

John Johnson Collection: pre-1960 ephemera Private Presses B

Ballantyne

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Dobson, William *The Introduction of Printing into Edinburgh*

Edinburgh exhibition 1866. *Printing in the Olden Time at the Ballantyne Press Old Streete.*
Catalogue

New Books published by John Smith & Son, Archibald Constable and Longman, Hurst, Orme & Brown 2pp

Sir Ralph Sadler's State Papers. Announcement on p.4 of Books, lately published in the press, and publishing for John Murray, 32, Fleet Street, London, c. 1812

Books removed to Johnson Books

Wood, Rev James *The life of Sir Walter Scott* [Edinburgh; 1886] = Johnson d.2121

Barnicott and Pearce

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Specimens

Press notices

Catalogues, Prospectuses & announcements

Baskerville, John

Extent: 1 box

Items by John Baskerville

Various items (original & copied)

Items about John Baskerville:

John Baskerville Printer: An exhibition on the occasion of 74th Annual Meeting of the Society of Chemical Industry [Birmingham; 1935]

Brief Catalogue of a unique exhibition .by John Baskerville [Birmingham; 1886] (2 copies)

A Specimen of Baskerville Old Face [Sheffield;]

Various articles

Books removed to Johnson books:

Berners, Juliana (attrib) *The treatyse of fysshynge wyth an angle*. William Pickering, 1827 = Johnson e.3057

Bockwitz, Hans *Baskerville in Letters* [Worcester; 1935] = Johnson c.494 (also Johnson c.555)

Jay, Leonard (ed). *Letters of the famous 18th century printer, John Baskerville of Birmingham : together with a bibliography of works printed by him at Birmingham* [Birmingham; 1932] = Johnson d.2059

Jay, Leonard (ed) *The resting places of the remains of John Baskerville : the thrice-buried printer by Benjamin Walker*. [Birmingham; 1944] = Johnson c.498

Lanston Monotype Co *A specimen of printing letter: designed by John Baskerville about the year MDCCLVII. Recut by the Lanston Monotype Corporation limited for use on the "Monotype"*. [London; 1924] = Johnson d.2060

Lanston Monotype Co. *The Roman & Italic of Baskerville. A Critical Note* [London; 1927] = Johnson c.497

Milton, John *Preface to Milton's Paradise lost written and printed by John Baskerville 1758; with a bibliography of works printed by John Baskerville, compiled by Leonard Jay* [Worcester; 1935] = Johnson c.496

Stone, Leonard *The Versatile Mr Baskerville* [London; 1935] = Johnson d.2058

Batsford (Printers & Publishers)

late C.19th-early C. 20th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Catalogues, Prospectuses & announcements

Book removed to Johnson books:

The House of Batsford 1930 = Johnson e.2857

See also Publishers' Catalogues boxes 6 – 11

Baylis

Baylis & Son Ltd (Trinity Press)

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Compliments slip Ebenezer Baylis & Son, Ltd., The Trinity Press, Worcester

Announcement for a Limited handmade paper edition of the *Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam*. Translated into English verse by Edward Fitzgerald.

Books removed to Johnson Books

Fine Printing. Ebenezer Baylis & Son, 1933. 2 copies = Johnson c.495 (was in Baskerville box 1) and Johnson c.556

Chaucer. Geoffrey *A B C* [Worcester; 1934] = Johnson d.2087

Grey, Thomas *Elegy* [Worcester; 1934] = Johnson d.2086

Irving, Washington Xmas from the sketch book of Geoffrey Crayon. Ebenezer Baylis, The Trinity Press, 1933. (Booklet 2). 2 copies = Johnson d.2088, Johnson d.2341

Jay, Leonard (ed) *Parables...* [Worcester; 1934] (3 copies) = Johnson d.2342-2344
Milton, John *The Hymn of the Morning...* [Worcester; 1935] = Johnson d.2084
The Book of Ruth [Worcester; 1934] = Johnson d.2085
The Sermon on the Mount [Worcester] = Johnson d.3017

Baynard Press (1894–) (Later Sanders, Phillips & Co)

6 & 8 Upper Thames Street. London EC4

Extent: 6 boxes

The items in this section represent an interesting collection of early twentieth century (i.e 1920s-1940s) advertising ephemera from a high quality commercial printing company.

Box 1

Publications:

Armstrong, Anthony 'The story of cocktails as pictured by W. Heath Robinso and described by Anthony Armstrong and seen on the Empress of Britain the world's wonder ship, reprinted from *The Strand* [London;] (2 copies)

Kapp, Edmond X *Minims* [London; 1925]

Murry, Gladstone *Publicity that Pays some observations on how to reduce Advertising appropriations* [London;]

Pope, Jessie *Whose Land? Or some account of the original inhabitants of London* [London]

Rural Industries, Spring Number 1926, Number 2

Space Benn Brothers' Magazine [London; March 1925]

Jobbing Printing (by subject or product):

Alcohol

Business stationery (non-Baynard)

Clothing

Clubs and Societies (Associations and professional)

Education

Einert School of Dance Certificate

Box 2

Jobbing Printing (by subject)

Exhibitions (including 1924 British Empire Exhibition), fetes, fairs etc

Farming and horticulture

Food and confectionery

Formal printing (programmes, menus, dance cards etc)

Box 3

Jobbing Printing (by subject)

Holidays and Hotels
Houses (new developments) and household goods
Industrial products etc
Insurance Companies

Box 4**Jobbing Printing (by subject)**

Marconiphone
Miscellaneous
Sports and athletics goods
Transport: Airlines
Transport: Bicycles and cars etc
Transport: Coaches, buses and trams
Transport: London Transport
Transport: Railways

Box 5 (formerly box 4*)**Jobbing Printing: Transport**

Shipping Lines: General
Shipping Lines: Norddeutscher Lloyd
Shipping Lines: Orient
Shipping Lines: Royal Mail Steam Packet Company
Royal Mail Lines Limited

Box 6 (formerly box 5)

About the Press
Posters
Specimens
Proofs
Business stationery
Calendars

Books removed to Johnson Books

Carson's Book of Nursery Rhymes [London] (4 copies) Johnson d.2345 to Johnson d.2347

Dudley, Roland *Modern Farm Machinery*, [1920-1930?] = Johnson d.3018

Gibbins, Moira & Robert *The Zoo* [London] = Johnson d.4254

Hopwood, Vice-Admiral Ronald *The Ships of Chailey, being a collection of stories and poems* [London; May 1925] = Johnson d.2120

Morton, James *To Young Weavers being some practical dreams on the future of textiles* [London; 1927] (2 copies) = Johnson d.2057, Johnson d.2306

Warner, Frank *The Weavers' Company a short history* [London] = Johnson d.2103

Tales from the new Mabinogion. Baynard Press, 1923 (Proof copy) = Johnson e.2870

Beaconsfield Press: transferred to Private Presses misc box 1

Extent: 1 four-flap folder

Prospectus and specimen pages for the Haggadah by Arthur Szyk [1941] (1 item)

Beaumont – Beaver - Old Bourne

Extent: 1 (small) folder

The folder contains two internal folders: Beaver Press and Beaumont Press, described below
For Old Bourne see Pear Tree Press

Beaumont Press

Beaumont Press (1917-) Cyril W. Beaumont, 75 Charing Cross Road, London, W. C. 2
Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements

Book removed to Johnson Books

Beaumont, Cyril W *The First Score* [London; 1927] = Johnson d.2056

Beaver Press (1917-)

The Beaver Press (1903-1914) Noel H. Rawnsley, Laleham, Staines, and (1907) Sevenoaks, Kent.

The Keswick School of Industrial Arts [1904]

Gowbarrow

Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements

Book removed to Johnson Books

Gorton & Elgar, E *Scenes from the Sagas of King Olaf* [1905] = Johnson d.2356. c.f. 17405
d.63 (3)

Beissert

Beissert, Gunter (German Printer)

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Most of the material in this folder is printed in Germany, some of which contains Nazi symbolism and designs.

General Printing

Correspondence between Beissert and John Johnson (1930s) – removed to Private Press

Correspondence

Bell, John

Extent: 1 box

Macklin, Thomas *Love a la Mode: A Farce* [London; 1743] See also Vet.A.5.e.4255

Items about Thomas Bell

Miscellaneous

Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements, prints

Books removed to Johnson Books

Henniker, John *Two Letters on the origin, antiquity, and history of Norman Tiles* [London; 1744]
= Johnson e.3060

I.I.M (ed) *Amatory Poems from Ancient Authors* [1805] = Johnson e.3059

Manners, Lady *Poems* [London; 1743] = Johnson d.2269 (see also 280 i.230)

Ryder, Thomas *The Maranta or Indian Arrow Root* [Lond; 179] = Johnson d.2270

Shakespeare, William *Cymbeline* [London] = Johnson e.3058

M.adds. 108.f.51 (1)

Various *The World of Poetry Vols I & II* [London; 1788] = Johnson f.2576 (1) and Johnson f.2576 (2)

Bensley & Bulmer

This box no longer exists.

The books have been moved to Johnson Books and catalogued, with the exception of Tod, George *Plans, Elevations and Sections of Hot-Houses, Green-Houses an Aquarium, Conservatories, & c. recently built in different parts of England.* [London; 1807] which is in Horticulture box 2 (*see also* Vet.A6 b.11)

Books removed to Johnson Books

The Enchanted Plants, Fables in Verse [London; 1800] = Johnson e.3062 (see also 280 e.1045)

Eedes, J *Testimony of Faith* [London; 1825] = Johnson d.3230

Montgomery, Grahame & Benger *Poems on the Abolition of the Slave Trade* [London; 1809]
= Johnson c.542

Morritt, J B S *Translations and Limitations* [London; 1802] = Johnson f.2580

Rogers, Samuel *Pleasures of Memory* [London; 1803 & 1806] = Johnson f.2576? and Johnson f.2578 (see also 280 f.2217)

Thurston & Thomas *Religious Emblems* [London; 1809] = Johnson c.541 (see also Douce SS 445)

Birmingham Arts & Crafts

Extent: 2 boxes, shelfmarked Birmingham Arts & Crafts boxes 1 and 3

Box 1

An Occasional Pamphlet Showing Specimens of Work done by Students During Session [1926 – 30, 1934 - 1936]

Work of students

[No box 2]

Box 3

General printing

Birmingham Guild

C.19th - C. 20th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Birmingham Guild of Handicrafts

Shakespeare, William *The Sonnets of William Shakespeaere with decorations by Ernest Treglown engraved on wood by Charles Carr* [Birmingham; 1895] (see also M.adds.95 e.4)

Announcements

General Printing

A & C Black

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements, pre- and post-1900

Blackamore Press (1929-)

C. 20th (1930s)

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements, 1930s

Blackie & Sons (Publishers)

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Rhind, William *The Vegetable Kingdom* [London; 1915] (see also 191.1.114)

Blackie's Literary & Commercial Almanack 1885
Sketches in Water Colours (Series) Part 3 [Glasgow; 1888]
A Reply to 'Caution to the Trade' [1899] (open letter regarding the dispute with Messrs White & Co over Cuthbert Hartington)
Invitations
Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements

See also Publishers' Catalogues box 14

Blades

Blades East and Blades

Extent: 1 (small) folder

General and miscellaneous
Items printed for the 'Caxton Celebrations' 1876
Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements

Blakeney

Blakeney, E H (Printers-Publishers) (1909-)

The Blakeney Press (1909-) Edward Henry Blakeney. 1909, Ely, Cambridgeshire; discontinued 1918-1924; 1924, 17 Edgar Road, Winchester (entry in Ransom)

Extent: 1 (small) folder
C. 20th

Bevan, E R *Collect for Epiphany* [Winchester; 1935]
Blakeney, E H *Hours in a Study* [Winchester; 1944]
Off-prints and Keepsakes
Announcements

Books removed to Johnson Books:

Blakeney, E H *The Song of Deborah & Barak* [Winchester, 1927] = Johnson d.2054
Blakeney, E H *Verses: The Last Road Home* [Winchester; 1943] = Johnson d.2053
Blakeney E H *Between Times* [Winchester; 1944] = Johnson d.2055
Prideaux, W F *A cameo of Provence* [Ely; 1912] = Johnson d.2083

Blue Sky Press (1899-1906)

For The Blue Sky Press (1899-1906) Alfred G. Langworthy and Thomas Wood Stevens; 5430 Lexington Avenue and 4732 Kenwood Avenue, Chicago taken over entirely by the former, January 1903 *see* KELMSCOTT

Boar's Head

Boar's Head Press (1930 -)

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements

Book removed to Johnson Books

Haworth-Booth, Digby *Kleinias, Poems* [Devon; 1932] = Johnson e.2856

For **Bodley Head** *see* **Lane, John**

Bodoni Old & New

Old Bodoni (pre-1900)

New Bodoni (post-1900)

Extent: 1 box

Chronological catalogue of the publications of Bodoni. A.W. Sijthoff. [bookseller] Leyden 1900
Specimen of Linotype Bodoni

Facsimiles of Florentine medical books published by R. Lier & Co. [Florence] found in Bodoni

For Bernard, M. *L'art d'aimer.* Parme, Bodoni *see* Johnson f.2946 (1) (formerly in Children's Books sequence)

Books removed to Johnson Books:

Gray, Mr. *Poems by Mr Gray.* Parma, Bodoni, 1793 (loose boards) = Johnson c.518

Tornieri, Lorenzo *La caccia della lepre.* Parma, Bodoniani, 1802 = Johnson e.2953

Officina Bodoni (Kept as Bodoni box 2)

Officina Bodoni (1923-) Dr. Hans Mardersteig,* 1923, Montagnola di Lugano, Switzerland; 1926, Via San Nazaro 1, Verona, Italy

Extent: 1 box

Publications of Officina Bodoni

Prospectuses, catalogues etc published by Mardersteig [1923 - 1977]

Bohemian Press: transferred to Private Presses misc box 1

Extent: 1 four-flap folder

C. 20th

Muser *Pure Passion's Flame* [Liverpool]

Boydell

Boydell, John (Engraver)

Late C 18th early C.19th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements

Collection of original drawings, possibly by Boydell

Miscellaneous

Bradley

Bradley Press (USA). Will Bradley

C. 20th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Bradley, Will *Suggestions* [USA]

Prospectus *Bradley: His Book* [USA; 1916?] For copy see Johnson d.1606; 1609-11)

Specimens (2 items)

Bremer

Bremer Press (Munich), 1911- (Printer - Publishers)

C. 20th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Various items (mainly catalogues & Prospectuses etc) printed in English, German and Greek.

Book removed to Johnson books

Borchardt, Rudloff Tacitus-Deutschland, 1922 = Johnson d.2097

British Publishers (Various)

Commercial Publishers

C. 20th

Extent: 1 box

Publishers:

Arthur Baker Ltd
Ernest Benn Ltd
Paul Breman Ltd
John & Edward Bumpus Ltd
Jonathan Cape Ltd
Chapman & Hall Ltd
Constable & Co
Eyre & Spottiswoode Ltd
John Hamilton Ltd
Desmond Harmsworth
George G Harrap & Co Ltd
Kegan Paul, trench, Trubner & Co Ltd
Longman's, Green & Co Ltd
Macmillan & Co Ltd
Simpkin Marshall Ltd
Spur & Swift
Miscellaneous unidentified

Bookshops:

Oxford House Book and Picture Shop (London)
Ulysses Bookshop

Book removed to Johnson Books

The Token of Freedom, 1940 = Johnson e.2860

J. Britton

Britton, John

C.19th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Correspondence (removed to Private Press Letters), some letters to Mr. Parker – 1946
Items concerning John Britton (memorials etc)
Catalogues, announcements, titles etc.

Book removed to Johnson Books:

The Britton testimonial. : An account of a public dinner given to John Britton, F.S.A. at the Castle Hotel, Richmond, on the 74th anniversary of his birth, July 7, 1845, with the toasts & speeches on the occasion, a list of subscribers; and an explanatory preface. By T.E. Jones = Johnson d.2366

Broadwater Press: transferred to Private Presses misc box 1

Extent: 1 four-flap folder

C. 20th

Broadwater Press *Palman Qui Meruit Ferat: Sundry Names & Addresses Compiled for Private Circulation Only*....[Herts; 1937-8]

Correspondence removed to **Private Press Correspondence box 1** (see also Alcuin Press)
From H P R Finberg to John Johnson, May 11, 1937

Brooks

Brooks Press

The Brooks Press (1899-) F. W. Brooks, Wirksworth, Derbyshire

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Announcement (1 item) [1921]

Bulmer

Bulmer, William

Extent: 2 boxes

Box 1

Items printed by Bulmer & William Nicol, his successor (arranged chronologically)

Books removed to Johnson Books

Jacobinism, a poem, by John Clarke Hubbard, 1801 = Johnson d.2070

Short instructions for tuning a piano-forte. Written by Musicus Ignoramus, for the use of amateurs more ignorant than himself. With a portrait of the author, 1890 = Johnson e.3258

Pye, Henry James. *Carmen Seculare*, 1800 = Johnson c.558

Spencer, W R. *The Year of Sorrow*, 1804 (Cadell and Davies) = Johnson c.557

Box 2

Biographies

Criticisms and articles about Bulmer

Bibliographies

Miscellaneous

Books removed to Johnson Books

Alcuin. *The Venerable Bede*. 1966 = Johnson e.2892

White, Robert. *Autobiographical Notes*, 1966 = Johnson d.2139

see also Allenholme Press

Burgess of Ramsgate

C.19th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Anon [Untitled privately printed volume of poems] [c.1810]

Circulating Library book plates

Examples, specimens and types

Burns and Oates (& Washbourne)

C. 20th

Extent: 1 (small) folder

Benson, Chesterton, Meynell et al *A Miscellany Christmas Poetry Number* [1915]

Examples of religious work printed in English and Latin

Catalogues, Prospectuses and announcements

Book removed to Johnson Books:

Collingwood, S D *The Prioress's Tale; adapted from Chaucer* [London] = Johnson e.4371

See also Publishers' Catalogues box 18 (Johnson adds)