



Fig. 132. White rhinoceros in Arnhem, from a postcard.

**List of specimens of *Ceratotherium simum* in captivity**

**Part 1: Northern White Rhinoceros (*Ceratotherium simum cottoni*)**

**Al Ain, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates**

*Zoological Park and Aquarium*

F 1973 – 1978 September 12 †  
 'Tofacha' 345-ALA 1  
 Caught in Sudan.

**Antwerp, Belgium**

*Société Royale de Zoologie d'Anvers*  
*Jardin Zoologique*

M 1950 April 7 – 1968 April 13 †  
 'Paul' 015-ANT 1  
 This animal was 20 months old on arrival. It was bought, together with the following female, from the Game Preservation Department, Khartoum, Sudan. The pair was caught in April 1949 near Shambe, Bahr el Ghazal

Province, Sudan, from where it was taken to Juba (Van den Bergh 1955, with 17 figures).

F 1950 April 7 – 1985 August 7 †  
 'Chloë' 016-ANT 2  
 Caught in Sudan (Lindemann 1982: 18, and see previous entry). It was 22 months on arrival. See Fig. 136.

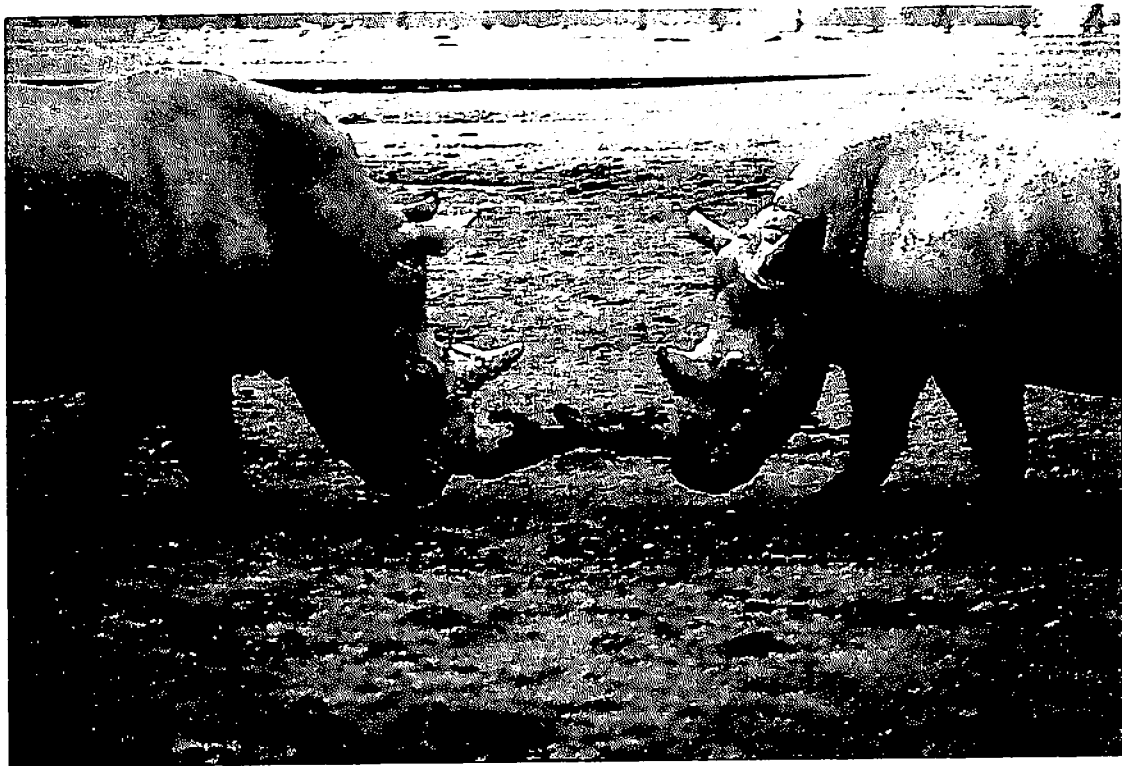
**Dvur Kralove, Czech Republic**

*Zoological Gardens*

The original six specimens imported in September 1975 were captured in the Shambe area of Southern Sudan. Vahala *et al.* (1993) discussed the maintenance and the breeding of this subspecies in Dvur Kralove.

M 1975 September 19 –  
 'Sudan' 372-DVU 12  
 This animal was three years old on arrival.

M 1975 September 19 – 1989 October 13  
 'Saut' 373-DVU 13  
 This animal was three years old on arrival. To San Diego Wild Animal Park.



*Fig. 133. Two white rhinoceros at Whipsnade, 1995.*



*Fig. 134. A pair white rhinos in Mysore, October 1993.*



*Fig. 135. San Diego, 1990.*



*Fig. 136. Female northern white rhinoceros 'Chloë' in Antwerp, October 1972.*

*F 1975 September 19 – 1989 October 13*  
*'Nola'* *374-DVU 14*  
 This animal was about 1.5 years old on arrival.  
 To San Diego Wild Animal Park.

*F 1975 September 19 – 1982 January 4 †*  
*'Nuri'* *375-DVU 15*  
 This animal was three years old on arrival. It  
 died of traumatic shock after falling into a  
 ditch.

*F 1975 September 19 – 1989 October 13*  
*'Nadi'* *376-DVU 16*  
 This animal was three years old on arrival. To  
 San Diego Wild Animal Park.

F 1975 September 19 –  
'Nesari' 377-DVU 17  
This animal was three years old on arrival.

F 1977 August 27- 1992 June 28 †  
'Nasima' 351-PRC 1  
From Prescott. It died when the front horn was trapped between the bars of a restraint chute.

F 1977 November 11 –  
'Nasi' 476-DVU 19  
Born to Nasima (351). The baby was conceived in Prescott with an unidentified male *C. s. simum*.

M 1980 June 8 –  
'Juni' 630-DVU 22  
Born to Saut (373) and Nasima (351).

F 1983 November 15 –  
'Nabire' 789-DVU 23  
Born to Sudan (372) and Nasima (351).

M 1986 August 27 – 1990 June 25 †  
'Ben' 019-LON 1  
From London. It was euthanized due to senile emaciation, when it was about 39 years old.

F 1989 July 11 –  
'Najin' 943-DVU 24  
Born to Sudan (372) and Nasima (351).

F 1991 – 1991 †  
Aborted calf to Sudan (372) and Nasima (351).

### Frejus-St Raphael, France

#### Parc Zoologique de Frejus

The *International Zoo Yearbook* recorded in its 'Census of Rare Animals in Captivity' (Vol. 32 with data from 1992 and Vol. 33 with data from 1993) the presence of one male white rhino of the northern subspecies in this park. No independent information is known and the animal does not appear in studbook (Klös and Frese 1993). However, the *IZY* unfortunately lists quite a number of southern animals as *cottoni*, which will need further attention.

### Hannover, Germany

#### Zoologischer Garten

M 1963 – 1964 September  
'Gus'  
From Kenya, Rumuruti. Caught in Uganda in

1947 and kept by Carr Hartley on his farm in Kenya since that time. The exact date of arrival in Hannover is unknown. It is shown in illustrations in Reynolds (1968, figs. 13, 14) and Dittrich and Rieke-Müller (1990: 142, carrying its keeper Willi Stellmann). To Southampton.

### Kenya

#### Rumuruti: Carr Hartley farm

M 1947 – 1963

'Gus'

Caught by Carr Hartley in Uganda in 1947. Tamed on his farm in Rumuruti. People could safely ride on it. The animal participated in a number of Tarzan movies made in Kenya, and possibly also in other productions. In 1949 Peter Ryhiner paid a visit to Carr Hartley and saw a pair of white rhinos. The male was sold to Hannover in 1963.

F 1947 – (?)

In 1949, Carr Hartley was visited by Peter Ryhiner. The latter saw a pair of white rhinos there, for which Hartley was asking £17,000 (Ryhiner and Mannix 1959: 118). The male had been caught in Uganda and must have been an example of the northern subspecies (see above). It is likely that the female came from the same place, but this is not definitely recorded. The former director of the Basel Zoo, Dr. Ernst M. Lang, was in Rumuruti at the end of August 1952 and saw a pair of white rhinos, said to have been caught two years earlier in Sudan (probably confused with the pair taken to Antwerp in 1950). The price had come down to £12,500. The animals were quite tame, as shown in two photographs published by Lang (1994: 74, 75). The disposition of the female is unknown.

### Khartoum, Sudan

#### Zoological Gardens

#### Wildlife Administration

1949 January 17 – 1949 January 29 †  
Caught near Tonj, in Southern Sudan, when it was about two months old. It was flown to Khartoum with "the intention being to rear it for export". It died of enteritis as described by Thomson *et al.* (1949).

M 1964 April 1 – 1965

To Riyadh.

054-KHM

*F* 1964 April 1 – 1965

055-KHM 2

To Riyadh.

*M* 1970 April – 1978 January 16 †

347-KHM 3

No other particulars known.

*M* 1973 April – 1990 August 12

'Angalifu'

348-KHM 4

To San Diego Wild Animal Park.

#### London, UK

Zoological Society of London

*M* 1955 July 25 – 1986 August 27

'Ben'

019-LON 1

Caught in Uganda (Kelham 1956). To Dvur Kralove.

*F* 1955 July 25 – 1964 †

'Bebe'

Caught in Uganda.

#### Prescot, UK

Knowsley Safari Park

*F* 1971 June – 1977 August 27

'Twink'

351-PRC 1

Caught by Chipperfield in Uganda (Svitalsky *et al.* 1993). It was six years old on arrival. To Dvur Kralove.

#### Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Zoological Gardens

*M* 1965 –

054-KHM 1

From Khartoum.

*F* 1965 –

055-KHM 2

From Khartoum.

#### San Diego, CA, USA

1. San Diego Zoo

*F* 1979 November 8 – 1982 October 26

'Dinka'

074-STL 1

From San Diego Wild Animal Park and returned there.

2. San Diego Wild Animal Park

*M* 1972 April 22 – 1975 May 2 †

'Bill'

027-WAS 1

From Washington (Rieches 1993).

*F* 1972 April 22 – 1979 March 15 †

'Lucy'

028-WAS 2

From Washington.

*M* 1972 August 7 –

'Dinka'

074-STL 1

From St Louis. It was exhibited in San Diego from 8th November 1979 to 26th October 1982.

*F* 1972 August 7 – 1974 August 15 †

'Joyce'

075-STL 2

From St Louis.

*M* 1989 October 14 –

'Saut'

373-DVU 13

From Dvur Kralove.

*F* 1989 October 14 –

'Nola'

374-DVU 14

From Dvur Kralove.

*F* 1989 October 14 –

'Nadi'

376-DVU 16

From Dvur Kralove.

*M* 1990 August 12 –

'Angaliju'

348-KHM 4

From Khartoum.

#### Southampton, UK

Zoological Gardens

*M* 1964 September – 1967 May

'Gus'

From Hannover. Sold to an unidentified safari park in Miami or in Florida. Its further life is not known.

**St Louis, MO, USA***Saint Louis Zoo*

*M* 1957 July 28 – 1972 August 7  
 'Dinka' 074-STL 1  
 Caught in Sudan. It was five years old on arrival. To San Diego Wild Animal Park.

*F* 1957 July 28 – 1972 August 7  
 'Joyce' 075-STL 2  
 Caught in Sudan. It was five years old on arrival. To San Diego Wild Animal Park.

**Washington, DC, USA***National Zoological Gardens*

*M* 1956 September 4 – 1972 April 14  
 'Bill' 027-WAS 1  
 Came from Sudan (dealer Seago), when it was 2.5 years old. To San Diego Wild Animal Park.

*F* 1956 September 4 – 1972 April 14  
 'Lucy' 028-WAS 3  
 Came from Sudan (dealer Seago), when it was 2.5 years old. To San Diego Wild Animal Park.

**Part 2: Southern White Rhinoceros  
(*Ceratotherium simum simum*)****Aalborg, Denmark***Aalborg Zoo*

*M* 1971 June 3 – 1990 March 23  
 'Marius' 163-AAL 1  
 Caught in Umfolozi, imported by W. Delfs, Inc. (Kalahari Safaris). It was two years old on arrival. To South Africa (private ranch: Sun City).

*F* 1971 June 3 – 1990 March 23 †  
 'Nielsine' 164-AAL 2  
 Caught in Umfolozi, imported by W. Delfs, Inc. It was five years old on arrival. It was shipped to Sandton, but died in transit.

*F* 1971 June 3 –  
 'Larsine' 165-AAL 3  
 Caught in Umfolozi (dealer W. Delfs). It was five years old on arrival.

*F* 1971 June 3 –  
 'Hansine' 166-AAL 4  
 Caught in Umfolozi (dealer W. Delfs). It was three years old on arrival.

*M* 1990 March 23 – 1990 August 8  
 'George' 712-PRC 8  
 From Prescott. To Givskud.

**Al Ain, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates***Zoological Park and Aquarium*

*M* 1975 –  
 'Burli' 346-ALA 2  
 Caught in Natal when it was three years old.

*F* 1979 May 7 – 1981 November 8 †  
 'Vanda' 115-DVU 6  
 From Dvur Kralove (via Ruhe in Gelsenkirchen).

*F* 1982 – 1989 October †  
 870-ALA 3  
 Caught in Natal when it was two years old. Died of enteritis.

**Albuquerque, NM, USA***Rio Grande Zoological Park*

*M* 1973 November 27 –  
 'Chukuru' 359-ALQ 2  
 Caught in Natal when it was eight years old.

*F* 1973 November 27 –  
 'Dinka' 358-ALQ 1  
 Caught in Natal when it was seven years old.

**Aldergrove, BC, Canada***Vancouver Game Farm*

*M* 1979 May 1 – 1981 †  
 758-DOS 9  
 From Idaho Falls. According to the 6th edition of the studbook (Ochs 1995), it was transferred to Penticton in 1980 where it died (probably estimated) in 1981.

*F* 1979 May 1 –  
 'Rubbie' 757-DOS 8  
 From Idaho Falls.