

**C DIBM Theatre playbills, a programme and photographs 1896-1988  
deposited by Mavis Bryan**

**Accession number:** 22/13

**Historical Background:** The Alexandra Theatre opened in 1902 on the corner of George Street and Charlotte Street but was destroyed by heavy bombing in 1941. The Grand Theatre and Opera House also on George Street, was built in 1893 but converted into a cinema in 1930. Originally the Central Secondary School on Brunswick Avenue, it becomes a girls school in 1907 and relocated to Cottingham Road in 1920 when it was renamed the Newland High School for Girls. A new St. Cuthbert's Church opened in 1956 to replace the one also destroyed during WWII.

**Custodial history:** Collected by the sister of the depositer, Mavis Bryan

**Description:** 2 Theatre playbills for Alexandra Theatre and the Grand Theatre and Opera House; Newland High School prize giving programme; 6 black and white photographs of events and people.

**Extent:** 7 items

**Related material:** More playbills for the Alexandra Theatre are located at L DTAT, with additional playbills for other theatres in Hull at U DP/215, most of which are on microfilm. For further details, please see the Hull History Centres catalogue. The history centre also has plans for the 2 theatres, reference C TAB/CB/4 for the Alexandra Theatre and C TAB/CB/5 for the Grand. A history of the Newland High School for Girls from 1907 to 1957 can be found at reference L.373. Records relating the visit by H.R.H Queen Elizabeth II and H.R.H. Prince Philip in 1957 can be found at C TCRE/5.

**Access conditions:** Access will be granted to any accredited reader

<b>C DIBM/1</b>	<b>Theatre playbills</b>	<b>1896-1916</b>
	2 items	
C DIBM/1/1	Playbill for a production of 'Broken Melody' at the Grand Theatre and Opera House, George Street, Hull 1 item	24 Feb 1896
C DIBM/1/2	Playbill for a production of 'The wife with two husbands' at the Alexandra Theatre, Charlotte Street, Hull 1 item	11 Sep 1916
C DIBM/2	A programme for Newland High School presentation of prizes and certificates Presented by Joanne Donaldson, in the presence of the Deputy Lord Mayor Councillor J. Stanley and his lady, Councillor Mrs A Stanley 1 item	13 Jul 1988

<b>C DIBM/3</b>	<b>Photographs and postcards of events and people in Hull</b>	<b>1929-1957</b>
	4 items	
C DIBM/3/1	Postcard of attendees at the St. Matthew's Football Dance Black and white, 5.5" x 3.5" (14cm c 90cm) 1 item	5 Apr 1929
C DIBM/3/2	Photograph of 4 men in outdoor setting From left to right, Dave Bryan (Newland Branch), Fred Allen and Arthur Graves (both Hull Branch) and Bill Robinson (Ferriby Branch). Black and white, 4.5" x 3.5" (11.5 cm x 8.5cm). 1 item	12 Dec 1948
C DIBM/3/3	Photograph of H.R.H Queen Elizabeth II and H.R.H. Prince Philip leaving the surgery building on St. Andrew's Dock during a visit to Hull With Lord Mayor, Alderman Kneeshaw. Black and white, 6" x 8", (16cm x 21cm). G. Douglas Knapton, 59 George Street, Hull. 1 item	18 May 1957
C DIBM/3/4	Photograph of a service at St. Cuthbert's Church, Marlborough Avenue, Hull Black and white, 10" x 8" (25cm x 20cm), Robert H. Ballard, the Hague Studios, 82 Chanterlands Avenue, Hull. 1 item	c.1950s