Circus Historical Society

P. T. Barnum's Greatest Show on Earth, 1877

- Route Book, Season of 1877, P. T. Barnum's New and Greatest Show on Earth, Giving a complete list of all the towns and cities visisted, number of miles traveled by railroad, names of all parties connected with the show, synopsis of business, incidents, etc.. Compiled by Robert Good, Spangler and Davis, Prs. 529 Commerce Street, Phila. Circus World Museum's Parkinson Library provided the photocopy of this route book. All information should be checked with additional sources. There will be spelling and typographical errors.
- http://www.circushistory.org/History/PTB1877.htm

P. T. Barnum, Proprietor

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Hippodrome

Ben. Maginley, Equestrian Director

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Performers

Charles Fish, Champion Bareback Somersault and Trick Rider of the World.

Charles Reed, Principal Pad Rider.

Miaco Brothers, Gymnasts.

Leotard Brothers, Acrobats.

George Lair, George Shrode and George Bliss.

Japanese, Satsuma and Allright.

Jennie Louis Hengler, Lady Menage Rider.

Mons. Oscar, Trakene Stallion Performer.

Ted Almonte, Clown.

Wm. Aymar, Scene Rider.

Dan Castillo, Indian Hurdle Rider.

Martinho Lowande, the Brazilian Champion, in his horseback carrying act, also four and seven horse rider.

Tony Lowande, Child Wonder (left in Kansas City, September 19th).

Miss Millie DeGranville, the female Hercules (left in Joplin, Missouri, Sept. 22d).

Mad. Berdue, Principal Lady Rider.

H. Berdue, Tumbling Clown.

Felix MacDonald, Elephant Performer.

Leapers, Tumblers, Acrobats, etc.

| George Bliss | George Lair | Charles Ellis | Charles Reed |
|--------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| William Carroll | Bonnie Runnels | Dave Castillo | James Hankins |
| George Shrode | Wm. Aymar | Al Miaco | |

Lady Entree Riders:

| Mrs. Charles | Mrs. Miaco | Mrs. | Mrs. |
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| Reed | | Satsuma | Howes |
| | Mrs. MacDonald | | |

Mrs. Carroll

Confectionery Department

Robert Wetsendorf, Proprietor and Manager.

Albert Roth, Assistant Manager.

| E. C. Penny | Barney Rice | Joe Garrett | Charles Baker |
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| Ed. Albee | John Conklin | J. W. Holmes | Harry Coddington |

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