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- ZB 701/ Given by Mr I Smith of Sittingbourne, Kent
Documents relating to the Band of Hope Union
- 1 Minute book of Higham Ferrers and District Band of Hope Union established November 1880 1880-1889
 - 2 Speakers plan for the Northamptonshire Temperance and Band of Hope Union for January to June 1890
 - 3 Exercise book containing the seventeenth Annual Report of the Higham Ferrers and District Band of Hope Union 25 October 1897
Attached enclosed:
Newspaper cutting reporting the annual meeting of the same
 - 4 Minute book of the Higham Ferrers, Rushden, Irthlingborough and District Band of Hope Union with printed preface pages giving the 'Constitution of Bands of Hope and Rules for Members', and 'Hints to Secretary of the Band of Hope' 1905-1921
Enclosed in ZB 701/4: ZB 701/5-35
 - 5 Newspaper cutting reporting the 25th annual meeting of the above [1905]
 - 6 Order of funeral service of John Harris, agent of the Bedfordshire Band of Hope Union from 1878 to 1906, died 9th June 1906 n.d. [1906]
 - 7 Printed leaflet of Mrs C G Cunnington and family acknowledging "kind enquiries and expressions of sympathy" n.d. [c.1921]
 - 8 Order of funeral service of Thomas Wilmott of Rushden, died 30th January 1907
 - 9 Newspaper report from 'The Argus' dated 21 September 1906 on 'A Notable Jubilee. Fifty Years of the Northants Temperance and Band of Hope Union'.
 - 10 Newspaper cutting reporting the 28th annual meeting of the Rushden, Higham Ferrers and District Band of Hope Union [1908]
 - 11 Order of funeral service of Foster Vorley of Rushden, died 26th February 1908 aged 76 years [1908]

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| 12 | Order of funeral service of Alderman Samuel Pack of Higham Ferrers, died 10th August 1908, aged 61 years | [1908] |
| 13 | Newspaper cutting from the 'Rushden Echo' of 14 August [1908] reporting the death of Alderman Samuel Pack, former president of the Rushden, Higham Ferrers and District Band of Hope Union | [1908] |
| 14 | Card giving notice of a 'Competitive Examination to be held by the Rushden, Higham Ferrers and Irthlingborough Band of Hope Union on 10th February 1913, for children up to 16 years old | [1913] |
| 15 | Newspaper cutting reporting an examination organised by the Northamptonshire Temperance and Band of Hope Union for Wellingborough, Kettering and Rushden Bands of Hope members up to 16 years old | |
| 16 | Speakers and visitors plan for the Rushden, Higham Ferrers, Irthlingborough and District Band of Hope Union from November 1915 to April 1916 | [1915] |
| 17 | Copy of the Liquor Traffic Local Veto (England and Wales) Bill presented by Mr Raffan. Ordered to be printed 26 November 1919 | |
| 18 | Order of funeral service of John Claridge of Rushden, died 7 June 1921 | [1921] |
| 19 | Leaflet recording the death of William Clarke of Rushden, died 9 November 1921 aged 79 years | [1921] |
| 20 | Printed leaflet acknowledging expressions of sympathy following the death of George Hall of Higham Ferrers, died 3rd January 1922 aged 67 years | [1922] |
| 21 | Receipt of the Northamptonshire and North Bucks Temperance and Band of Hope Union of affiliation fee of Rushden Band of Hope Union | 11 February 1928 |
| 22 | Receipt of the British Temperance League of affiliation fee of the Rushden and District Band of Hope Union; Secretary: B Vorley | 12 May 1928 |
| 23 | Receipt (for parties see ZB 701/21) of contribution towards work for children and young people | 25 July 1928 |
| 24 | Receipt signed by B Vorley of share of expenses of conference on 13 September 1928 | [1928] |
| 25 | Receipt (as for ZB 701/21) | 30 January 1929 |
| 26 | Statement of accounts [of the Rushden and District Band of Hope Union] February 1928 to April 1929 | [1929] |
| 27 | Printed leaflet of Mrs Susanna Payne and family acknowledging expressions of sympathy following the death of Robert Ponton Payne of Irthlingborough on 5th December 1929 aged 90 years | [1929] |

- 28 Newsletter of the Northamptonshire and North Bucks Temperance and Band of Hope Union 22 July 1930
- 29 Letter of Horace Burrell, Secretary to the above Union to Miss F Denton of Rushden suggesting a Temperance speaker 23 July 1930
- 30 95th "Monthly Message" of the Northamptonshire and North Bucks Temperance and Band of Hope Union September 1930
- 31 Band of Hope Programme No.1 Subject: Kindness and Helpfulness (printed for the above Union)
- 32 Band of Hope Programme No.6 Subject: Mind not what others think but trust in God (printed for the above Union)
- 33 Card giving notice of the Annual Meeting of the Rushden and District Band of Hope Union to be held at the Waverley Temperance Hotel
- 34 Booklet entitled "Nine Points on the Agenda of the Temperance Council of the Christian Churches"
- 35 Form (blank) to be signed to take the 'Total Abstinence Pledge' as part of the "Million More Campaign"
- 36 Pamphlet entitled "A Notable Jubilee. Fifty years work of the Northants Temperance and Band of Hope Union" (Printed from the Wellingborough News September 1906)
- 37 Exercise book containing draft of the 26th Annual Report of the Higham Ferrers, Rushden, Irthlingborough and District B.H.U. 12 November 1906
- 38 Newspaper cutting reporting the 27th annual meeting of the above B.H.U. [1907]
- 39 Exercise book containing drafts of the 38th, 39th and 40th Annual Reports of the Rushden, Higham Ferrers, Irthlingborough and District B.H.U. 1919, 1920 and 1921 The 40th Annual Report contains news of the deaths of two of the founder members of the B.H.U. Mr [C G] Cunnington and Mr J Claridge
- 40 Newspaper article entitled 'These Boys were my Friends. A Sermon from Life by David Kirkwood, M.P.' (from 'The Daily Express' of 9 January 1933)