

## **John Johnson Collection**

### **Broadsides index**

The broadsides have not been catalogued or digitised, with the exception of Broadsides: Murders and Executions (see below).

Extent:

There are 18 folders of broadsides in the John Johnson Collection (all outside):

Broadside Guides (1 folder)

Broadsides: Italian (3 folders)

Broadsides: Jacobite (1 folder)

Broadsides: Murders and Executions (11 folders + planchest items)

Broadsides: Political Squibs of 1792 (1 folder)

Broadsides: Queen Caroline (1 folder)

### **Broadsides: Guides folder**

Buildings, monuments, tombs, natural features etc.

Towns, cities, islands and countries

### **Broadsides: Italian folders (1 – 3)**

The Italian broadsides consist mainly of edicts issued by local ecclesiastical and political authorities. Many relate to the consumption of salt, meat and flour. Others provide lists of places affected by the plague in seventeenth-century northern Italy. They are arranged chronologically. Most are from Bologna.

### **Broadsides: Jacobite folder**

Various items relating to the Jacobite Rebellions

### **Broadsides: Queen Caroline folder**

General

The Green Bag Plot

Satirical prints and cartoons

Elegies and Obituaries

### **Broadsides: Murders and Executions folders**

These folders have been catalogued and digitised, together with the Crime section.

Catalogue records (only) can be found on the [John Johnson Collection online catalogue](#)

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

Folders 1 to 3 contain calendars of assizes and of prisoners, jury lists and sentences, predominantly of Northumberland (Durham, Newcastle and Morpeth)

### **Folder 1**

#### **Calendars (by county, by date)**

London: Newgate 1723, 1824

London: Old Bailey [1800s]

Buckinghamshire 1845  
Devon 1829  
Hertfordshire 1848, 1849  
Kent [1820s]  
Northumberland: 1802, 1814 – 1825

### **Folder 2**

Calendars (by county, by date)  
Northumberland (cont.) 1826 – 1831

### **Folder 3**

Calendars (by county, by date)  
- Northumberland (continued): 1831 continued – 1837  
Berkshire (Abingdon) 1821  
Oxfordshire 1854  
Stafford[shire] 1828  
Suffolk 1813  
Yorkshire 1758, 1829, 1835

Folders 4 – 12 contain accounts of individual crimes, trials, sentences and executions. *See also* folders 9 – 12 for outsize items

### **Folder 4**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
Allen, George – Clayton, John

### **Folder 5**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
Colley, Mrs – Good, Daniel

### **Folder 6**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
Gould, Richard – Lowton, Joseph

### **Folder 7**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
MacKinlay, Robert – Rush, James B.

### **Folder 8**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
Rush, James B. (cont) – Welsh, George

### **Folder 9**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
Westwood (victim) – Youngman  
Miscellaneous items  
Alphabetical by title/ newspaper

**Folder 10 (Large)**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
Adams, S. – Hunton, Joseph

**Folder 11 (Large)**

Murders and Executions (arranged alphabetically)  
Kilmarnock, Earl of – Youngman, W.G.

Unsolved murders/ Coroners inquests etc  
Calendars/ Reward notices

**Newspapers:**

*Cleave's Weekly Police Gazette*

*The Englishman*

*Leicester Journal*

*Illustrated Times* – booklet about 'The Rugeley Poisonings'

**Folder 12 (3 plan-chest items)**

Murders and Executions oversized

Calendar/ Reward notice: Dorsetshire

Newspapers:

*The Illustrated Police News*: 2 issues. 30 May 1868 and 19 December 1874

*See also* Police and Public security folders. Public Services, Law, Legal folders