

Coach horn, F

Date

1910 ca.

Primary Maker

Swaine & Adeney

Description

Copper (body), German-silver (ferrule, bell rim); one straight conical tube with very little bell flare; no tuning slide. Typical English coach horn, exclusively used with four-in-hand teams, and employed until 1914 on the London to Oxford mail route. Swaine & Adeney became proprietors of Köhler & Son after 1907, specializing in short, straight fox-hunting horns, but also producing the longer coach horn.

Dimensions

Height/Tube length: 878 mm Bore diameter (initial, minimum): 9.2 mm, 8.8 mm Bell diameter: 65 mm