

## **John Johnson Collection Actors, Actresses and Entertainers**

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Records and images are on [The John Johnson Collection: an archive of printed ephemera](#)  
(JISC-funded project, partnered by ProQuest).

Additionally, some of this material is available through Adam Matthew Digital. Defining Gender, 1450-1910 <http://www.gender.amdigital.co.uk/> (Section III: Consumption and Leisure).

This section contains two sequences, one for general entertainers and singers (boxes 1-5), and one for actors and actresses (boxes 6-8). Both sequences are arranged alphabetically by the name of the performer, or by the name of the first performer on the item. Most of the items in this box are in the form of music and song titles, autographs, press announcements and miscellaneous ephemera, rather than playbills and programmes.

Extent: 9 boxes

### **Box 1**

#### **General Entertainers (1) – (79)**

Bancroft, Squire and Marie  
Barnum, Phineas T.  
Barrett, T.W.  
Blunt, Arthur  
Brian, Mrs J.F.  
Bridges, F.A.  
Bruton, James  
Chevalier, Albert  
Churcher, Walter  
Clark, Henri  
Clifton, Harry  
Coburn, Charles  
Cole, Walter  
Cowell, Sam  
Coyne, Fred  
Davenport, E.L.  
Dowton, Mr  
Du-val, Charles  
Egerton, Grace  
Emery, Mr

Fawn, James  
Fechter, Charles Albert  
Ford, Nelly  
Franks, Sydney  
French, Fred

## **Box 2**

### **General Entertainers continued (1) – (90)**

Gardoni  
Gilbert, Louie  
Godfrey, Charles  
Grain, Corney  
Grossmith, George  
Heathcote, Arthur M.  
Holland, Fanny  
Hudson, T.  
Hunt, G.W.  
Hunter, G.W.  
Incedon, Mr  
Lauder, Sir Harry (1870 1950)  
Leno, Dan  
Leslie, Fanny  
Leybourne, George (also Hunt, G.W.)  
Lincoln, Frank  
Liston, Harry

## **Box 3**

### **General Entertainers continued (1) – (101)**

Lloyd, Arthur  
Lloyd, Marie  
Loftus, Marie  
Lonnen, E.J.  
MacDermott, G.W.  
Marshall, E.  
Mathews, H.P.  
Mountain, Mrs  
Munroe, Walter  
Murray, Slade  
Nash, John  
Nicholas, Harry  
Palmer, Minnie **see also Strand Programme Dec. 25, 1885**  
Parry, John

Pauer, E.  
Paul, Mr and Mrs Howard  
Poole, Miss  
Power, Nelly

#### **Box 4**

##### **General Entertainers continued (1) – (90)**

Randall, Harry  
Randall, W.  
Raynor Brothers  
Reed, Alfred  
Reed, Mrs German  
Reeve, John  
Reeve, Sims  
Relph, Harry (aka Little Titch)  
Rickards, Harry  
Ricks, P.J.  
Riley, Will  
Ring, Arthur  
Roberts, Arthur  
Robey, George  
Robson, F.  
Rowley, J.W.  
Russell, H. (composer)  
Santley, C.  
Shultz, Ernst  
Smith, Albert  
Stead, J.H.  
Thillon, Anna  
Terry, Edward  
Thurton, R.  
Tilley Sisters  
Torr, Sam

#### **Box 5**

##### **General Entertainers continued (1) – (36)**

Vance, A.G.  
Vesta, Victoria  
Vidocq, M.  
Wigan, Alfred  
Woodin, W.S.  
Yates, Edmund

### **Miscellaneous Female Entertainers (37) – (69)**

Adams, Annie  
Alboni, Mlle  
Atherton, Rose  
Barry, Mrs W.H.  
Bilton, The Sisters  
Bruce, Miss, & Land, Miss  
Dolby, Miss, & Nelson, Miss  
Esmond, Miss Maud  
Florence, Mrs W.J.  
Forde, Miss Florence  
Gilson, Miss Lottie  
Harvey, Miss Rose  
Honey, Mrs  
Horton, Miss P.  
Hurlock, Mrs  
Keeley, Mrs  
Leamer, Miss Alice  
L'Estrange, Miss Nellie  
Love, Miss  
Luscombe, Miss  
Maydue, Miss Alice  
Montrose, Miss Mary  
Nilsson, Mlle Christine  
Rainforth, Miss, & Kemble, Miss Adelaide  
St. George, Miss  
Santley, Miss Kate  
Sherrington, Louie  
Sontag, Mme  
Tunstall, Miss  
Vanoni, Mlle

### **Miscellaneous Male Entertainers (70) – (120)**

Adeane, Frederick  
Bagnell, Sam  
Barrett, T.W.  
Beauchamps, George  
Bignell, Charles  
Bodda, Mr  
Buckland, George  
Campbell, Herbert  
Collette, Charles  
Collins, Sam  
Corney, Arthur  
Coyne, Frank  
Elen, Gus

Fair, W.B.  
Fairburn, George  
Fechter, M.  
Freeman, Harry  
Green, R.  
Grover, Russell  
Hawke, Harry  
Knowles, R.G.  
Lawrie, Charles  
Lewis, Jolly Little  
MacLagan, T.  
Mario, Signor  
Milton, Mark  
Moore, G.W.  
Nolan, Michael  
Ogden, J.H.  
Osbourne, Charles  
Otley, Charles  
Pleon, Harry  
Ransford, Mr  
Rawlinson, John  
Ripon, George  
Rogers, W.  
Russell, Bernard  
Sanson, Charles  
Sealby, Walter  
Solomon, Chas.  
Spurr, Mel.B.  
Squire, Tom  
Starr, Harry  
Steele, Albert  
St. Vincent, Arthur  
Sydney, Harry  
Taylor, James  
Tedder, George  
Templeton, W.  
Vawn, Welford  
Wootwell, Tom

## **Box 6**

### **Actors and Actresses (1) – (122)**

Bannister, John (1760 1836)  
Baxter, Laura

Bernhardt, Sarah  
Betty, William Henry West (Young Roscius, 1791-1874)  
Brunton, Anna (1768-1808)  
Cavendish, Ada (1839-1895)  
Conquest, George (1837 1901)  
Cooke, T.P.  
Dibdin, Charles (1745 1814)  
D'Oyley Carte, Richard (1844 1901)  
Ducrow, Mr  
Fawcett, Mr (fl. 1790s)  
Fontenoy, Diane de  
Foote, Samuel (1720-1777)  
Freer, Mr  
Hartley, Elizabeth (1751-1824)  
Garrick, David  
Gibbs, Mrs (George Coleman the Elder, 1770-1844)  
Glouer, Julia (1781-1850)  
Grist, Mr  
Guilbert, Yvette (1869-1944)  
Hammond, Mr Harley, Mr  
Irving, Sir Henry (1838-1905)

## **Box 7**

### **Actors and Actresses continued (1) – (118)**

Irving, Lawrence  
Kean, Charles (1811-1868)  
Kean, Edmund (1787-1833)  
Kemble, Frances Anne (1809-1893)  
Laidlow, Clara (1861-?)  
Liston, John (1776-1846)  
Lloyd, Edward (Tenor)  
MacReady, Mr  
Marston, Mr  
Mathews, Charles and Charles Jn.  
Millar, Gertie (1879-1952)  
Miller, Joe (1684-1738)  
O'Neill, Eliza (1791-1827)  
Nethersole, Olga (1870-1951)  
Palmer, Mr  
Parsons, Mr  
Pitt, Mr C.  
Quick, Mr  
Rankin, Arthur McKee (1842-1914)

Ryder, Mr  
Siddons, Mrs  
Simmonds, Mr (fl. 1800s)  
Sinclair, Mr  
Stanley, Emma

## **Box 8**

### **Actors and Actresses continued (1) – (23)**

Terry, Dame Ellen (1847-1928)  
Toole, John Laurence (1830-1906)  
Tree, Sir Herbert Beerbohn (1853-1917)  
Vestris, Madame (nee Lucy Eliza Bartolozzi, Mrs Charles Mathew Junior, 1707- 1856)  
Wallack, Mr  
Wallis, Miss Ellen (1856-1940)  
Warner, Charles (1846-1909)  
Williams, Bransby  
Wilkinson, Mr

### **Elocutionists (24) – (36)**

### **Handbell Ringers, Musical Stones etc. (37) – (45)**

### **Minstrels, Choirs etc (46) – (75)**

## **Box 9**

### **Miscellaneous Playbills and Programmes (1) – (14)**

### **Miscellaneous (15) – (36)**

### **Miscellaneous 20th Century (37) – (69)**

Historical note: as a result of improving the housing of this section, in preparation for the ProQuest project, this section expanded from six boxes to nine. In consequence, some old shelfmark references may be incorrect.