

Hull History Centre: Cases and Opinions of Counsel sought by the Borough of Kingston upon Hull

C BRY **Cases and Opinions of Counsel sought** **1622-1833**
by the Borough of Kingston upon Hull

Historical Background: Created by the Borough of Kingston upon Hull during the course of business regarding legal issues

Custodial History: Originally in the possession of the Town Clerk, transferred to Hull City Archives

Description: Cases and opinions of counsel sought by the Corporation of Kingston upon Hull relating to various cases.

Note that C BRY/5 appears to be missing.

Arrangement: Largely chronological although some items are out of sequence

Extent: 40 items

Related Materials: C BRA-CBRX, C BRZ

Finding Aids: L.M. Stanewell, Calendar of the Ancient Deeds, Letters, Miscellaneous Old Documents, &c., in the Archives of the Corporation (Corporation of Kingston upon Hull, 1951)

Access Conditions: Access will be granted to any accredited reader

Language: English

C BRY/1	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Admiralty Jurisdiction Opinions of William Goldingham and John Hunt, Doctors of Civil Law, on the Charter rights of the Mayor and Burgesses to the Admiralty of the Humber. Ref no in Stanewell M.55. 1 item	16th cent.
C BRY/2	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Admiralty Jurisdiction Opinion of Thomas Thwenge upon the Admiralty rights and jurisdiction of the town. Ref no in Stanewell M.93. 1 item	c.1590
C BRY/3	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Admiralty Jurisdiction Unsigned opinion. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	16th cent.

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C BRY/4	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Court Procedure in an Action of Trover Opinion of Francis Thorpe concerning a question as to the pleading of a defendant in an action of Trover. Ref no in Stanewell M.138. 1 item	16 Jan 1622
C BRY/5	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Appointment of a Sheriff Opinion of Sir William Dalton, Recorder, on the charter rights of Hull as to being a county and electing a sheriff and the rights of the Mayor and/or Sheriff to nominate the clerk of the Court of Pleas. Ref no in Stanewell M.157. Missing. 1 item	Early 17th cent.
C BRY/6	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Concealed Lands and Manorial Rights /Opinion of Sir William Dalton, Recorder, concerning concealed lands in the town and the manorial rights, &c, of the Mayor and Burgesses. Ref no in Stanewell M.159. 1 item	1635/1636
C BRY/7	Case and Opinion of Counsel: The Castle and Blockhouses Opinion of Robert Mason. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	c.1635
C BRY/8	Case and Opinion of Counsel: The Castle and Blockhouses Opinion of William Lenthall Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	c.1635
C BRY/9	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Woolhouse Dues on Lead Case with opinion of Baron Francis Thorpe. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	c.1657

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C BRY/10	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Woolhouse Dues on Lead Draft case and copy opinion of Baron Francis Thorpe. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	c.1657
C BRY/11	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Woolhouse Dues on Lead Fair copy of case. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	1635
C BRY/12	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Vicar's Salary Rate Copy opinion of Sir Francis Goodricke on the power to distrain for arrears of the Vicar's salary rate and on the disposal of any surplus raised by such rate under provisions of the Act for separating Holy Trinity Church from Hessle. Ref no in Stanewell M.319. 1 item	10 Jul 1665
C BRY/13	Case and Opinion of Counsel: House and Salary for Assistant Preacher Endowed by Sir John Lister Opinion of Philip Langdale concerning the disposal of the house and salary belonging to Sir John Lister's Hospital and concerning the assistant preacher at Holy Trinity Church. Ref no in Stanewell M.335. 1 item	1671
C BRY/14	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Vicar's Salary Rate Opinion of Sir John Boynton on points laid before him as to the assessing, levying, &c., of the Vicar's salary rate authorized by the Act for dividing Holy Trinity Church from Hessle. Ref no in Stanewell M.353. 1 item	13 Sep 1678
C BRY/15	Case and Opinion of Counsel: The Ship Providence Captured by French Privateers Opinion of Dr William Oldy at Doctors Commons, concerning a claim to a ship seized by a French privateer and later retaken by a Spanish man of war and carried into Ostend and there sold, together with a letter from Robert Wilmer to John Bewley, Notary Public at Hull. Ref no in Stanewell M.411. 1 item	13 Dec 1698

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C BRY/16	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Admiralty Jurisdiction Opinion of Thomas Lane relating to the Admiralty jurisdiction of the Mayor and Aldermen. Ref no in Stanewell M.418. 1 item	Mar 1706/1707
C BRY/17	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Avoidance of Woolhouse Dues on Lead Opinion by William Barnard. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	1 Mar 1717
C BRY/18	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Rates for the Repair of Holy Trinity Church Opinion of George Lee as to an assessment laid in the Parish of Holy Trinity for repairs to the church. Ref no in Stanewell M.434. 1 item	12 Feb 1734/1735
C BRY/19	Case and Opinion of Counsel: The Manorial Rights of the Corporation in Hull, Myton and Sutton and the Jurisdiction of the Magistrates within the Castle and Blockhouses Opinion of Cornelius Cayley relative to the manorial rights of the Mayor and Burgesses in the Manor of Myton and a sixth part of the Manor of Sutton, and as to the castle and blockhouses being within the County of Hull and the acting of the Mayor and Aldermen as justices therein. Ref no in Stanewell M.437. 1 item	20 Jun 1739
C BRY/20	Case and Opinion of Counsel: The Salary of the Assistant Preacher at Holy Trinity Church Opinion of N.Fazakerley on the question of the payment of an additional salary to the Lecturer or Assistant Preacher of Holy Trinity Church. Ref no in Stanewell M.442. 1 item	3 Apr 1750
C BRY/21	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Ownership of the Town Walls No opinion, draft case as to the rights of ownership of the Corporation of a site of a bastion outside the North Gate. Ref no in Stanewell M.456. 1 item	n.d.

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C BRY/22	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Ownership of the Haven Opinion of Cornelius Cayley, note that the case is missing. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	12 Jul 1762
C BRY/23	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Water Bailiffs Dues Opinion of Mr. Yorke. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	17 Jan 1765
C BRY/24	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Provision of Dolphins between the South End and Garrison Side Jetties Opinion of R. Beatniffe. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	22 Oct 1778
C BRY/25	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Water Bailiffs Dues Opinions of R. Beatniffe and John Lee. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	26 Jul 1779- 21 Nov 1780
C BRY/26	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Water Bailiffs Dues Opinion by R. Beatniffe. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	26 Feb 1781
C BRY/27	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Water Bailiffs Dues Opinion by R. Beatniffe. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	6 Jan 1785
C BRY/28	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Volume of Summaries Volume containing copies of the following cases with the opinions of R. Beatniffe: i. The appointment of a matron in the Charterhouse, n.d. ii. Conversion from arable to pasture of land Sutton held on Lease, 3 Apr 1775 iii Turnpikes tolls levyable on manure wagons, 16 Feb 1776 iv Assize of bread, 27 Nov 1777 v As BRY 24 and 25 (p.p. 11 and 16) vi Admission of freemen, 7th August 1779, 19 Jan 1780 vii Sale of land to the Dock Co., 30 Nov 1780	1775-1784

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viii Dues on shipping passing under North Bridge,
15 Jan 1781
ix Coal, corn and other meters dues, 19 Dec 1777,
19 Dec 1776
x As BRY 26
xi Powers of the Dock Co. to acquire and sell land,
16 Jul 1781
xii Obstruction of highway and the Old Harbour,
11 Feb 1782
xiii Queries of master builders arising from the act
of 23 Geo.iii, 9 Aug 1784
xiv As BRY 27.
Ref no in Stanewell not known.
1 volume

C BRY/29	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Procedure for Trying a Person Charged with Forgery Opinion of R. Osbourne. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	8 Jul 1797
C BRY/30	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Procedure for Taking the Recognizance of Robert Bradley Procedure for Taking the Recognizance of Robert Bradley, no opinion present. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	31 May 1802
C BRY/31	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Procedure for Taking the Recognizance of Robert Bradley Copy of Bradley's Commitment occurring on 14 May 1802, note that he was discharged 5 Jun 1802. Ref no in Stanewell not known. Access will be granted to any accredited reader 1 item	c.1802
C BRY/32	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Procedure for Taking the Recognizance of Robert Bradley Letter of directions to apprehend Robert Bradley. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	29 May 1802
C BRY/33	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Procedure for Taking the Recognizance of Robert Bradley Statement of John Wrightson in the case against Robert Bradley. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	8 May 1802

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C BRY/34	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Liability of the Barton Ferry to Pay Poor Rates Opinion of John Hullock. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	13 Jul 1816
C BRY/35	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Liability of Corporation Yard and the Barton Ferry to Lamps and Scavenger Rates Opinion of Charles Wray. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	13 Jun 1820
C BRY/36	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Whether the Barton Ferry had a monopoly, with particular reference to a ferry from Ferriby to the river Ancholme Opinion of John Pattison, and letter thereon from W. Parkinson for T.Boyce and Co. of Barton Waterside to Mr. Grayburn, jr. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	7 Jan 1825
C BRY/37	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Whether the Barton Ferry had a monopoly, with particular reference to a ferry from Ferriby to the river Ancholme As C BRY/36 but with reference to a proposed ferry from Barrow to Hull. Opinion of Fred Pollock. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	9 Oct 1826
C BRY/38	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Barton Ferry Fares Case for the opinion of the Recorder C. Cresswell. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	26 Nov 1831
C BRY/39	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Competition from the New Holland Ferry Case for the opinion of the Recorder C. Cresswell. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	24 May 1833
C BRY/40	Case and Opinion of Counsel: Case put by Joseph Page concerning building on land west of King Street, sold to him by the Corporation Opinion concerning the fulfilment of the sale agreement. Ref no in Stanewell not known. 1 item	c.1771