

U DX173

Items relating to Hull

1786-19th cent.

Historical Background:

Items were copied from a scrapbook in the possession of Mr J.G. Blewett

Custodial history:

Donated by J.G. Blewett, Cherry Burton, October 1984

Description:

Photocopies of items relating to Hull taken from a scrapbook still retained by Mr J.G. Blewett

Extent: 9 items

Access conditions:

Access will be granted to any accredited reader

U DX173/1	Poems from 'The Hull Packet' Photocopies. Pages 2, 4, 9 - 12. 6 items	1787-1789
U DX173/2	Hand-bill advertising Mrs. Borthwick of Edinburgh, Practitioner in Physic and Midwifery, at the Rose and Crown, Whitefriargate for 3 months Photocopy. Page 45. 1 item	c.1790
U DX173/3	Hand-bill advertising the uncommon performances of Signior Zamara de Laputa at the Concert Rooms in Dagger Lane Photocopy. Page 46. A practical joke - eg. 'He permits any...to drive a large Cart Nail into each of his Eyes...without the least hurt' 1 item	c. 1790
U DX173/4	'The Hull Humbug', a poem on the credulity of the 'great numbers' who turned up to see the performance as U DX/173/3 Photocopies. Pages 47-48 2 items	c.1790

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U DX173/5	Hand-bill advertising Doctor Puff Stuff Shim Sham Quirko Toangfu, Physician to the Emperor of China, who is coming to Hull with his inestimable secrets of medicine Photocopy. Page 49. Includes a balsam "which by only being rubb'd on the Gums for five Minutes, will cause an entire new Sett of Teeth to sprout up instantly" 1 item	c.1790
U DX173/6	Hand-bill advertising Dr. Holmes, surgeon Photocopy. Page 50. 1 item	c.1790
U DX173/7	Weekly table of current prices of leading articles of commerce (circa 1790) Photocopy. Page 70. Also article on a dinner to celebrate the centenary of the seizure of Hull (4 Dec 1688) for William III 2 items	9 Dec 1788
U DX173/8	Notices advertising Hull grocers, Thomas Whitehead and Newbald and Carlill, disputing the merits of each other's cheeses Photocopy. Pages 73-74. 1 item	1787
U DX173/9	Extract from letter: lectures in Hull by Dr. Katterfelto 'a most surprising philosopher' Photocopy. Page 82. 1 item	12 Oct 1786
U DX173/10	'The Divining Rod: Its use by a Hull man' (John Stears) Photocopies. Pages 86-88. 3 items	19th cent.