

John Johnson Collection: pre-1960 ephemera Nonsense Illustrated

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Extent: 2 boxes

Box 1

Books

The Poetry of Nonsense by Emile Cammaerts. First Edition, signed by the author January 1926, published November 1925 by George Routledge and Sons Ltd (in separate book wallet)

Comic books (illustrated strips)

The Water Cure, H Barnard, Matlock Bath

The Glass, The Bottle's Companion

Pictures of London, Rock. Brothers and Payn, 11 Walbrook

Mr Paul Province's Week in London, Rock & Co

A Case in Bankruptcy, designed and etched by Watts Phillips, colour, published by D. Bogue

A Case in Bankruptcy, designed and etched by Watts Phillips, black and white, published by D. Bogue

My First Day in Quiet Street designed by Watts Phillips, published by Ackermann London 1851

Geology Familiarly Illustrated by G.M.W and W Belt 1859, published by J B Goodinge [note –illustrations resemble Shock-headed Peter but pre-date it by at least 20 years]

History of Mr Ogleby, The Comical Adventures of Beau Ogleby published by Tilt and Bogue, London

Light from the Lantern of Diogenes, published by Edward Shelton 1850s

Mr. Jobard Histoire de Mr Jobard by Cham, published by Chez Aubert

Other books

The Bal Masque by Count Chicard, Comic Library, W. Kent & Co

Roundabout Rhymes & Roundabout Stories with pictures by CHR, published by Dean & Son

Rummical Rhymes with Pictures to match, published by Dean & Son

The Original Fifteen Gentlemen, Fathers of All Books of Nonsense dug up and reclothed after lying in the Dust for forty years published by Frederick Arnold

A Dish of Gossip of the Willow Pattern by Buz, and plates to match by Fuz, published by Alex. Laidlaw

The Life of a Fairy by Nelson Lee, illustrated by Alfred Crowquill, published by J. & D. A. Darling

A Tale of a Tiger by J S Cotton, 7th Madras Light Cavalry, published by Tilt and Bogue, 1842

An Authentic Account of the Chinese Commission which was sent to report on the Great Exhibition by H Vizetelly

Note: Letter to Dr Johnson dated 20.5.44 accompanying 'Parcel 8' which included the Geology mentioned above. Signature of sender indecipherable

Box 2

Domestic Bliss 6 plates published by D. Bogue colour plates

Domestic Bliss 6 plates published by D. Bogue black & white plates

Domestic Miseries published as colour plates above

Domestic Miseries published as black and white plates above [2]

The Girl who wouldn't mind getting married by Harry Parkes, published Frederick Warne & Co

Leaves from the Memorandum Book of Alfred Crowquill published by Smith, Elder & Co Dec 1 1834

Lights and Shades of Social Life in 8 Plates, published by David Bogue

Comic English Histories with the Startling Story of Tommy and the Lion by Dick Doyle, Pall Mall Gazette Christmas Extra 1885

The Book of the Chronicles of JK by P. A. Le Feuvre, compliments of Georg Gregory [?publishers] Note: seal on back cover

Burlesques by H. M. Bateman, published by Duckworth & Co 1916

Clever Bill by William Nicholson, published by William Heinemann Ltd

'Arry Ballads by E J Milliken, with pictures from Mr Punches Gallery, published by Bradbury, Agnew & Co Ltd