

John Johnson Collection: pre-1960 ephemera Musicians and Opera Singers

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Extent: 2 boxes

Box 1

Concert and Recital Programs (Vocalists) (1) – (6)

Albani, Emma
Butt, Clara
Lloyd, Edward

Concert and Recital Programs (Instrumentalists) (7) – (13)

Backhaus, Wilhelm
Hall, Marie
Pachmann, Vladimir von
Paderewski, Ignacy Jan
No leading performer specified

Concert and Performance Advertising (14) – (18)

Adamson Family, The
Odell of the Theatres Royal Covent Garden
Rickards London Star Comique Combination, The
Sousa (John Philip) and His Band
Thurton's Odd Folks!

Box 2

Press and Reviews (19) – (20)

Kalisz, Effie
Meister String Quartet, The

Prints (21) – (25)

Lind, Jenny
Lind, Jenny (variant)
Paganini, Niccolò
Swedish Minstrels, The
Vestris, Gaétan

Letters (26) – (27)

Maccabe, Frederic
Salsbury, John

Articles (28) – (29)

Guerdon, Gilbert. 'Street Musicians'. *The Strand Magazine*. Vol 3. 1892. 2 copies

Music catalogues (30)

A Descriptive and Thematic Booklet of The Follies Repertoire composed by H.G. Pélissier. Joseph Williams, Limited, Music publishers, exporters and importers. London

Collectables (31a) – (35i)

Players Past & Present [A Series of 25] numbered cigarette cards issued by John Player & Sons (Tobacco)

- 1 – Sir Henry Irving as Mephistopheles in *Faust*.
- 2 – Sir Squire Bancroft as Captain Hawtree in *Caste*.
- 3 – Mr. J.L. Toole in *Walker*, London
- 4 – Sir George Alexander as Rupert of Hentzau in *The Prisoner of Zenda*.
- 5 – Lady Bancroft as Peg Wolfington in *Masks and Faces*.
- 6 – Sir Herbert Tree as Svengali in *Trilby*.
- 7 – Sir J. Forbes-Robertson as Mark Embury in *Mice and Men*
- 8 – Sir Charles Wyndham as *Davy Garrick*.
- 9 – Cyril Maude as Captain Barley in *Beauty and the Barge*
- 10 – Miss Gertrude Elliott as Peggy in *Mice and Men*.
- 11 – W.S. Penley as Rev. Robert Spalding in *The Private Secretary*.
- 12 – Sir John Hare as Benjamin Goldfinch in *A Pair of Spectacles*.
- 13 – Miss Winifred Emery as Miss Elizabeth Linley in *Dick Sheridan*.
- 14 – Miss Julia Neilson as Nell Gwynne in *Sweet Nell of Old Drury*.
- 15 – Miss Gladys Cooper as Anne in *My Lady's Dress*.
- 16 – Rutland Barrington as Pooh-Bah in *The Mikado*.
- 17 – Henry Ainley as Ilam Carve in *The Great Adventure*.
- 18 – Dennis Eadie in *Disraeli*.
- 19 – Miss Ellen Terry as Marguerite in *Faust*.
- 20 – Gerald du Maurier in *Raffles*.
- 21 – Coquelin in *Cyrano de Bergerac*.
- 22 – Martin Harvey as Sydney Carton in *The Only Way*
- 23 – Fred. Terry as Charles II. in *Sweet Nell of Old Drury*.

- 24 – Lewis Waller in *Monsieur Beaucaire*.
25 – Mrs. Kendal as Mistress Ford in *The Merry Wives of Windsor*.

Gilbert and Sullivan, A Series of 50 numbered cigarette cards issued by John Player & Sons (Tobacco)

- 1 – Casilda. *The Condoliers*.
2 – Don Alhambra Del Bolero. *The Condoliers*.
3 – The Duchess of Plaza-Toro. *The Condoliers*.
7 – Tessa. *The Condoliers*.
8 – The Lord Chancellor. *Iolanthe*.
10 – Queen of the Fairies. *Iolanthe*.
12 – Strephon. *Iolanthe*.
13 – Katisha. *The Mikado*.
14 – Ko-Ko. *The Mikado*.
15 – The Mikado of Japan. *The Mikado*.
16 – Nanki-Poo. *The Mikado*.
17 – Pooh Bah. *The Mikado*.
18 – Yum-Yum. *The Mikado*.
19 – Archibald Grosvenor. *Patience*.
23 – Reginald Bunthorne. *Patience*.
24 – Captain Corcoran. *H.M.S. Pinafore*.
25 – Little Buttercup. *H.M.S. Pinafore*.
26 – Ralph Rackstraw. *H.M.S. Pinafore*.
27 – The Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph Porter, K.C.B. *H.M.S. Pinafore*.
30 – The Pirate King. *Pirates of Penzance*.
31 – Ruth. *The Pirates of Penzance*.
34 – Lady Blance. *Princess Ida*.
36 – Princess Ida. *Princess Ida*.
38 – Mad Margaret. *Ruddigore*.
39 – Richard Dauntless. *Ruddigore*.
40 – Robin Oakapple. *Ruddigore*.
41 – Sir Despard Murgatroyd. *Ruddigore*.
42 – Sir Roderic Murgatroyd. *Ruddigore*.
43 – John Wellington Wells. *The Sorcerer*.
44 – Colonel Fairfax. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.
45 – Dame Curruthers. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.
46 – Jack Point. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.
47 – Elsie Maynard. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.
48 – Phœbe Meryll. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.
49 – Sergeant Meryll. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.
50 – Wilfred Shadbolt. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.

Gilbert and Sullivan, 2nd Series of 50 numbered cigarette cards issued by John Player & Sons (Tobacco)

- 3 – The Duke of Plaza-Toro. *The Condoliers*.
- 8 – Arac. *Princess Ida*.
- 7 – Marco & Giuseppe Palmieri. *The Condoliers*.
- 9 – Florian. *Princess Ida*.
- 15 – The Earl of Mountararat. *Iolanthe*.
- 12 – Melissa. *Princess Ida*.
- 21 – Pooh Bah. *The Mikado*.
- 22 – Yum-Yum. *The Mikado*.
- 28 – Mabel. *The Pirates of Penzance*.
- 24 – Dick Deadeye. *H.M.S. Pinafore*.
- 30 – Old Adam Goodheart. *Ruddigore*
- 36 – Alexis. *The Sorcerer*.
- 37 – Aline. *The Sorcerer*.
- 39 – Dr. Daly. *The Sorcerer*.
- 49 – Leonard Meryll. *The Yeoman of the Guard*.

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- 29 – Major-General Stanley. *The Pirates of Penzance*.
- 36 – Alexis. *The Sorcerer*.
- 16 – Earl Tolloller. *Iolanthe*.
- 17 – Katisha. *The Mikado*.
- 37 – Aline. *The Sorcerer*.
- 13 – Iolanthe. *Iolanthe*.
- 7 – Marco & Giuseppe Palmieri. *The Condoliers*.
- 24 – Dick Deadeye. *H.M.S. Pinafore*.
- 15 – The Earl of Mountararat. *Iolanthe*.