

ADRODDIAD BLYNYDDOL / ANNUAL REPORT 1952-53

J G FOULKES

1953001

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mrs J G Foulkes, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Three deeds, 1585-1659, relating to properties in Lledrod and Rhiwlas, co. Denbigh, and Faerdre, co. Merioneth (NLW Deeds 551-3).

ABERYSTWYTH GOLF CLUB

1953002

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Liquidator of the Aberystwyth Golf Club Company, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minutes and a share register, 1911-50, of the Aberystwyth Golf Club Company, Aberystwyth.

ANDRE BARBIER

1953003

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Emeritus-Professor Andre Barbier, L.es-L., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Five French works by M. L. Alphonse de Lamartine de Prat (Dept of Printed Books), namely, *Histoire des Girondins* (8 vols., 1847), *Le Conseiller du peuple* (1ere annee, 2e annee, and 3e annee, no. 9, 1849-51), *Le Passe, le present, l'avenir de la Republique* (1850), *Le Civilisateur* 1ere annee, 1852), and *Cours familier de litterature* (28 vols., 1856-1869). The donation also includes some very interesting periodicals, *The University Review*, nos. 1-45 (1905-9), the later review of the same name (vols. 1-15, 17, and odd parts of subsequent volumes(1928-50), *The University Bulletin*, vols. 1-7 (1922-8), *La France Libre*, vols. 1-12 (1940-8), and all that was published of *Le Mercure Musical* (15 mai 1905-1 juillet 1906).

ANDRE BARBIER

1953004

Ffynhonnell / Source

The family of the late Emeritus-Professor J L Andre Barbier, L.es-L., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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The late Professor Barbier's two daughters, Mrs. E. Stonequist, of Saratoga Springs, New York State and Captain Barbier, serving in Germany, acting through his executors, Professor V. C. Morton and Dr E. M. Phillips of the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, gave the Library the opportunity to select books which it required from their father's collection and to preserve them in his memory. About 1,000 volumes were chosen, about three-quarters of them French literary works or works of French literary history and criticism (Dept of Printed Books). The remaining books, mostly in French, are on a variety of topics, chiefly history, philosophy, art and the French language. The value of the collection to the Library lies largely in its 370 volumes of nineteenth and twentieth century French literature, including sets of Becque, Claudel, Gide, Maeterlinck, Martin du Gard, and Romains. Other noteworthy items in the collection are *Larousse du XXe siecle*, *Hatzfeld and Darmesteter's Dictionnaire general*, *Damourette and Pichon's Des mots a la pensee*, J. Plattard's edition of *Montaigne*, A. Lefranc's edition

of Rabelais, eighteenth-century editions of Lesage, D'Ancourt, Fontenelle, and Brantôme, several volumes in the 'Bibliotheque de philosophie contemporaine' series, and E. Faure's Histoire de l'art.

SIR H IDRIS BELL

1953005

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir H Idris Bell, C.B., O.B.E., D.Litt., F.B.A., Aberystwyth.

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Two German works on Greek history (Dept of Printed Books): Geschichte des hellenistischen Zeitalters, von. J. Kaerst, Bd. I (1901), and Geschichte Alexanders des Grossen, von. J. C. Droysen (1877).

A copy of the donor's Presidential Address delivered to the British Academy on 12 July 1950. Re-printed from Proceedings of the British Academy, Vol. 36 (Dept of Printed Books).

Onoma: Bibliographical and Information Bulletin, Vol. 2 (Louvain, 1951) (Dept of Prined Books).

BRITISH RECORDS ASSOCIATION

1953006

Ffynhonnell / Source

The British Records Association.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Deeds and documents, 1584-1822, relating to properties in Aberedw, Evenjeobb, Old Radnor, and Presteigne, co. Radnor, Erethlyn and Escorebrill, co. Denbigh, and Criggion, Hurdley and Machynlleth, co. Montgomery (BRA 833).

A D BROWNE & C T SELTMAN

1953007

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr A D Browne, M.A., A.M.I.C.E., Queen's College, Cambridge.

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A copy of a beautifully illustrated work entitled A Pictorial history of the Queen's College of Saint Margaret and Saint Bernard, commonly called Queen's College, Cambridge, 1448-1948 (Dept of Printed Books). The donor was joint author of this work with C. T. Seltman, and the gift is particularly welcome as the Library was not entitled to a copy under the terms of the Copyright Act.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

1953008

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, University of California, Berkeley, California.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Mrs M L Butler, Leatherhead.

University of California Publications in Modern Philology, Vol. 36, Nos. 1-5 (Berkeley, 1952), and five offprints from Vols 35 and 36 (Dept of Printed Books).

CAMBRIAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

1953009

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Cambrian Archaeological Association, per Professor T Jones Pierce, M.A., F.S.A., Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript copy, in two portfolios, of a recently-compiled index to Archaeologia Cambrensis. This work will be of inestimable value both to readers and to members of the staff.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTION, WASHINGTON

1953010

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Carnegie Institution of Washington.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Copan ceramics: a study of southeastern Maya pottery, by John M. Longyear. Washington, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

Year Book, No. 51 (July 1 1951 - June 30 1952). Washington, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

SIR JOHN CECIL-WILLIAMS

1953011

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir John Cecil-Williams, M.A., LL.D., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A copy, specially bound in red leather, of A History of the Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion and of the Gwyneddigion and Cymreigyddion Societies (1751-1951), by R. T. Jenkins and Helen M. Ramage, 1951 (Dept of Printed Books).

GRACE ANN CHAPPLE

1953012

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Grace Ann Chapple, Portland, Oregon, U.S.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Good fellows all. A simple chronicle of the White Ensign Club, Portland, Oregon, November 1942 to July 1945. By the donor. Portland, USA, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES, NEW YORK

1953013

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, Columbia University Libraries, New York.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Inflation, its causes, consequences, cures. New York, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

Final Report of the American Assembly on Inflation. New York, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

Inflation. New York, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

CYFARTHFA

1953014

Ffynhonnell / Source

Captain Geoffrey Crawshay, D.L., LL.D., Llanfair Court, Abergavenny.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A number of letters addressed to Robert T. Crawshay, 1880-1911; an engagement book of Robert T. Crawshay, 1881; and a large number of invitations to various social functions, etc., 1880-4; a copy of the will of Robert T. Crawshay (senior), 1879, and papers concerning the executorship thereof, 1879-1905; documents relating to Crawshay Bros. and the Merthyr Tydvil Local Board, 1892-5, the Glamorganshire Canal Company, 1893-9, and Vanhalog and Cribben du Minerals, 1907-8; a directors' report, 1898; accounts relating to the Robert Town Estate, 1893-1902; plans of the Brickyard, Cyfarthfa Works, 1893, of the Cyfarthfa New Works, 1901, and of the properties of the Crawshay Brothers, 1902; printed documents concerning Crawshay Bros and the Merthyr Tydvil Corporation Water Board, 1911, and the Rhymeny Valley Water Board, 1911; the defence of Crawshay Brothers, Ltd., against the company of Proprietors of the Glamorganshire Canal Navigation, 1899; and a bound volume of documents relating to the Cyfarthfa Iron and Steel Works and Cyfarthfa and other collieries, 1862-83.

A collection of early Christmas and New Year cards dating from about 1880 to the first years of the present century (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Merthyr Tydfil, Rhymney

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

C H CRICKMAY

1953015

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr C H Crickmay, Calgary, Canada.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Nomenclature of certain Devonian brachiopods, by the donor. Calgary, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

NATIONAL COMMISSION, CUBA

1953016

Ffynhonnell / Source

Comision Nacional Organizadora de los Actos y Ediciones del Centenario y del Monumento de Marti, Cuba.

Blwyddyn / Year

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El Marti que yo conoci, por Blanca Z. de Baralt. La Habana, 1945 (Dept of Printed Books).

Marti, hombre, por G. de Quesada y Miranda. La Habana, 1944 (Dept of Printed Books).

Marti en Santo Domingo, por E. Rodriguez Demorizi. La Habana, 1953 (Dept of Printed Books).

El Presidio politico en Cuba. La Habana, 1953 (Dept of Printed Books).

Constituciones de la Republica de Cuba. Academia da la Historia de Cuba, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

FRIENDS OF THE NATIONAL LIBRARIES

1953017

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Peter Davies, Cheriton, Folkestone (per The Friends of the National Libraries).

Blwyddyn / Year

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Two useful works of Napoleonic interest (Dept of Printed Books): A Narrative of Napoleon Buonapart's journey from Fontainebleau to Frejus in April 1814, by Count Truchsess von Waldburg,

translated from the German (2nd ed., 1816), and The Historical and unrevealed memoirs of the political and private life of Napoleon Buonaparte (2nd ed., 1819).

PER DENEZ

1953018

Ffynhonnell / Source

M Per Denez, Rennes, France.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A copy of St. Matthew in Breton, entitled An Aviel hervez Sant Mazhe, troet gant an Tad Medard kapusin ha Maodez Glanndour. Studi hag Ober, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

PENLLE'RGAEER

1953019

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lady K M Dillwyn-Venables-Llewelyn, Llysdinam, Newbridge-on-Wye.

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Letters to Captain Richard Gwyn (Customer of Swansea) . . . from Elizabeth, his wife, in the year 1677 . . . by G. G. Francis. Swansea, 1875 (Dept of Printed Books).

A Romance of the ancient monastery of Neath . . . By Thomas S. Sutton. Neath, 1878 (Dept of Printed Books).

Report from the Select Committee on the administration of justice in Wales: with an appendix. 2 vols. 1871 and 1829. (The last work is on deposit with the Penlle'rgaer Collection of Family Papers.)

SIR GEORGE CORNEWALL LEWIS

1953020

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Douglas F Duff-Gordon, Bt., Kington.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A terra-cotta bust of Sir George Cornwall Lewis (1806-63) of Harpton Court, Radnorshire (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

SIR IFAN AB OWEN EDWARDS

1953021

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Ifan ab Owen Edwards, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Al Liamm. Tir na n-Og. Nos. 25-6, 28-35, 37. Lannion, 1951-3 (Dept of Printed Books).

Cummeay Shirveish Ashoonagh. Ayns chengey ny mayrey Ellan Vannin. Purt-ny-Hinshey, 1951 (Dept of Printed Books).

Contemporary Irish Painting. An exhibition organised by the Cultural Relations Committee of Ireland. North America, 1950. Dublin, 1950 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

ABERYSTWYTH NATIONAL EISTEDDFOD CROWN

1953022

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Local Executive Committee of the Aberystwyth National Eisteddfod, per Mr Dafydd Morris Jones, B.A., General Secretary.

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The Aberystwyth National Eisteddfod (1952) Crown, which had been presented by 'Siop Jack Edwards' (Miss Megan Edwards Hughes), Aberystwyth, but the award of which was with-held owing to lack of merit (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

W J ELLISS

1953023

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W J Elliss, F.R.S.A., Aberdaron.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Three considerable gifts of printed books (Dept of Printed Books), among them being a number of works of agricultural interest, including a copy of Richard Jones's Peasant rents, being the first half of an essay on the distribution of wealth and on the sources of taxation (New York, 1895), works on the study and teaching of Welsh, about thirty music pamphlets, and Welsh topographical works and guide books.

Three water-colour drawings of Welsh scenes by A. Pery Knox Gore (c. 1900) and two by Isabel Pery Knox Gore (1929 and 1930), Hafod Lon, Llandegfan, Anglesey (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

CHARLES J ERASMUS

1953024

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Charles J Erasmus, Bogota, Colombia.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Las Dimensiones de la cultura, by the donor, 1953 (Dept of Printed Books).

HENRY RICHARD

1953025

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend H R Evans, Broadhempston.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A journal of a tour in North Wales by Henry Richard (NLW MS 15498B).

HANES GWYNFE & CYFRIFON BLAENCENNEN

1953026

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J LI Evans, Gwynfe.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Notes and materials for a history of the Congregational churches of Jerusalem and Capel-y-Maen, Gwynfe, Carmarthenshire.

Account books, 1869-1920, of Blaen Cennen farm, Gwynfe.

J D EVANS, ABERYSTWYTH

1953027

Ffynhonnell / Source

Squadron-Leader J Morgan Evans, c/o Royal Air Force, Redbrae, Prestwick, Ayrshire.

Blwyddyn / Year

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About thirty works mostly of a theological nature, but including some classics of French literature (Dept of Printed Books); and a few photographs (Dept of Pictures and Maps). They belonged to the donor's father, the late Rev J. D. Evans, MA, pastor of Tabernacle Welsh Presbyterian Church, Aberystwyth.

FARRAR, STRAUS & YOUNG

1953028

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Farrar, Straus and Young, Inc., New York.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Shakespeare's Hamlet, and Shakespearean Studies and other essays, by Max Hulmer. New York, 1950-2 (Dept of Printed Books).

The New Barbarian, by Winthrop Palmer, New York, 1951 (Dept of Printed Books).

Lone and level sands, by Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney (Dept of Printed Books).

DR HENRY FIELD

1953029

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Henry Field, Florida, U.S.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Caves and rockshelters in southwestern Asia, by the donor (Dept of Printed Books). (Reprinted from the 1951 National Speleological Society Bulletin, No. 13.)

LOUIS H GRAY

1953030

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor Louis H Gray, New York, per The Reverend Silas M Harris.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Biblical citations in Latin lives of Welsh and Breton saints differing from the Vulgate, by the donor (Dept of Printed Books). (Offprint from Traditio, Vol. 8, 1952.)

JOHN GRIFFITH

1953031

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John Griffith (per Mr R E Edwards), Dolgelley.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Nineteen deeds, 1701-1891, relating to properties in the parish of Dolgelley, co. Merioneth, and in particular to Callestra (NLW Deeds 554-73).

Mynegai

Dolgellau

UNIVERSITY OF HELSINKI

1953032

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Principal, University of Helsinki, Finland.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Alma Mater: l'Universite de Helsinki. 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

PIERS THE PLOUGHMAN

1953033

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Secretary, The John Hopkins Press, Baltimore, U.S.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A copy of what will probably prove to be the definitive edition of one of the manuscript redactions of 'Piers the Plowman'. The book, entitled Piers the Plowman: a critical edition of the A-Version, with introduction, notes and glossary, is the work of two American scholars, Thomas A. Knott and David C. Fowler, and was published at Baltimore in 1952 (NLW Facs 210A-B).

DAVID RHUFON JONES

1953034

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W Hopkins, Cymmer.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscript poems, sermons, and addresses by the late Rev David Rhufon Jones, Cymmer (NLW MSS 16898C, 16899B, 16900C, 16901-2B).

OWEN L HUMPHREYS

1953035

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs A M Humphreys, Maerdy.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

'Geirfa Gymreig-Seisnig y Pysgotwr' (NLW MS 15493E) and 'Anglers' Vocabulary' (NLW MS 15494E), by the late Owen L. Humphreys.

HIGH COMMISSIONER OF INDIA

1953036

Ffynhonnell / Source

The High Commissioner of India, India House, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The March of India, Vol. 5, Nos. 1-3 (1952-3) (Dept of Printed Books) .

Kashmir, Vol. 2, No. 26, and Vol. 3, No. 1 (Dept of Printed Books).

INDIANA UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

1953037

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, Indiana University Library, U.S.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Senilis amor. Edited and translated by L. J. Mills. 1952 (Humanities Series, No. 27) (Dept of Printed Books).

Studies in Cheremis folklore. Vol. I. Ed. by T. A. Sebeck. 1952 (Folklore Series, No. 6) (Dept of Printed Books).

Motif-index of early Irish literature, by T. Peete Cross. 1952 (Folklore Series, No. 7) (Dept of Printed Books).

WILLIAM JAMES, LLANDDEWI BREFI

1953038

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr William James, Llanddewi Brefi.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Eight works typical of the lay scholar's reading a generation or two ago (Dept of Printed Books). They deal mainly with general and Welsh history. Two others are examples of early popular encyclopaedias.

DAVID EDWARDS, GILFACH GLYD

1953039

Ffynhonnell / Source

His Honour Judge G Kirkhouse Jenkins, Q.C., Bath.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Letters addressed to the donor's grandfather, David Edwards of Gilfach Glyd, by Lord Aberdare, 1877, and Thomas Thomas of Cefn Pennar, 1877-84 (NLW MS 16393C).

DR IORWERTH HUGHES JONES

1953040

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Iorwerth Hughes Jones, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Six volumes chiefly of homiletic works, together with a parcel of programmes and announcements of events in Swansea and the neighbourhood (Dept of Printed Books).

JENKYN JONES, COLWYN BAY

1953041

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Canon Jenkyn Jones, M.A., Llandrillo Vicarage, Colwyn Bay.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

About twenty volumes of English theological works of the late seventeenth and early eighteenth centuries (Dept of Printed Books).

J R JONES, LIVERPOOL

1953042

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J R Jones, Liverpool.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume of correspondence and accounts, 1946-50, relating to the publication and distribution of the donor's book, *The Welsh Builder on Merseyside* (NLW MS 15414D).

J S JONES, BRONWYDD

1953043

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J S Jones, Bronwydd.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Fourteen deeds, 1749-1897, relating to properties in the parish of Nantcwnlle, co. Cardigan (NLW Deeds 574-90).

J W JONES

1953044

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr. J. W. Jones, Blaenau Ffestiniog.

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A group of notebooks containing sermons and poetry by Rev R. R. Morris, with notes on the history of Tabernacle C.M. Church at Blaenau Ffestiniog; a diary for 1891; and an ode, 'Awen', by Robert Owen Hughes ('Elfyn').

A short essay on Merioneth worthies by 'Atgof uwch Angof'. The author had personal knowledge of the American activities of some of the persons included in his essay.

The autobiography of Robert John Davies, 'Barlwydon', transcribed by his brother William Davies, 1924.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

RHYS JONES, YSBYTY YSTWYTH

1953045

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Rhys Jones, Ysbyty Ystwyth, Cardiganshire.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Y Gwiliedydd: newyddiadur wythnosol annibynnol. Rhifau 53-95, 97-104. Trelew, Patagonia, 1930-1 (Dept of Printed Books).

VINCENT JONES

1953046

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Vincent Jones D.D., Emporia, Kansas, U.S.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A copy of a work of particular value for the history of Welsh religious activities in the USA. It was written by the donor and is entitled *The Saga of the Welsh Congregational Church, Lawrence Street, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1840-1952*. It was published at Emporia in 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

COMMITTEE OF ENQUIRY ON CHARITABLE TRUSTS

1953047

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs K W Jones-Roberts, O.B.E., Ffestiniog.

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Papers, 1950-2, concerning the 'Committee of Enquiry into the Law and Practice relating to Charitable Trusts' of which the donor was a member. They consist of memoranda issued and records of oral evidence, with indexes thereto, and miscellaneous additional items including notes on members, printed reports, and particulars of certain parochial charities in cos. Merioneth and Anglesey.

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LIBRARIES

1953048

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, University of Kentucky Libraries, U.S.A.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Balkan Village, by Irwin T. Sanders. Lexington, 1949 (Dept of Printed Books).

A KURVINEN

1953049

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss A Kurvinen, B.Litt., Dr.Phil., Helsinki, Finland.

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Disgrifiad / Description

An offprint of the donor's article on MS Porkington 10 published in Neuphilologische Mitteilungen, 54 (1953) (Dept of Printed Books).

TIMOTHY LEWIS

1953050

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Timothy Lewis, M.A., Aberystwyth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A reprint, from Zeitschrift fur romanische Philologie (Vol. 44), autographed by the author, of Untersuchung uber das gegenseitige Verhaltnis von Chrestiens Conte del Graal und dem kymrische Prosaroman von Peredur (Dept of Printed Books).

A R LLEWELLIN-TAYLOUR

1953051

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr A R Llewellyn-Taylor, M.A., F.R.S.A., London.

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Six books, including a comprehensive edition of the Germania of Tacitus, with text and critical notes by H. Conringius (1652) and several dissertations on the early Germans by the editor, H. W. Pape, H. I. Blume, and C. Ulric, and the first and second parts of William West's Symboleography, dated 1631 and 1627 respectively (Dept of Printed Books).

A miscellaneous collection of seven modern English works (Dept of Printed Books).
A file of correspondence and papers of the Penn-Gray Society, 1930-5, relating to the purchase of property surrounding Stoke Poges church.
Papers relating to Blackdown and Tennyson's Lane, 1935.

MARTIN DOCUMENTS

1953052

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John A Lloyd, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript copy of a calendar of Martin Documents (NLW MS 15413D).

UNIVERSITATSBIBLIOTEKET, SWEDEN

1953053

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, Universitetsbiblioteket, Lund, Sweden.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Attacks upon two Swedish aircraft over the Baltic in June 1952. Stockholm, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

Acta Universitatis Lundensis. Nova series. Vol. 37. 1951. Lund. 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

E ROSATE LUNN

1953054

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs E Rosate Lunn, Brixton Hill, London, per Mrs W Coombe Tennant.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Glyn Tawe, Nos 1-3, three small volumes of English verse by the donor (Dept of Printed Books).

F F MADAN

1953055

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr F F Madan, M.A., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two groups of valuable and interesting English works of the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries, and a copy of The History of Scotland written in Latin, by George Buchanan, faithfully rendered into English (London, 1690) (Dept of Printed Books).

Three groups each containing about ten books (Dept of Printed Books). The donor has waived his right to receiving a detailed catalogue of his gifts, and is satisfied with a bare acknowledgment of the receipt of the parcels. None the less, all his gifts are valuable, consisting as they largely do of well-known works of English history, biography and literature of the period immediately preceding the granting of the 'Copyright' privilege to the Library.

MINISTERIO DE EDUCACION NACIONAL, MADRID

1953056

Ffynhonnell / Source

Ministerio de Education Nacional, Madrid.

Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
Revista de Archivos, Bibliotecas, y Museos. Tomo 58, No. 1. Madrid, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

CHARLES MAYER

1953057
Ffynhonnell / Source
M Charles Mayer, D.-es-Sciences, Paris.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
Man, mind or matter? By the donor. Translated and with a preface by Harold A. Larrabee. Boston, 1951 (Dept of Printed Books).

IWAN MORGAN

1953058
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Iwan Morgan, M.A., Abergavenny.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
A commonplace book with extracts and notes alphabetically arranged by Canon J. T. Harding; journals of J. T. Harding, 1856-8, 1881, 1886-7, 1890; a diary of Mrs J. R. Harding, 1906; a game book, 1906; and an archery score-book, 1885-93.
A group of thirty-six drawing books containing pencil sketches by Patty Harding (formerly Rolls, of Hendre, Monmouthshire) and other members of the Harding family, 1850-1905, albums containing photographs of Hendre, Pentwyn, and other houses and churches in Monmouthshire, and portraits of members of the Rolls of Hendre and Harding of Pentwyn families, c. 1870-1915, a sepia drawing of Civitella, near Subiaco, Italy, by Penry Williams, signed and dated 1831, miscellaneous aquatint, stipple and other engravings (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Half-a-dozen printed works of a large scope of interest (Dept of Printed Books). They include a Swedish dictionary, a Russian work on Kashgara, a French work on sociology and a copy of Mills's Zarathustrian Gathas.
Norske malere og billedhuggere, I-III, af Jens Thiis. Bergen, 1904.
Maleren Thomas Feanby, af Sigurd Willach. Oslo, 1932.
An album entitled 'Sketches in Norway, 1859', and containing thirty-five water-colour sketches of landscapes in Norway and a title-page decorated in pen-and-ink. It bears the book-plate of Joseph Russell (1840-1906), first baron Glanusk, of Glanusk Park (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

JOHN TREGEAR

1953059
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr R Morton Nance, St. Ives.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
A transcript of BM Addl MS 46,397, being thirteen homilies translated into Cornish by John Tregear (NLW MS 15412C).

NEW YORK STATE UNIVERSITY

1953060
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Librarian, New York State Library.
Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
State of New York. Public papers of Thomas E. Darcy, fifty-first Governor of the State of New York, 1950. Albany, 1953 (Dept of Printed Books).
The Clays and shales of New York State. Albany, 1951 (Dept of Printed Books).

MCALPIN COLLECTION OF BRITISH HISTORY AND THEOLOGY

1953061

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, Union Theological Seminary, New York.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Catalogue of the McAlpin Collection of British history and theology. Compiled and edited by C. R. Gillet. Vols 1-5. New York, 1927-30 (Dept of Printed Books).

THE NUFFIELD FOUNDATION

1953062

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Secretary, The Nuffield Foundation, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

The Nuffield Foundation: review of the first ten years 1943-1953. Oxford, 1953 (Dept of Printed Books).

OWEN PARRY, LLANEGRYN

1953063

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Owen Parry, M.A., Llanegryn.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A book of precedents of declarations and other legal documents, by Henry Hughes, 1798 (NLW MS 16874A); a book of sermon notes and extracts by G. Hughes (NLW MS 16876B); an account book kept by a Congregational minister in Lley, 1849-74 (NLW MS 16879A); a notebook containing miscellaneous petitions and letters taken from newspapers, 1844-9 (NLW MS 16880A); counterfoils of receipts of customs dues at the port of Amlwch, 1859-60 (NLW MS 16878A); an account book of a quarryman at Penrhyn Quarry, 1903 (NLW MS 16877B); land tax assessments for the hundreds of Uchgorfai and Isgorfai, Caernarvonshire, 1783 (NLW MS 16875B); and a file of early nineteenth-century broadsides of Anglesey and Caernarvonshire interest (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

WILLIAM PHILLIPS

1953064

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend William Phillips, M.A., Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript copy of an essay- 'Ymdriniaeth fer ar effaith diwydiannaeth ar ddiwylliant Cymru'- for which the donor was awarded a prize at the National Eisteddfod held at Llanrwst, 1951 (NLW MS 16725E).

D H I POWELL

1953065

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D H I Powell, South Wales Evening Post, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Two numbers, dated respectively 20 May and 15 July 1861, of The Cambria Daily Leader, together with a typescript note by the donor on the history of the paper, and a copy of The South Wales Evening Post, 30 May 1951, containing an article on the same subject (Dept of Printed Books).

B R REES

1953066

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr B R Rees, M.A., U.C.W., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

The Defensor Civitatis in Egypt, by the donor Warsaw, 1952. (Offprinted from The Journal of Juristic Papyrology, Vol. 6, 1952) (Dept of Printed Books).

EDWARD T ROBERTS

1953067

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Edward T Roberts, Riverside, Christchurch, New Zealand.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A Brief record of our family, by the donor. Riverside, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

ABERYSTWYTH CORN AND GENERAL MARKET CO

1953068

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir George Fossett Roberts, C.B., O.B.E., D.L., LL.D., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Records, 1870-1922, of the Aberystwyth Corn and General Market Co. Ltd.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION, CANADA

1953069

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J E R Ross, International Boundary Commission, Ottawa, Canada.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Joint report upon the survey and demarcation of the boundary between Canada and the United States from Tongass Passage to Mount St. Elias. Ottawa, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

CLDC IMEX, ROUMANIA

1953070

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Secretary, C.L.D.C. Imex, Bucarest, Roumania.

Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
Enemies of peace and freedom of the peoples . . . Bucarest, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

DICTIONARY OF AUSTRALIAN BIOGRAPHY

1953071
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Dora B Serle, Hawthorn-E2, Victoria, Australia.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
Dictionary of Australian biography, by Percivale Serle. 2 vols. Sydney, 1949 (Dept of Printed Books).

EVENING CANTICLES FOR MEN'S VOICES

1953072
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr C F Simkins, The Cloisters, Windsor Castle, per Mrs W Coombe Tennant.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
A privately-printed score of settings of the Evening Canticles for men's voices, written by Lodovico Viadaba and C. M. Nanini (Dept of Printed Books).

'A DETECTION OF THE DEVILS SOPHISTRIE' BY STEPHEN GARDINER

1953073
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Dorothy A Smith, Milnrow, nr. Rochdale.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy, unfortunately imperfect, of a celebrated Catholic controversial work of the sixteenth century entitled A Detection of the Devils sophistrie, wherewith he robbeth the unlearned people of the true byleaf in the blessed Sacrament of the aulter, by Stephen Gardiner, 1546 (Dept of Printed Books).

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

1953074
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Director, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description
Smithsonian Miscellaneous Collections, Vol. 117, Nos. 13, 17, 18; Vol. 121, No. 2. Washington, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).
Annual Report of the Regents of the Smithsonian Institution for 1951. Washington, 1952 (Dept of Printed Books).

KUNGL-BIBLIOTEKET, STOCKHOLM

1953075
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Librarian, Kungl.-Biblioteket, Stockholm.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53
Disgrifiad / Description

School and psychology: a report on the research work of the 1946 School Commission . . . by J. Elmgren (Dept of Printed Books).

Principales publications historiques parues en Suede 1939-1945, par Ake Stille. Stockholm, 1951 (Dept of Printed Books).

SWEDISH INSTITUTE FOR CULTURAL RELATIONS

1953076

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Secretary, Swedish Institute for Cultural Relations, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Theatre and ballet in Sweden, by Gustav Hillestrom. Stockholm, 1953 (Dept of Printed Books).

DOUGLAS J TAYLER

1953077

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Douglas J Tayler, Usk.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

The donor was with an expedition to the northern tributaries of the Amazon, and he has now presented to the Library an interesting collection of nine books produced by the Roman Catholic missionaries working among the Amerindian tribes. These books include a Tokano grammar in Spanish, a Tokano-Spanish dictionary, and religious works in Tokano and others of the indigenous languages (Dept of Printed Books).

M TENNEY

1953078

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs M Tenney, Hindhead.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Letters from Sir John Gibson to Robert Davies Roberts, 1878-1911; press cuttings from The Cambrian News; and the warrant of appointment of R. D. Roberts as High Sheriff of Cardiganshire.

Correspondence, 1878, between R. D. Roberts, Lord Aberdare, Edward Breese, David Davies, T. C. Edwards, Sir Lewis Morris, Sir Hugh Owen, John Robertson, Evan M. Richards, F. W. Rudler, and O. Williams, concerning the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth.

SIR D LLEUFER THOMAS

1953079

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Literary Executor of Sir Daniel Lleufer Thomas, per Professor David Williams, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Professional and personal records of Sir Daniel Lleufer Thomas (1863-1940), barrister-at-law, stipendiary magistrate for Pontypridd and Rhondda. They may be classified as follows:

I. Autograph letters addressed to D. Lleufer Thomas and to his wife between 1893 and 1940. Among the writers are J. Romilly Allen, Lord Amulrie, Sir Edward Anwyl, T. W. Barker (Diocesan Registry, Carmarthen), S. Clarke Bowen (Llwyngwair Security Co., Wall Street, New York), John Stuart Corbett, Lord Davies of Llandinam, George M. Ll. Davies, J. H. Davies, J. Park Davies, Dr Mary Davies, D. Miall Edwards, Sir Owen M. Edwards, William Edwards (Chief Inspector, Central Welsh

Board); T. P. Ellis (Dolgelley), Principal Ifor L. Evans, J. Gwenogvryn Evans, Sir Samuel T. Evans, Sir Vincent Evans, J. Fisher (Cefn), D. Lloyd George, Lord Gladstone of Hawarden, Dr C. A. H. Green, Professor E. Tyrrell Green, Mrs A. J. Hughes-Griffiths, Edward Griffith (Dolgelley), H. M. Hughes (Cardiff), T. Rowland Hughes, Ann G. Jenkins (Morris Run, Pa., USA, aunt of D. Lleufer Thomas), Sir J. Hills-Johnes (Dolaucothi), Sir D. Brynmor Jones, D. M. Jones (Brisbane, Australia, one of the founders of the Dafydd ap Gwilym Society at Oxford), Principal H. Stuart Jones, T. Gwynn Jones, Tom Jones (Trealaw), M. H. Jones, Rees Jenkin Jones, W. Garmon Jones, W. Jenkyn Jones (Quimper), Sir J. Herbert Lewis, Ellis Lloyd, M.P., Sir John Edward Lloyd, Lord Merthyr, Gwennlian E. F. Morgan, Rev Herbert Morgan, Judge Trevor Morgan, Sir Lewis Morris, T. E. Morris (Portmadoc), Edward Owen (India Office), Isambard Owen, John Owen, bishop of St. Davids, Egerton Phillimore, Principal Thomas Rees (Bala-Bangor), Stuart Rendel, Llywarch Reynolds, [Lady] Elsbeth Rhys (Oxford), Judge Bryn Roberts, Principal T. F. Roberts, and Mrs Roberts, Elenor A. Thomas (Morris Run, Pa., USA, niece of D. Lleufer Thomas), William Thomas (Brynmaen, father of D. Lleufer Thomas), Sidney Webb, David Williams (bishop of Huron, afterwards archbishop of Ontario), H. Cernyw Williams, and W. R. Williams (Talybont, Brecknockshire).

Among the great variety of subjects discussed are the Royal Commission on Licensing, 1929-30; the Royal Commission on Tithe Rent Charge, 1934; the vice-chairmanship of the Glamorgan Quarter Sessions, 1929-33; the possibility of emigration of unemployed miners to Canada, 1928; the Llewelyn Williams Memorial Tablet Fund, 1936-7; the National Testimonial to D. Miall Edwards, 1933; news of American relatives; researches into the lives and family histories of Henry Vaughan (Silurist), Robert Holland (Prendergast), Thomas Evans, ('Tomos Glyn Cothi'), Thomas Williams (1778-1835; 'Gwilym Morgannwg'), Thomas David Llewellyn ('Llywelyn Alaw'), etc.; the compilation of biographies of Thomas Edward Ellis, M.P., Sir John Williams, and Principal T. F. Roberts; the whereabouts of the manuscripts of Rev Moses Ellis (1798-1866), Mynyddislwyn; the use of the Welsh language in the law courts; the activities of the Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion, the Welsh Bibliographical Society, etc.; unemployment; public health; medical education; church architecture; the selection and training of police recruits; and numerous legal and educational appointments. The group also includes two letters relating to members of the family of Evans in the United States of America, written to James Rees, Aberaman, by Elinor Evans, Catasquan, Lehigh, Pa., 1873, and by Thomas Evans, Hammonton, Atlantic Co., N.Y., 1874.

II. Personal and family records. These include:- diaries of Sir D. Lleufer Thomas and Lady Lleufer Thomas, 1892-9 (8 vols); a volume of expenses 'during my Oxford Course', 1883-6; a testimonial from Sir John Rhys, 1890; a draft biography of D. Lleufer Thomas [by Edgar L. Chappell, Rhiwbina]; a copy of an address to him by the Joint Board of Legal Education for Wales, 1914; tributes paid to him on the occasion of his death; a 'Book of Genealogies' of the family of Gething; notes (with photographs) on the family of Evans of Gwernogle; 'Achrestr Teuluaid Cefnhendre [ger Llandeilo]', 1879, with later additions; and 'englynion i Miss Thomas Cefn Hendref' in the hand of Robert Parry ('Robin Ddu Eryri'), 1879.

III. Material relating to the history of Llandovery College, and especially to the life of Archdeacon John Williams (1792-1858), the first warden.

IV. Lectures, addresses, and articles on 'Y Mudiad Gwerinol yng Nghymru yn y Ddeunawfed ganrif', 'A Layman's View of the Training and Vocation of a Minister' (delivered to the students of Brecon Memorial College), 'Hymns - their History and Place in Literature', 'Some Prominent Welsh Lawyers of the Tudor and Stuart Periods', 'Law and Lawyers', 'Puritan Playwrights', 'The Domestic and other Minor Industries of Wales', 'Some Carmarthenshire Collectors of Welsh MSS', 'Welshmen and the First Folio of Shakespeare's Plays', 'Y Sessiwn yng Nghymru', 'The Brutus Legend', 'Sir Lewis Morris', 'The History of the Social Movement', etc. There is also a bibliography of D. Lleufer Thomas and lists of unpublished writings and lectures by him.

V. Notes and extracts relating to:- trade union strikes in Wales from 1831; Nonconformity in Swansea; Carmarthenshire chapels; admissions to Gray's Inn; ancient tenures in Wales; Carmarthenshire manors; St. David's College, Lampeter; 'Local Antiquities and Curiosities' (Taliaris Chapel, Maes Llanwrthwl, Llanfynydd, Talley, etc., and 'Manion yn nghylch Tomos Glyn Cothi'); the pedigree of Bowen of Court House, etc., co. Glamorgan; biography and bibliography; etc.

VI. Miscellaneous printed and typescript documents acquired by virtue of public offices. They include the Reports of the Commission of Enquiry into Industrial Unrest, 1917; Memorandum of Evidence submitted by the Welsh Board of Health to the Departmental Committee on the Welsh Language, [1927]; Memorandum in support of the Appeal of the University College of South Wales and Monmouthshire for an increased grant for the teaching of Welsh, 1929; Prospectus and other papers of the South Wales and Monmouthshire Record Society, 1929-30; papers and cuttings relating to the

proposed Glamorgan County History, 1930-1; proof sheets of George Owen: Description of Pembrokeshire, Vol. IV, with MS additions; Coffa Dau o Enwogion Cymru, being a programme of an unveiling ceremony at Pontypridd in memory of Sir Edward Anwyl and E. T. John, together with a draft of an address delivered by D. Lleufer Thomas, 1933.

VII. Pamphlets and offprints of articles by D. Lleufer Thomas, e.g., The Regional Treatment of Housing and Development Problems in South Wales, 1919, and The Development Planning of Town and Country (with Professor Patrick Abercrombie), 1924.

VIII. Press cuttings relating to:- D. Morgan Thomas: Urijah Rees Thomas (1902); the Report of the Commission of Enquiry into Industrial Unrest in Wales, 1917; the Report of the Royal Commission on Police Powers and Procedure, 1929; the Dafydd ap Gwilym Society at Oxford, 1891; the death of T. E. Ellis, M.P., 1899; the jubilee of Tabernacle CM Chapel Aberystwyth, 1930; the Llandoverly College annual dinner, 1935; etc. There are also cuttings of reviews of The Letters of Olive Schreiner, 1876-1920 (1924).

Mynegai
Dogellau

J LUTHER THOMAS

1953080

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend J Luther Thomas, Pontarddulais.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The manuscript of the hymns of Mary Owen arranged by W. Penllyn Jones (NLW MS 15489C).

ABERYSTWYTH AND ABERDOVEY STEAM PACKET COMPANY

1953081

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr James Thomas, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A register of shareholders of the Aberystwyth and Aberdovey Steam Packet Company, 1885-99 (NLW MS 16896E).

UNIVERSITETSBIBLIOTEKET, SWEDEN

1953082

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, Universitetsbiblioteket, Uppsala, Sweden.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Skrifter Utgivna av Kungl. Humanistiska Vetenskapssamfundet i Uppsala. Vols. 39 and 40 Uppsala, 1950-3 (Dept of Printed Books)

VENEZUELAN MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

1953083

Ffynhonnell / Source

Ministerio de Education, Caracas, Venezuela.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Andras Bello. Obras completas. 5 vols. Caracas, 1951-2 (Dept of Printed Books).

LESLIE WATKINS

1953084

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Leslie Watkins, Pontrhydfendigaid.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of early Christmas cards and valentines and a nineteenth-century album of views of the Aberystwyth district (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

WELLCOME RESEARCH LABORATORIES

1953085

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Director, Wellcome Research Laboratories, Beckenham, Kent.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of reprints from medical and scientific journals (Dept of Printed Books).

CHESTER AND NORTH WALES AUDIT ACCOUNTS

1953086

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Bailey Williams, Port Dinorwic.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Audit accounts of Chester and North Wales, 1789-91 (NLW Amryw Box 11/7).

DAVID WILLIAMS, ABERYSTWYTH

1953087

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor David Williams, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Materials collected for a dissertation in candidature for the Doctorat d'Etat entitled 'La critique du Regime Seigneurial dans la litterature politique en France au XVIIIe siecle', by Irene M. Fothergill (afterwards Mrs David Williams).

GEORGE WILLIAMS, PORTHCAWL

1953088

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr George Williams, Porthcawl.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two volumes from the Aberpergwm library labelled 'Welch Papers. Bib. Hall. 150/151', containing papers of the family of John Walters of Llandough, the Welsh lexicographer (NLW MSS 15415-6E).

PETER WILLIAMS ('PEDR HIR')

1953089

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W U Williams, M.A., Rhewl.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A group of manuscripts and papers of Rev Peter Williams ('Pedr Hir', 1847-1922), eisteddfodwr, poet, playwright and Welsh Baptist minister at Abergele, Tredegar, and Bootle successively.

HUGH LLOYD PARRY

1953090

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr H L Willoughby, Darlington.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscript reminiscences of Wales by Hugh Lloyd Parry (1865-1950), O.B.E., B.A., LL.B., B.Sc. (NLW MS 15491C)

WILSON AND RANDALL

1953091

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Carroll Atwood Wilson, per The Friends of the National Libraries.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Thirteen author collections of the nineteenth century and five centuries of familiar quotations, edited by Jean C. S. Wilson and David A. Randall. 2 vols. New York, 1950 (Dept of Printed Books).

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, GENEVA

1953092

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Secretary-General, World Health Organization, Geneva.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Epidemiology and control of endemic syphilis. By E. I. Grin (Dept of Printed Books).

Malaria terminology. By Sir Gordon Covell, P. F. Russell, and H. N. Swellengrebel. Geneva, 1953 (Dept of Printed Books).

H G WRIGHT

1953093

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor H G Wright, M.A., F.R.S.L., Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

The first English translation of the Decameron (1620), by the donor. Uppsala, 1953. (Essays and Studies on English Language and Literature, Vol. 23) (Dept of Printed Books)

D R THOMAS: DAVIES AND SALESBURY

1953094

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

The author's interleaved copy, with manuscript additions and notes, of D. R. Thomas: Davies and Salesbury (NLW MS 15417D).

'POOR ROBIN' AND FARMING ACCOUNTS

1953095

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

An interleaved copy of Poor Robin, 1679, with farming accounts by John Williams of Cadoxton, near Neath, 1686-1732 (NLW MS 15418A).

D RHYS PHILLIPS

1953096

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A large group of manuscripts, letters, and miscellaneous papers from the library of the late D. Rhys Phillips, Swansea, one-time Librarian of the Welsh Department of the Swansea Public Library, one of the founders and the first honorary secretary of the Welsh Bibliographical Society, and honorary secretary and editor of the Celtic Congress.

I. Materials towards a history of the vale of Neath. They include:- transcripts of the vestry books of Neath, 1807-15, and Llantwit-iuxta-Neath, 1822-6, 1866-1914; extracts from the letter-books of Alfred Fox of the Neath Abbey Coal Co., 1820-58; a list of machinery and plant at the Neath Abbey Iron Works, c. 1875-6; a letter-book of Thomas Lloyd Davies, Swansea, shareholder and agent of the Ynisarwed Resolven Collieries Co., Ltd., 1875-7; a printed report and a statement of accounts of the Vale of Neath Railway, 1850, 1862; 'Historical essay on the hamlet of Blaengwrach' (1850), by 'Penry'; 'Hanes yr Annibynwyr yn Nghwmgwrach' (1891) by Wm. T. Morgan ('Gwilym Alaw'), Rhigos (transcript); materials towards a history of Bethania Baptist Church, Resolven, including an anonymous incomplete history and notes by John Davies, minister from 1883 to 1889; notes by David Hughes ('Alvin') on his ministry at Bethania Calvinistic Methodist Church, Glyn-nedd, from 1904 to 1917; a short list of local dialect words; and transcripts of letters from D. Rhys Phillips to Charles Ashton, Dinas Mawddwy, J. H. Rowland, Neath, etc., 1893-7, relating to Neath printers and antiquities.

II. Materials towards a history of Swansea, including some papers and notes from the libraries of two former historians of the borough, George Grant Francis and William Henry Jones. Among them are:- extracts from borough records, 1622-1814, and from customs records, 1710-93; notes on printers and a short-title list of pamphlets and broadsides of local interest; two volumes of transcripts (one by Principal David Salmon, Swansea Training College, and the other by D. Rhys Phillips) of deeds in the Royal Institution of South Wales, Swansea, relating to the Swansea Unitarian (originally Presbyterian) Church, 1657-99, and an essay by D. Rhys Phillips on the history of the church, a draft case of the corporation of Swansea touching the claim of the Duke of Beaufort to the freehold of a room in the Old Town Hall, 1853; and printed addresses presented on the opening of the Swansea South Dock, 1859.

III. Numerous draft essays by D. Rhys Phillips on 'Cerddorion Cymru', 'Y Ddraig Goch yn hanesyddol a thraddodiadol', 'Bywyd a Gwaith Joseph Harris ('Gomer')', 'Hanes Gorsedd y Beirdd o'r flwyddyn 1858'; Evan Bevan, Pontneddfechan; 'Casgliad o Dribannau Morgannwg'; etc.

IV. Articles, talks and addresses by D. Rhys Phillips on a wide variety of subjects, e.g., 'The Romance of the Vale of Neath', 'Prydyddion Cyloch Abertawe', 'Cymdeithas Gymreig Abertawe', 'Swansea and Gowerland', 'Melincwrt Falls and its neighbourhood', 'Balladists of Glamorgan and Gwent', 'Some Aberpergwm Letters', 'Tales of the Glamorgan Coast', 'Cofio Beirdd y Cymoedd', 'Old Welsh Names', 'Old Welsh Recipes', 'Some Old Welsh Toasts', 'Old Welsh Clockmakers', 'Medical Men of Early Wales', 'Welsh Proverbs', 'Welsh Explorers', 'Welsh Highwaymen', 'Welsh Witches', 'Welsh Gypsies', etc., etc.

V. Welsh and English poetry by D. Rhys Phillips, 1891-1933; 'Juvenilia' by him, c. 1890, being notes on Welsh place-names and Welsh philology; and an inscribed presentation copy to T. J. Williams, M.P., of D. Rhys Phillips: The Celtic Countries: Their Literary and Library Activities (1915), with numerous press cuttings relating thereto.

VI. Some 3,600 letters addressed to D. Rhys Phillips.

VII. Personalalia of D. Rhys Phillips, including diaries, 1895-6, and a memorandum book, 1926-30; and two scrapbooks containing press cuttings of articles and notes by or relating to him.

VIII. Material relating to the Welsh Bibliographical Society, including the constitution adopted in 1906, with suggested emendations in the hand of T. Shankland, J. Fisher (Cefn), and J. Glyn Davies; bibliographical notes and queries by D. Rhys Phillips, and additions by him to the printed catalogue of the Cardiff Welsh Library (1898).

IX. Material relating to the printing of *Y Beibl Cyssegr-Ian* (1908), of which D. Rhys Phillips was editor. It includes query slips issued to Dr. J. Cynddylan Jones, Whitchurch, and Rev D. C. Edwards, Llanbedr, respectively South Wales and North Wales district secretaries of the British and Foreign Bible Society; proof-sheets containing corrections by Sir John Rhys and others; and holograph letters from J. Cynddylan Jones and D. C. Edwards.

X. Material relating to the publication by the Board of Education of *A Nation and its Books* (1916), including galley proofs with additions and corrections by [Sir] Alfred T. Davies, [Sir] D. Lleufer Thomas, Ernest Rhys, Arthur I. Ellis (British Museum), etc.

XI. Correspondence, printed material, and press cuttings relating to *Gorsedd y Beirdd* and to various meetings of the Cornish Gorsedd, Breton Inter-Celtic Festivals, and the Celtic Congress.

XII. Material (extracts, notes and draft articles) relating to Ilston Baptist Church and especially to the memorial tablet unveiled there in 1928.

XIII. A small group of original and copy deeds and documents, including deeds relating to Neath Abbey Iron Works, 1818, and Neath Abbey Coal Co., 1865-74 (transcripts), and to properties in Neath, Lantwit, Resolven, Langevelach, Swansea, and Oystermouth, 1637-1855; records of the manors of Pennard, Clase Langevelach, Oystermouth, and Kilvey, 1840-2; a terrier of Machynlleth, 1791 (typescript copy); etc.

XIV. Ten manuscript music books containing hymn-tunes, anthems, psalm-tunes, and a few Welsh national airs (NLW MSS 14362-73). A number of these books were written during 1820-44 by David Richard, Blaengofiarth, Llansawel, later of Bryn-crach, Llanycrwys, and others by Thomas Owens, Troedrhwiwsarnau, Llanfair Clydogau, 1830, members of the family of Williams of Caeglasau, Llanfair Clydogau, 1834-46, and Morgan Morgans, Baylie, Cellan, 1844-6. Accompanying the volumes is a brief but very interesting biographical note by William Morgan, Rhydlydan, near Pumpsaint, 1886, and another on David Richard, Bryn-crach, who was well known in West Wales as a vocalist and peripatetic teacher of music. The group also contains a copy of Thomas Davies ('Trithyd'): *Y Blwch Cerddorol* (Merthyr, 1854) with some MS. additions.

XV. An extensive collection of the poetry of D. J. Llewelyn ('Talnant'), Swansea (died 1942), partly holograph and partly in the form of press cuttings and reprints. The group includes a scrapbook entitled 'Tannau Telyn Talnant', inscribed on the inside front cover and flyleaves with autographs secured at the National Eisteddfodau at Neath, 1934, and Caernarvon, 1935.

XVI. Welsh, and some English, poetry by 'Dewi Nedd', 1848, 'D.D.', 1850, Hywel Cernyw Williams ('Cernyw'), Griffith Griffiths ('Pennar'), 1908, Humphrey Jones ('Bryfdir'), 1924, H. T. Jacob, R. Morris Lewis, Swansea, A. S. D. Smith ('Caradar'), etc.; and an elegy on the death of John Nathaniel Miers, esq., Cadoxton, 'Literally translated from the Welsh of Dafydd Sion'.

XVII. Miscellaneous literary and historical material, including extracts from the journals of Lady Charlotte Guest, 1837-45, with holograph letters to D. Rhys Phillips from the Countess of Bessborough, 1916; a volume containing transcripts of eisteddfodic essays (Glyncorwg, 1868, Resolven, 1889), a collection of Welsh ballads and 'tribannau', and a funeral sermon by D. C. Davies, Resolven, [18]97; a volume of extracts from *Yr Iforydd*, 1841-2; a prospectus of *Life and Travels and Reminiscences of Jonathan Ceredig Davies*, printed by the author and with additions in his own hand; and a petition, [1919], by the Mabinogion Literary and Antiquarian Society, Swansea, for a grant from the Civil List to Daniel James ('Gwyrosydd'), together with holograph letters to D. Rhys Phillips from [Sir] E. Vincent Evans, John Hinds, and J. Towyn Jones promising their support.

XVIII. Essays and notes by Col. W. Ll. Morgan, R.E., on Gower (Bishopston, Oystermouth, Penmaen, etc.).

XIX. A large collection of press cuttings, including 'Nodiadau Cymreig' by 'Morien' (Weekly Mail, 1888-9), 'Neath and District Antiquities' edited by Glen Taylor (Mid-Glamorgan Herald, 1924-6), 'Pembrokeshire Antiquary' edited by J. Young Evans (Pembroke County Guardian, 1912-14), 'Churches in Wales' (Western Mail, 1922), individual biographies, and cuttings relating to national eisteddfodau, Celtic Congresses. etc.

Mynegai

Llangyfelach

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

`EDWARD THE FIRST, A TRAGEDY'

1953097

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The manuscript of a play entitled 'Edward the First, A Tragedy' (NLW MS 15455C).

ABERYSTWYTH MISCELLANEA

1953098

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The rules, proceedings and accounts of the Congregational and Sunday School library at Zion chapel, Aberystwyth, 1854-8 (NLW MS 15458D); a draft minute book of the Aberystwyth Literary, Scientific, and Mechanics Institution, 1850-9, with an Aberystwyth builder's accounts, 1864-9 (NLW MS 15461B); an account book of the Aberystwyth Waterworks, 1849-51, continued as a bill book, 1865-84, by William Rice, builder (NLW MS 15459E); log books of the ships Liberty (sailing from London to Surinam and Jamaica, 1804-6) (NLW MS 15462D) and Lord Nelson (sailing from Deptford to Malta, 1810-12) (NLW MS 15463D); and an account book relating to the Naomi and the Mary Ann, 1836 (NLW MS 15463D).

HISTORY OF THE MANLEDD VALLEY

1953099

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

An essay on the history of the Manledd Valley, Montgomeryshire, by Richard Jones (NLW MS 15457B).

BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER

1953100

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

An interleaved copy of the Book of Common Prayer, 1672, with the text of the Welsh Book of Common Prayer of 1664 written, in 1672-5, by Jacob Roberts (NLW MS 15499A).

ABERYSTWYTH FREE CHURCH COUNCIL

1953101

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Aberystwyth Free Church Council, per Mr E R Harries, M.C., B.A., Mold.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A minute book, 1907-18, and lists of members and officers, 1903-20, of the Aberystwyth Free Church Council (NLW Minor Deposits 309-10A).

BRITISH RECORDS ASSOCIATION

1953102

Ffynhonnell / Source

The British Records Association.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A survey of the Llanfair Clydogau and Llanddewibrefi estates of Thomas Johnes, Hafod, made by T. Lewis, 1791, Volume I (Dept of Pictures and Maps). Several plans and references have been extracted, probably at the time of the sale of the properties covered by them.

V D BUDDICOM

1953103

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss V D Buddicom, Nannerch.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A grant of the manor of Penbedw, co. Denbigh, by letters patent of Henry VIII, 17 July 1544, to Peter Powell alias Peter Mostyn of Wespur, co. Flint (NLW Minor Deposits 824B).

LLANDDEINIOL NATIONAL SCHOOL

1953104

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Director of Education for Cardiganshire, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Llanddeiniol National School admission register, 1875-1952.

Nodiadau

On loan to W Lloyd, Headmaster, Llanddewibrefi since 3/6/81.

JOHN RHYS CLARKE, OSWESTRY

1953105

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Cardiganshire Joint Library, per The Librarian, Mr Alun R Edwards, F.L.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Two essays by Rev John Rhys Clarke, Oswestry, (a) 'Enwogion Penbontfawr a'r Cylch'; (b) 'Casgliad o enwau ffermydd a chaeau plwyf Llwydiarth' (NLW Minor Deposits 71-2A).

HARPTON COURT

1953106

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Douglas F Duff-Gordon, Bart., Kington.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

About 600 deeds and documents pertaining to the Harpton Court estate in the parishes of Glascwm, Llanfihangel Nantmelan, New Radnor, and Old Radnor, co. Radnor, and Llanfihangel Brynpabuan and Llanganten, co. Brecon. The earliest deed is dated 1593, and there is also a number of seventeenth-century deeds, but the bulk of the archive consists of eighteenth and nineteenth century material. This includes deeds relating to the Forest of Radnor, 1635-1732; the marriage settlement of Francis Hare, Lord Bishop of St. Asaph, and Mary Alston of New House, co. Suffolk, 1728; three documents relating to the estate of the Earl of Coningsby, 1735-61; a bargain and sale of old roads from the Trustees of the Radnorshire Turnpike Roads to Percival Lewis, 1795; a release of right of common over lands in Old Radnor, from John Probert and William Davies to Thomas Frankland Lewis, 1811-13; a brief for the defendants in an action between Joseph Lewis, plaintiff, and the Right Hon. Thomas Frankland Lewis and Thomas Meredith, defendants, concerning the excessive distraining of goods and chattels for arrears of rent charged instead of tithes, 1844; and a lease of limekilns and quarries in Old

Radnor from Sir Herbert Edmund Frankland Lewis to the Old Radnor Lime and Roadstone General Trading Co. Ltd., 1887.

A small bundle of eighteenth and early nineteenth century papers touching on (a) the purchase of Radnor Castle by Sir Thomas Frankland Lewis and (b) the valuation of Old Radnor tithes leased to the Harpton Court family, including a copy of an Old Radnor glebe terrier, 1607.

Material relating to appointments, etc.:— commissions of deputy-lieutenancy of co. Radnor granted to Thomas Lewis, 1694, 1702 and 1722, Thomas Lewis, jnr., 1722, John Lewis, 1786, and Thomas Frankland Lewis, 1803; commissions granted to Thomas Lewis in the Radnor and Brecon Militia, 1700 and 1702, and to Thomas Frankland Lewis in the Radnor Corps of Volunteers, 1804; and letters patent granted to John Lewis and Thomas Frankland Lewis as sheriffs of Radnor, 1792 and 1803.

Bound volumes of cash and account books, 1856-89, and rent books, 1820-57.

Correspondence and papers of Sir Thomas Frankland Lewis and Sir George Cornwall Lewis. Maps, plans, sketches, etc., of Radnorshire, railway, and military interest.

Mynegai

Llanfihangel Nant Melan

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

DUNRAVEN

1953107

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Directors of the Dunraven Estates Co. Ltd., Bridgend.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A third group (supplementing those received in 1940 and 1952) of estate and personal muniments of the families of Wyndham and Wyndham-Quin of Dunraven Castle, co. Glamorgan, and of Clearwell, co. Gloucester, and of the associated families of Edwin of Llanfihangel-iuxta-Cowbridge, co. Glamorgan, and of Clearwell, Baynham of Clearwell, Throckmorton of Clearwell, and Ashby of Isleworth, co. Middlesex, etc. The present group may be classified as follows:

Manorial Records.

Copies of surveys of the manors of Coity Anglia and Coity Wallia, 1631/2; court books of the manors of Coity Anglia, 1755-1811, 1833-98 (5 vols), Coity Wallia, 1756-1811, 1830-1936 (6 vols), and Newcastle and Kevan Cribbwr, 1756-1911, 1830-1936 (6 vols); suit rolls and proceedings of the manors of Coity Anglia, 1828-1904, Coity Wallia, 1827-1904, and Newcastle and Kevan Cribbwr, 1831-1904; about 2,000 admissions and surrenders of properties in the said manors, 1827-1925; a chief rental of the said manors, 1908-35; records of the lordship of Knelston and Burrey, consisting of three court books, 1568-78 (fair copy, Latin), 1571-82 (court copy, English), and 1598-1623, 1625, 1635, and seventy-one presentments, suit rolls, etc., 1687-1806, etc.; a court book of the manor of Ogmores, 1755-9, a few admissions and surrenders, 1593/4-1890, and transcripts of public records relating thereto, 1428-1650; a court roll (copy) of the manor of Saint Briavell, 1440-1; estreats of the manors of Headley, 1758-67, and Fetcham, 1757, and printed particulars of sale of the manor of Headley, 1784, and the manors of Headley and Polesden Lacy, [?1784], all in co. Surrey.

Rentals, Surveys, and Accounts.

Seven rentals and surveys of the Lanmihangle estate in co. Glamorgan, 1688-1732 and undated, one survey of the Coity estate, c. 1717, and another of the Lanmihangle estate, 1763, and of the Dunraven estate, 1771; an incomplete survey of lands in Newland and Stanton, co. Gloucester, with some memoranda and personal accounts, 1476; a rental (mutilated) of Robert Greyndour in Clorewalle, Colefford, Newelond, etc., co. Gloucester, 1426; rentals, with particulars of disbursements, of Lady Charlotte Edwin (later of Charles Edwin and of Thomas Wyndham) in respect of estates in co. Glamorgan (Lanmihangle and Coity estates, Recorder's Collection, manors of Coity Anglia and Coity Wallia, Court Colman, Newcastle, Kevan Cribbwr, Dunraven estate), 1758-1812 (92 vols); draft rentals of the Wyndham estates in co. Glamorgan and in Clearwell, co. Gloucester, 1839-69 (62 vols); lease rentals of properties in co. Glamorgan, 1908-44 (37 vols); rentals of lands in Clearwell, Newland, and St. Briavells, 1348-1483 and undated (copies), and of the Clearwell estate, 1757-97; returns of land values in co. Glamorgan, 1910 (5 vols); three cash books of the Lanmihangle estate, 1760-77, and

five volumes containing particulars of their utilisation, with reference to the estate maps, lists of leases of individual farms, etc., 1780 and undated; ten lease cash books, 1913-51, of the Dunraven estate, and four cash books, 1801-10, 1877-9, 1904-46; tithe rentcharge accounts, 1867-1934 (9 vols); a ledger, 1839-41, containing Bettws Quarry, Cwm Garw Quarry, Newcastle Mill, and Bridgend Market accounts etc.; estate and personal vouchers of accounts (annuities, rentcharges, repairs and improvements, land tax, property tax, wages, interest on mortgages, etc.), 1762-1833 (41 bundles); accounts of the Clearwell estate, 1768-1801 (4 vols); bankers' accounts, with relevant correspondence, of Charlotte Edwin of Clearwell, co. Gloucester, 1769-1807; a pocket book of John Collier, Werndew, St. Brides Minor, steward to the Dunraven estate, containing a list of chief rents due Michaelmas 1824, memoranda of payments and receipts, 1825-8, loose vouchers, 1824-8, and papers relating to the administration of his estate, 1827-9; accounts of royalties due to the Dunraven estate in respect of numerous colliery enterprises in co. Glamorgan, 1857-96; and seventeen account books of the Dowager Duchess of Dunraven of Chearwell with local tradesmen, 1866-71.

Deeds

About 2,500 deeds and subsidiary documents, including marriage settlements and probates of wills, thirteenth-twentieth century, relating to properties and minerals in Baglan, Bettws, Blaengarw, Blaengwrach, Bridgend, Broughton, Cefn Cribbwr, Coity, Colwinstone, Cowbridge, Coychurch, Dunraven, Eglwysbrewis, Ewenny, Flimston, Glyncoerrwg, Glynrhondda, Goston, Gowerton, Knelston, Laleston, Llanblethian, Llandewy, Llandilo-talybont, Llandow, Llandyfodwg, Llangan, Llangyfelach, Llangeinor, Llangennith, Llangonoyd, Llanharry, Llanilid, Llanmadoc, Llanmaes, Llanmihangel, Llanrhidian, Llantwit-juxta-Neath, Llantwit Major, Llanvrynach, Loughor, Maesteg, Merthyr Mawr, Michaelstone-super-Avan, Nantymoel, Newcastle, Northdowne, Ogmere, Oldcastle, Pencoed, Pendoylon, Penlline, Penyprisk, Peterstone-super-Montem, Pontycymer, Prickerston, St. Athan, St. Brides Major, St. Brides Minor, Sorton, Southerndowne, Swansea, Tonypandy, Treorchy, Trevrane, Tythegstone, Wick, Ynysawdre, and Ystradyfodwg, co. Glamorgan; St. Issells and St. Twynnells, co. Pembroke; and in numerous places in the counties of Gloucester, Surrey, Sussex, Middlesex, Northampton, Somerset, Lincoln, Hertford, Devon, and Cornwall. Among them are title deeds of the Particular Baptist meeting-house on Pen-y-bryn Farm, parish of Bettws, 1836; Tabernacle Congregational Church, Bridgend, 1851-86; Trinity English Calvinistic Methodist Church, Tonypandy, 1851-1906; the Methodist chapel to be erected at Tynewydd, Ystradyfodwg, 1868; Bethesda Welsh Calvinistic Methodist Church, Blaenrhondda, 1880; the Independent Church at Cefn Cribbwr, parish of Tythegston, 1882; and the Temple Spiritualist Church, Treherbert, 1945-50; deeds relating to a branch line through Laleston from the Duffryn Llynvi and Porthcawl Railway to Bridgend, 1828; the tolls of the Bridgend Market Place and Slaughter House, 1849; a coach manufactory in Wyndham Street, Bridgend, 1861; the Cardiff Silica Firebrick Co. Ltd., 1875-7; water rights on the river Thaw to work the Old Mill and Aberthaw Mill, parish of St. Athan, 1891; the Bridgend Dinas Brick Co. Ltd, 1894; and water supply rights for the Swansea Rural District Council at Cefn Gorwydd Farm, parish of Loughor, 1903; and an agreement between the Earl of Dunraven and the Llynvi and Tondy Co., 1888, and printed conditions of sale of the company's undertaking, [1888]. The earliest deeds in this group, from the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries, about 100 in number, are almost entirely of Gloucestershire interest.

Legal Papers.

Bills of complaints, briefs, cases and opinions, proofs of evidence, depositions, extracts, transcripts and abstracts of relevant deeds, correspondence, etc., in a number of legal actions, among them the following:- Thomas Ashby, citizen and haberdasher of London, against John Robinson of Woodhurst, co. Huntingdon, and others, touching the title to properties in Woodhurst and St. Ives, co. Huntingdon, 1685-93; Charles Edwin of Lanvihangell against Rees Morgan and others, touching the title to Forchygarran, a tucking mill, and a meadow [in Glyncoerrwg], including a list of persons to be examined concerning 'the houses and coal work and tucking mill' of Forchygarran, 1728; Windham Henry Wyndham Quin against Henry Gallwey and another, and again against George Henry Tyler and others, touching the title to properties in co. Gloucester, 1796-1882; William Morris against Robert Barnes in an action of replevin touching twenty sheep on Morva Llew Marsh in the parish of Loughor, 1833-47; John Roberts and William Morgan against the said William Morris, touching trespass on the same property in the parish of Loughor, 1836-64; the Dowager Countess of Dunraven against Lady Charlotte E. Guest in respect of copyhold tenures in the manors of Coity Anglia and Newcastle, co. Glamorgan, and a counter suit of trespass, 1853-6; and John Blandy Jenkins and another against the Earl of Dunraven for trespass on unenclosed lands in the parish of Llangeinor, 1890-5.

Correspondence.

A volume containing copies of letters, 1791-2, relating to the sale of the estate of Charles Edwin of Clearwell, at Cold Ashby and Thurnby, co. Northampton.

Forty letters, 1807-31, almost entirely from John Randall, Ynislaes Cottage, Neath, agent to the Dunraven estate, to the 2nd Earl of Dunraven. Among the subjects discussed are the development of Alltwn Colliery, the Bridgend Tram Road Act, the lease of coal at Duffryn Llundu, the proposed working of coal at Bettws, and the sale of the Duchy of Lancaster manor of Ogmore.

Two letter books, 1821-8, of John Collier of Werndew, St. Brides Minor, relating to estate matters, such as tenancy of properties, repairs and improvements, sale of bark, etc.

Over 1,000 letters, 1823-58, addressed to John Randall, Bridgend, agent to the Dunraven estate. Among the subjects discussed are the sale of timber at Gellifaluog, Dinas, Ystrad, Llangynwyd, Tyrwheeth, etc., for the Aberdare Iron Works, Melin Griffith Works, Llangennech, Coal Company, Maesteg Company, etc., 1820-34; the lease or sale of Bridgend Woollen Manufactory, 1827-8; the proposed new line of road to Cowbridge, 1829; mortgages taken up by the Duffryn Llundu and Porthcawl Railway Company, 1829; encroachments at Wick, 1829; the rental of the tithes of Penlline, 1830; the removal of plant and buildings from Adare Colliery to the Llangennech Coal Company, 1831; the purchase of Aberthaw pebble stone, 1831; the erection of a schoolroom at Wick, 1832; the appointment of a coroner for the manor of Ogmore, 1832-3; measures to prevent the spread of cholera in the Bridgend district, 1832; a proposal to build a railway up the Garw Valley, 1832; the supply of blocks to the Bristol and Gloucestershire Railway Company, 1833; the use of the Bridgend Town Hall for band practice, the state of the hall and renovations to it, 1833; the proposed act for the enclosure of Pontycob Marsh (Morfa Llyw), parish of Loughor, 1833; the development of veins of coal at Penclawdd, 1838-58; royalties and wayleave at the Gorwydd Colliery, 1854-8.

Ten letters, 1824-5, from B. Williams, Aberpergwm, to the Earl of Dunraven, with some copy replies, relating to the repair of flood damage on the river [? Neath].

About 1,000 autograph letters, 1862-98, to Henry J. Randall, Bridgend, agent to the Dunraven estate, relating to colliery and other industrial enterprises on the estate. Among the subjects discussed are the sale of the Blaenrhondda Colliery, 1872-3; the assignment of the Bettws Llantwit Colliery, 1873; the proposed Glyncoed, Rhondda and Swansea Junction Railway Bill, 1881-2; royalty concessions to the Bishwell Coal and Coke Co. Ltd., near Swansea, and the Company's ultimate liquidation, 1881-6; distraint for arrears of rent and royalties at the Glyn Neath Colliery, and the Company's ultimate liquidation, 1882-3; the sale of the Cardiff Silica Firebrick Company's undertaking at Aberkenfig, 1882-4; royalty and ground rent payments at the Fernhill Colliery, Treherbert, 1882-5; a grant of a new lease to the South Wales Coal Co. at Blaenrhondda, 1883-5; royalty arrears at Cefn Golau Colliery, Swansea, 1884; the affairs of the Naval Steam Coal Colliery, Penygraig, 1885-98; royalty concessions at Ffaldau Colliery, Pontycymer, 1886-7, the sale of plant and machinery at the Cefn Gorwydd, Alltwn, and Elba Collieries, Gowerton, 1887-8; royalty concessions at the Glyncoed Colliery, 1890-4; the affairs of the Dunraven Colliery, 1893-6; the assignment of the Tondu Colliery, 1895-6; etc., etc.

Copies of correspondence, 1863, between Henry J. Randall and the Charity Commissioners, relating to the payment of Lady Mansell's Charity in St. Brides Major.

About 600 letters, 1912-18, to John M. Randall, Dunraven Estate Office, Bridgend, and some carbon copy replies, relating to admissions, surrenders, etc., in the manors of Coity Anglia, Coity Wallia, and Newcastle and Kevan Cribbwr.

In addition to these groups, a considerable amount of covering correspondence has been preserved among such records as mineral leases, legal papers, etc.

Miscellaneous Documents.

These include appointments to offices in the Forest of Dean, 1617-1737; lists of public taxes raised in specified areas in co. Gloucester, 1661-89, together with the settlement of the militia 'in this division' (St. Briavells, Newland, Hewelsfield, Staunton, Bickner, Ruardeane, M[itchel] Deane, L[ower] Deane, Abenhall, Flaxley, The Lea); assessments in Clearwell of a rate towards disbanding the army, 1678-9; an assessment of a rate for the raising and yearly maintenance of fourteen musketeers and six pikemen in Newland, 1683; accounts of Samuel Edwin, Usher of the Exchequer, 1706-9; a grant on behalf of the Earl of Leicester of power to dig coal at Llest Fair on the common of Kevenhirgoed, 1711/12; ten shares in the Swansea Tontine Society, 1813; case, opinion and a letter, 1815, relating to the constitution of the Bridgend Woollen Manufactory first established in 1792; 'An Outline of the History of Dunraven Castle' by, and in the autograph of, Edward Williams ('Iolo Morganwg'), 1818, together

with an introductory letter to Mrs Wyndham of Dunraven Castle, written from 'Keven Cribor near Pyle Inn', 2 February 1818; a list of tenants of the Dunraven estate who voted for Mr [John] Edwards [of Rheola] at the [Glamorgan parliamentary] election in March 1820--the list contains the name of Edward Williams ('Iolo Morganwg'); an account of payment made for coal worked at Forch Goch Colliery, 1820-7; an assessment of poor rate in the hamlet of Blaengwrach, parish of Glyncoed, 1822; printed proceedings of the Duffryn-Llynvi and Porthcawl Railway, 1830-3; cases of the Earl of Dunraven, 1847, and the Dowager Countess of Dunraven, 1853, touching the right to develop coal levels at Noxton Park in the Forest of Dean, together with subsidiary documents relating thereto, among them printed reports of the Dean Forest Commissioners to the Treasury, 1835, a printed Bill for regulating the opening and working of mines and quarries in the Forest of Dean, 1838, and a printed Award of the Dean Forest Mining Commissioners as to the Coal and Iron Mines in the Forest of Dean, 1841; an address presented to Caroline, Countess of Dunraven, by the tenants of the estate, with a draft reply, 1856; and printed conditions of sale of the undertaking of the Llynvi and Tondy Company, [1888].

Maps (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Manuscript maps form two-thirds of these. Drawn on paper, the great majority belong to the 1778-84 period and consist mainly of plans of farm lands (parts of the Llanmihangel estate) in Gower and the Vale of Glamorgan.

In Gower the parishes represented are Cheriton, Llanrhidian, Reynoldston, Knelston and Llangennith, together with the parishes of Loughor and Llangyfelach on its northern margins. In the Vale of Glamorgan varying sections of parishes around Bridgend and Cowbridge are represented. All the parishes are in an area lying between Tythegston on the west, Llanblethian on the east, and Llanmaes on the south, while to the north the area extends its boundaries beyond those of the Vale to include such parishes as Glyncoed and Ystradfydwg.

There are title maps for the parishes of Ystradfydwg (1847) and Coity (1841-2).

Other maps of secondary interest include a plan of the parish of Llangeinor, copies of Yates's Map of Glamorgan and Greenwood's Map of the South-East Circuit (1828), a plan of an intended canal from Swansea (1793), a section of drifts at Bryncethin Colliery (1909), and plans of parts of Dunraven Castle.

In addition there is a number of engraved (first edition) one-inch scale OS maps of the Bristol Channel and hinterland, Admiralty Charts of the West and South Coasts of Ireland, a general map of the world (1906), a political map of Europe (1812), and a general map of Ireland (1836-8).

A typescript preliminary list of the archive, comprising descriptions of the contents of each individual parcel, is available for consultation at the Library.

Mynegai

Llanfyrnach

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

ERIVIAT

1953108

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Trustees of the Eriviat Estate, per Messrs Peckover, Burrill, and Owen, Denbigh.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Estate muniments of the family of Foulkes of Eriviat, Henllan, co. Denbigh. They consist of:

I. About 280 title deeds (1429-1834, but largely of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries) of properties in Aberchwiler, Abergele, Allt Vaynan, Banker, Barroc, Bedwall, Betws (Abergele), Bodffari, Bodigry yr Abbott, Bryneglwys, Bryntangor, Coedrug, Cornwall, Corvedwen, Craban, Chwithrinie, Cymo deuparth, Denbigh, Dinorben, Eglwysfach, Erethlyn, Eriviat, Escorebrill, Gwayne Burton, Gwaunynog, Gwytherin, Henllan, Hirwin, Llanbeder, Llanddulas, Llandegla, Llandyrnan, Llandyrnog, Llandysilio, Llanfair Talhaiarn, Llangynhafal, Llangollen Fawr, Llangollen Fechan, Llangwifen, Llanefydd, Llansannan, Llansantffraid Glan Conwy, Llanychan, Llysickell, Maesmynkymro, Nantglyn, Pengwern, Pentrewern, Petruel, Prees, Pryslygot, Rhiscog, Rhydigion, Scorlegan, Segroit, Spethid, Talybidwall, Trebache, Twysog, Vivod, Wrexham, and Yale, co. Denbigh; Bodeygan, Brynpolyn, Caerwys, Cilowen, Demeirchion, Hendregaerwys, Maesycoed Isa,

Maesycoed Ucha, Talacre, Trefraith, and Ysceifiog, co. Flint; Tirllannerch, co. Merioneth; and Dole y garrog, co. Caernarvon. Among them are a grant by the abbot (un-named) and convent of the monastery of Valle Crucis of land in Llangollen Fawr, 1498, and extracts of accounts of the bailiffs of the lordships of the bishop of St. Asaph, temp. Henry VIII.

II. Miscellaneous documents consisting largely of bills of complaint, answers, depositions of witnesses, letters of Thomas Hayman, attorney, of Wrexham, and others, rentals, accounts, etc., in the following legal actions:- Arthur Bennett against Maurice Jones and others, touching the failure of defendants to declare the title and execute a conveyance of properties in Llandyrnog and Llangwifen, 1739-43; Thomas Kyffin of Maenan against John Foulkes of Eriviat and Catherine, his wife, and also Margaret Salusbury and Catherine Salusbury, executrices of Thomas Kyffin, against Catherine Foulkes, widow and executrix of John Foulkes, touching the payment of debts charged upon the estate of Henry Roberts of Rhydonnen (d. 1747), 1747-66; James Eyton of London and others against John Foulkes and Elizabeth Foulkes of Eriviat, and also Margaret Foulkes of Denbigh against John Foulkes and others, touching the disposal of a bequest made to Sarah Foulkes (d. 1768) by the will of her father, Peter Foulkes, 1769-74; and Richard Clough of Glanywern against John Cross, attorney, of Chester, touching the use of money charged upon the estate of complainant's brother Powell Clough, 1777-9.

Mynegai

Aberwheeler, Bodfari, Tremeirchion.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

PENCERRIG

1953109

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs J Evan-Thomas, Pencerrig, Builth Wells.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

An additional group of manuscripts and papers, including three notebooks belonging to Thomas Jones, Pencerrig (1742-1803). Two of the notebooks contain a transcript of a story entitled 'The Trip to Calais' from a manuscript, dated 1767, found in the garret of a house in the vicinity of Covent Garden, and also pencil sketches. The third notebook contains extracts from Shakespeare. Other items include:- nineteen business letters (1786-1850); a small number of deeds relating to Radnorshire properties (1791-6), bills for legal services (1807-36); bills for work in connection with the building of a new mansion house at Pencerrig (c. 1831-3); and a schedule of deeds relating to the Blaenplwydd estate (1856); and miscellaneous water-colour drawings and prints.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

PENGELLY

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs David Evans, Pengelly, Newcastle Emlyn.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

Deeds and documents, 1564-1864, relating to Pengelly in the parish of Troedyraur and properties in the parishes of Betws Bledrws, Blaenporth, Llanddewibrefi, Llandysiliogogo, Llanfihangel y Creuddyn, Llanfihangel Ystrad, Llangwryfon, Llanilar, Nantcwnlle, Rhosdie, and Silian, co. Cardigan, and Cilgerran, co. Pembroke.

Mynegai

Rhostie, Nancwnlle.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

MAYBERY

1953111

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs M Fowler, Brecon.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1952-53

Disgrifiad / Description

A large archive of deeds, documents, and papers, which came into the depositor's possession as the representative of the well-known Brecknockshire family of Maybery. This family originally came from Worcestershire, where they were engaged in the iron industry, but they started a long and honourable connection with South Wales in 1753, when Thomas Maybery acquired the Brecon furnace and Pipton forge for his son, John Maybery. The latter took a lease of mineral properties in Hirwaun in 1757 and of the Tredegar forge in 1764, and was thus one of the earliest pioneers of the South Wales iron industry. John Maybery married a daughter of John Wilkins, the deputy protonotary of the Brecknock circuit, who became associated with his son-in-law in the Hirwaun enterprise. John Maybery died in 1784 and his descendants did not participate directly in the new industrial developments in South Wales but directed their efforts to the law. Thomas Maybery, John's eldest son (d. 1829), succeeded his uncle, William Wilkins, as protonotary of the Brecknock circuit, and his eldest son, Walter Maybery (1800-62), was the last to hold that office. His second son, Henry Maybery, who was treasurer of the county of Brecon and deputy-registrar of the Brecon Consistory Court, became the head of the firm of Maybery, Williams, and Cobb, who were themselves the successors of the famous firm of solicitors Walter and John Powell, later Powell, Jones, and Powell, the chief legal advisers of the great ironmasters, being responsible for drawing up most of the early mineral leases. These papers came by descent to Henry Maybery's son, Henry Oxenford Aveline Maybery.

The archive, ranging from the thirteenth to the nineteenth century, consists of many thousands of deeds, documents, and papers acquired by the aforementioned firms in the course of a vast and varied practice, extending far beyond the confines of the county of Brecknock. There are originals, drafts, and office copies of conveyances, abstracts of titles, manorial documents, probate papers, wills, litigation papers, a huge mass of correspondence, and miscellaneous documents, reflecting the many-sided activities of successive members of the firm. The archive is of especial interest to those interested in the history and antiquities of Brecknockshire and to researchers into the early industrial history of the South Wales iron and coal trades. These papers were examined by the late John Lloyd and the material he found in them forms the basis of his three valuable historical works, *Old South Wales Ironworks*, *The Great Forest of Brecknock*, and *Historical Memoranda of Breconshire*.

Deeds.

There is only one deed of Welsh interest before the sixteenth century and that refers to property in the Glasbury area. There is, however, an interesting group of over 100 deeds, ranging from 1290 to 1579, but mostly of the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries, relating to properties in the Leicestershire villages of Heather and Ravenstone with Snibson. While the deeds mainly concern properties in Brecknockshire and the South Wales counties, parishes on the border and even further afield are represented also. They relate to properties in Aberyskir, Alltmawr, Battle, Brecon, St. Mary's Brecon, St. John Evangelist, Bronllys, Builth, Cantref, Cathedine, Crickadarn, Crickhowell, Cwmdu, Devynock, Garthbreny, Gwenddwr, Hay, Llanafanfawr, Llanbedr, Llandefaelog-Tregraig, Llandefalle, Llandilo'r Fan, Llanddewi, Llanddewi'r Cwm, Llanelieu, Llanelly, Llanfeigan, Llanfihangel-Bryn-Pabuan, Llanfihangel-Nant-bran, Llanfrynach, Llangammarch, Llanganten, Llangasty Talyllyn, Llangattock, Llangenny, Llangorse, Llangynidr, Llanhamlach, Llansantffraed-juxta-Usk, Llanthetty, Llanvillo, Llanwrthwl, Llanwrtyd, Llanywern, Llyswen, Llywel, Maesmynis, Merthyr Cynog, Penderin, Talachddu, Talgarth, Trallwng, Vaynor, Ystradfellte, and Ystradgynlais, co. Brecon; Aberedw, Boughrood, Bryngwyn, Clyro, Cregrina, Disserth, Glasbury, Glascwm, Llanbedr-Paincastle, Llanbister, Llandilo-Graban, Llandrindod, Llanddewi-Fach, Llanelwedd, Llanfaredd, Llanfihangel-Helygen, Llanstephan, Llansantffraed in Elvel, Llanyre, Llowes, Nantmel, Newchurch, and Rulen, co. Radnor; Aberdare, Bishopston, Cadoxton juxta Neath, Cardiff, Cilybebyll, Eglwysilan, Gelligaer, Glyncoerwg, Gwaen-Cae-Gurwen, Llandilo-Talybont, Llanguicke, Llangyfelach, Llangynwyd, Llantwit-Major, Loughor, Merthyr Tydvil, Neath, Oystermouth, Rhosili Swansea, Whitchurch, Wick, and Ystradyfodwg, co. Glamorgan; Abergavenny, Aberystroth, Bedwellty, Bryngwyn, Caerleon, Chepstow, Christchurch, Goytre, Grosmont, Henllys, Llandevenny, Llanddewi-Rhydderch, Llanelen, Llanfihangel-Crucorney, Llangattock-juxta-Usk, Llangynog, Llanishen, Llanover, Llantilio Crossenny, Llantilio Pertholey, Llanvapley, Llanwenarth. Magor, Mamhilad,

Monmouth, Mynyddislwyn, Nash, Penrhos, Redwick, Skenfrith, Tregaer, Trevethin, Wolves Newton, and Wonastow, co. Monmouth; Abergwili, Carmarthen, Cenarth, Cilrhedyn, Laugharne, Llandilovawr, Llandingat, Llandovery, Llanddeusant, Llanegwad, Llanelly, Llanfair-ar-y-Bryn, Llanfihangel-ar-Arth, Llanfihangel-Rhos-y-Carn, Llangadock, Llangathen, Llangendeirne, Llangunnoch, Llanllwni, Llansawel, Llanwinio, Llanybyther, Mydrym, Myddfai, Pencarreg, and Velindre, co. Carmarthen; Cellan, Dihewid, Lampeter, Llanarth, Llanfihangel Ystrad, Llangoedmore, Llanrhystyd, Llanwenog, Llanwnen and Penbryn, co. Cardigan; Llandyssilio, Llanrian, Llanstadwell, Rhosmarket, Rudbaxton, Stainton, and Walwyn's Castle, co. Pembroke; Brilley, Canon Pyon, Clodock, Dulas, Eaton Bishop, Goodrich, Huntington, Kenchester, Kington, Peterstow, Sellack, and Stretton Sugwas, co Hereford; Bristol, English Bicknor, Prestbury, St. Briavels, Tidenham, and Wotton under Edge; co. Gloucester, Greenwich, co. Kent; Westham, co. Essex; Heather and Ravenstone, co. Leicester; Checkley, Leigh, and Uttoxeter, co. Stafford; and Clun, co. Salop.

Industrial Records.

There is a valuable group of letters sent by South Wales ironmasters to the firm of Walter and John Powell and their successors. After the death of John Powell, senior, in 1809, John Jones joined the firm and most of the letters after that date are addressed either to him or to John Powell, junior. These letters deal with legal matters and business concerning the management of the various undertakings. Messrs. Walter and John Powell were also directly concerned in the Clydach ironworks, in which John Powell, junior, eventually became the chief partner.

Among the correspondents are Anthony Bacon (1794-1815), Thomas Bacon (1802-23), Richard Crawshay (1802-9), William Crawshay, junior (1815-44), Samuel Homfray, senior (1790-1805), Jeremiah Homfray (1794-1807), Samuel Homfray, junior (1832), Richard Hill senior (1790-99), Richard Hill, junior (1795-1839), Anthony Hill (1820-39), Benjamin Hall, senior (1804-13), Benjamin Hall, junior (1826-34), Sir J. J. Guest (1812-39), Thomas Guest (1799-1818), Joseph Guest (1806), William Taitt (1795-1814), Wyndham Lewis (1799-1836), Joseph Cowles (1794-1815), Thomas Evans, Dowlais (1833-44), David Evans, Dowlais (1838), William Thompson (1836), Sir Joseph Bailey (1824-56), Crawshay Bailey (1831-61), George Overton of Hirwaun (1804-14), John Scale (1800-29), George Scale (1823-31), Henry Scale (1833-42), Rebecca Scale (1829-31), F. and J. Tappenden (1806-13), Rowland Fothergill (1833-43), Richard Fothergill (1804-8), Richard Blakemore (1797-1810), John Harford and John Hill (1795), Richard S. Harford (1818-22), Edward Kendall, senior (1800-6), Edward Kendall, junior (1813-34), W. H. Bevan (1816-37), Joseph Latham of Beaufort (1808-31), J. Llewellyn of Abercarn (1829-36), Robert Thompson of the Abbey Tintern Works (1793-1810), and Samuel Hopkins of the Blaenafon ironworks (1805-8).

Letters concerning the affairs of the Clydach ironworks are the most numerous of all, as might be expected having regard to the financial involvement of Messrs. Walter and John Powell in the undertaking. There are letters from E. Frere (1795-1834), G. Frere (1804-33), and John Frere (1803), and from managers and agents of the firm such as Joshua Morgan (1799-1829), Thomas Phillips (1804-7), John Scale (1823-9), Lancelot Powell (1825-39), and John Morgan (1824-8), and copies of letters sent by J. Powell to J. H. Frere (1826-9). Among the group there are originals or copies of letters probably sent on for perusal, such as those from F. W. Bowzer to G. Overton (1812), Harford, Partridge & Co. to Thomas Hill (1793-5), Messrs Price of Neath Abbey to William Jones of Coleford (1818), and Thomas Brown of Blaina ironworks to Edward John Hutchings of Dowlais (1835-7). There are also many unsorted letters from various ironmasters, which must await fuller investigation.

There is a large number of deeds, mineral leases, articles of partnership, etc., relating to iron and coal undertakings in the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries, and numerous litigation papers and miscellaneous documents, of which the late John Lloyd made liberal use in writing his *Old South Wales Ironworks*. Of particular interest are documents concerning the Hirwaun, Aberdare, Abernant, Cyfarthfa, Dowlais, Penydarren, Plymouth, Tredegar, Sirhowy, Blaenafon, Nantyglo, Beaufort, Clydach, and Blaina ironworks, the Ynis y Cedwyn and Dylais forges, coal works at Llanmartin in Llanrhidian, the Loughor colliery, the Blaendare colliery, and the Kidwelly tin mills. There are also papers concerning the Brecon and Abergavenny Canal, 1792-1860, the Brecon Boat Co., 1818-55, the Brecon Turnpike Trust, 1828-40, a plan of the Glamorganshire Canal by T. Dadford, 1790, a book containing copies of conveyances of land in Merthyr Tydfil to the Dram Road Company, 1801-3, a minute book of the Breconshire Railway and Canal Co., 1858-9, and draft partnership deeds in Wilkins' Bank, 1832 and 1838.

Manorial Records.

Among the manorial documents the following are of interest:- Llangasty Talyllyn: court books, 1586-7, 1632-5, 1767-1857, a copy of jurors' presentments and a rental of chief rents in 1684, an account book of chief rents, 1745-59, a chancery decree in a dispute in 1684 between Henry Williams, lord of the manor, and Charles Jones, one of the tenants, concerning rents and services to be performed in the manor, accounts of alienations and heriots, 1784-1824, and accounts of chief rents and cot rents, 1823-38; Dynas: ministers' accounts, 1520-1; Penkelly group: a court roll of the manor of Penkelly, 1571 (Latin and English versions), a survey of the manor of Penkelly castle (seventeenth century), a court leet book (much mutilated) of the manors of Penkelly, Glyn Collwyn, Llanvigan, and Cwmbanw, 1741-1821, court leet presentments concerning the same four manors, 1704-1822, court leet presentments and warrants in respect of the manors of Penkelly Castle, Welsh Penkelly, Wenallt, Penkelly Glynollwyn, Penkelly Cwmorgwm, English Penkelly, and Skethrog, 1821-38, court leet presentments of Welsh Penkelly, 1762-1837, a manuscript volume containing a survey of the manors of Skethrog, Lechvane, and Mote, 1584, and court leet proceedings of the manors of Skethrog and Lechvane, 1670-1752; Blaenllynvy: a court book, 1762-73, and court leet papers, 1707-33; Talachddu: presentments, accounts of chief rents, etc., 1764-1843; Llanhamlach: a court book of the manor of Llanhamlach, 1709-38, and of the manor of Penkelly Cwmorgwm, 1715-38, presentments at a jury of survey of the manor of Llanhamlach, 1767, and court leet presentments of the same manor, 1768-1806; Builth: a court book, 1785-6; Brynsyviog: presentments at courts leet, 1709-42, and a copy of the rent roll of the manor in 1695; Aberedow: extracts of ameracements and heriots, 1679-82; Crickhowell and Tretower: account books of chief rents and 'cot' rents, 1728; Abergavenny: a court book, 1708-31, Park Lettice: a manuscript volume containing a survey, map references, and descriptions of the boundaries of the manor of Park Lettice in the parishes of Llanover, Llanellen, Goytre, Mamilhad, Trevethin, Llangatock juxta Usk, and Llanarth, co. Monmouth, Gower: a copy of the survey of 1650, and a paper concerning a case in the King's Bench of the King against Gabriel Powell, involving a dispute as to whether the manor of Llangevelach came within the jurisdiction of the coroners of the lordship of Gower or of those of Glamorgan (eighteenth century); Craswall (Hereford): miscellaneous papers, 1674-1844, and presentments of jurors at a court of survey, 1753.

Miscellanea.

The following are indicative of the wide variety of documents to be found in this archive: - a case book of Messrs W. and J. Powell, containing copies of cases submitted for counsel's opinion and answers thereon, 1790-1807; a letter book of Messrs W. and J. Powell, 1796-1800; a letter book of Messrs Powell and Jones, 1807-10; a letter book of Messrs Maybery, Williams and Cobb, 1844-8; a letter book of Henry Maybery, deputy-registrar of the Consistory Court of Brecon, 1846-65; a copy of the Brecon Quarter Sessions Book of Orders, 1714-42; a minute book of appearances at the Brecon, Radnor, and Glamorgan Great Sessions, 1763-86; an act book of the Brecon County Court, 1841; a writ book of the Brecon County Court, 1860; poll check books for the hundreds of Merthyr, Crickhowell, Devynock, Penkelly, and Talgarth relating to the Brecknockshire election contest of 1818 between Wood and Morgan; a group of letters from Col. Wood to John Jones and Henry Maybery, 1813-59, chiefly concerning election matters; a minute book and papers concerning the inclosure of common lands in the parishes of Llansaintffraed and Llanvillo, 1814-15, and abstracts of the draft award; papers concerning inclosures of lands in Llanfrynach, 1814 and 1851-3; a minute book of the commissioners of the Clyro inclosure, 1813-17, and an account of their receipts and disbursements; papers concerning the bequest by Sir David Williams of the tithes of Gwenddwr, which proved a constant cause of litigation throughout the eighteenth century; the receiver's account book of the Gwenddwr Charity, 1823-57; constables' returns, 1798, of males available for military service in Talgarth, Hay, Gwenddwr, North and South Crickadarn, Llyswen, Broynllis, Llandefalle North, Llandefalle South, Llangorse Lower, Llangorse Upper, Cathedine, Llanfihangel Talyllyn, Trevecka, Pwllwyrach, Groynevawr, Groynevechan, Forest in Talgarth, Pipton and Aberllynfi, Llanigon, and Glynfach in Llanigon; papers concerning tithe commutation in Llanveigan, 1837-41, Llanfrynach, 1838, and Llansaintffraed (co. Brecknock), 1844; a statement of facts concerning tithe commutation in the parish of Llandefaelog (c. 1840); terriers of the parishes of Battle (1736), Cantref (1720), Cathedine (1677), Llanbedr (1739), Llandefaelog, Tregraig and Llanvillo (1720), Llandefalle (1739), Llanfihangel Talyllyn (1720), Llangenny (1720), Llangynidr (1720), Llanlleonfel (1739), Llansaintffraed (1636), Llanwrthwl (1751), Llywel (1800), Patricio (1737), Penderin (1768), Talgarth (1729), Talachddu (1720), Vaynor (1689), and Ystradgynlais (1743), all in co. Brecknock; Blethvaugh (1690 and 1720), Bryngwyn (1650), Cascob (1720), Clyro (1721), Cregrina (1721), Cwmtoyddwr (1768), Heyhop (1832), Llanbadarn fawr (1722), Llanbedr Painscastle (1736), Llanbister (1725), Llandewy fach (1723 and 1734), Llandewy Ystradenny (1721), Llandrindod (1721), Llanfihangel

Helygen (1721), Llanfihangel Nant Mellan (1720), Llanfihangel Rhydithon (1720), Llanstephan (1721), Nantmel (1720), Newchurch (1720), Pilleth (1721), St. Harmon (1720), and Whitton, all in co. Radnor; Kerry (1737) and Moughtrey (1722, 1784 and 1810), Montgomeryshire; Ewyas Harold (1722) and Lancillo (1806), Herefordshire; and a copy of a survey taken by parliamentary commissioners in 1649 of the parishes of Llanover, Mamilhad, and Trevethin, co. Monmouth.

John Lloyd Manuscripts.

This group contains a large number of manuscripts of the late John Lloyd, being notes and draft copies used by him for his works on the iron industry and the Great Forest of Brecon, and his Brecknockshire historical memoranda, including a manuscript volume containing copies of historical documents relating to Brecknockshire and Radnorshire made for John Lloyd by Miss Welford. There are also letters to John Lloyd, newspaper cuttings and printed papers dealing with the causes in which he was interested, such as the rights of the 'commoners' of the Great Forest of Brecon, the Wye Fisheries, and the London Municipal Reform Association, of which he was the secretary, and with his political activities.

Maps (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

The collection of maps contains Ordnance Survey publications and plans and sections relating to various railways. The Ordnance Survey sheets, which are on the 'one', 'six', and 'twenty-five inch' scales and are for South Wales, all belong to the nineteenth century. Geological information is contained on a number of the one inch sheets.

Most of the Books of Plans and Sections relate to the Brecon and Merthyr Tydfil Railway, 1860-88, and the majority are by Henry Conybeare. There are also plans of the Mid-Wales Railway, 1859-62, by Messrs Percy, Welshpool; the Cardiff and Caerphilly Railway, 1862-3; the Rumney Railway, 1863; and the Radnorshire Railways, 1865. The other maps, printed and manuscript, are of existing and proposed railways in various parts of Central and South Wales.

The remainder of the collection contains plans of Newport Dock, Manorbier Castle, and the Treventy Estate in the parish of Llanfihangel Abercowin, a manuscript map of Noyadd fach farm, Talgarth, Wood's plan of Brecon, 1834, and plans and sections of the proposed Ebbw Vale, Tredegar, and Sirhowy Waterworks, 1864.

Mynegai

Crucadarn, Defynog, Penderyn, Faenor, Llansanffraed-yn-Elfael, Merthyr Tudful, Llantilio Pertholau, Llanfable, Llandilo Fawer, Llanfihangel Rhosycorn, Llangyndeyrn, Llangynog, Meidrum, Llanrhystud, Bronllys, Bleddfa, Cwmteuddwr, Mochdre, Mamhilad.

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Schedule Available.

ARGOED, PEN-Y-COED AND ABERDUAR BAPTIST CHURCHES REGISTERS

1953112

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Hughes, Llanwrda, per The Reverend A Tudor Williams.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A register of the Baptist church at Argoed and Pen-y-coed, Cardiganshire, and Aberduar, Bethel (Caeo), and Bwlch-y-rhiw, Carmarthenshire, 1751-1857 (NLW Minor Deposits 610A).

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Mrs Georgiana M Johns, Goodwick.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Additional groups of family muniments.

I. Over 100 title deeds, abstracts of title, sale catalogues and posters, etc., 1573-1907, relating to properties in Ambleston, Bletcherston, Bridell, Castlebithe, Cilgerran, Clydey, Dale, Dinas, Fishguard,

Granston, Haroldstone, Henry's Moat, Little Newcastle, Llanfyrnach, Llangolman, Llanhowell, Llanllawer, Llanrhian, Llanstadwell, Llanwnda, Llanycefn, Llanychaer, Llanychlwydog, Llawhaden, Ludchurch, Manordeifi, Marloes, Mathry, Meline, Morfil, Mynachlogddu, Narberth, Nevern, Newport, Nolton, Penrith, Pontfaen, Punchedon, Robeston Wathen, Rudbaxton, St. Davids, St. Dogmaels, St. Ismaels, St. Nicholas, St. Thomas, Stainton, Tenby, Walwyns Castle, Whitchurch in Cemais, Whitchurch in Dewisland, and Wiston, co. Pembroke, and in Carmarthen, Cenarth, Conwil Gaeo, Egremont, Llandisilio, Llanllwni, Llanybyther and Newchurch, co. Carmarthen.

II. Legal papers, mid-eighteenth century, of William Thomas, solicitor, of Kilkiffeth, Llanychaer, and holograph letters to him from:- William Allen, Fobston, Marloes, 1754-5 and undated; Roger Altham, Doctors' Commons, 1755-6; Margaret Allen, Fobston, 1755-8 and undated; Richard Knethell, Hook, 1762; Thomas Williams, Haverfordwest, 1762-3; Iltid Evans, Carmarthen, 1763; Evan Protheroe, Dolwilim, 1765; and others. Among them are:- a case and opinion in an action of covenant proposed to be maintained in connection with the will of John Thomas, father of William Thomas, 1754; numerous accounts and papers, 1740-63, in actions relating to the distribution of the balance of dues payable in respect of St. Anne's Lighthouse, erected by Joseph Allen, Dale; a bill of complaint of John Mathias of Kille, co. Carmarthen, gent., lessee of the prebend of Llandisilio in Christ Church in Brecon otherwise Llandisilio Nevet, cos. Carmarthen and Pembroke, against Evan Protheroe of the parish of Llandisilio, yeoman, for non-payment of tithes in respect of Llan otherwise Llandisilio, and lands called Llandraw being part of Diffryn Trogin, [1756]; and a bill of complaint of Ferrar Fenton of the parish of Fishguard, mariner, eldest surviving son and heir of Richard Fenton, against his brothers Richard [father of Richard Fenton, the author of A Historical Tour Through Pembrokeshire, 1811] and Samuel, and his sisters Elizabeth, Mary, Anne, and Jane, and against William Thomas of Kilkiffith and Richard Meyler, merchant, of Bristol, for the recovery of properties in Fishguard and St. Mary, Haverfordwest, 1756. Other subjects discussed in the correspondence are the sale of timber at Haverfordwest, 1762-3, and the settlement of the Longridge estate, 1763.

III. Manuscript and printed material, early nineteenth century, accumulated by William Gwynn of Kilkiffeth and of Court, Llanllawer, and holograph letters to him.

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GIRALDUS JONES

1953114

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Giraldu Jones, Farmers.

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Two record books of the Esgairdawe Congregational church, 1827-1906 (NLW Minor Deposits 470-1B), and a baptismal and burial register for Esgairdawe and Ffaldybrenin, 1859-1913 (NLW Minor Deposits 472B).

DOLMELYNLLYN NATIONAL SCHOOL

1953115

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Misses L and M Jones, Llanelltyd.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A log book, 1868-14, of the Dolmelynllyn National School (NLW Minor Deposits 70A).

CHURCH IN WALES

1953116

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Managers, Llanwenog V.P. School.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Llanwenog V.P. School log book, 1919-37 (St David's National School Log Books).

MICHAELCHURCH MANOR

1953117

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J H Lloyd, Michaelchurch, Kington.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A group of records (presentments, warrants, perambulation, etc.) of the manor of Michaelchurch, 1754-1849 (NLW Misc Records, Radnorshire).

O MORGAN, HARROGATE

1953118

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr O Morgan, Harrogate.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A version of the collection of Glamorgan pedigrees which forms the basis of Clark's Limbus Patrum, written about 1770 (NLW Minor Deposits 607A); poetry by Edward Thomas and others (NLW Minor Deposits 608A); and a transcript by Edward Williams ('Iolo Morganwg') of an account of Glamorgan from the manuscript of Edward Gamage (NLW Minor Deposits 609A).

SOUTH PEMBROKESHIRE CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATION

1953119

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Pembrokeshire and Cardiganshire Association of English Congregational Churches, per Mr Gilbert R Owen, Haverfordwest.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minute books, 1880-1937, of the South Pembrokeshire Congregational Association (NLW Minor Deposits 413A, 415A).

H J RANDALL

1953120

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr H J Randall, LL.B., F.S.A., Bridgend.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript copy, with illustrations, of an unpublished work by J. Hindmarsh entitled 'Ashore and Afloat-Perhaps?' (NLW Minor Deposits 89B).

LIVERPOOL WELSH NATIONAL SOCIETY

1953121

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr O E Roberts, Liverpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minute books, 1897-1938, of the Liverpool Welsh National Society (NLW Minor Deposits 68-9A).

D J AFAN THOMAS

1953122

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs E Thomas, Port Talbot.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A group of instrumental and other compositions by David John Thomas (D. Afan Thomas), some copied by his brother, Gwilym H. Thomas. They include an orchestral suite in three movements (Cantabile, Allegretto, and Valse Lento); the first movement (Intermezzo) of another work for orchestra; 'Dawns y Gwanwyn' for string orchestra and piano; 'Woodland Dreams Valse' for orchestra and piano; 'A Dream: Morceau for Organ'; 'Night Rambles' for clarinet, 'cello and doublebass; studies for viola; a viola solo entitled 'Dail Hydref'; a string quartet; a trio (Allegro and Adagio) for violin, 'cello and piano; another trio for violin, 'cello and piano; 'Petite Suite' in three movements for violin and piano; 'cello solos; and two songs for voice and orchestra, viz., 'Suo-Gân' (words by 'Wil Ifan') and 'The Mountains of Glamorgan' (words by A. G. Prys-Jones). Also in the group are instrumental parts for 'Berwyn' (D. Vaughan Thomas) and a copy of the prospectus of the London Violoncello School containing a letter, 10 August 1939, to [Gwilym H.] Thomas from the Principal, Herbert Walenn.

Nodiadau

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CONWY: SEION CONGREGATIONAL

1953123

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend J Luther Thomas, Pontarddulais.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Records of Seion Congregational church, Conway (NLW Minor Deposits 416-27A). They include treasurers' books, 1859-82 (NLW Minor Deposits 416-7A); a register of members and subscriptions, 1868-74 (NLW Minor Deposits 418A, 421A); Sunday School statistics, 1888-9 (NLW Minor Deposits 419A); minutes relating to the foundation of a chapel at Llandudno Junction, 1889 (NLW Minor Deposits 420A); accounts of collections towards the London Missionary Society, 1893-4 (NLW Minor Deposits 422A); a register kept by Rev Thomas D. Jones, 1894-1901 (NLW Minor Deposits 423A); notebooks containing material for a history of the Vale of Conway (NLW Minor Deposits 424-6A); and a book of sermon notes (? by Griffith Griffiths) (NLW Minor Deposits 427A).