My sister's circus

My sister and brother-in-law, Nell and Toti (1) ..... circus. It is (2) ..... Giffords Circus, and it tours some of the loveliest parts of south-west England. Circuses have always been a part of Nell's life, even when we were children. When she (3) ..... Toti, she had already worked in (4) ..... circuses in Britain and Europe. She had ridden elephants, but what she really (5) ..... for was a circus of her own. If the word 'circus' (6) ..... You of clowns and lions, think again. The show is (7) ..... On traditional travelling circuses and aimed at a rural (8) ..... .

There are no wild animals, but horses play a leading role in performances, which are a mixture of theatre, dance, traditional circus acts and clowns. I had visited Nell at the circus a lot, but this time I was going to (9) ..... The summer here.

1	**A** belong	**B** keep	**C** own	**D** possess
2	**A** called	**B** known	**C** named	**D** titled
3	**A** encountered	**B** knew	**C** met	**D** saw
4	**A** few	**B** number	**C** plenty	**D** several
5	**A** desired	**B** longed	**C** wanted	**D** needed
6	**A** recalls	**B** recollects	**C** remembers	**D** reminds
7	**A** based	**B** built	**C** put	**D** set
8	**A** spectator	**B** public	**C** viewer	**D** audience
9	**A** be	**B** pass	**C** spend	**D** stay

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