 1940s-1950s  
Led and ceramic figures of animal acts, parading performers and the public, some of them are sets on wooden bases such as chimpanzee tea party act, Hungarian acrobatic act and stilt parade with llamas, also seal act and elephant act, it contains other accessories such as two phone boxes, a revolving door, picket fence and tables,  
4 boxes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.61** The Big Circus comic book  
1959  
Comic book of the film by the same title with colour photograph of the cast on the front cover and colour illustrations with text inside,  
18p.p  
180mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178Z50.62** Jane on the Sawdust Trial comic book  
Circa 1940s  
Comic book with blue and red illustrations on a white background and text inside, published by the Daily Mirror,



Printed by Harrison & Sons, Ltd., Hayes Middlesex and High Wycombe,  
16p.p  
215mm x 245mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.63** Children's Circus books

No date

Various children's circus books including The Children's Circus Book, The Circus ABC, Circus Friends counting book and Tony and the Circus Boy, which is a pop-up book, all containing colour illustrations and text

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.64** Billy Smart's Circus material

1948-1969

Items related to Billy Smart's Circus including official news releases, tickets, Billy Smart's funeral programme, booklet on Banff Indian Days, booking forms, novelty circus items, Thames TV invites and stickers,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.65** Chipperfield's Circus material

No date

Items related to Chipperfield Circus including a clown's mask, a book mark and two half price vouchers,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.66** Robert Brothers Circus material

1969-1984

Items related to Robert Brothers Circus including tickets, booking forms, horse fact sheet and a business card,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178Z50.67** Blackpool Tower Circus material

1962-1988

Items related to Blackpool Tower Circus including booking forms and an autographed photograph holder menu,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

## **Monographs, Articles, Manuscripts and Research Material - 178B30**

**178B30.1** Circus research material

1872-1917

Photocopies of programmes from the London Hippodrome, the National Amphitheatre, Hengler's Circus, Olympia and other UK circuses, also photocopies of newspaper cuttings, ordnance survey, photographs of performers and posters,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.2** Various manuscripts

1887-1899

Documents include lists of circuses and acts, description of scene and list of towns and remarks,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.3** Smart circus research material

No date

Two colour photocopies of Smart circus posters, one for Newport 1952

296mm x 420mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.4** Robert Brothers circus research material

1948-1967

Black and white and colour photocopies of Robert Brothers circus posters, programmes and newspaper cuttings,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.5** Bertram Mills circus research material

No date

Two colour photocopies of Bertram Mills circus posters,

296mm x 420mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.6** Fossett's circus research material

No date

Two colour photocopies of Fossett's circus posters,

296mm x 420mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.7** Various Circus research material

No date

Seven colour photocopies of circus posters, one for Barrett's Circus and Zoo at Amlwch divided into three pages, one for Chapman's Great London Circus, three that do not name a specific circus,

All items approximately 298mm x 422

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.8** British Isles Circus research material

1900-1988

Notebooks containing listings of British circuses, their programmes and descriptions of the acts and newspaper cuttings, created by D. H. Thomas (Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas)),  
Manuscript,  
180mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.9** The History of The Great Yarmouth Hippodrome research material

No date  
Photocopies of typescript compiled by H. T. G. Tinkler and some photocopies of circus programmes, taken from a copy in the collection of Malcolm S. Clay,  
Multiple pages  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.10** Overseas Circus research material

1900-1987  
Notebooks containing listings of overseas circuses, their programmes and descriptions of the acts and newspaper cuttings, created by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Manuscript,  
180mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.11** Translations of French articles on circus acts, research material

1951-1968  
Notebooks containing research and articles on circus acts written by Raoul Monbar, Henry Thetard, H.J. Lissien, Tristan Remy, H Cazier, Robert Mulle, J. Baudez, Michael Louis, Jacques Garnier, Pierre Couderc and Alfred Court, translated by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas) from French to English,  
Titles include: 'Circus Families, Directors, Dynasties, Personalities', 'The Ricono', 'Les Merveilleuse Histoire du Cirque', 'Les Clowns', 'Voltage Riding', 'The Cairolis Troupe', 'Haute Ecole', 'Circus Specialities', 'Circus in Belgium' and articles from Le Cirque dans L'Univers,  
Typescript and manuscript,  
180mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.12** Research on Foreign Circuses, research material

1931-1954  
Notebooks containing articles on foreign circuses and lists of circuses with acts by county, including Australia and New Zealand, Finland and Norway, South Africa, America, Belgium and Holland, Eastern Europe, France, Italy and Switzerland, Denmark and Germany by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),

Manuscript,  
180mm x 230mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.13** Research on Circus Dynasties, research material

No date  
Notebooks on Continental and non-European circus dynasties containing family trees and some biographical information by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Manuscript,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.14** A Directory of Circus Proprietors, research material

1800-1947  
Directory of circus proprietors by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas) with dates and notes,  
Manuscript,  
80mm x 180mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.15** A-Z of Circus Performers, research material

No date  
A-Z of circus performers containing act names, family names, type of acts and individual performers names by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Manuscript,  
88mm x 210mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.16** The White Tops Index, research material

1933-1961  
Article and listing of white tops, includes a booklet and loose pages by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Manuscript,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.17** Circus Family Trees and Brief History, research material

No date  
Booklets containing family trees and biographical information by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas), in English and French,  
Manuscript,  
165mm x 208mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.18** Circus Lists, research material

1938-1951

Booklets containing lists of British and European circuses, brief descriptions and lists of their acts, also contain newspaper cuttings, 1938 booklet contains loose pages by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Typescript,  
185mm x 233mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.19** Various Loose Pieces of Research Material

No date  
Bundle of notebook pages, loose pages and newspaper cuttings on various circus topics and some correspondence,  
Manuscript and typescript by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.20** Circus Facts and Acts Notebooks, research material

1795-1899  
Notebooks containing circus facts and notes on performers from international circuses, some booklets are empty by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Manuscript,  
180mm x 228mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.21** Circus Acts Notebooks, research material

No date  
Notebooks describing circus acts, include diagrams and drawings of routines on acrobatic, equestrian, animal, high wire, horizontal bars, juggling, trapeze, clowning, aerial acts, Illusionists in the Circus Ring and others by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Manuscript,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.22** Essays on Various Topics, research material

No date  
Booklets containing essays on international circus families by Gill Robinson, Circus Lore, a booklet about circus personalities' fortunes left upon death entitled Circus Fortunes, a booklet containing notes, letters and drawings entitled Odds and Ends, 5 booklets with information crossed out, 2 notebooks with notes and sketches, article entitled Well, How Many, The Permanent Circuses of England, The Old Time Circus Buildings and Structures of the British Isles, all by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas), transcription of clown entree Dead and Alive, Random Notes on the History of Early American Circus by R. W. G. Vail,  
Manuscript and typescript,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178B30.23** Circus Programmes, research material  
1920-1960  
Compilation of British circus programmes in locations around the UK,  
Typescript and manuscript,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178B30.24** Charts of Circus Performances, research material  
1940-1984  
Charts of circus and performers appearances,  
Manuscript,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178B30.25** Big Top Backyard: Saga of a Decade in Circus, research material  
No date  
Light hearted autobiographical monograph on the intricacies of the travelling circus life with dissertations on education, superstitions, business matters, performing animal issues and others by Kit Francis,  
Typescript,  
317p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178B30.26** Directories of Circus Acts, research material  
No date  
Directories of circus acts, including one on tamers and trainers and other short essays, also includes some newspaper cuttings,  
Manuscript,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178B30.27** Performers Directory and other Research Material  
1900-1973  
A collection of newspaper cuttings on circuses history 'The A, B, C, of the Show', a directory of circus performers and other essays and research including programmes and information about performers amongst others by Hal Thomas (David Harold Thomas),  
Manuscript and typewrite,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178B30.28** The Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth monograph  
No date  
History and uses of the Hippodrome and the acts appearing in it, a well as details of George Gilbert's temporary circus building in Great Yarmouth and winter circus seasons at the Agricultural Hall, 1893-1954, Norwich by H.T.G. Tinkler, bound volume in brown leather and fabric covers with

gold lettering on spine,  
Typescript,  
Approx. 300p.p  
210mm x 336mm x 53mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.29** Research on International Circuses

No date

Various pieces of research conducted by Hal Thomas and other authors, entitled; 'A Century of Circuses in Switzerland, 'Vocabulary and Translation, De Piste', 'Cirque Olympique', 'Les Ecuyeres', 'French Circus, Dynasties', 'The Permanent Circuses of the Provinces of France, 'Le Cirque D'Hiver', 'Index to articles in Le Cirque dans L'Univers', 'Liberty Horses', 'The Travelling Circus', 'U.S.A. Circus Biographies', 'Animals and Men', 'America Railroad Circuses', 'U.S.A. Motorised Circuses', 'Sweden', 'The Circus Overseas', 'Overseas', 'Who was the First' and various loose pieces of research,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.30** Articles written by Hans Brick

No date

Article about Habibi the lion and monograph on wild animals by Hans Brick, Circus Animal Trainer and Performer,

Typescript,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.31** Circus Friends Association Bulletins

1949-1965

Folder containing news, lists of members, events, reviews and programme details of British and foreign circuses amongst others, some edited by Stan Bult and some issued by R. Hawksbee

Typescript,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.32** Tomorrow's Town manuscripts

No date

A collection of circus poems by Zahrat, including poems about Chipperfields, Duffy's and Fossett Bros.,

Typescript and manuscript,

205mm x 255mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.33** Edinburgh Theatres, Cinemas and Circuses 1820-1963

1964

Monograph by George Baird,

Typescript,  
526p.p  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.34** Programme lists  
1939-1944  
Hand written programmes taken from Belle Vue scrapbooks in auction in  
2007  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.35** Sanger Family research material  
No date  
Includes a route booklet by R. Archer for the George Sanger's Grand Cir-  
cus and Menagerie tour of Europe in 1878 and photocopies of programmes,  
photographs, newspaper cuttings, a letter and a Sanger family tree  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178B30.36** The Great Carmo Circus research material  
No date  
Photocopies and letter related to The Great Carmo Circus  
A4  
Circus Friends Association Collection

## Films - 178D13

**178D13.1** Bertram Mills, The Circus that Travelled by Train  
A Pictorial Celebration of 'The Quality Show'  
2007  
CD  
CD-ROM  
David Jamison  
AARDVARK publishing  
Circus  
Original circus images from Bertram Mill's circus from the 1920s to 1967  
narrated by David Jamison  
  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.2** The Cairoli Family Circus, Chipperfields Circus film  
Circa 1950s  
DVD,  
BBC1, Chipperfield Advance Film Unit  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD 1 assorted clips of the Cairoli family circus acts including bareback  
riding, gymnastics and clowning, behind the scenes clips, circus scenes in



French and narration about the 'white face clown' in English, narrated in German tv broadcast. BBC 1 programme on Robert Brothers Circus, narrated in English, showing circus scenes, performers and animals, 01:27:01 mins,

DVD 2 Black and white footage of Chipperfields Circus and Menagerie, tenting tour 1951 and Chipperfield Circus on the Road 1956 and Chipperfield Tenting Tour 1959 documentaries, from Jim Stockley's private archive, including circus arriving and setting up and circus acts including The Golden Palominos and Fiery Jack introduced by John L. Chipperfield and animal acts such as elephants, polar bears, lions and tigers, no narration, presented on a classical music background, 01:01:52 mins

France, Salzburg (Austria), England

Circus,

2 discs

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.3** Chinese Circus, Cirque du Soleil, Quidan, Australian National Circus, Louie Knie, Circus Hinter den Kulissen film

1997-2000

DVD,

ARTE TV, ProSieven, IS TV Interspot Film

Colour and black and white, sound, background music,

DVD 1 assorted clips of the Shengyan New Chinese Circus performing acts including balancing, acrobatics, clowning, aerial and contortionist acts, also behind the scenes circus life and scenes in China, narrated in German, tv programme by Pierre Fournier Bidoz and Dominique Mauclair for Arte TV 1999. Cirque du Soleil performing 'Quidan' including aerial acts, clowning, juggling and singing in French, by ProSieven, Germany in 2000, followed by English tv clip on a political debate 02:45:18 mins,

DVD 2 Osterreichischer National Circus presented by Louis Knie 1997 tv broadcast, containing narration by Louis Knie, circus acts and behind the scenes and rehearsal clips of animals and performers, narrated in German, also early black and white circus scenes, 0:47:43 mins,

China, Germany,

Circus,

2 discs

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.4** Circus Roncalli First 15 Years,

Cirque du Soleil 'Saltimbanco' film

1991-1994

DVD,

WDR, VCI (Video Collection International), Les Productions Telemagik, Colour, sound, background music,

DVD 1 'The Trip to the Rainbow' documentary, narrated in German covering the 15th anniversary performance of Circus Roncalli and interviews, produced by WDR 1991, 01:31:28 mins

Cirque du Soleil performing 'Saltimbanco', 1994, tv broadcast, 01:20:13 mins,  
Canada,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.5** Circus Life No. 3, Whirlings, Circus, Vintage Thrill Makers 'Circus Edition' film  
1927-1980s  
DVD,  
Vintage Video Productions, Peak Film Productions,  
Colour and black and white, sound, background music,  
DVD 1 'I Want to be a Lion Tamer', documentary narrated in English by Zac Radcliffe who talk about life in Whirlings circus, shows the circus travelling, setting up, acts in the ring and back stage scenes 1980s, 'Here's the Circus' documentary, scenes in black and white, narrated in English, 1950s-1960s, 'American Circus Life Vol 2', black and white scenes of circus performers, 'Vintage Thrill Makers', showing car stunts, narrated in English 1950s-1960s, 'Bertram Mills Circus, Olympia season 1957', narrated in English, 'Circus Today 1927', black and white, mute, comedy clips of circus stunts with modern soundtrack, 'Living Dangerously' black and white footage of daredevil acts narrated in English, showing children performers, knife throwing, aerial acrobatics, 01:01:59 mins,  
DVD 2 'Vintage Thrill Makers' black and white footage narrated in English showing car and plane stunts, high wire act, wall of death, human cannon balls, 1960s, Bertram Mills Circus, Olympia season 1957, including performing seals and equestrian acts, 'A Water Carnival with Coco, Huxter and Michael' clowning act and 'Elephant Ballet', scenes from 'Dan and Dusty: Tow Ageing Juvenile Delinquents' black and white, mute comedy, 0:45:47 mins,  
America, England,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.6** Inside Circus Krone, Inside the Soviet Circus film  
1988-2000  
DVD,  
Stylus Video, The National Geographic Society and WQED Pittsburgh,  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD 1 Behind the scenes documentary at Circus Krone, edition 2000, a film by David Riemer, narrated in German showing setting up of the circus, interviews, rehearsals, build up work and marketing work, circus acts with international celebrities and Status Quo concert 0:44:34 mins,  
DVD 2 National Geographic Society Special documentary 'Inside the Soviet Circus' 1988, look at the circus in communist Russia, narrated in

English by Theodore Bikel, contains introduction to the history of Russian National Circus, behind the scenes footage, rehearsals and training and circus scenes, 01:01:20 mins,  
Germany, Russia,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.7** Pierino and Olga, Circus Roncalli Xmas 2000, Circus Barum, Circus Krone-Festival Highlights film  
2000-2001  
DVD,  
3 Sat TV, MDR TV, N3 TV  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD 1 Setting up Circus Krone, behind the scenes with Olga and Pierino circus performers and their animals, narrated in German, documentary for 3 Sat TV, Germany, a film by Stella Tinbergen and Gisela Tuchtenhagen. Different Roncalli circus acts in the ring tv programme for MDR TV, Germany. Different Barum circus acts in the ring narrated in German, including white tiger act and training and other act rehearsals and behind the scenes clips, also interview with ringmaster, 02:31:10 mins  
DVD 2 Circus Krone Festival highlights tv broadcast, 0:31:35 mins  
Germany,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.8** Cirque du Soleil, Gandey - The Early Days, Four Towns and a Circus, Wild at Heart, 12th Monte Carlo Circus Festival, Trapeze film  
1956-1994  
DVD,  
Channel 4, Les Productions Fildefer Ink, Granada Production, Polivideo,  
Colour and black and white, sound, background music,  
DVD1 Cirque du Soleil 1988, tv broadcast narrated in English, contains commercial advertising, clip from Bandits of the Rio Grande, Night Time programme, 'About Britain' documentary series on Gandey's Circus entitled 'This England, Little Big Top' 1960s showing behind the scenes footage, setting up the circus, interviews and circus scenes, 'Four Towns and a Circus' documentary about Chipperfield Circus narrated in English by Clive Bull, containing interviews, acts, behind the scenes footage and demonstration against animal cruelty, American film at the end commercial advertising and news, 03:03:38 mins,  
DVD 2, The 12th International Circus Festival of Monte Carlo with commentary by Gerry Cottle TTTV documentary 1987 showing circus acts, 'Trapeze' Hollivood film, ends with News Night, 02:51:03 mins,  
England, Monte Carlo, America,  
Circus,

2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.9** Circus Krone, Circus Knie, 7th Massy Festival, 24th Monte Carlo  
Circus Festival film  
1999-2002  
DVD,  
SAT1 TV, 3SAT TV, MDR TV,  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD1 documentary about Circus Krone showing behind the scenes footage,  
interviews, performers and acts, build up and take down of the circus and  
circus children in school, narrated in German, Knie Circus documentary  
narrated in German, showing behind the scenes footage of animal act re-  
hersals, performers and general workers, taking down the circus and on  
the road, commercial advertising, American TV sitcom, 03:04:24 mins,  
DVD2 7th International Circus Massy, tv broadcast narrated in German,  
showing circus acts including animal acts, acrobats and aerial acts, 24th  
Monte Carlo Circus Festival, tv broadcast showing circus acts including  
clowns, animal acts, trapeze act, equilibrists acts, etc narrated in German  
and 2nd part of Circus Knie documentary, showing behind the scenes  
footage, including a camel giving birth and interviews, 02:58:06 mins,  
Germany,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.10** Circus Roncalli First 15 Years,  
Circus Merano, Cirque du Soleil, Archaos: A Circus Spectacular film  
1985-1991  
DVD,  
WDR, Channel 4,  
Colour and black and white, sound, background music,  
DVD1 'The Trip to the Rainbow' 15 Years, Circus Roncalli 1991 tv broad-  
cast, narrated in German, showing circus acts including clowning, acro-  
batics, juggling, etc, Circus Merano tv broadcast, narrated in Swedish?,  
showing circus acts, 02:00:21 mins,  
DVD2 Cirque du Soleil 'Nouvelle Experience' tv broadcast showing con-  
torsionists, clowns, acrobats, etc, commercial advertising, Circus Archaos  
tv broadcast, The Last Show on Earth, Melbourne, Paris, London, 25  
April 1990, showing aerial acts, motorbike and bicycle tricks, clowning,  
etc and commercial advertising, 02:35:32 mins,  
Germany, Sweden?, England,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.11** 3 Ring Circus, Caroli Family, Busch Roland, Cirque Jean Richard,

Freida Semback Krone Circus film  
1954-1982  
DVD,  
Paramount Pictures, BR/SRG, 1Plus,  
Colour and black and white, sound, background music,  
DVD1 3 Ring Circus film starring Jerry Lewis and Dean Martin 1954,  
BBC2 programming 01:57:10 mins,  
DVD2 'Die Caroli Familie' documentary narrated in German, showing the  
Caroli family acts from Circus Krone and interviews, dialogues in Italian,  
Cirque Jean Richard, narrated in French, showing a birthday celebration,  
circus acts, circus children in school, rehearsals, animal acts, Cossacks,  
etc, international production entitled 'Cirques du Monde', documentary  
about Freida Semback Krone 1963, narrated in German, including circus  
acts and interviews, 02:00:21 mins,  
America, Germany, France,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.12** 16th Monte Carlo Circus Festival, Cicus Maximum, Circus Krone  
film  
1991-1996  
DVD,  
Cates Films (BR, ORF, Telmondis, WKP), BR TV, 1ARD TV, Bay-  
erischen Rundfunks (ORF, SF, DRS)  
Colour and black and white, sound, background music,  
DVD1 16th Monte Carlo Circus Festival 1992, tv broadcast narrated in  
German, showing circus acts and some behind the scenes footage with in-  
terviews, Circus Maximum documentary showing the build up, narrated  
in Swedish, showing circus acts and interviews, 02:00:21 mins,  
DVD2 Circus Krone tv broadcast, showing circus act, build up and inter-  
views, narrated in German, 1996, 02:30:56 mins,  
Monte Carlo, Sweden, Germany,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.13** Circus Krone, Jumbo film  
1984  
DVD,  
Bayerischen Rundfunks, Metro Goldwyn Mayer  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD1 Circus Krone tv broadcast, showing circus acts and animal acts,  
narrated in German, 1984, 'Stars in der Manege' Circus Krone tv broad-  
cast, gala in favour of old artiste and journalists in Circus Kronen, narrated  
in German, 02:00:21 mins,  
DVD2 Billy Rose's Jumbo film starring Doris Day, Stephen Boyd, Jimmy

Durante and Martha Raye, 02:12:19 mins,  
Germany, America,  
Circus,  
2discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.14** The Magnificent Showman, Cirque du Soleil, Ken Dodd film  
1964-1990  
DVD,  
Bronston Studios, Telemagik Productions Inc., Thames Television Plc,  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD1 The Magnificent Showman starring Claudia Cardinale, John Wayne  
and Rita Hayworth, 02:11:51 mins,  
DVD2 Cirque du Soleil tv broadcast 1989, Ken Dodd at the London Pal-  
ladium 1990 tv broadcast, includes other acts, a Thames Television pro-  
duction for ITV, other TV programmes at the end, 02:29:21 mins,  
America, England,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.15** Chipperfield Circus in South Africa, Circus of Horrors film  
Circa 1960s  
DVD,  
Lynx Films Limited,  
Colour and black and white, silent,  
DVD1 footage of ship arriving at a port and circus, home made movie,  
original probably 8 or 16 mm, 00:48:58 mins,  
DVD2 'Circus of Horrors' commercial film, starring stars Anton Diffring,  
Yvonne Monlaur and Erika Remberg, 01:35:30 mins,  
South Africa, England,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.16** 23 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain, 21 Zirjusfestival, Zirkus  
van Morgen, Cirque du Demain, Stars in der Manege, Cirkus Krone film  
1998-2002  
DVD,  
ARTE TV, WDR, Progam 33, 1ARD TV,  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD1 23 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain, Paris 2002, tv broadcast  
narrated in German, showing circus acts and interviews as well as behind  
the scenes footage, also advertising and TV programming at the end,  
01:22:07 mins,  
DVD2 21 Zirkusfestival Paris, Zirkus von Morgen, Cirque Demain 1988,  
tv broadcast narrated in German, showing the circus festival acts, Stars

in der Manege, Cirkus Krone, Munich, showing circus acts and celebrities,  
presented in German, 02:46:35 mins,  
France, Germany,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.17** Circus Knie, Chinese Circus, Rivalen der Manege, 23 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain, Magie, Melo et Music-Hall 'What a Wonderful World', Cirque de Soleil film  
1987-2002  
DVD,  
School TV, Corona Filmproduktion, ARTE, Cirque de Soleil Images inc and Serpents Film Production,  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD1 Franco Knie documentary contains interviews, behind the scenes footage, circus build up and show, narrated in German tv broadcast, Rivalen der Manege circus film in German, 02:05:28 mins,  
DVD2 23 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain, Magie, Melo et Music-Hall 'What a Wonderful World' tv broadcast with Cirque d'Hiver narrated in German 2002-2003, Cirque de Soleil 'Alegria' 02:52:08 mins,  
Germany,  
Circus,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.18** Cyril Bertram Mills-This is Your Life, Paul Daniels, Circus Circus, The Circus, Circus Moves on in Calabria, 24 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain, Gypsy et Maud  
1974-2003  
DVD,  
Thames Television Plc, ITV, TWO, ARTE France Telmondis, Les Poissons Volants Neyrac Films,  
Colour and black and white, sound, background music,  
DVD1 Cyril Bertram Mills on This is Your Life, tv programme 1989 showing interviews and modern and vintage footage including the Royal Performance, Paul Daniels presenting a variety tv programme, including comedy, strong men and skating acts, followed by news programme, Circus Circus tv documentary on circus narrated by Wendy Richards, showing Gerry Cottle's circus acts and interviews, street circus scenes and interviews, Archaos Circus acts, The Circus Moves on in Calabria documentary for BBC part of The World About Us series, narrated in Italian and English by the Belucci family, showing Circo Technicolour behind the scenes footage performances and interviews as well as a funeral parade 1974, also comedy, musical variety act and children's tv programme at the end, 02:08:21 mins,  
DVD2 24 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain with Cirque d'Hiver

Bouglione 2003, narrated in German, TV documentary showing behind the scenes footage and circus performances including juggling, clowning, acrobatics, aerial acts, equilibrists, etc and some interviews in French and dialogues in Chinese, Gypsy et Maud, French documentary on Le Cirque National Alexis Gruss, narrated in French and subtitled in German, containing early black and white footage, interviews, behind the scenes footage, rehearsals and performances, 02:09:37 mins, England, Italy, Germany, France, Circus, variety, 2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.19** Moscow State Circus, That's Entertaining, Gerry Cottle Circus, Chinese Circus, 20th Circus Festival, Cirque de Main 1988-1997  
DVD,  
A BBC TV production in association with the Entertainment Corporation, Channel 4, BBC Scotland Hand Pict Productions, WDR, Telmondis, France 3,  
Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD1 Moscow State Circus from Battersea Park, London, introduced by David Hibling, contains narration by Charles Nove, circus acts including equestrian, acrobatics, trapeze and comedy, interviews with circus performers in Russian with subtitles in English 1988, followed by That's Entertaining documentary on Gerry Cottle's Circus presented and narrated by Richard Cawley, showing circus acts in the ring and behind the scenes footage, contains interviews with circus staff and a party in the circus 1990, followed by scenes from a Chinese Circus showing circus acts and rehearsals narrated by the performers and translated into English, the show includes acrobatics, plate spinning, comedy, a Chinese dragon and gymnastics and has a Chinese music sound track 1992, 2:20:53 mins,  
DVD2  
Colour, sound, background music  
20 Zircusfestival, Paris, Zircus Von Morgen presented by Dagmar Berghoff in German, showing a range of different circuses and circus acts including acrobatics, aerial acts, juggling, gymnastics, Chinese circus, clowning, contorsionism and interviews with some of the performers, followed by tv documentary and ice skating scene from a German musical film and British tv, 3:22:47 mins,  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178D13.20** Stars in der Manege, Cirque d'Hiver Bouglione, 22nd Paris Circus Festival, 25th Monte Carlo Circus Festival 2001  
DVD  
WDR, Ein Produktion des BR, Telmondis, Josette Affergan, France 3



Colour, sound, background music,  
DVD1 Stars in der Manege, opening with Circus Krone and Circus Roncali scenes including acrobatics, aerial acts, the wheel of death, comedy acts, seal act, zebra act, elephants, equestrian act, trapeze act, narrated and presented in German, followed by the 22nd Paris Circus Festival featuring Cirque d'Hiver Bouglione and Zircus Von Morgen, showing animal acts, acrobatics, high wire, aerial acts, Chinese troupe, narrated in German, some German tv at the end, 2:51:59 mins,  
DVD2  
2 discs  
Circus Friends Association Collection

## Trade and Advertising Material - 178I22

### 178I22.1 Gerry Cottle's Circus Pamphlet

No date  
Three fold pamphlet containing black and white photographs and various essays about Gerry Cottle's circus, the site of the circus, safety and comfort, animals and noise and nuisance,  
105mm x 215mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178I22.2 Business Advertising Card

No date  
Nicky B juggler advertising card, red type and illustration of a male juggler with rings on white background,  
108mm x 150mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178I22.3 The Circus of Horrors, The Evolution Brochure

No date  
Colour photograph of a female aerial act wearing a white outfit with red stains on the chest hanging upside down over a red background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of the acts and performers with text, circus merchandise on the last page and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
210mm x 298mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

### 178I22.4 The Circus of Horrors Brochure

No date  
Colour cartoon illustrations of circus performers with name on scroll around a larger figure in the centre in red, black and off white colours, on black background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of the acts and performers with text, circus merchandise on the last page

and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
210mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.5** Gerry Cottle's Circus Tour List

1978-1979  
Photocopy of map of Britian with reference numbers and key of locations  
of circus performances,  
213mm x 300mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.7** The Marcellos and The Verianos Aerial Acts advertising pamphlet

No date  
Pamphlet advertising swaying pole, suspended chair and outdoor high wire  
acts by The Marcellos and The Verianos,  
Blue and white photographs and blue type on off white background with  
text describing the acts and booking details on reverse,  
2p.p  
157mm x 206mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.8** Van Buren Magic Act advertising material

No date  
Colour photographs and illustrations of man in black tail suit, showgirls  
and different magic acts, including a man riding a motorbike and a woman  
riding a motorbike out of a box on red background with yellow stars  
pamphlet and 2p.p black and white pamphlet with photographs and text  
including a photograph of the perfomers with the Duke of Edinburgh on  
the back cover,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.9** Henri La Mothe Diving Act advertising material

1972  
A two fold pamphlet showing black and white newspaper articles from  
various newspapers in New Zealand about Henri La Mothe, the only man  
in the world to dive 40 feet into 16 inches of water and appearance at  
the Easter Show and a four fold pamphlet showing bown and white pho-  
tographs of La Mothe performing and with the audience with text in  
Japanese as well as newspaper articles in Japanese and English, a five fold  
pamphlet in blue and green with photographs of the act and text and a  
2 p.p pamphlet containing black and white photographs of the act with  
text and sequence of the setting up of the act,  
Various sizes  
Circus Friends Association Collection

- 178I22.10** Elleano Troupe Aerial Act advertising pamphlet  
1962  
Brown and off white photographs of aerial acts showing Charles Elleano, Armando Elleano, Les Elleanos and Armando et Josepho performing different aerial acts on the high wire with text in French,  
2p.p  
210mm x 276mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178I22.11** 2 Rosinas Balancing Act advertising pamphlet  
No date  
Grey illustration of a question mark with a scroll border on the front page, inside black and white photograph of man and woman performing a balancing act and text, and booking details on reverse,  
2p.p  
135mm x 172mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178I22.12** Bailey's Circus advertising pamphlet  
No date  
Four black and white photographs of circus acts on front cover and red and black type, inside list of available acts and other details on back cover,  
2p.p  
153mm x 190mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178I22.13** Leone and Tarnyia Trapeze and Swaypole Act advertising pamphlet  
Circa 1960s  
Black and white portrait of the act in circle on top right corner and photographs of the acts on a pink background on the front cover and black and green type, inside black and white photographs and text, including list of past engagement venues, further information on back cover,  
2p.p  
190mm x 227mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178I22.14** The Aerial Falcons, Trick Cycling Act advertising pamphlet  
No date  
Black and blue illustration of the act with blue and black type on off white background on front cover, inside black and white photographs, some illustrations in blue and text in black,  
4p.p  
145mm x 225mm  
Circus Friends Association Collection
- 178I22.15** The Amazing Derricos Aerial Act advertising pamphlet  
No date  
Blue and white photograph of high wire act and red and blue text on

white background on front cover, inside and on back cover blue and white photographs showing a variety of tricks, text in red and blue and contact details,

2p.p

193mm x 256mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.16** Endresz Brothers Aerial Act advertising pamphlet

No date

Red and white photograph of the performers in mid-air on the front cover, inside red type and photographs of Maureen Frances and the Endresz Brothers performing and photograph on back cover,

2p.p

128mm x 200mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.17** Garry & Ernie Noe-Noe Comedy Act advertising pamphlet

No date

Three fold pamphlet with black and white photograph of the act playing a saxophone on the front cover and black and white photographs of the artistes performing different tricks inside and text,

92mm x 212mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.18** Oaer Nonob Russian Clowning Act advertising pamphlet

No date

Black and white photograph of man wearing a cheff's hat on the front cover with white type on red background and colour and black and white photographs of performance scenes with text in Russian inside,

98mm x 217mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.19** Igor Gridneff Ladder Balancing Act advertising pamphlet

No date

Red type on green card on the covers, inside black and white photographs of the artiste performing different tricks and text,

4p.p

142mm x 215mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.20** Carlos Macmanus Animal Trainer business card

No date

Red, blue and black type and black and white illustrations of horse and elephant running with hand written not addressed to Linsay Temple on reverse,

85mm x 55mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.21** trade and advertising material

No date

Includes a three fold programme for the 6th season with brown and white photographs of performers and information as well as programme and commercial advertising, a three page press release, a simple A4 black and white poster and information related to Rogana equilibrist act, including an A4 Monte Carlo Sporting Club poster,

Various sizes

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.22** The Fearless Bauers Aerial Act advertising material

No date

Plastic folder containing information about the act, black and white photographs in plastic sleeves of some of their tricks and list of past performing venues and loose photocopy of 1930s Proctor's Royal Circus show,

9p.p

A4

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.23** Gunga-Din Strong Man advertising card

No date

Black and white photograph of man laying on his back and lifting 10 men on a plank with his legs,

155mm x 85mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.24** Arthur Vercoe Pedlar Clown, advertising card

No date

Black and white photograph of performer in various poses and text on front and reverse,

87mm x 140mm

Circus Friends Association Collection

**178I22.25** Bertram Mills Circus, Menagerie and Fun Fair Advertising booklets and cards

1920s-1960s

A range of booklets with different designs containing several pages with mainly black and white photographs of performers and acts, time tables of performances and booking information for shows at Olympia, Manchester, Hastings, Lincoln, Liverpool and York,

Various sizes

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**178I22.26** Belle Vue Circus Bulletins

1936-1956

Various bulletings produced by Belle Vue,

Black and white photographs of performers and acts with news and reports about Belle Vue and comic strips including Belle Vue Bulletin, Belle Vue

Circus Fun and International Circus News,  
Various sizes  
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**178I22.27** Blackpool Tower Circus Souvenir Brouchures

No date  
Brouchures containing promotional colour and black and white photographs of acts, Blackpool scenes and performers with text, one of them produced for the 101 anniversary of Blackpool Tower and another for The Adventures of Sinbad, Christmas pantomime,  
Various sizes  
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**178I22.28** Bertram Mills Circus Mirror publication

No date  
Second, third and special edition of the a publication by Bertram Mills circus about the circus, colour illustrations on front cover, inside they contain black and white illustrations of acts and performers and articles,  
A4  
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**178I22.29** The Great Carmo Circus advertising material

No date  
Advertising material including a booking card for Rita Carmo, two issues of The Carmo Courier and promotional magazine about Cramo's Colossal Circus in Blackpool, with black and white photographs and descriptions of acts,  
Various sizes  
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**178I22.30** Cirque Surreal souvenir brochure

2007  
Gandey productions, Cirque Surreal Voyagers,  
Colour photographs of acts in a compass with a a photograph of eart in the centre on a blue starry background on the front cover, inside introduction, colour photographs of acts with text and commercial advertising,  
Designed and Produced by Avalanche Creative Limited,  
8p.p  
248mm x 347mm  
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**178I22.31** Billy Smart's Circus brochure

No date  
Colour illustration of pierrot wearing colourful diamond pattern trousers on the front cover, inside black and white and colour photographs and text containing history and acts, also contains commercial advertising,  
10p.p

213mm x 300mm  
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**178I22.32** Great Yarmouth Hippodrome handbill

No date  
23 June for the season,  
Colour illustration of laughing clown's face on top left corner and showgirl in bikini seating on an elephant's head on centre right, over a blue background and yellow, red and black type on top section, on bottom section booking form and the hilarious Grumbleweed and other acts on reverse with colour photographs,  
142mm x 215mm  
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**178I22.33** Chipperfield's Circus advertising material

Circa 1980s  
Various items including a souvenir brochure and a Christmas season promotional booklet,  
212mm x 300mm  
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**178I22.34** Robert Brothers Souvenir Brochure

No date  
Colour illustrations of circus acts along the left hand side and colour photograph of circus ring with four elephants performing in the centre on the front cover, inside introduction to the history of Robert Brothers Circus, black and white and colour photographs of family members with short articles and some celebrities, also commercial advertising,  
8p.p  
212mm x 298mm  
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**178I22.35** The Circus of Horrors Official Tour Brochure

No date  
Black and white illustration of a Dr Haze's face sticking his tongue out and wearing a hat on the front cover, he has red snake like eyes on a black and red background, inside introduction, colour and black and white photographs of acts and performers and text and commercial advertising,  
10p.p  
210mm x 298mm  
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## **Calendars and Almanacs - 178N5**

**178N5.1** Circus Friends of Australasia Inc. calendar

2009  
One page calendar with colour photograph of tiger leaping over four lions

210mm x 295mm

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**178N5.2** Russian circus calendar

2011

14 pages with illustrations of circus art work and ceramics

295mm x 210mm

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