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Commerce

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Print: *Commerce*, Ackermann, 1 March 1805
The Royal Exchange
Chambers and Halls of Commerce
Financial Scandals
Money Lending
Creditors’ Associations and Debt Collectors
Universal Code of Commerce

**Box 2**
Export and Import Returns
Various Returns
Corn
Gas and Oil
Mining, general
Coal, Pig Iron, Copper and Lead
The Steel Trade of Sheffield
Wool, Cotton, Linen, Silk, Rayon
The Rochester Oyster Fishery
Special Commission for English Fisheries. Taw and Torridge Fishery District, 1866

**Box 3**
Municipal Trading
Brokers
Trusts and Monopolies
Municipal Ownership

**Box 4**
Early Industries
The Training of Merchants and Salesmen
Great Businesses
Trade Marks and Trade Signs

**Box 5**
Factories
Manufacturing Towns
London Shops
Tribunals of Commerce
Societies and Institutes
First Numbers
Patents

**Box 6**

**Prices Current**

*Etat du Commerce de la Grande Bretagne avec Toutes Les Parties du Monde.* Par Mr. Caesar Moreau, 1824. With slip-case

England: London
England: Liverpool, Newcastle on Tyne
Scotland: Leith and Ireland: Cork
France: Bordeaux, Le Havre, Paris
Holland: Amsterdam, Rotterdam
India: Bombay, Calcutta, Madras
Russia: St Petersburg

**Box 7**

**Prices Current continued**

USA: Baltimore, Charleston, New Orleans, New York, San Francisco
Denmark: Copenhagen
Hungary: Magyar, Petsh
Italy: Genoa, Leghorn (Livano)
Latvia: Riga
Spain: Alicante
Switzerland: Basle

Batavia
Canton
Saigon
Hong Kong
Japan

Buenos Ayres
Rio di Janeiro
Havana

Misc.

**Box 8**

**Company Reports**
Associated Electrical Industries Limited. *Review of the Year* 1951, 1952
A.P.C.M. 1900 – 1950 (Associated Portland Cement Manufacturers Limited)
Blue Circle Group of Companies. *A Review of 1953*
General Electric Co. Ltd., 1951
General Electric Co. Ltd. *Journey round the world*

The Russian Petroleum and Liquid Fuel Company, Limited. Various, 1910. (Not original to the Collection. Found among the estate of Dr. Ethel Seaton, Fellow of St. Hugh’s, Oxford)

**Box 9**

Pamphlets and Periodicals

*Look for the Mark. Don’t shop in the dark.* The National Mark, 1933
Dryad Handicraft Materials. Catalogue and Price-List, 1933
Synthetic Detergents. Unilever Limited, 1953
Wheatley, H.B. *Gerrard Street and its Neighbourhood*, [1904]
Harold Whitehead and Staff Limited. Industrial and Commercial Consultants, [n.d.]

*Optima. A Quarterly Review.*
Volume 1, no. 1 June 1951 – Vol. 1, no. 3, December 1951
Vol. 2, no. 3 September 1952 – Vol. 3 no. 2 June 1953

**Commerce folder 1**

**Official Documents, Acts etc.**


*For the Benefit of Trade.* A true list of the names of persons protected by Ambassadors, and other foreign ministers….London: J. Read in White-Fryers near Fleetstreet, 1712

An Abstact of several clauses in an Act of Parliament passed in the twelfth year of King George the Second, intituled, An act for taking off the duties upon Woollen and Bay
Yarn imported from Ireland to England…. London. Thomas Baskett and Robert Baskett, 1742

Parsons Mayor. Martis 23o die Februarii, 1730 …. Whereas the square piece of Ground at Billingsgate…. Jackson. London: George James, 1731

The Case of the Glass-Makers, Sugar-Bakers, and other Consumers of Coals…. 4 pp., [c. 1739] ESTC t152688

A List of Commodities imported into Ireland, being such as may either raised or manufactured therin, together with their yearly value, taken at a medium for the years, 1734, 1735, 1736. Dublin: R. Reilly on Cork-Hill

Prices Current

Robinson’s Merchant’s Weekly Remembrancer of the Prices of their Goods Ashoar in London, From Monday, March 16. To Monday, March 23. 1712, Number 264,


Cloth Trade

To the Right Honourable and Honourable the Trustees of the Linen and Hempen Manufactures, The Report of John Clarke, December 2, 1783. Printed by Mat. Williamson, [n.pl.]. 2pp. mounted separately

Prices of Weaving. 1st June, 1808. Stockport: J. Dawson, Bridge-Street


Manchester, May 31st, 1808. At a numerous meeting of the Manufacturers of Manchester and the Neighbouring Towns, held at the Bull’s Head this day…. Manchester: C. Wheeler and Son.

To the Manufacturers of Stockport, and the Neighbourhood…. August 17th, 1810. Stockport: J. Dawson

To the Honourable the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in Parliament assembled: - the humble petition of the Woolcombers and other Artisans resident in the Borough of Leicester and its Vicinity, who are at the present time suffering
from the baneful effects of unrestricted Machinery, [after 1825]. Leicester: Hammersley, Union Street


*Burn’s Commerical Glance*, by which merchants, manufacturers, spinners, and others, may, at one view, see the quantity of cotton yarns, and all descriptions of manufactured cotton goods exported from the different ports of London, Liverpool, Hull, Bristol, Goole, and Newcastle-upon-Tyne, during the year 1832

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*Imports, Exports, and Consumption of Raw and Thrown Silk, and of British and Foreign Manufactured Silks*. David Leckie, Silk Broker, Manchester, [1855]

*Sam Mendel’s Table of Exports of Plain Cottons and Yarns, from London, Liverpool, and the Clyde to Hongkong, Shanghai, Singapore, Batavia, and Manila, for ten years, from 1853 to 1862, inclusive*. Manchester, 1st January, 1863, Printed for Sam Mendel by J. Collins & Co., 76, King Street, Manchester

Fabrique de S. Wortman fils et cie. À Barmin (?) duché de Berg. Prix de Rubans et Lacets ….1803. 2pp.

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Act of Council regulating the Straw Market. At Edinburgh…. George Home. 29 August 1740.

Comparative Table Shewing the Price of Wheat in England and Berlin, from 1791 to 1840. Printed & published by J. & A.J. Waterlow, Birchin Lane, London.

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Balance sheets 1846 – 1950

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Away with Old Rags!Gold for Ever!! A letter on Banks from Peter Pry, at Alston, to his Cousin, Bob Fudge, in Newcastle. Alston, Dec. 8th, 1821. Newcastle: Marshall
The Bank Restriction Barometer… by Abraham Franklin, [after 1819], London: Macdonald and Son, 96, Cloth Fair

Belfast Chamber of Commerce: List of member 1908. From papers of Robert Searle (?) MS. Eng. Misc c.531(R0/2-3

The First Move. Chart shewing twelve moves in the establishment of a Works, 1910 (poster)

The Cooperative Pilgrim’s Progress, [after 1876], Manchester, John Heywood, Deansgate and Ridgefield and London, 11, Paternoster Buildings

Cartoons: drawn, etched & published by Richard Dighton

The Golden Ball, May 1819. Published by Thos. McLean (not published by Dighton) View from Guildhall to Cannon St. (1821). Published by Thos. McLean, 1824

King Richard – The Brokers Friend (1822). Published by Thos. McLean, 1824

Coffee’s the Thing – Go it ye Tigers (1823). Published by Thos. McLean, 1824

A Contract (1824). Published by Thos. McLean, 1824

A View at Lloyd after a Stormy Night (1824). Published by Thos. McLean, 1824

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Articles and illustrations

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‘Old London Signs’. Illustrated London News. Dec 13, 1856


London Sketches – No. 1. Interior of a City Warehouse. Illustrated Times, Oct. 27, 1860

‘Broadwood’s Pianoforte Manufactory’. Illustrated London News. Dec. 4, 1858


The Queen’s Visit to Liverpool. Illustrated London News, Sept 11, 1858

The Town and Port of Liverpool. Illustrated London News, April 29. 1865

Manchester from Kersal Moor. W. Wyld pinx. E. Goodall Sculp.

Stephenson’s Locomotive Manufactory at Newcastle-on-Tyne. Illustrated London News, Oct. 15, 1864

Penrhyn Slate Quarry. Illustrated London News, April 17, 1858

View of Saltaire Mills, near Shipley, Yorkshire. Illustrated Times, Oct. 8, 1859
The Petroleum Oil Works at Franklin, Pennsylvania *Illustrated London News*, July 23, 1864


*Interior of the Copper & Brass Works belonging to Wm. & Russell Pontifex, & E. Goldwin.* No. 46, 47, & 48 Shoe Lane. Drawn & publish’d by Pyne & Nattes. I. Hill Aquatinta

Mr. Bessemer’s New Mode of Manufacturing Iron and Steel. *Illustrated London News* Supplement, Sept. 6, 1856


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Botallack Mine, Cornwall. *Illustrated London News*, Jan 6, 1872


London Sketches, no. 6. Bird Fair, Great St. Andrew’s Street, Seven Dials, *Illustrated Times*, May 4, 1861


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*The Financial News*. Jubilee Number. June 14 1897. 2 copies: one with covers, the other lacking back cover

*The Graphic*. A Quarter of a Century of World Progress. 1900 – 1925. January 16, 1926


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*Daily Telegraph*. British Coal Mining Industry. Special Supplement. September 16, 1930

*Atomic Energy*. A Financial Times Survey. April 9, 1956

*Petroleum. A Key Industry of Unbounded Potentialities* by H.G.E. Breville