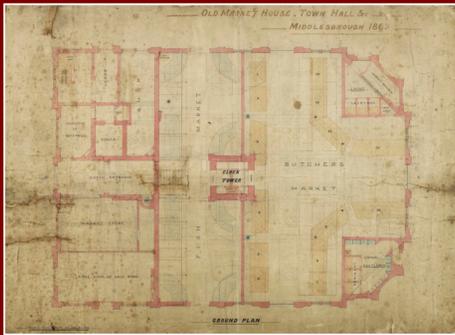


MIDDLESBROUGH OLD TOWN HALL

TIMELINE THROUGH THE YEARS

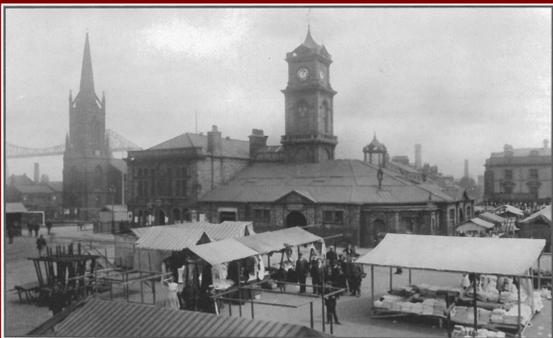
The town of Middlesbrough was developed on a grid iron street pattern

The need for a Town Hall to sit at the heart of the town as a beacon of prosperity was identified



Civic leaders felt that the Old Town Hall was too modest a representation of Middlesbrough's growth

Civic functions moved to the newly opened, grander Town Hall on Albert Road



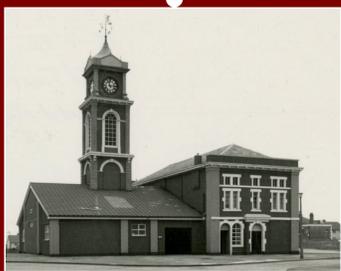
As the town spread south the area of St Hilda's fell into rapid decline

Old Town Hall became a public library & police station



A new health clinic was added

Grade II Listed status awarded by Historic England



Added to the SAVE Britain's Heritage At Risk register

Middlesbrough Council started the process to bid for funding from The National Lottery Heritage Fund

Funding was awarded by The National Lottery Heritage Fund, matched with Town's Fund money

Restoration and redevelopment work began

1829

1843

1845

1846

1877

1889

1912

1930's

1950's

1954

1959

1960's

1970's

1988

1996

2018

2022

2025

2026



William Lambie Moffatt won a competition to design Middlesbrough's first Town Hall

The (Old) Town Hall opened in the heart of Middlesbrough



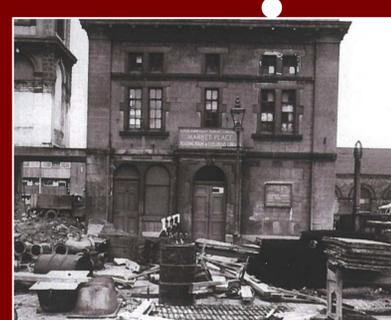
The Market Place remained a centre for civic activities and weekly markets

The Market Hall was demolished and redeveloped



L.S. Lowry captured the building with his infamous 'matchstick men' composition

The former provisions and fish market building was demolished



The Old Town Hall closed and has remained a derelict landmark of historical significance

