



Furniture: Breakfront bookcase made for P. T. Barnum by Julius Dessoir (1888.001.001)



Furniture: Settee made for P. T. Barnum by Julius Dessoir (1888.001.002)

Furniture: Armchair made for P. T. Barnum by Julius Dessoir (1888.001.003)



Furniture: Set of Chairs made for P. T. Barnum by Julius Dessoir (1888.001.004 AE)



Furniture: Library Table made for P. T. Barnum by Julius Dessoir (1888.001.005)

Furniture: Demilune Game Table made for P. T. Barnum by Julius Dessoir (1888.001.006)

Furniture: Secretary desk made for P. T. Barnum by Julius Dessoir (1888.001.009 AB)



Book: "P. T. Barnum's Circus, Museum, and Menagerie" by P. T. Barnum and Sarah J. Burke (1889.005.001)



Structure: Barnum Institute of Science and History (1893.000.001)



Textile: Winter coat belonging to P. T. Barnum (1969.001.001)



Photograph: "Mrs. Barnum at home [Marina]" (1970.006.003 CD)



Photograph: "Hall at Marina" (1970.006.003 KL)



Photograph: "Mrs. Barnum's bedroom at Marina"
(1970.006.003 ST)



Photograph: "Mrs. Barnum's bedroom at Marina," second view (1970.006.003 UV)



Photograph: "Mrs. Barnum's boudoir at Marina"
(1970.006.003 WX)



Photograph: "Mrs. Barnum's boudoir at Marina," second view (1970.006.003 YZ)



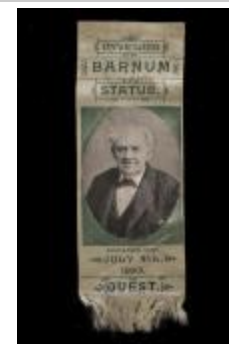
Textile: P. T. Barnum's Top Hat (1971.002.001 A)



Clothing accessory: Top hat case owned by P. T. Barnum (1971.002.001 B)



Sculpture: Bust of P. T. Barnum by Thomas Ball
(1988.005.001)



Souvenir: Ribbon badge for the "Unveiling of the Barnum Statue" (1989.040.011)



Painting: View of Iranistan from southeast vantage point (1996.009.001)



Newspaper: Connecticut Repository, Vol. I, No. 33, October 24, 1832 (1998.010.001 AB)



Newspaper: Bridgeport Messenger, Vol. I, No. 52, November 21, 1832 (1998.010.002)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, Vol. II, New Series 12, January 2, 1833 (1998.010.003 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, Vol. II, New Series 11, December 26, 1832 (1998.010.004 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, Vol. II, New Series 10, December 19, 1832 (1998.010.005 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, Vol. II, New Series 9, December 12, 1832 (1998.010.006 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, Vol. II, New Series 8, December 5, 1832 (1998.010.007 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, November 7, 1832 (1998.010.008)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, Vol. II, New Series 3, October 31, 1832 (1998.010.009 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom and Gospel Witness, Vol. II, New Series 1, October 17, 1832 (1998.010.010 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom Vol. I No. 52, October 10, 1832 (1998.010.011 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom, Vol. I, No 49, September 19, 1832 (1998.010.012 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom, Vol. I, No. 48, September 12, 1832 (1998.010.013 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom, Vol. I, No. 47, September 5, 1832 (1998.010.014 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom, Vol. I, No. 46, August 29, 1832 (1998.010.015 AB)



Newspaper: Herald of Freedom Vol. I, No. 50,
September 26, 1832 (1998.010.016 AB)



Newspaper: Fragment of Herald of Freedom and
Gospel Witness, January 3, 1833 (1998.010.017)

Photograph: Cabinet card photo P.T. Barnum
holding two great grandchildren (2003.009.005)



Ticket: Ticket to unveiling of the P. T. Barnum
statue, 1893 (2003.009.011)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from M. Lavinia Warren,
June 12, 1878 (2003.009.013)



Textile: Dress shirt with ruffle worn by P. T.
Barnum (2003.009.016)



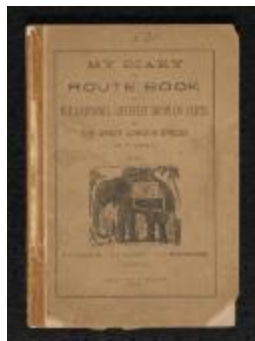
Document: Note written by P.T. Barnum
regarding elephants, February 20, 1882
(2003.009.017)



Booklet: "History of Animals and Leading
Curiosities . . ." with Barnum on cover
(2003.009.019)



Book: Circus Route Book for 1883
(2003.009.025)



Book: "Circus Route Book for 1882"
(2003.009.026)

Photograph: Portrait of P.T. Barnum seated,
holding a memo book (2003.009.029)

Photograph: Carte de visite photograph of
Barnum with a beard, holding young grandchild
(2003.009.033)



Letter: To Friend Barnum from Horace Greeley,
May 27, 1867 (2003.009.034)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from M. Lavinia Warren,
June 5, 1878 (2003.009.035)



Ticket: "Complimentary ticket to P.T. Barnum's
Roman Hippodrome, June 27, 1874"
(2003.009.036)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from S. Baird, Director
of the Smithsonian, November 12, 1885
(2003.009.038)



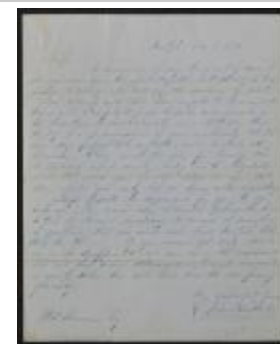
Letter: To P.T. Barnum from Edward Everett,
June 27, 1853 (2003.009.039)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from O.W. Holmes,
December 15, 1853 (2003.009.040)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from W.H. Flower,
director of British Museum, April 12, 1886
(2003.009.041)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from C. VanDerbilt,
December 6, 1850 (2003.009.042)

Photograph: Full Length Photograph of P.T.
Barnum with Barnum holding cane and top hat
(2003.009.056)

Photograph: Stereoscopic Company photograph
of older P.T. Barnum (2003.009.067)



Check: Blank check for P. T. Barnum's account
in the Bridgeport Bank, 1849 (2003.009.071)



Newspaper: Clipping featuring illustration of
"Ruins of Iranistan" (2003.009.076)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from Rembrandt Peale, October 25, 1851 (2003.009.077)



Food service: Tea cozy belonging to P. T. Barnum (2003.009.079)



Furniture: Dining Room Chairs from P. T. Barnum's home Marina (2003.009.102 AF)



Newspaper: "The World's Opinion As Expressed Through the Columns of the Daily Press" (2003.009.107)



Book: Select illustrations from the book, "Life of Barnum" (2003.009.117)



Program: "P. T. Barnum's Greatest Show on Earth Program" for Olympia, London, November 20, 1889 (owned by the Barnum Museum)



Document: P.T. Barnum Letter Copybook, 1845 - 1846 (2004.002.001)



Document: "Subscribers to 'The Life of P.T. Barnum, Written by Himself'" (2004.003.001)



Painting: View of Iranistan seen from east vantage point (2006.005.003)



Physical object: Illustrated blank journal owned by P. T. Barnum (2007.002.027)



Food service: Tea cup and saucer, belonging to P. T. Barnum (photo) (2007.002.042)



Food service: Custard cup platter, belonging to P. T. Barnum (2007.002.042.003)



Food service: Wine bottle cooler, belonging to P. T. Barnum (2007.002.042.006)



Food service: Custard cup with lid, belonging to P. T. Barnum (2007.002.042.025 AB)



Food service: Soup bowl, belonging to P. T. Barnum (2007.002.042.039)



Food service: Tumbler and Waste Bowl Set, belonging to P. T. Barnum (2007.002.046 AB)



Letter: Souvenir Contract with P. T. Barnum & Co., 1888 (2007.002.050)



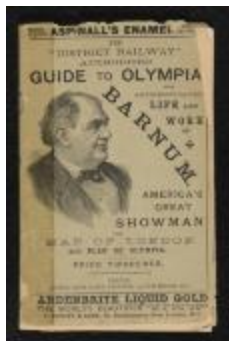
Jewelry: P. T. Barnum's gold ring (2007.002.051)



Physical object: Stereotype printing plate of P. T. Barnum letter (2008.003.001)



Letter: To Mayor Barnum, from N.S Wordin, April 22, 1875 (2011.003.053)



Booklet: "District Railway Guide to Olympia and the Life and Work of P. T. Barnum" (2012.011.006)



Clock: Mantel clock with glass panel featuring Barnum's Iranistan home (2013.001.001)



Letter: To Mr. Smith from P.T. Barnum, January 11, 1834 (2013.005.001)



Letter: To Friend Moody from P.T. Barnum, January, 6, 1850 (2013.011.001)



Advertisement: Handbill for "The Annex to P.T. Barnum's Great Show: A Palace of Wonders" (2015.004.001)



Newspaper: Uncut edition of Harper's Weekly, April 14, 1866, with illustration of the Grand Masquerade Ball. (2015.005.001)



Letter: To Unknown recipient from P.T. Barnum, August 24, 1885 (2015.007.001)



Photograph Album: Cartes de visite album of Connecticut State Legislators of 1865, including P.T. Barnum (2019.006.001)



Document: Marriage notice of P.T. Barnum to Charity Hallett, 1829 (AN 2007.002.036)



Food service: Samovar and tea service set belonging to P. T. Barnum (BF 1989.051.001 AF)



Furniture: Japanese vase (as seen in photos of Barnum's homes) (BF 1989.061.001)



Letter: To P. Kennelly from P.T. Barnum, December 24, 1875 (BF 1990.008.001)



Advertisement: Handbill for lecture given by P. T. Barnum at Grosvenor Square, January 30, 1890 (BF 1992.023.001)



Letter: To Mr. Waldo, editor of Bridgeport Standard, from P.T. Barnum, January 29, 1890 (BF 1992.023.002 A)



Letter: To Friend Osborne from P.T. Barnum, August 18, 1857 (BF 1993.016.001)



Letter: To Charles H. Thorpe from P.T. Barnum, December 12, 1881 (BF 1993.025.001 AB)



Print: Portrait of P.T. Barnum for The Folio, by J.H. Bufford's Sons, Boston (BF 1993.028.001)



Advertisement: Ad for P.T. Barnum's Hippodrome at Back Bay in Boston (BF 1994.007.002)



Letter: To Honorable Wildman from P.T. Barnum, May 17, 1883 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F02 item 01)



Letter: To I.E. Williams from P.T. Barnum, July 14, 1854 (includes typescript copy) (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F03)



Letter: My dear Greenwood from P.T. Barnum, October 10, 1855 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F03)



Letter: To B.P. Cilley from P.T. Barnum, November 20, 1861 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: To B.P. Cilley from P.T. Barnum, January 7, 1862 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: B.P. Cilley from P.T. Barnum, [?] 16, 1862 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: Dear sir from P.T. Barnum, March 2, 1860 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: To B. P. Cilley from P.T. Barnum, July 22, 1861 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: To B.P. Cilley from P.T. Barnum, December 14, 1861 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: Dear sir from P.T. Barnum, December 26, 1865 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: To B.P. Cilley from P.T. Barnum, March 26, 1861 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: To W.C. Curry from P.T. Barnum, March 21, 1862 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F04)



Letter: Mr Raider[?] from P.T. Barnum, October 2[?] 1877 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F05)



Letter: To Editor from P.T. Barnum, February 3, 1872 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F05)



Letter: To the Hyde Brothers from P.T. Barnum, September 17, 1889 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Letter: To Friend Wildman from P.T. Barnum, July 16, 1886 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Envelope: To Nathan P. Beers from P.T. Barnum, April 4, 1881 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Letter: Dear [J.A.] Bailey from P.T. Barnum, June 10, 1888 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Letter: Dear little Frank Jr. from P.T. Barnum, August 28, 1889 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Letter: To Charles H. Stevens from P.T. Barnum, December 21, 1888 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Letter: To Miss Mabel A. Porter from P.T. Barnum, July 28, 1885 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Letter: To Miss Mabel Porter from P.T. Barnum, July 8, 1886 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F06)



Letter: Dear Helen from P.T. Barnum, August 18, 1890 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F07)



Letter: To beloved old gentleman from P.T. Barnum, June 4, 1890 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F07)



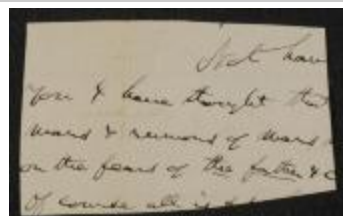
Letter: Dear Helen from P.T. Barnum, August 8, 1890 (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F07)



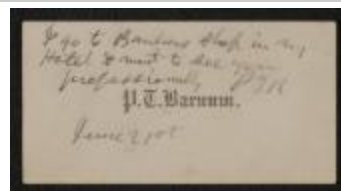
Letter: Invitation to Mrs. Mary Stevens from Mr. and Mrs. P.T. Barnum (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F08)



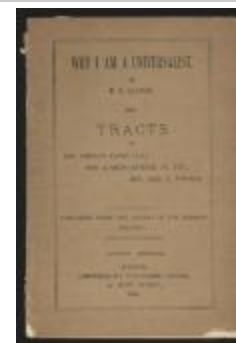
Letter: Letter from P.T. Barnum to George Washington Morrison Nutt, undated (envelope only) (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F08)



Letter: Paper scrap signed by P.T. Barnum underneath additional script (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F08)



Calling card: Calling card for P.T. Barnum with additional writing, June 21st, no year (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F08)



Book: "Why I Am a Universalist" by P. T. Barnum (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F13)



Book: Will & Codicils of Phineas Taylor Barnum (BM-MSS 002 S01 B01F20)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from F. F. French, November 12, 1874 (EL 1988.019.001)



Check: Check from The National Park Bank of New York with image of P.T. Barnum, 1879 (EL 1988.019.001)



Letter: To J.R. Clarke and others from P.T. Barnum, June 6, 1874 (EL 1988.021.001)



Ticket: "Whole Ticket to P. T. Barnum's Museum and Menagerie" (EL 1988.022.001)



Ticket: "P. T. Barnum's Museum and Menagerie Whole Ticket" (EL 1988.022.002)



Ticket: Complimentary ticket to "P.T. Barnum's Roman Hippodrome" on pale orange card stock (EL 1988.022.003)



Ticket: Complimentary Editor's Ticket to "P. T. Barnum's Great Roman Hippodrome" (EL 1988.022.004)



Ticket: Complimentary ticket to "P. T. Barnum's Roman Hippodrome" (EL 1988.022.005)



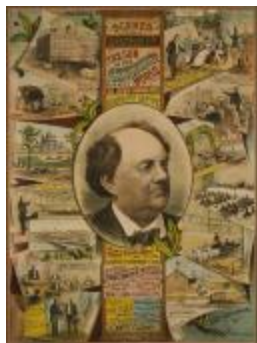
Document: Bill of Sale of Licensed Vessel from Henry H. Pyle to P.T. Barnum, 1889 (EL 1988.024.001)



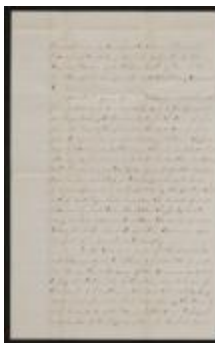
Program: "Banquet to Welcome Mr. P. T. Barnum to England" (EL 1988.028.001)



Program: "In Memorium" card for P.T. Barnum (EL 1988.034.002)



Poster: P. T. Barnum's "Scenes from a Long and Busy Life" poster (EL 1988.042.001)



Document: Employment contract between P. T. Barnum and Rodnia Nutt, 1861 (EL 1988.095.001)



Postcard: To Moses Beach from P. T. Barnum, January 6, 1876 (EL 1988.231.003)



Print: "P. T. Barnum, Proprietor of the American Museum" by Charles Bagniet (EL 1988.343.001)



Document: P. T. Barnum's address book (EL 1989.012.001)



Physical object: Christening cup for Frances B. Thompson, granddaughter of P. T. Barnum (EL 1989.015.001)



Food service: Silver spoon holder with initials of P. T. Barnum (EL 1989.016.001)



Photograph: P. T. Barnum and great-grandson Henry Rennell, ca. 1887 (EL 1989.033.001)



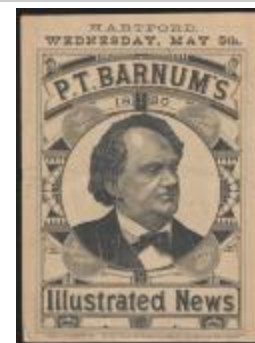
Program: "Unveiling of the Barnum Statue" (EL 1989.040.011)



Clock: Gothic style mantel clock with a glass panel featuring Barnum's Iranistan home (EL 1990.001.002)



Architectural element: Decorative feature from Barnum's home, Iranistan (EL 1990.001.005)



Courier: P. T. Barnum's Illustrated News, Hartford, Connecticut, May 5, 1880 (MS 0004.109.001)



Document: Winter Quarters Petition, November 23, 1887 (MS 0004.114.001)



Textile: Memorial ribbon for P. T. Barnum's funeral (MS 002.117.001)



Ticket: "Mlle Jenny Lind's Grand Concert" (T 2009.041.001)



Print: "Barnum's American Museum" (T 2012.001.001)



Photograph: Statue of P.T. Barnum in Seaside Park, Bridgeport, 1894 (T 2013.015.001)



Document: "Fairfield Agricultural Society award signed by P. T. Barnum" (T 2013.025.001)



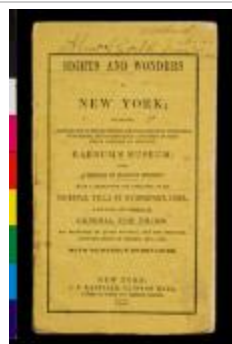
Clothing accessory: Handkerchief with P. T. Barnum signature (T 2014.001.001)



Print: "Oriental Villa - Residence of P.T. Barnum, Esq., at Bridgeport, CT" (T 2014.020.001)



Ticket: "Mlle Jenny Lind's Ninth Grand Concert Ticket" (T 2014.022.001)



Booklet: "Sights and Wonders in New York" (T 2014.023.001)



Poster: "Barnum's American Museum, Performance Three Times Daily, [Sun]rise till 10" (T 2014.025.001)



Print: "Iranistan, an Oriental Villa" (owned by the Barnum Museum) (T 2014.047.001)



Letter: To P.T. Barnum from W.J. Flynn, February, 1885 (T 2015.022.001)



Physical object: Illustrated blank journal owned by P. T. Barnum (T 2015.040.001)



Physical object: Illustrated blank journal owned by P. T. Barnum (T 2015.041.001)



Book: "The Last Chapter" by Nancy Fish-Barnum (T 2015.046.001)



Advertisement: Ad for "P. T. Barnum's 'The World in Contribution'" in Harper's Weekly, March 29, 1873 (T 2016.017.001)



Illustration: "NY Tribune political cartoon by Thomas Nast, titled "Barnum's New 'What Is It'" (T 2016.018.001)



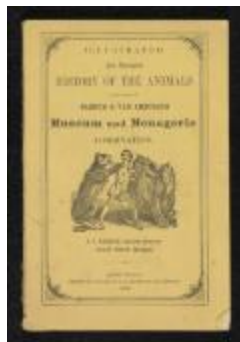
Newspaper: Article from Illustrated London News, February 24, 1844, about Charles S. Stratton's (General Tom Thumb) performance (T 2016.019.001)



Print: "House for Mr. P. T. Barnum, Bridgeport, Conn." (T 2016.022.001)



Program: Memorial Program from P.T. Barnum's Funeral (T 2016.030.001)



Booklet: "Illustrated and Descriptive History of the Animals..." with lion tamer on cover (T 2016.031.001)



Print: "Waldemere, Home of Hon. P. T. Barnum" (T 2016.040.001)



Sheet Music: "Ossian's Serenade" as Sung by Ossian E. Dodge (T 2016.052.001)



Photograph: Stereoview cards (2) of Barnum's home "Lindencroft" (T 2016.060.002)



Photographs: Set of four stereoviews of Waldemere (T 2016.060.003)



Souvenir: Token featuring Charles S. Stratton (Gen. Tom Thumb), his chariot on reverse (T 2017.002.001)