John Johnson Collection: pre-1960 ephemera
Paper Bags

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Extent: 5 boxes

Box 1
Ballads and Rhymes (alphabetical by merchant) (1 – 4* b)
Fancy and Decorative (alphabetical by merchant, untitled – grouped into series and
organised alphabetically by title) (5 – 35)
Royal Arms (alphabetical by merchant) (36 – 42)
Royal Celebrations (by date) (43 – 53)
Shop Fronts (by merchant/ shop name) (54 – 72)
Topographical (by merchant, and misc. alphabetically) (73 – 81)
Transport (by merchant) (82 – 85)

Box 2

Shops (by merchant/ shop name):
Bakers; Confectioners; Tobacconists (1 – 22 c)
Butchers; Dairies (23 – 30), (32)
Caterers (31)
Chemists; photographic department (33a – 36)
Fruiterers; florists; seedmen (37a – 52)
Grocers; Tea Merchants (53 – 63)

Miscellaneous:
Christmas (64 – 65)
Cloth Bags (66 – 73)

Box 3

Miscellaneous continued:
Cloth Bags
Foreign (Czech Republic, France, Germany, Portugal, USA) (
National War Savings Committee
Other (alphabetical by product/ merchant)
Box 4

Bag printers/manufacturers (products and advertisements)
Baldwin’s Trademark patent bag
Diopacks
Robinson of Bristol (alphabetical by company name)
Waltham Bag and Paper Company

Box 5
Various (unsorted)