A Brief guide to browsing and searching the Irish Bibliography of Press History (IBPH)

Browsing the IBPH

The IBPH can be browsed by adjusting the number of entries by page in the drop down box, top left, and selecting the ‘next’ and ‘previous’ buttons, bottom right.

Drop down box

'Previous' button

'Next' button
IBPH entries can be sorted in ascending or descending order by ‘Author(s)’, ‘Title of Article / Chapter’, ‘Title of Book / Journal’, or ‘Imprint’ by toggling the arrows next to each field title.

### Sort arrows

#### Searching the IBPH

To search the IBPH enter your search term in the Search box, top right.
The search is not case sensitive but it is to accents. It can also be unpredictable on surnames beginning with an apostrophe ‘O’, so for ‘O’Brien’, for example, its best to enter ‘Brien’. As with browsing, your search results can then be sorted using the field arrows and ‘next’ and ‘previous’ buttons.

The search function operates across the various fields, and your results can be narrowed by using multiple terms. There is no specific need to use ‘AND’, ‘OR’ etc.