

## **John Johnson Collection: pre-1960 ephemera**

### **Omnibuses**

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### **Box 1**

#### **Timetables: Booklets**

Aldershot & District Traction Co. Ltd. 4th Oct. 1943

Blackpool Corporation Transport Services. Transport Guide, Street Plan and Key.

East Kent Road Car Company. Ltd. Timetables. 19.9. 1954.

Midland Red Time Table. Shrewsbury Area. 8.5.1948

#### **Oxford**

City of Oxford & District Motor Bus Services. Time Table Route Book and Visitors' Guide. 1.7.1942

City of Oxford Motor Services Limited. Official Timetable. 10.7.1955

Bacon's Oxford ABC Railway Guide and Bus Services. No. 552. 1.3. to 13.6. 1965

#### **Scottish**

SMT Edinburgh Bus Service

#### **Illustrations of Omnibuses**

Omnibus Paddington and Regent's Park to the Bank. Printed & Sold by W. Belch

Omnibus. Drawn by T Fairland. Printed by Dean & Munday

The Omnibus. *All Night* . J. Leech

Carte de Visite *Full Inside Mum! Room on the Roof, Mum! Only Like Going Up Stairs Mum!*

Standard Type of London General Omnibus Company's Omnibus from 1857 to 1880. (photograph)

*Omnibus Life in London*. From a Picture by W.M. Egley - in the British Institution. Reproduced in *The Illustrated London News*, June 1st 1859. Another copy, dated June 11 1859.

Puzzle. Marvels of the 20th Century. The Fischer Petro-Electric Omnibus. Puzzle: *Find the Policeman*. Josebury's Birmingham

#### **Postcards**

Postcard. London Life. Omnibus Driver. Rotary Photo, E.C.

London & District Motor Bus Company Limited. Arrow. J. Samuels' Postcard Depots. 150

& 163 Strand, W.C.  
High Street Oxford

### **Prints of London showing Omnibuses**

The Nelson Monument Trafalgar Square. Engraving (porcelain coated) 9 Currier's Hall, London Wall  
Cheapside London, (unidentified)  
Cheapside and Bow Church (unidentified)  
Holborn Hill as it appeared previous to the construction of the Holborn Viaduct  
The National Mercantile Assurance Life Office. Corner of the Poultry (photograph of print)  
Regent Street from the Quadrant. P. Hosmer Pinxt. Bachelier lith. Imp. Lemercier Paris. Lond. Published August 1854 by E. Gambart & Co. 25 Berners St., Oxford St.

### **Scraps**

2 Scraps showing Omnibuses advertising Birn Brothers, London. " 2 Scraps showing Omnibuses, one Bank, the other Oxford Street, Bank  
The Penny Sheets of Mammoth Scraps published by Birn Brothers 27 Finsbury Street London are the most liked, and the best selling."

### **Inventions, Improvements**

Mr Abraham's New Omnibus *The Cosy*. Illustrated article. *Illustrated London News*. 9.2.1856. (3 copies).  
Improved Omnibus. Article (Messrs Adams and Co.). Illustrated article.  
The "Miller" Bus that won the ,100 prize in 1856  
Dr. Tivoli's Patent Omnibus. Illustration only. *Illustrated London News*. 9.6.1860.  
Articles and newscuttings, various, mounted on one sheet  
The Manchester Three-Horse Omnibus: illustration only. I.L.N. 8.3.1856 (3 copies)  
New Patent Safety Omnibus – London District Motor Bus Co. Ltd.  
Road Steamer and Omnibus for the Indian Government. I.L.N. 8.7.1871.

### **Coachwork**

Metropolitan-Cammell Weymann Limited  
Apollo 40 Seater Single Deck Omnibus Coachwork. 2 copies  
Coachwork for London Transport Single Deck Buses & Coaches  
Aurora 56 Seater Double Deck Omnibus Body

### **Articles and Cuttings, Cuttings misc.**

Wilson's Omnibus Procession, the First of May, 1845 (illustrated article). *The Pictorial Times*, 10.5.1845.  
The May Day Start of Wilson's Omnibus *The Favourite*. May 9. 1846  
*Life in an Omnibus* by Leopold Wray. *Reynold's Miscellany*.  
*Omnibus Life in London*. *The Illustrated London News* 11.6.1859  
*The Last Horse-Drawn Bus to Run at Glencoe*. + printed letter *The Last Bus* from Lady Strathcona and Mount Royal. *Country Life*. 30.6.1955  
*New Omnibuses and Cabs* in *The Illustrated London News* 07.9.1853

## **Articles and Pamphlets Relating to London Transport**

*One Hundred Years of the London Omnibus 1829-1929.* Pamphlet. (3 copies).

*Eight Etchings and Some Particulars Concerning London's New Motor-Buses* by Walter M. Keeseey. London 1920.

*Cavalcade of Enterprise. 3 Centuries of Road Passenger Transport.* Issued by the British Omnibus Companies Public Relations Committee

*Overhauling London's Buses.* Article. *Commercial Art.* June 1933

*Tram Conversion Plan. Buses on Further 56 Miles of Route.* Newscutting. *The Times.* 19.9.1951

*London Buses' Tour of Canada. Ottawa's Welcome.* Newscutting. *The Times.* 19.7.1952.

*For the U.S.* Newscutting. *The Times* 1.3.1952.

## **Provincial**

Bury. County Borough of Bury Transport Department Souvenir. 6.5.1935.

Plymouth. *Plymouth Passenger Transport. Seventy Years of Progress. Modern Transport.*

## **Foreign**

*Public Conveyances in Paris.* Illustrated article. *The Illustrated London News.* 25.9.1853

## **General**

Cummings, J.M. *The Rise and Decline of the Railway Bus.* (Omnibus Society).

## **Auctions**

Rymill, Mr., Mile End. Extensive Omnibus Stock. 19.8.1875

## **Advertisements and Timetables**

Omnibus from Paddington to the Bank (G. Shillibeer). [The first in London. 4.7.1829].

Look to your interests. Patronize the Yellow Omnibuses only. Handbill.

Atlas & Waterloo Omnibus Association

London Electric Omnibus Co. Horseless Omnibuses and Cars. May 1896. [in poor condition].

## **London General Omnibus Company**

Correspondence Ticket

Richmond. 27.11.1865

Richmond and Brentford Service. 11.5.1868

Golders Green - St. Albans

London Steam Omnibus Coy. Ltd.. Noteheading. July 1898

Miller's "Eagle" Omnibuses

## **General Guides to London Buses**

ABC Omnibus Guide. London, H. Vickers, 1886

Omnibus Fare & Route Map and Tramway Guide

## **Provincial**

Birmingham. Midland Omnibus Company,  
Southampton. Joseph Hunt's Shirley & Southampton Omnibuses

## **Busmen**

*Buses and Busmen*. Article. *Chambers's Journal*. 9.3.1872 (2 copies)  
*Buses and Busmen*. Illustrated article. [from a Parish magazine inset. Jan 1899  
*Bus Drivers*. Article. *Chambers's Journal*. 28.12.1889

## **Political**

Cambridge University Volunteer Tube and Omnibus Services  
*London Busmen Demand the Right to Live a Little Longer!*. Published by the London  
Busmen's Rank-and-File Movement. 24.4.37. 2 copies.  
Oxford Motor Services. *Why we are on Strike*.  
*The Busmen's Demands*  
*The Oxford Busmen's Strike*  
*Off the Beaten track*. *Oxford up-to-date* (2 copies)

## **War**

Illustration. Women war workers: a 'bus conductor in London, 1917. *The Manchester  
Guardian*. 2.5.1935

## **Tramways and Omnibuses Large Folder (outsize sequence)**

*For Tramways material in this folder see Tramways index*

## **OMNIBUSES**

### **Routes etc**

**Birmingham** General Omnibus Co., Limited. Plan of Routes, n.d.

### **Timetables**

Motor Bus City Services [**Oxford**]. Alteration of Times, 1917. 2 different  
Reduction of Fares (Oxford)

### **Shares**

#### **The London Steam Omnibus Company**

Form of Application for Shares, 2 copies, one with accompanying letter and ticket for free  
trial, 1898

Proof and Prospectus. Proposed Steam Bus Routes from London. July 1898

Prospectus, with accompanying letter. July 1898

## **Illustrations**

*New Omnibus.* HB. Publ. by T. McClean. 20.10.1841

*Breaking up for the Vacation* HB. Publ. by T. McLean. 11.8.1840

*New State Omnibus or the Man Wot is Cad to the Man Wot was Cad to the Man wot Drove the Sovereign*

*Omnibus Race.* HB. Publ. by T. McLean. 9.4.1840

*The Hopposition 'Buses* HB. Publ. by T. McLean. 28.1.1835

*View of the Architectural Improvements in the vicinity of The Bank and the Mansion House.*  
Drawn & Engraved by Thom. Highain.

*Omnibus Life in London* from a picture by Wm Egley in the British Institution. *Illustrated London News.* 11.6.1859