**Business Records 178H**

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**Shufflebottom Family Collection 178H1**

178H1.1 Waddington Brothers
Steam Yachts: cash takings and sundrys [sic] from July 19 1916 at Sheffield (actually from July 17 at Sheffield, East Anglia, and other areas 1916-1918
20cm.
Manuscript
Donated by Mrs Margaret Wilby (nee Bird) in memory of her mother
Mrs Margaret Bird (formerly Mrs Margaret Waddington and nee Shufflebottom)

178H1.2 Waddington Brothers
Steam Yachts: cash takings and sundrys [sic] from July 19 1916 at Sheffield (actually from July 17 at Sheffield, East Anglia, etc) 1916-1918
20cm.
Manuscript
178H.3 Waddington (John William) junior
7 items
(i)-(vii). Business records (takings and expenses), April-December 1927. Includes some rough drawings for a letter signed by Arthur Bird 1927
30cm.
Manuscript
Donated by Mrs Margaret Wilby (nee Bird) in memory of her mother Mrs Margaret Bird (formerly Mrs Margaret Waddington and nee Shufflebottom)

178H.4 Mrs H. Waddington
Motocar Switchback: cash takings from 1898 – 1908. Weekly takings at Yorkshire fairs 1916-1918
20cm.
Manuscript
Donated by Mrs Margaret Wilby (nee Bird) in memory of her mother Mrs Margaret Bird (formerly Mrs Margaret Waddington and nee Shufflebottom)

Tommy Green Collection 178H.2

178H.2 Bolton – County Borough of Bolton
Bolton New Year’s fair rental, 1914
Week ending 6 January, Bolton, 1914
4pp. 420 x 300mm
Manuscript and typescript
Photocopy
Tommy Green Collection

NFA Collection 178H.3

178H.3.1 Hull Fair
Miscellaneous items and documents relating to Hull Fair 1995. Includes plan, booking forms, rules and regulations 1995
Typescript and photocopy
NFA Collection

178H.3.2 Oxford St Giles Fair
List of showmen bringing rides and shows admitted to fairground at various staggered times on Sunday 6th September 1998 in order of march-in
178H3.3 Ilkeston Fair
List of all attractions at Ilkeston Charter Fair 1998 with checklist of rent paid and testing certificates
1998
A4 10pp
Manuscript
NFA Collection

178H3.4 Barnstaple
Barnstaple Markets Act, 1852: Bye laws and regulations for the ordering, managing and governing of markets and fairs
S. Searle, Barnstaple, 1859
1ll. 30cm
Photocopy
NFA Collection

178H3.5 Oxford St Giles
Notice for Oxford St Giles Fair regarding street clearance and licensing.
J. Oliver, Oxford, 1875
1ll. 25cm
Photocopy
NFA Collection

178H3.6 Thame Fair
September, 2002
Road closure notice
A4
NFA Collection

178H3.7 Beaconsfield Fair
May, 2003
Road closure notice
A4
NFA Collection

178H3.8 (i) Agreement relating to Tamworth Fair 1904
Signed agreement between the Mayor Alderman and Burgess of the Borough of Tamworth and Pat Collins
250 x 410cm
NFA Collection

178H3.8 (ii) Agreement relating to Tamworth Fair 1905
Signed agreement between the Mayor Alderman and Burgess of the Borough of Tamworth and Pat Collins
250 x 410cm
NFA Collection

178H3.8 (iii) Agreement relating to Tamworth Fair 1906
Signed agreement between the Mayor Alderman and Burgess of the Borough of Tamworth and Pat Collins
250 x 410cm
NFA Collection

178H3.9 Tewkesbury October Fair 1962
License agreement and form of tender. Linked item-plan of fair at
178M3.9
1962
240mm x 330mm
NFA Collection

178H3.10 George Percival
Route account for George Percival who travelled with Wombwell’s No.1
115mm x 180mm
NFA Collection

178H3.11 Forest Park Fair Grounds Amusement Company certificate of shares
issues to August Froebel
7 August 1908
265mm x 210mm
NFA Collection

178H3.12 Two contracts from Mr Richard Warner, Director of International
Theatrical & Musical Agency, 11 York Road, Lambeth, London for
performances at the Aquarium, Brighton
1885-1886
Type and manuscript
2 items
115mm x 210mm
NFA Collection

David Wallis Collection 178H4

178H4 Wallis, David
Three receipts for payment 20th June 1938, June 1939 and 26th April
1938 from Mrs Katie Williams / W. Roberts to J. Birkby and Son,
Brighouse, Yorkshire for Living Wagon
1938-1939
20 x 17cm
Manuscript
Donated by David Wallis
Billy Bellhouse Collection 178H5

178H5 Bellhouse, Billy
Collection of receipts and takings books for Billy Bellhouse. Includes receipts for stays in Gibraltar, application for work with Sheffield Corporation Tramways in 1932, and contract for riding a Wall of Death in Budapest in 1939
1929-1939
25 items
Manuscript and typescript
Billy Bellhouse Collection

Graham Downie Collection 178H6

178H6 Showmen’s Guild of Great Britain
1989.
Typescript and photocopy
Donated by Graham Downie

Harry Lee Collection 178H7

178H7.1 Harry Lee
Collection of receipts, invoices, cashbooks, contracts, route list and savings and tax information for showman Harry Lee
c.1920s – 1970s
Manuscript and typescript
Harry Lee Collection

178H7.2 Harry Lee
Collection of financial statements, newsletters, letters and shares certificate relating to Switchback Ventures
c.1980s – 1990s
Typescript
Harry Lee Collection

178H7.3 Harry Lee
Collection of letters, meeting notes, newspaper clippings and accounts from the East Bowling History Workshop
c.1970s – 1990s
Manuscript and typescript
Harry Lee Collection
Orton and Spooner Collection 178H8

178H8.1 Trade mark certificate for Orton and Spooner Buckeroos
5th April 1934
Typescript
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.2 Contract between for Orton and Spooner and Enoch Farrar for loan of
Devils Disc and trucks
7th February 1927
Manuscript and typescript
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.3 Business information and correspondence regarding individual repair
and construction jobs, invoices and break down of costs with different
clients including Farrar, Hackett & Company Ltd, H. Thurston, Woolls
Bros., Henry Jones & Sons, Pat Collins, Broncho Bill’s Western Circus, G.
Marshall, John Danter & Sons, Royal Continental Circus
1910-1927
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.4 Certificates of insurance for Anderton & Rowland’s roundabout and
Marenghi organ
1914
3 items
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.5 Company incorporation and dissolution contracts and legal
arrangements between, Davenport and Hackett, Hackett & Co., and
Geo. Orton & Sons and Mr Spooner, including the Memorandum and
Articles of Association of Hackett and Company Ltd dated 22nd
December 1924
1924-1925
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.6 Book of orders containing lose documents and information on various
suppliers
1927-1928
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.7 Correspondence, receipts and invoices from George Orton to Mr E.
Farrar
1902-1938
12 items, typescript and manuscript
Orton and Spooner collection
178H8.8 Correspondence relating to dynamo quotations for fairground machines and living wagons including specifications and cost 1925-1927
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.9 Books of letters containing copies of business letters 1894-1910
3 items
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.10 Account books 1923-1928
5 books and multiple lose items
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.11 Wage books and scraps of paper containing accounts 1912-1913
2 items
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.12 List of Frederick Savage’s exhibits in King’s Lynn Festival 1975
2 copies
Orton and Spooner Collection

15 items
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.14 Drawings, samples and specifications for the design of fairground rides including original drawings on tracing paper by Orton and Spooner, Savages and Supercar Co., for gallopers, arks, coasters, ghost trains, wall of death, haunted houses, water dodgems, planes, etc. A newspaper article from the National Motor Journal, and specifications for Anderton and Rowland and John and Pat Collins 1908-1937
Approx. 215 pages
Orton and Spooner Collection

178H8.15 Books of patterns and styles including, Paul Rouaix Les Styles, containing classical patterns, E. Braun’s Kunstmythologie containing classical figures, Paris Exposition 1900 catalogue containing views of the exhibition and Paris and volume 1 and 2 of Formenschatz der Renaissance
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<td>Book of diagrams of machines and ironwork, containing hand drawings with dimensions, tear off pages, carbon copies and some lose pages. 1913</td>
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<td>178H8.17</td>
<td>Correspondence, blue prints and drawings relating to enquiries regarding the supply of a projector by The London Electric Firm and alterations of Pulley centres on the Dynamo of machine No.662 from Mather &amp; Platt Engineers. 1924-1926</td>
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<td>178H8.18</td>
<td>Specifications for the building of a Wall of Death. 3p.p. 204mm x 330mm</td>
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<td>178H8.19</td>
<td>Roller-Skating Machines specifications and accompanying letter from F.W. Dickinson, Electrical Engineer and Motor Car Dealer to Mr Martin. 5 July 1911. 4p.p. 130mm x 205mm</td>
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<td>178H8.20</td>
<td>Letter from H. A. Hands regarding his Airships machine and Patent No. 3458/10. 26 February 1912. 2p.p. 200mm x 325mm</td>
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<td>178H8.21</td>
<td>Provisional specification for improvement in apparatus for recreation and amusement, including diagrams of the invention, issued to Tom Charles Bland 9th May 1908 and letter from T. C. Bland W. J. Lake, inventors of spiral apparatus for amusements for the use of the patent. 16 December 1909. 205mm x 260mm</td>
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Page from Sir William Chamber’s Treatise (on Civil Architecture), showing the Tuscan Order for columns and arches
1860
1p.
Orton and Spooner Collection

Design specifications for 16ft gallery wagon
August 1912
Manuscript
1p.
Orton and Spooner Collection

Testo Family Collection 178H9

Contract between Bertram W. Mills Circus and Miss Testo, Snake Charmer
fragment
12th December 1932
Typescript
Testo Family Collection

The British Roundabout Proprietors and Showmen’s Union Rules 1902 and 1903
3 photocopies
Typescript
Testo Family Collection

Lulu Adams Collection 178H10

Contract between the Circus M. Beketow and Mrs Cashmore to perform in Copenhagen
1st April 1913
Typescript and manuscript
2p.p
300mm x 145mm
Lulu Adams Collection

Contract between the police and Mr Adams, director of the Alhambra theatre in Paris
8th November 1932
Typescript
5p.p
210mm x 270mm
Lulu Adams Collection

Contract between the Palace theatre, Paris and the Crastonians
22nd January 1923
Typescript
2p.p
215mm x 275mm
Lulu Adams Collection

178H10.4 Receipt from The Performer, Charing Cross Road, to the Crastonians
10th November 1938
Typescript and manuscript
1p.p
205mm x 172mm
Lulu Adams Collection

178H10.5 Receipt from Credit Lyonnais, Paris to Madame Joseph Craston
30th June 1963
Typescript
1p.p
230mm x 172mm
Lulu Adams Collection

178H10.6 Contract between the Crastonians and Rexach-Perezoff-Corzana,
Agents for Theatre and Circus, to work in Madrid, starting 25th October
1924
Paris, 6th September 1924
215mm x 330mm
Lulu Adams Collection

Ilkeston Fair Collection 178H11

178H11.1 Fair tender letter
1965
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.2 Annual Fair parking, Pimlico car park
1970
A4
3p.p
Manuscript
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178H11.3 Annual Fair parking, Stanton Road/White Lion Square car park
1965
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Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection
178H11.4  Note of no payment
1964
A5
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.5  Application form to Ilkeston Borough Council for Parking Permit during annual fair, October
1963
A5
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.6  List of annual fair lettings including number of site, name of owner, size of frontage and price
1958
A4
2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.7  List of annual fair pitch sizes
1963
A4
3p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.8  Annual fair parking, Pimlico car park
1963
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.9  List of all attractions at Ilkeston Charter Fair 1998 with checklist of rent paid and testing certificates
1998
A4
10p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.10 Annual fair parking
1973
178H11.11 Annual fair lettings 1966
A4 1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.12 Application form to Ilkeston Borough Council for Parking Permit during annual fair, October 1962
A5 1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.13 Annual fair site lettings 1972
A4 3p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.14 Annual fair site lettings 1963
A4 1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.15 Annual fair site lettings 1971
A4 4p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.16 Annual fair meeting minutes regarding the re-letting of small spaces 1936
A4 2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.17 Annual fair parking, Pimlico car park
Year unknown
A4
2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.18 Annual fair parking, Stanton Road/White Lion Square car park
1973
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.19 Annual fair parking, Stanton Road/White Lion Square car park
1966
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.20 Annual fair parking, Stanton Road/White Lion Square/Pimlico car park
1964
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.21 Annual fair schedule of footpath lettings
1960
A4
2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.22 Annual fair parking, Stanton Road car park
1967
A4
2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.23 Annual fair names list with stall sizes
Unknown date
A4
3p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection
178H11.24  Annual fair conditions and regulations & list of issued parking permits, October 1967
1967
A4
6p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.25  Annual fair parking
1971
A4
2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.26  Annual fair site lettings
1969
A4 3p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.27  Annual fair footpath lettings
1962
A4
2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.28  Annual fair tender for space application form & accompanying letter from John Jameson
June 1939
A4
2p.p
A5
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.29  Annual fair tender for space application form & accompanying letter from K. Chadwick
July 1959
A4
3p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.30  Annual fair tender for space application form from Mr T Price
May 1939
178 H11.31  Annual fair space plan
1965
A4
3p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.32  Annual fair application handwritten letter from Mrs Price
Unknown date
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.33  Annual fair regulations layout, 2 copies
1959
A4
4p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.34  Annual fair detailed arrangements
1970
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.35  Markets & Fairs, Income & Expenditure balance sheet, June 1964
1964
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.36  Annual fair bank tender
1964
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection
178H11.37 List of annual fair lettings, including number of site, name of owner, size of frontage and price
Unknown date
A4
2p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.38 Annual fair parking
Unknown date
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.39 Draught copy of revision of charges
Circa 1968
A4
1p.
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.40 Annual fair tender for space applications x 15 from Williams, Clayton, Saunt, Keeble, Massey, Bishton, Wise, Proctor, Stewart, Armstrong, Allen, Gattward, Wood, Johnson and Wood
1939
A4
30p.p
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.41 Rent book listing monies paid by tenants
1937-1965
A5
Manuscript notebook
Ilkeston Fair Collection

178H11.42 Traders submittance, including name of ride/stall and pitch sizes
C.1962
5p.p
340mm x 430mm
Manuscript
Ilkeston Fair Collection

Hal Denver Collection 178H12

Cyril Critchlow Collection 178H13
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<td>1930s/40s</td>
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<td>3 receipt books relating to John Sanger and family</td>
<td>1930s/40s</td>
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<td>178H13.3</td>
<td>Contract of employment between Bech-Olsen and Ohmy Family to perform in Copenhagen, typed in German</td>
<td>1910</td>
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<td>178H13.4</td>
<td>Ohmy's notice of engagements for the performing season to Managers</td>
<td>1876</td>
<td>Cyril Critchlow Collection</td>
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<td>178H13.5</td>
<td>Business diary and daily accounts booklet, one belonging to John Sanger, the other probably belonging to John Sanger too</td>
<td>2 items</td>
<td>Cyril Critchlow Collection</td>
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<td>178H13.6</td>
<td>Lily Ohmy business card</td>
<td>Black type on off white card</td>
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**Fred Holmes Collection 178H14**

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<td>Invoice from John Figorski</td>
<td>Sheffield, 23rd July, 1903 Camera back repolishing, paid with thanks</td>
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<td>Jasper Redfern &amp; Co.</td>
<td>Sheffield, 27th Oct, 1906 Details of payment to artists</td>
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<td>Jasper Redfern &amp; Co.</td>
<td>Sheffield, 27th Oct, 1906</td>
<td>Fred Holmes Collection</td>
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Details of payment to artists
130mm x 205mm
Fred Holmes Collection

Ben Jackson Collection 178H15

178H15.1 Letter of termination of contract from W.J. Churchill ‘Uncle Willie’
Saturday 13th August 1909
200mm x 260mm
Ben Jackson Collection

178H15.2 Letter requirement of reference from John Morrisey, Resident
Manager Orpheum Circuit Co., San Francisco
25th May 1903
210mm x 275mm
Ben Jackson Collection

178H15.3 Schedule of acts under contract with ‘The Macnaghten Vaudeville
Circuit’ from Sydnye Arthur and Frank Magnaghten
3rd May 1911
213mm x 335mm
Ben Jackson Collection

178H15.4 Memorandum of engagement between Connah’s Quay and Shotton
Hippodrome & Picture Palace and Ben Jackson, signed by A. Corelli
27th December 1911
132mm x 206mm
Ben Jackson Collection

178H15.5 Contract between Thos-Hargreaves of Rochdale from Chevalier
Cliquot’s universal theatrical variety agency and Ben Jackson to
perform at New Palace T. Rochdale for one week starting 18th
December 1911
208mm x 261mm
Ben Jackson Collection

178H15.6 Contract between Milton Bode and Edward Compton proprietors of
Theatre of Varieties and Ben Jackson to appear at the Royalty Theatre,
Chester
25th March 1912
206mm x 265mm
Ben Jackson Collection

178H15.7 Award of contract from Collin’s Music Hall, Islington signed by Arthur
Williams
28th February 1910
267mm x 421mm
Ben Jackson Collection
178H15.8 Contract agreement between Grand Palace, Clapham Junction and Ben Jackson, signed by Walter Gibbons proprietor and lessee 18th February 1907 241mm x 375mm Ben Jackson Collection

Handby Celeine Collection 178H16

178H16.1 Contract agreement between Ernest Binns’ Enterprises, Morecambe, and the Handby Celeine Four, signed by Ernest Binns and Florence (Thorne or Horne) 9th March 1939 210mm x 337mm Handby Celeine Collection

178H16.2 Contract agreement between Tom Arnold Ltd, Shaftesbury Avenue, London and Handby Celeine Trio to appear at the Empire Theatre, Glasgow, signed by Tom Arnold 14th June 1938 206mm x 333mm Handby Celeine Collection

Leisure Parks – Six Piers Collection 178H17

178H17.1 Photocopy of list of premises for fire insurance Belle Vue, Manchester 1st February 1971 3p.p. 200mm x 340mm Donated by Six Piers

Argyle theatre Collection 178H18

178H18.1 5 books of handwritten and printed programmes, listing artists and performances from 1869 to 1902 Argyle Theatre Collection

178H18.2 4 books containing financial information on expenditure, payments and takings from 1866 to 1893 Argyle Theatre Collection

178H18.3 2 books of wage payments from 1865 to 1891 Argyle Theatre Collection

178H18.4 5 books listing artists and acts bookings and payments from 1868 to 1935
Argyle Theatre Collection

178H18.5 Book listing all the acts and programmes brought to assist local charities between 1902 and 1911, containing loose printed and handwritten programmes, handbills and tickets related to the events

Argyle Theatre Collection

178H18.6 Approximately 59 contracts dating from 1909 to 1940 but mainly 1940

Argyle Theatre Collection

NFA 20 Anniversary Collection 178H19

178H19.1 Fictitious British Legion cashbook
420mm x 207mm
By Mark Copeland and Sarah Munro 2014
Part of the commission to celebrate NFA20 anniversary

NFA Collection

Alfred Grey Collection 178H20

178H20.1 Small amount of loose pages of daily accounts, invoices and order scribbled on envelope
1961

Alfred Grey Collection

Smart Family Collection 178H21
Access to business records is restricted

178H21.1 Folder containing documents from Scola Teloni SNC and Canobbio
Business correspondence between Smart Family Circus and Scola Teloni and Canobbio, financial records, samples of carpets, plans and five photographs
1991 – 1994
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.2 Correspondence between Billy Smart and various addressees including Showmen’s guild of Great Britain, Buffalo Bill Wild West Show, Bertram Mills Circus, Bournemouth Daily Echo, Barnards Limited, British Films LTD., Brownridge & Sons and Booths American Candy Floss Co.
1945-1949
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.3 Correspondence between Billy Smart and various addressees including among others, British Red Cross Society, Import Licensing Department,
The Benjamin Electric LTD., John Baxter Productions and Paul Barralet Productions
1945-1948
Smart Family Collection

178H21.4 Collection of business letters to various addressees, some of them signed by the secretary of Billy Smart’s Circus & Amusements
1947-1949
Smart Family Collection

178H21.5 Agreement relating to Billy Smart’s New World Circus and Amusements of 1 Bryon Parade Hillingdon Heat in the Country of Middlesex
Signed agreement between The Lord Mayor Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Portsmouth, and William Smart
1948
5pp and one leaflet
A4
Smart Family Collection

178H21.6 Folder containing business correspondence, including letters between Roberto Germanis and Ronald Smart and between John Smith and David Smart, also financial records
1979-1981
Smart Family Collection

178H21.7 Folder containing letters requiring permission for circus performances in different locations accompanied by newspaper cuttings and a loose leaf from a magazine
1992
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.8 Documents relating to a request of permission to present circus performances in Brighton, including correspondence between Brighton Council and Gary Smart, brochures, magazines and newspaper cuttings as well as the rules and regulations issued by The Brighton Council
1994-1995
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.9 Correspondence between Billy Smart’s Circus and various councils across the country requesting permission for circus performance in Alexandra Palace, Bexley, Bournemouth, Cardiff, Elgin, Dover, Hove, Haringey, Manchester, Newport, Surrey, Solihull, Weymouth, Worthing, and Wanstead Flats. Includes booklets and photographs
1992
Typescript
Smart Family Collection
178H21.10 Two letters from David Hiibling, tour organiser of the Billy Smart’s Circus to the director of Tivoli Gardens, Copenhagen Denmark. Accompanied by a business card and a magazine “Scala” August-September 1992
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.11 Documents related to a cancellation of circus performance in Rotherham, including letters between Billy Smart’s Circus and the Centenary Market Hall, a map of Rotherham and a copy of “The Star” from 1994
1992-1995
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.12 Documents related to Olympia Exhibitions Limited, including business correspondence between Earls Court and Olympia Limited and Ronald Smart, quotations, newspaper cuttings, two seating plans and one business card
1965-1980
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.13 Legal documents, including Articles of Association of Windsor Safari Park Limited, answer to Letter of Purchase from Madame Tussaud’s Limited, Tree surveys of Windsor Safari Park, correspondence between Ronald Smart and Blackpool Corporation and Statement of Claim between William George Smart and Dome Press Limited
1959-1972
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.14 Two receipts and a quotation for seating from A.W. Champion LTD
1951-1954
Smart Family Collection

178H21.15 Nightwatchmans report
1960
Typescript and manuscript
1 p.
Smart Family Collection

178H21.16 Correspondence between Bolton, Colby & Co. and Ronald Smart
Including receipts and financial records
1963-1966
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.17 BBC Film Recording Report
Including film recording report and a letter to Billy Smart’s Circus
1973-1998
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.18 Correspondence between Marina Ananieva and Ronald Smart
Including plans, quotations, contracts photographs, and photocopies of photographs
1995-1999
Faxes and manuscripts
Smart Family Collection

178H21.19 Seawater filtration documents relating to Southsea Marine Land, Winkfield Zoo, including travel itineraries, quotations, plans and a copy of Guernesey Evening Press and Star
1962-1968
Smart Family Collection

178H21.20 Framed Performing Animals Trainer’s Licence (Gary Smart)
Frame damaged
1973
Smart Family Collection

178H21.21 Miscellaneous documents from Billy Smart’s Quality Big Top Show, including artistes salaries and timings
1996-1998
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.22 Collection of letters between Ronald Smart and various addressees
1961-1962
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.23 Quote for Show-Boat Ride Amusement Rides Manufacturers
Including photographs
1975
Smart Family Collection

178H21.24 Invitation from Publimer London LTD to Ronald Smart, includes a photograph
1961
Smart Family Collection
178H21.25 Folder containing miscellaneous documents from Anceschi Carlo & C S.N.C and King Pole, including plans, photographs, faxes, letters, Receipts and statements of account 1992-1998 Typescript and manuscript Smart Family Collection

178H21.26 Folder containing erection of Billy Smart’s Circus Big Top, including ground rules for artistes and staff, photocopies of plans, directions for assembling of the poles 1997 Typescript and photocopies Smart Family Collection

178H21.27 Contract between Alzana Trio and William Smart on behalf of his Victory Road Show, including a handbill and a photograph 23rd April 1945 Typescript and manuscript Smart Family Collection

178H21.28 Cannobio Specializzata in teloni T.I.R. Documents, including plans, press information regarding the Billy Smart’s Circus, and quotations 1982-1985 Typescript and manuscript Smart Family Collection

178H21.29 Business correspondence between Billy Smart’s New World Circus LTD and various addressees 1951-1962 Typescript and manuscript Smart Family Collection

178H21.30 The Century Insurance Company Limited Two reports of examination from the Engineering Department of The National Boiler and General Insurance Co. Ltd. 29th May 1951 - 12th June 1951 Typescript Smart Family Collection

178H21.31 Importation of dogs and cats order of 1928 Application to the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries for a Licence to Land Canine or Feline Animals (other than domestic dogs or cats) in Great Britain January 1952 Typescript and manuscript Smart Family Collection
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14th January 1993
Typescript
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178H21.40 Correspondence between Lord Delfont and Gary Smart
1988-1990
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.41 Board of Trade Licences
Collection of import licences obtained by the Billy Smart’s Circus
1954-1967
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.42 Artiste contracts between Billy Smart’s Circus Limited and
various artists
1977-1982
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.43 Correspondence between Ronald Smart and the General Director and
the First Vice General Director of The Great Moscow State Circus
Including quotations, contracts and photographs
1994-1997
Faxes and manuscripts
Smart Family Collection

178H21.44 Correspondence between Ronald Smart and Mirella & Aladar Veress
from ScanArt Agency
Including quotations and contracts
1996-1998
Faxes and manuscripts
Smart Family Collection

178H21.45 Correspondence between Ronald Smart and two agents: Alex
Grimalio, Russian circus agent and Thomas Teibler, Hungarian circus
agent.
Including quotations and contracts
1995-1998
Faxes and manuscripts
Smart Family Collection

178H21.46 Documents related to the recruitment of Rene Alberto
Alegria Servin, including contract, copy of passport, work
permit issued by the Overseas Labour Service of UK, and four
photographs
1996
Documents from WE Berry Colour Printers, including quotations, copies of posters, invoices, statements of account, samples of printing paper and sketches
1993-1998
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

Correspondence between Billy Smart’s New World Circus Ltd. and various addressees, includes a brochure
1951-1958
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

Correspondence between Billy Smart’s New World Circus Ltd. and various addressees. Including two photographs
1960-1971
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

Documents containing information related to the District Council of Dundee, including request permission of circus performance, itineraries, and booklets
1993-1994
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

Two copies of a Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Billy Smart’s Amusements (London) Limited. One of the copies is highlighted and annotated
7th December 1951
Smart Family Collection

Box containing miscellaneous documents related to Stromeyer & Co., including correspondence, contracts, quotations, plans, calculations, photographs and booklets
1992-1996
Smart Family Collection

Billy Smart’s Big Top Circus Manual/ Risk Assessment
Including a total of four folders, folders 1 and 2 contain the complete manual divided in two parts; folder 3 contain the complete manual, folder 4 contain an incomplete version of the manual. Including photographs, drawings and plans
19th October 1992
Typescript
178H21.54 Correspondence between Billy Smart’s Circus and Riga Circus
Includes contracts and invoices
1993-1997
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.55 Correspondence between Billy Smart’s Circus and Leif Hanson
Includes contracts, quotations, and work permits
1996-1997
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.56 Contracts between Billy Smart’s Circus Limited and various artists
1982-1991
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.57 Correspondence between Billy Smart’s Circus and B.H. Austen Limited
Includes plans, quotations, invoices and photographs
1992-1993
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.58 Books of takings
1975-1977
2 items
Manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.59 Receipts from Southern & Co. Ltd.
21st September-15th November 1954
2 items
Typescript and manuscript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.60 Quotation of waterproofing services for the Winkfield Zoo from the
Roof Waterproofing Contracts Division
29th August 1969
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

178H21.61 Documents related to Royal Windsor Safari Park, including invoices,
quotations and site plan of the Safari Park
1970-1977
Typescript
178H21.62  Documents related to “La Rioja”, Trailer House Company
          Includes brochures, one circulation permit and one business card
          1996
          Typescript
          Smart Family Collection

178H21.63  Documents related to the design of posters for Billy Smart’s Circus,
          including sketches, samples and quotations
          1992
          Typescript
          Smart Family Collection

178H21.64  Collection of business documents relating to safety tests, structural
          calculations, and purchase of equipment
          1991-1994
          Typescript
          Smart Family Collection

178H21.65  Circus training schedules
          1998
          Photocopies
          Smart Family Collection

178H21.66  Mr. Ronnie’s notes for European Tour
          1954
          Typescript
          Smart Family Collection

178H21.67  Notes regarding circus tour locations
          1953
          Typescript
          Smart Family Collection

178H21.68  Folder of documents regarding a lease between The City of Aberdeen
          District Council and Patio Hotel (Aberdeen) Limited
          1994-1995
          Typescript
          Smart Family Collection

178H21.69  Notice of receipt application from the Berkshire County Council
          Application No. 1523/51, proposal for a petrol filling station
          4th December 1951
          Typescript
          Smart Family Collection
| 178H21.70 | Ticket for Royal Gala performance of Smart’s circus at Queens Hall Leeds  
Thursday 19th December  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.71 | The Big Top Variety Shows scripts  
1980  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.72 | Billy Smart’s Christmas & Easter Circuses scripts  
1980  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.73 | The Billy Smart’s Christmas Circus and The Big Top Variety Show scripts  
1979  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.74 | Saturday Night Out scripts  
From behind the scenes of Billy Smart’s Circus Winter Headquarters at Winkfield Zoo, near Windsor  
1st December 1956  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.75 | Billy Smart’s Circus Anniversary Show scripts  
28th October 1958  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.76 | Circorama from Earls Court scripts  
22nd August 1956  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.77 | Billy Smart’s Family Party scripts  
From Winkfield Zoo, near Windsor on Christmas Day  
1957  
Typescript  
Smart Family Collection |
| 178H21.78 | Letter to Mr. Smart from Campbell Logan  
6th May 1947  
Typescript |
Billy Smart’s Clapham Common rehearsal schedule
1997
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

Billy Smart’s Bristol rehearsal schedule
1996
Typescript
Smart Family Collection

Billy Smart’s 50th Anniversary Big Top Slough
Including film strips printed in photographic paper and illustrations by
Derek Burrell Davis of the BBC
1958
Smart Family Collection

Business Records concerning Irina Moiseeva regarding work permits
for the UK
1998
Consists of photocopied flight tickets; work permits, work contracts;
printed photo of the Russian performers; letters between Moiseeva and
the Smart Family; correspondence with Overseas Labour Service
Smart Family Collection

Business Records concerning Use of Animals in the Circus in the city of
Aberdeen
Consists of typed script letters of correspondence between Billy
Smart’s Circus and the City of Aberdeen, Scotish Kennel Club, Dundes
and Wilson solicitors, City of Edinburg, and Edinburgh International
Festival; photocopy of a newspaper clipping; hand written notes
Smart Family Collection

Business Records concerning the court case with Sheffield City Council
1994
Consists of legal documents; Sheffield City council documents;
photocopies of newspaper clippings; listing of events held in Sheffield
parks; letters with Sheffield City Council, Yorkshire police, and
solicitors
Smart Family Collection

Business Records concerning trailer information
1997
Consists of fax from trailer company; trailer layout plans; leaflets for
trailer company
Smart Family Collection
178H21.86  Business Records concerning the structure of the Big Top
1989-1993
Consists of entrance measurements; drafting plans for the tent; fire safety report (multiple pages); and structural report (multiple pages)
Smart Family Collection

178H21.87  Business Records concerning portable toilets
1993
Consists of typed script correspondence with Midland Transformer Design Ltd and Beaumont Engineering; design plans; transaction reports; and a newspaper clipping
Smart Family Collection

178H21.88  Business Records concerning tickets for Big Top shows
1994-1998
Consists of ticket samples and designs; correspondence with Kalamazoo Security Print, GMS Tickets Ltd, Henry Booth & Company, Tungate Forms & Labels; business leaflets about printing; a poster for Bolshoi circus
Smart Family Collection

178H21.89  Business Records concerning purchasing the seats for the Big Top
1992-1997
Consists of seat labelling stickers; photocopies of invoices; seating design plans; hand written plans and cost chart; magazine clippings; correspondence with Chichester Paper Bag Co, Blackdown Press, B.H. Auston Limited, LittleHampton Welding Inc
Smart Family Collection

178H21.90  Business Records concerning vehicles
1993-2004
Consists of originals and photocopies of Goods Vehicle Test certificates; Vehicle Inspectorate documents; Driver & Vehicle Licensing Agency correspondence; Vehicle Registration Documents V5; Vehicle Licence Application
Smart Family Collection

178H21.91  Business Records concerning press releases
25 May 1998
Circa 1960
Consists of various press releases for the Billy Smart’s Circus
Smart Family Collection

178H21.92  Business Records concerning animal cruelty
1965-1974
Consists of leaflets from the Association of Circus Proprietors of Great Britain, and R.S.P.C.A; House of Lords official reports regarding Performing Animals Bill
Smart Family Collection

178H21.93  Business Records concerning theme parks/amusement parks/attractions
           1959-1970
           Consists of books, posters, leaflets, and newspapers
           Smart Family Collection

178H21.94  Business Records concerning a winter circus and circus school for Ireland
           1991
           Consists of technical drawings, an architecture diploma thesis project by Brian T O'Brien
           Smart Family Collection

178H21.95  Business Records concerning televised Christmas performances
           1971-1979
           Consists of typed correspondence regarding the circus tent, Christmas Eve TV schedule, sales distribution and tax rates for Christmas shows
           Smart Family Collection

178H21.96  Business Records concerning various business items
           1968-1986
           Consists of leaflets; newspaper clipping; business cards and special invitation cards; travel plans; circus programmes/poster list; circus poster plans; seating information and lay out
           Smart Family Collection

178H21.97  Business Records concerning Southsea Marineland
           No Date
           Consists of press releases; information about the project; two folders that are drafts for a Southsea Marineland programme
           Smart Family Collection

178H21.98  Business Records concerning the Airey Neave Charity Show
           1980-1982
           A large black folder which consists of typed and hand written correspondence, press releases, newspaper clippings, a newspaper, programmes, and the First Airey Neave Memorial Lecture given by PM Margaret Thatcher
           Smart Family Collection

178H21.99  Business Records concerning transparencies
           No Date
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<td>Contains: hand written notes, typscript notes about circus performance times and orders, programme details, running order details</td>
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<td>178H21.104</td>
<td>Business Records concerning the Big Top Show in Bristol and Blackheath</td>
<td>Contains: show leaflets, pricing information, times of shows, programme/leaflet coloured designs</td>
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<td>178H21.105</td>
<td>Business Records concerning the 1998 season</td>
<td>Contains: typescript correspondence regarding working visas/permits and other immigration matters, photocopies of contracts, typescript correspondence with the Billy F. Arata Agency regarding the 1998 season</td>
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1998
Contains: hand written notes, correspondence regarding the 1998 circus season, a few colour print outs for acts and adverts
Smart Family Collection

Contains: photocopies and hand written notes of the towns and tour routes for the 1998-1999 circus season
Smart Family Collection

Contains: hand written and typescript notes on the artists running order, single page flyers/programmes for the show, dates and times of shows, and some correspondence
Smart Family Collection

Business records concerning various Smart family business enterprises, includes photographs, correspondence, ring staff rules and other employment papers, First Leisure annual report, a folder of records relating to the Circus Proprietors of Great Britain, folder of Noel Gay Artist Limited material including photographs of performers and invoices, documents relating to the sale of the Rainbow caravan, fire safety tests, sale of Smart circus equipment, Windsor Safari Park transparencies for leaflet design
Smart Family Collection

178H21.110 Business records relating to Billy Smart’s Big Top Variety Show, Thames T.V. television work, including plans, scripts for Billy Smart’s Easter, Christmas Circuses and Big Top Variety Show, some inscribed Christopher Palmer, press cuttings, production photographs, slides, promotional material, costume sketches, original artwork, viewing ratings 1978-1980
1 box
Smart Family Collection

178H21.111 Various business records including a record of countries that took the Smart’s BBC T.V. show in 1978, records relating to Billy Smart’s Big Top vehicles, some correspondence and white face clown costume design work 1978-1996
Smart Family Collection
Marshall and Scott Family Collection 178H22

178H22.1 Address book containing lists of names, addresses and payments
Hard leather covers, ring binder with alphabetised ruled pages
100mm x 158mm
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

178H22.2 W. Marshalls Amusements business card
Mr W. Wright
Blue card with golden, embossed type
93mm x 60mm
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

178H22.3 Check for £250, from Walter Marshall for payment of Brayshaw living van
25th February 1939
185mm x 99mm
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

178H22.4 Two certificates of purchase of shares from Keighley Division
Conservative Club Buildings Ltd., by William Marshall and Goldthorpe Marshall Amusement Caterers
1st July 1927
1p.
290mm x 255mm
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

178H22.5 Copy of Deed of Covenant relating to the transfer of tenancies of Mr William Henry Marshall Senior to his son William Henry Marshall Junior
25th August 1921
4p.p
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

2p.p
204mm x 331mm
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

178H22.7 Legal report referring to the lease of land belonging to Walter Marshall
3rd May 1961
2p.p
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

178H22.8 Copy of agreement for hire and purchase of goods and chattels between William Henry Marshall Senior and William Henry Marshall Junior
24\textsuperscript{th} August 1921
4p.p
Marshall and Scott Family Collection

\textbf{Birt Acres Collection 178H23}

178H23.1 Patent registration forms and several typed and hand written versions of a new type of gear wheel invention
11 items
Birt Acres Collection

178H23.2 Normalair humidifiers specifications
1p.
Birt Acres Collection

\textbf{Circus Friends Association Collection 178H24}

\textbf{Harry Paulo Family Collection 178H25}

178H25.1 Booking agreement between Harry Paulo and Arthur Joel Circus & Vaudeville Agent and agreement to split Reco Bros. partnership between Herbert Wroe and Harry Paulo
1944
Typescript on letter headed papers
2 items
Various sizes

\textbf{Selina Dobson Collection 178H26}

178H26.1 Business Records
1931-1956
Invoices and receipts related to the Dobson family business in the fairground, including correspondence with the Showmen’s Guild, the purchase of a juvenile ride, application for ground at Birmingham Onion Fair and market and fair tolls
Various sizes
Selina Dobson Collection