

## **Information Sheet**

**R**      **George Carden Circus International.**  
**909**      **Souvenir program, 1986.**  
            **One folder.**

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This is the *1986 Official Program and Color Book* for George Carden Circus International, which had “winter quarters” at Willard in Greene County, Missouri.

This 24-page illustrated booklet was sold as a souvenir at performances of the George Carden Circus International. It features photographic portraits of the administrative staff, information about the show’s “winter quarters” on a 20-acre farm near Willard, and publicity stills of the featured performers. The covers and center-spread are in color. Pages 15 through 24 are a coloring book of generic circus drawings.

Featured performers during the 1986 season included the Saturnaires (aerialists), the Flying Eagles (aerialists), Francarro & Estreleta, David Maas (ringmaster), Delisa, Spiff & Sam (clowns), Dino Goldfinger (acrobat), Carter Brown (juggler), and Captain Circus (human cannonball).

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Circus—Missouri—Greene County.  
Circus owners  
George Carden Circus International  
Greene County (Mo.)  
Willard (Mo.)