

## ADRODDIAD BLYNYDDOL / ANNUAL REPORT 1962-63

E FRANCIS DAVIES

1963001

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mr E Francis Davies, Abergele.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts and records of the families of Williams and Evans of Bodwenni in the parish of Llandderfel, co. Merioneth:

Deeds of properties in the parishes of Gwyddelwern, Llandrillo, Llandderfel, Llanfawr, Llanuwchllyn, and Llanycil, co. Merioneth, and Llanrhaidr ym Mochnant, co. Denbigh, 1609-1894, and copies of the wills of Ellis Davies, 1674, Margaret Davies, 1727, 1831, 1838, Samuel Evans, 1844, 1847, Ursula Evans, 1847, Elizabeth Evans, 1820, Robert Evans, 1794, 1805, Frances Jones, 1856, Edward Samuel Jones, 1846, William Price Jones, 1879, Ellinor Lloyd, 1752, Evan Roberts, Syrior, 1782, Frances Trevor, 1769, Robert Williams, 1780, 1782, Elizabeth Williams, Glantegid, 1843, and Robert Evans Williams, 1823.

Accounts and vouchers of Robert Evans, Robert Thomas, Samuel Evans, Elizabeth Evans and others, 1697-1891, including a shoemaker's and smith's accounts, 1695-1712, and accounts relating to the tithes (modus) of Bodwenni, 1697-1719, receipts for crown rents, 1689-1713, and for royal aids, 1696-1709, and a rental of the Bodwenni estate and fee-farm rents of the grange of Gwernfifod and lands in Llanrhaidr, co. Denbigh, 1813-29.

Letters mainly of the Bodwenni family, including letters from James Batsman, 1843, John Bonner, Bryn-y-Gwalie, 1844, E. Francis Davies, Brondyffryn, 1953, C. E. M. Davies, Christchurch, New Zealand, 1903, William Evans, 1807, S. Evans, Oxford, n.d., John Evans, Wynnstay, 1789, H. B. Greathead, London, 1892, Edward Griffith, Liverpool, 1830, M. Jones, Syrior, 1916, John Lloyd, Green, 1724, C. Lesley, Academy, Mold, 1837, Bob Owen, Croesor, R. W. Price, Rulas, 1827-33, John Williams, Ruhall, 1720, and others.

Manuscript volumes, including diaries, notebooks, and memoranda, music, writing, and account books of Robert Evans, 1760-1804, a volume of notes on sermons, Bacon's Natural History, the Roberts family of Llanfawr compiled by William Roberts, c. 1694-1700, a small volume on planting and grafting trees inscribed 'William Roberts 1683', books of recipes for food, wine, medicines, etc., 1807-60, a volume of English and Welsh verse, including items by Jonathan Hughes (1779), Dr. Clee (1780), W. Davies (1792), Rice Jones, Blaenau, John Cadwaladr, William Sion Simon and Robert Evan, Rhôs (1773), probably collected by Robert Evans, autograph verse by various contributors, 1826-40, collections of quotations and verse, and a volume of manuscript maps of the estates of Robert Evans in cos. Merioneth and Denbigh, 1791.

Miscellaneous items, including an armorial pedigree of Ellis Davies of Bodwenni by Evan Lloyd Jeffrey of Paley, 1633, papers on the Bodwenni pedigree, record that Ellis Davies of Bodwenny had his house certified for worship by protestant dissenters, 1690, papers relating to the turnpike road from Bala to Llangollen, 1779, and the Holyhead Road improvement, and documents relating to a right of way at Bryn Bwlen, 1693, and sporting rights in Coed y Bedo, 1827.

Over eighty printed books (Dept of Printed Books). Among them are a seventeenth-century edition of Beaumont and Fletcher's *A King and no King* and several other plays published between 1630 and 1635; John Bodenham's *Politeuphuia . . .* (London, 1684); *Angliae . . .* by Edward Chamberlayne (1679); *The Prospective glasse of war . . .* by Edward Cooke (1628); the 1791 edition of Defoe's *Robinson Crusoe*; *New experiments and observations on electricity made at Philadelphia in America*, by Benjamin Franklin (London, 1760); Scot's *The Discouerie of witchcraft* (1584); and Christopher Love's *Grace: the truth and growth and different degrees thereof . . .* (London, 1652).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

FRANCES WILLARD

1963002

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Aberystwyth Branch of the British Women's Temperance Association, per The Misses J Benjamin and M Jones, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A statuette of Frances Willard presented to the Aberystwyth branch of the British Women's Temperance Association, c. 1900, by Lady Henry Somerset (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF WALES, ABERYSTWYTH

1963003

Ffynhonnell / Source

University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, per Mr Arthur ap Gwynn, M.A.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Useful additions to the section dealing with the growth of higher education in Wales are the annual Registers of the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, for 1873-9 (Dept of Printed Books). More collections of material relating to the early history of the University Colleges and of secondary schools would be welcomed.

DAVID ADAMS

1963004

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss S J Adams, Llanfihangel-ar-arth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts of the donor's father, Rev David Adams (1845-1922), Congregational minister. They consist of sermons; addresses and articles on various subjects, including 'Sefyllfa Grefyddol ein heglwysi', 'Gwaith Bugeiliol', 'Beirniadaeth Eisteddfodol a Barddoniaeth', and 'Dr. Rowland Williams'; poetry, including 'Hanes Iesu Grist ar gân o'i fedydd i'r Esgyniad', and another copy revised for the press entitled 'Teyrnged Awen i'r Iesu', and a 'prydstest' on 'Hiraethog'; and a letter to David Adams from W. Pari Huws, Dolgelly, 1921. The printed matter includes a copy of Y Cynhauaf, a cantata with English words by David Adams.

SIR H IDRIS BELL

1963005

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir (Harold) Idris Bell, C.B., O.B.E., LL.D., D.Litt., F.B.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

As in previous years, Sir Idris has passed on to the Library a large number of current issues of journals and books which are welcome additions to the sections relating to philosophical and philological studies (Dept of Printed Books).

GEOFFREY BRIGHT

1963006

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Geoffrey Bright, F.A.L.P.A. Leominster.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume containing a journal of tours of Holland, France, and Italy, 1758-9, undertaken probably by a member of the family of Rushout of Burford, near Tenbury (NLW MS 18131B).

BRITISH BROADCASTING COMPANY

1963007

Ffynhonnell / Source

The British Broadcasting Corporation, per Mr Emyr Humphreys.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Drama Section of the B.B.C. has played a leading part in the development of contemporary Welsh drama with the production on sound and television of original plays and translations which may or may not be published. A copy of the English translation of Mr. Saunders Lewis's 'Brad' is, therefore, a very welcome addition to the Library's collection of plays (Dept of Printed Books).

SIR JOHN CECIL-WILLIAMS

1963008

Ffynhonnell / Source

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

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A tape-recording of the ceremony at which the Cymmrodorion Medal was presented to Dr. Kate Roberts on the occasion of the Royal National Eisteddfod at Rhosllannerchrugog in 1961 (Audio Visual Dept).

DAVID DAVIES, LONDON

1963009

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr David Davies, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript essay, 1961, by the donor on the Ceiriog Valley and the Glyn Valley Tramway (NLW MS 18444D).

D TEIFIGAR DAVIES

1963010

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs G Davies, Llangedwyn.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts and papers from the library of Rev D. Teifigar Davies (d. 1961), the donor's husband. They include a contemporary copy of the birth and baptismal register of the Upper Chapel of Pont Robert ap Oliver in the parish of Myfod (Meifod), co. Montgomery, 1807-36 (the original register is among the Non-Parochial Records now in the custody of the Public Record Office, London); a notebook containing notes of sermons preached at 'Cymmanfa y Bala', 1818; a volume of Machynlleth provenance containing the names of preachers and their texts, 1850-74; and six envelopes containing papers (addresses, notes, etc.) of Richard Bennett, M.A. (1860-1937), relating mainly to the Upper Montgomery Presbytery (Henaduriaeth Trefaldwyn Uchaf). The last-named probably came into the custody of Rev R. W. Jones, Aberangell, and Rev D. Teifigar Davies as joint editors of Cyfrol Goffa Richard Bennett, M.A. (Y Bala, 1940), and some, though not necessarily from these copies, have been published in that volume.

GWILYM DAVIES

1963011

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Gwilym Davies, B.A., Aberystwyth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Files of correspondence, pamphlets (1955-62) relating to the Welsh Children's Peace Message, and pamphlets relating to the League of Nations, the United Nations Association, etc.

#### SAMUEL AND NATHANIEL BUCK

1963012

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss L M Davies, Abergele.

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A collection of line engravings of Anglesey and Caernarvonshire by Samuel and Nathaniel Buck (Dept of Pictures and Maps). It includes Beaumaris Castle, Holyhead Collegiate Church, Llanddwynwen Priory, Penmon Priory, the Church and Palace of Bangor, Caernarvon Castle, Clynog Abbey, Criccieth Castle, and Dolbadarn Castle, together with a number of engraved portraits, posters, etc.

Mynegai

Cricieth

#### SIR H WALFORD DAVIES

1963013

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Miss Margaret S Davies, LL.D., Gregynog.

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A collection of holograph music manuscripts of Sir (Henry) Walford Davies (1869-1941), Master of the King's Music. It includes an arrangement for string quartet of a largo from Beethoven 'to precede O Spiritual Pilgrim'; arrangements 'for the Gregynog Organ' of two minuets from overtures by Handel, July 1926; a setting of Jesu dulcis memoria subtitled 'Reverie for soprano voice, strings, small choir, and pianoforte' and written for one of the Gregynog festivals (music for the choral parts only); a four-voice setting of the Sanctus (in English); and four-voice settings and arrangements of a number of psalms and hymns.

A song 'for Gregynog', beginning 'O, spiritual pilgrim, rise', by Gustav Holst, July 1933, apparently in the composer's hand, a holograph letter, 1942, to the donor from John Wilson, Godalming, nephew and musical executor of Sir Walford Davies, and a copy of the Ode written in honour of Sir Walford Davies by Lascelles Abercrombie in 1934, printed at the Gregynog Press (NLW MS 18121E).

Over 250 volumes selected from Miss Davies's private library shortly before her death (Dept of Printed Books). Through this particularly generous gift the Library acquired several valuable books from the sixteenth century, and more especially very many expensive volumes issued by modern private presses, among which may be noted those of Ashdene, Chiswick, Doves, Essex House, Golden Cockerel, High House (Shaftesbury), Nonesuch, The Seven Acres, and Shakespeare Head.

Of particular interest are several items specially bound for Miss Davies at Gregynog. These include the complete works of Anatole France published in twenty-five volumes by Calmann-Levy of Paris between 1925 and 1935 and two books on Cezanne and Paul Gauguin bound with colourful inlaid leather illustrations by John Mason.

A complete set of programmes and Christmas cards printed at Gregynog helps to make this one of the most outstanding donations received by the Department of Printed Books for many years.

#### R O DAVIES

1963014

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs R O Davies, Aberystwyth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of books, pamphlets, and journals from the library of the late Professor R. O. Davies (Dept of Printed Books).

PEDIGREE OF THE EDDOWS FAMILY, SALOP

1963015

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr David Eddowes, Seaview, Isle of Wight.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A pedigree chart of the family of Eddowes of Worthen, Pontesbury, etc., co. Salop, compiled by the donor (NLW Rolls 2).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

TABERNACLE CM CHAPEL, NEW QUAY

1963016

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Alun R Edwards, F.L.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Typescript copies of a lease of Tabernacle C.M. Chapel, New Quay, 1807, and of a summary of the abstract of title of properties in the parish of Llanllwchaiarne covering the main portion of modern New Quay (NLW MS 17743E).

Mynegai

Llanllwchaiarn

JOHN VOLANDER JONES

1963017

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend J Penry Edwards, Pentre-ty-gwyn, near Llandovery.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Fourteen volumes of holograph sermons, in Welsh and English, 1896-1928, by Rev John Volander Jones (1850-1929), Congregational minister, of Cefnarth and Pentre-ty-gwyn, etc. (NLW MSS 18134-45B)

T GWYNN JONES

1963018

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs John Edwards, Kingston-on-Thames.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume of six holograph English sonnets by Thomas Gwynn Jones, dedicated to the donor's uncle Robert Bryan, May 1904 (NLW MS 18446A).

CERTIFICATES OF DISCHARGE AND LIST OF SHIPS' PARTICULARS

1963019

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Richard Emlyn Edwards, Moseley, Birmingham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Twenty certificates of discharge of Richard Williams, seaman, of Aberystwyth, 1872-91, together with a list of particulars (measurements, date of building, ownership, trade routes, etc.) of the ships on which he served (NLW MS 18128D).

#### LLANGERNIEW COTTAGE GARDEN

1963020

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J E Ethall, B.A., Llangernyw, per Mr Richard Jones, B.A., Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An account book, 1893-1908, of the Llangerniew Cottage Garden Improvement and Industrial Society (NLW MS 18133C).

#### JOHN ROBERTS ('IEUAN GWYLLT')

1963021

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend D J Evans, B.A., B.D., Capel Seion, near Aberystwyth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A notebook of John Roberts ('Ieuan Gwyllt'; 1822-77) originally intended, but not extensively used, as a register of the school established by him at Nanteos Arms, Capel Seion, 12 June 1839 (NLW MS 12164A). The volume was subsequently used, c. 1839-40, to record hymns, hymn-tunes, and notes of sermons.

#### DR E P EVANS, LONDON

1963022

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr E P Evans, London, per Dr R T Jenkins, C.B.E., Bangor.

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Biographical notes by the donor on the family of Enoch Francis (1688/9-1740), Baptist minister, Newcastle Emlyn (NLW MS 17743E).

#### DR DAVID REES, BRONNANT

1963023

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Eluned Evans, Bronnant.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A group of holograph sermons, 1869-1900 and undated, by Dr. David Rees (1818-1904), Bronnant, co. Cardigan (NLW MS 18129B), together with two essays on his life (NLW MS 18130D).

#### MID-RHONDDA TRADES AND LABOUR COUNCIL

1963024

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Gwen Ray Evans, Porth, Rhondda.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A minute book of the Mid-Rhondda Trades and Labour Council, 1909-22 (NLW MS 18148E).

W A EVANS, DENBIGH

1963025

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W A Evans, M.C., M.Sc., Denbigh.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two volumes of memoranda of proceedings at Denbighshire Quarter Sessions, 1855-9, 1865-73 (NLW MSS 12175-6C); an address from the clergy of the diocese of Bangor to King William III, conveying congratulations on the discovery of the 'Assassination Plot' [1696] and expressing loyalty to the throne (NLW MS 17743E); and the papers of R. B. Searell, headmaster of Llanrhaeadr-yng-Nghinmeirch School, Denbighshire, including genealogical material of the Searell family, manuscript and typescript addresses by R. B. Searell, press cuttings relating to educational matters, 1910-50 (R B Searell Papers); and a printed drawing of Searell's Patent Sewing Machine (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

FFESTINIOG RAILWAY SOCIETY

1963026

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Ffestiniog Railway Society Ltd., per Mr J D Prideaux, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Numbers 1-18 of The Ffestiniog Railway Magazine, issued privately to members of the Society (Dept of Printed Books).

H J FLEURE

1963027

Ffynhonnell / Source

Emeritus Professor H J Fleure, M.A., D.Sc., LL.D., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Thirty-six selected volumes from the donor's personal library (Dept of Printed Books). They include Manuel d'archeologie prehistorique celtique et gallo-romaine, by Joseph Dechelette (Paris, 1912-14); Comment la route cree le type social . . . by Edmond Demolins, (Paris, n.d.); Reallexikon der Vorgeschichte . . . edited by Max Ebert (Berlin, 1924-32); and The place of Egypt in prehistory . . . by S. A. Huzayyin . . . with a foreword by Dr. Fleure (Cairo, 1941).

PEDIGREE OF OLDFIELD FAMILY, BETWS-YN-RHOS

1963028

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major A J Francis, Watford.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A pedigree chart of the family of Oldfield of Farm, Betws-yn-Rhos, co. Denbigh, compiled by the donor (NLW Rolls 18).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

SELINA, COUNTESS OF HUNTINGDON

1963029

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Matthew Francis, M.A., B.Litt., Hobart, Tasmania.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A microfilm of letters of Selina, Countess of Huntingdon, from the John Rylands Library, Manchester, namely, English MSS. Nos. 338/1-13, 346/185a, and eighteen letters of Selina, Countess of Huntingdon, and 313 letters to the Countess, from the Huntingdon Library, California, U.S.A. (NLW Microfilms 211)

DAVID LLOYD GEORGE

1963030

Ffynhonnell / Source

'Friends of the National Library of Wales'.

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A portrait in oils of the Right Hon. David Lloyd George, painted in 1920 by Augustus John. This portrait was formerly in the artist's studio and was purchased at Messrs. Christie's sale in July 1962 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

JOHN BUCKLER

1963031

Ffynhonnell / Source

'Friends of the National Library of Wales' in conjunction with 'Friends of the National Libraries'.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A most interesting volume of watercolour drawings by John Buckler entitled 'Ecclesiastical, monumental, and castellated antiquities of North Wales' (Dept of Pictures and Maps). This folio volume, which was formerly in the collection of the late Sir William Jones, C.B.E., is bound in russia leather, with gilt tooling, and bears the arms of Sir Richard Colt Hoare, for whom it was compiled and to whom it is dedicated. It contains a title, dedication, and seventy-two fine drawings of North Wales, signed by the artist and dated 1810. The views of cathedrals, churches, castles, and houses are in watercolour, and those of church monuments in bistre.

SAMUEL E GEE

1963032

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Samuel E Gee, London.

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A holograph letter from A[bel] Simner, London, to John Cartwright, Denbigh, 1837, giving an account of a meeting held at Jewin Crescent C.M. Chapel to approve of Thomas Gee's candidature for the ministry (NLW MS 16704E). (See T. Gwynn Jones, *Cofiant Thomas Gee* (1913), pp. 61-2.).

CHINESE DICTIONARY

1963033

Ffynhonnell / Source



Mr H C Gilbert, M.A., Manchester, per Dr Henry Lewis, C.B.E., Swansea.  
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Disgrifiad / Description  
A dictionary of the classical Chinese language (Dept of Printed Books).

IRVINE E GRAY

1963034

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Irvine E Gray, Records Office, Gloucester.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Three deeds, 1668-1857, relating to properties in the parishes of Llandeveylog, Llanvihangel Rhosycorn, Llanybether, and Mydrim, co. Carmarthen (NLW Deeds 788-90); administration with will annexed of Catharine Mary Davies, formerly of King Street, Carmarthen, and late of the parish of Saint Nicholas, Hereford, spinster, 1861 (NLW Deeds 1203); and probates of the wills of George Davies, late of Pibwr Wen, parish of Llandeveillog, co. Carmarthen, gent., 1863 (NLW Deeds 1204), and Rev Thomas William Parry, late rector of St. Nicholas, Hereford, clerk, 1871 (NLW Deeds 1205).

Mynegai

Llandyfaelog, Llanfihangel Rhosycorn, Llanybether.

FORWARD MOVEMENT ('MUDIAD YM MLAEN')

1963035

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend R T Gregory, Cardiff.

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A minute book of the Vale of Glamorgan Congregational Committee of the Forward Movement ('Mudiad ym Mlaen'), 1901-11, manuscript histories of the Congregational churches of Castellau, by Evan Rees, 1928, Carmel, Treherbert, by Wm. J. Jones, 1940, Bethesda, Barry, by D. H. Evans, 1941, Bethlehem, Cardiff, by T. W. David, 1941 (with a covering letter by the author), Bethania, Evanstown, Gilfach Goch, Bryn Seion, Gilfach Goch, and Bodringallt, Ystrad Rhondda, and a typescript and manuscript history of the Congregational church of Ramah, Treorchy (NLW MS 18154D).

BERTA VON SCHILTBERG

1963036

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs F J Griffin, Newton Court, Monmouth, per Major Herbert J Lloyd-Johnes, T.D., F.S.A., Coates, near Cirencester.

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Over fifty letters, 1912-39, from Berta von Schiltberg to the Misses Lilian and Violet Reekes at Appleton Manor, near Abingdon, Berkshire, and elsewhere (NLW MS 18122C). The writer lived in Munich and apparently kept a pension for young ladies and taught music, and the correspondence dates from the time when the two girls stayed with her. The letters reflect an active and happy life before 1914, the sorrows brought by the War, and the writer's indigence after it. There are a few letters from others of the two girls' Munich acquaintances. All the letters are in German.

LEAF FROM 'BEIBL PETER WILLIAMS'

1963037

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend H Cadnant Griffith, B.A., Abergele.

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A blank leaf from 'Beibl Peter Williams' (1770) containing entries of births, etc., of the family of Bryncar, Betws-yn-Rhos (said to be related to the late Professor T. Gwynn Jones, Aberystwyth) (NLW MS 17743E).

DR LL WYN GRIFFITH

1963038

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr L. Wyn Griffith, C.B.E., Berkhamsted.

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A collection of the literary compositions of Dr. Wyn Griffith, supplementing the manuscripts already presented by him to the Library. They include a continuation of Spring of Youth; pages described by the author as 'the starting point of what became Up to Mametz'; the manuscript of 'Colour of Rain' (unfinished); the original manuscript of Branwen and of the verse play for radio bearing the same title, the manuscript of the poem 'The Barren Tree'; manuscripts of a poem entitled 'Defeat'; typescript copies (incomplete) of 'Poems 1913-38', and a copy of the privately-printed booklet Hiraeth; two notebooks containing fair copies of poems written between 1912 and 1941; material for a book on English viol music; papers relating to early Welsh music and the work of Arnold Dolmetsch, including one letter from Arnold Dolmetsch, 1935, and three letters from Mabel Dolmetsch, 1934-5; the libretto and vocal score of Menna, an opera in three acts (libretto by Wyn Griffith, music by Arwel Hughes), and a copy of the Welsh translation of the libretto which was prepared by Sir Thomas Parry-Williams for performance at the National Eisteddfod, Ystradgynlais, 1954; short stories by the donor and English translations by him of some of the short stories of Dr. Kate Roberts; radio scripts in English and Welsh; and articles, speeches, and addresses on various subjects.

There are also letters addressed to Dr. Wyn Griffith and papers which belonged to his father, John Griffith (1863-1933; see D.W.B.), and to Captain J. F. Wyn Griffith (killed in action, 1942), elder son of Dr. Wyn Griffith. The correspondence includes letters from H. Graham Dakyns (to John Griffith and J. R. Dakyns), 1910-11, Sir Walford Davies (to John Griffith and Dr. Wyn Griffith), c.1919-34, and Professor J. Glyn Davies (to Dr. Wyn Griffith), with copies of poems by J. Glyn Davies. There are also letters from John Griffith to Dr. Wyn Griffith and to J. Breese Davies, Dinas Mawddwy, and genealogical material supplied to Dr. Wyn Griffith by Rowland Williams, Rhiw, Pwllheli, his father's cousin.

Other items include a typescript copy of The Mezentian Gate by E. R. Eddison (1882-1945).

PARLIAMENT FOR WALES CAMPAIGN

1963039

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr T Elwyn Griffiths, B.A., A.L.A., Caernarvon.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A file of minutes, correspondence, and circulars, 1951-4, of the Merioneth County Committee of the Parliament for Wales Campaign ('Ymgyrch Senedd i Gymru'), of which the donor was secretary.

T MERVYN PRITCHARD

1963040

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W E Griffiths, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of pen-and-ink sketches of buildings, etc., in Pembrokeshire made in 1922 by T. Mervyn Pritchard for the Royal Commission on Ancient Monuments (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

#### WELSH SERVICES CLUB

1963041

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr H O Harries, O.B.E., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A minute book of the Welsh Services Club, Grays Inn Road, London, 1941-7 (NLW MS 18467E).

#### SIR J CECIL-WILLIAMS

1963042

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion, per Sir John Cecil-Williams, M.A., LL.D., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The B.B.C. recording of the ceremony of the presentation of the Cymmrodorion Medal to Sir John Cecil-Williams, 25 June 1962 (Audio Visual Dept).

#### DULAS AND FADIAN COPPER MINE ETC

1963043

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Alun Hughes, Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A cost book, 1853-9, of the Dulas and Fadian Copper Mine, parish of Penegoes, co. Montgomery (NLW MS 18466E).

Over eighty-five printed books, mainly of historical and literary interest, selected from the library of the late W. T. Jordan, a member of the staff of The Montgomeryshire County Times (Dept of Printed Books).

A volume of plans by George Maxwell of farms on the estates of John Campbell in the parishes of Dolgellau, Llanfihangel-y-Pennant, Talyllyn, and Llangelynnin co. Merioneth (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

#### BWLCHGWYN SILICA COMPANY

1963044

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Elwyn Hughes, Bwlchgwyn, Wrexham, per Mr D Tecwyn Lloyd, M.A., Carmarthen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A file of typescript royalty and dead rent accounts payable by the Bwlchgwyn Silica Co. Ltd. to the Duke of Westminster, 1947-62 (NLW MS 18457E).

#### WELSH BALLADS

1963045

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs H Temple Hughes, Bethesda.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two Welsh ballads, not previously represented in the Library, entitled Dwy o gerddi newyddion by Ellis Roberts, and printed at Trefriw in 1778 (No. 309 in A Bibliography of Welsh Ballads . . . compiled by J. H. Davies) (Dept of Printed Books).

CATALOGUES OF (BANGOR) MOSTYN & GWYSANEY MSS

1963046

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Emyr Gwynne Jones, M.A., Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Typescript catalogues of the Mostyn Manuscripts and Documents, Part I (Literary and Historical Manuscripts), and of Additional Gwysaney Deeds and Documents (Open Shelves).

DR EMYR WYN JOINES

1963047

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Emyr Wyn Jones, F.R.C.P., Liverpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Three scrapbooks, c. 1920-35, compiled by Isaac Davies, Birkenhead, mainly of Welsh religious and literary interest, the third volume also containing information in tabulated form relating to the National Eisteddfod (NLW MSS 18123-5D); and two volumes containing histories of the Welsh Calvinistic Methodists in Birkenhead, one by Richard Williams, 1883, and the other by Isaac Davies (NLW MSS 18126D, 18127A). The latter gives the history from 1834 to 1909, with additional notes to 1932.

CATALOGUE OF PLAS LLANSTEPHAN MUNIMENTS

1963048

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major Francis Jones, T.D., M.A., F.S.A., Carmarthen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript catalogue of the Plas Llanstephan Muniments deposited in the County Record Office, Carmarthen (Open Shelves).

T GWYNN JONES

1963049

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs F Wyn Jones, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A further selection of printed books, mainly of literary interest, from the library of her father, the late Dr. T. Gwynn Jones, many of which contain interesting marginal notes and comments (Dept of Printed Books).

Two portraits in oils of Professor Thomas Gwynn Jones, one of them painted by William Hughes, Cerrigydrudion, 1919 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

JOHN WILLIAM JONES(' ANDRONICUS')

1963050

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Gwilym Arthur Jones, Denbigh.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts and printed matter of John William Jones ('Andronicus'; 1842-95). They include holograph poetry, 1860-1 (NLW MS 18155A); a volume of press cuttings of articles, including 'Yn y Tren' and 'Nodion Cartrefol'; Robert Jones ('R. J. Derfel'): Brad y Llyfrau Gleision (Rhuthyn, 1854), with an inscription to 'Andronicus' from the author (NLW MS 18156E); and Cylchgrawn y Gymdeithas er taenu gwybodaeth fuddiol, January-June, 1835 (Dept of Printed Books).

DR IORWERTH HUGHES JONES

1963051

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Iorwerth Hughes Jones, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A small group of typescript papers belonging to the late D. E[mrys] Lewis, Port Talbot, afterwards of Fforest Fach, Swansea, the crowned bard of the Neath National Eisteddfod, 1918 (NLW MS 18132C). It includes an incomplete copy of a Welsh historical play suitable for schoolchildren - 'Y Normyn yn dod i Forgannwg' written for competition at the Caernarvon National Eisteddfod, 1921; an article on the bicentenary of the birth of Rev Peter Williams (1723-96); and two items of verse written for competition at the Bangor National Eisteddfod, 1931.

As has been his custom for many years, Dr. Jones has again given the Library the option on a large number of printed books and pamphlets (Dept of Printed Books).

J NORMAN JONES

1963052

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Norman Jones, Harpenden, per Mr D Morgan Rees, M.A., Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Instructions to Evan Jones upon leaving the Charity School of the Most Honorable and Loyal Society of Ancient Britons, 1855 (NLW Misc Records 162); an indenture of apprenticeship of Evan Jones as sail-maker at Wapping, 1856 (NLW Misc Records 163); and a seaman's certificate of discharge of Evan Jones, 1884 (NLW Misc Records 164).

HENRY WILLIAM JONES

1963053

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Jocelyn Jones, Worcester, per Mrs Hettie Glyn Davies, Llanfairfechan.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two volumes of a draft typescript dissertation entitled 'A Social Survey of a Rural Parish in Wales', i.e., the parish of Gyffylliog, Denbighshire, written by the donor's father, Henry W[illiams] Jones, rector of Gyffylliog, under the direction of J. Glyn Davies, in candidature for the degree of M.A. [in the University of Liverpool] (NLW MSS 18146-7C); and a transcript by Henry W. Jones (lacking the dedication, introduction, and list of subscribers) of William Davies Leathart: The Origin and Progress of the Gwyneddigion Society of London (London, 1831) (NLW Misc Records 362).

PRINTED BOOKS

1963054

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Miss M J Jones, Aelwyd Brys, Cerrig-y-drudion, per Mr Ithon Jones, Pentrefoelas.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A small collection of books mainly of Welsh interest (Dept of Printed Books). They include an 1808 edition of *Bannau y byd . . .* by Thomas Edwards ('Twm o'r Nant'); *Clustnodydd neu logell lyfr y bugail . . .* by Hugh Ellis; *Dirgelwch i rai i'w ddeall . . .* by Morgan Llwyd (Gwrecsam, 1778); *Rhodd meistr i'w brentis, y gywrain gelfyddyd o Japanio . . .* by Lewis Morris (Dolgellau, 1812); and a copy of the 1768 edition of Elis Wynne's *Gweledigaethau y Bardd Cwsc: y rhan gyntaf*, inscribed on the title-page by Thomas Edwards ('Twm o'r Nant').

WILLIAM OWEN ('WILLIAM OWEN PRYSGOL')

1963055

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Owen H Jones, Rhostryfan.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The holograph manuscript of the hymn-tune 'Bryn Calfaria' by the donor's grandfather William Owen ('William Owen Prysgol'), 1850 (NLW MS 12052C).

RICHARD JONES, MACHYNLLETH

1963056

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Richard Jones, B.A., Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two notebooks containing a history of the Baptist causes at Staylitttle, Tan-lan, and Dylifau, by David Jones ('Dewi Bach Dylifau'; 1840-87), of Rhydyorthmyn, Dylifau, afterwards of Dollderwen, Machynlleth (NLW MS 18424B); an account book of Morgan Morgans, miller, Melin y Ffridd, Machynlleth, 1879-1914 (NLW MS 18425D); a charm discovered at Felin-y-ffridd, Machynlleth (NLW MS 15557C); a journal of James James, land surveyor, Borth, co. Cardigan, for the period 15 January 1886 to 4 April 1887, with entries relating largely to land measurements along Cardigan Bay, extending from Borth to Llanfrothen and Portmadoc (NLW MS 11988A); a manuscript arithmetic rule and example book, c. 1833 (NLW MS 16634A); and a volume of anonymous Welsh sermon notes, 1843 (NLW Misc Volumes 188).

As a keen bibliographer, with particular interest in the works issued by Montgomeryshire printers, Mr. Richard Jones has been a consistent friend of the Library over a long period. His frequent gifts of books and minor publications (often difficult to obtain) have proved to be valuable accessions in the field of Welsh bibliography.

During the past year these included *Adroddiad y genhadaeth ymhlith y Saeson ... yn ... sir Drefaldwyn . . .* 1836, and *Hanes fanol a chywir o'r trychineb arswydus a gymerodd le yn ngwaith glo Plas-yr-Argoed ... gan Owen Jones (Caernarvon, 1811)* (Dept of Printed Books).

R J JONES

1963057

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend R J Jones, B.A., B.D., Barry.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A supplementary group of manuscripts from the donor's library, including thirteen volumes of notes of lectures on Philosophy, Logic, Psychology, and Ethics by Professor James Gibson, Bangor, taken down by the donor, 1913-15; notes of lectures on the Godhead and Theology by Principal T. Rees, and

on Early Church History and the Reformation by Professor J. Morgan Jones, taken down by the donor, 1916-18; and notes taken down at the sermon-class at Bala-Bangor Independent College, 1916-18.

R MENAI JONES

1963058

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs R Menai Jones, Pontarddulais, per The Reverend J Penry Edwards, Pentre-ty-gwyn.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Holograph and typescript sermons, notes and outlines of sermons, talks and addresses, in English and Welsh, by the donor's husband, Rev R. Menai Jones (d. 1962), Baptist minister, of Pontarddulais.

ERNEST NORMAN JONES

1963059

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R Norman Jones, F C.A., Aberystwyth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts and papers of the donor's father, the late Ernest Norman Jones, formerly Professor of Hebrew and Old Testament Exegesis in the Theological College, Aberystwyth. They include autograph letters from his father, Dr. John Cynddylan Jones, R. E. Conway, Cambridge, John Davies, Pandy, G. Chatterton Richards, Sir John Rhys, Principal Owen Prys, John Young Evans, Principal T. F. Roberts, J. H. Davies, David Samuel, Gwilym Williams, L. G. Tucker, T. Houghton, J. D. Evans, Liverpool, Arthur G. Hoehren, Herbert N. Norman, Big Springs, Ohio, and members of the family, 1887-1960; material for the history of the U.C.W. Gymnasium and the early days of the Theological College; notes on the pedigree of the Norman family of Caerleon, etc., co. Monmouth; certificates and testimonials; reports, accounts, etc., of the Aberystwyth and Borth and Ynyslas Golf Clubs; old programmes, photographs, college verses, and press cuttings; and regulations of Trevecca College.

J WHESELL

1963060

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr & Mrs T Vaughan Jones, Rhos, Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A coloured stipple engraving of 'The Durham Ox' by J. Whessell after J. Boulton, published 1802 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

GOMER JONES

1963061

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Vida Jones, Denbigh.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Articles by the donor's husband, the late Mr Gomer Jones, on 'Early Banking in North Wales', 'The Functions of a Banker', 'Banking without Flattery', and 'The Countryside and this Mechanical Age'; and the script of a BBC broadcast on the Denbigh National Eisteddfod entitled 'Edrych ymlaen at y Brifwyl', 7 March 1939 (NLW MS 18166D).

PRINTED BOOKS

1963062

Ffynhonnell / Source

Principal W S Jones, M.Sc., Llandre.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Sixty volumes by modern Welsh authors which have been added to the Duplicates Section of the Department of Printed Books (Dept of Printed Books).

J D LEWIS & SONS

1963063

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs J D Lewis & Sons, Llandysul.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Three minute books of Glannau Teifi Baptist Singing Festival, 1912-25, 1936-54 (NLW MS 18447A); two minute books of Llandysul and District Baptist Sunday School Festival, 1887-1934 (NLW MS 18448A); a minute book of Llandysul Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, 1943-9 (NLW MS 18449A); and three chapters of 'Brithgofion Newyddiadurwr' by William Eames, currently serialised in Y Genhinen (NLW MS 17442B).

PORTUGALIAE MONUMENTA CARTOGRAPHICA

1963064

Ffynhonnell / Source

Comisao Esecutiva do V Centenario da Morte do Infante D Henrique, Lisbon.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The two final Volumes (V and VI) of the magnificently executed Portugaliae Monumenta Cartographica of which Volumes I-IV were received last year (Dept of Printed Books).

CROSSWOOD

1963065

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Right Hon the Earl of Lisburne, Virginia Water.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

His Lordship has converted into a donation all the deeds and documents described in Francis Green: The National Library of Wales. Calendar of Deeds and Documents. Vol. II. The Crosswood Deeds (1927). The archive had previously been held on deposit.

Nodiadau

Group II. Schedule Available.

A R LLEWELLIN-TAYLOUR

1963066

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr A R Llewellyn-Taylor, M.A., F.R.S.A., F.R.G.S., Kensington.

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A group of 138 deeds and documents, 1237-1898 and undated, consisting largely of title-deeds of manors and properties in Freskewatere, Isle of Wight, Hatton [parish of Eyton-under-Heywood], Salop (Shrewsburie), Slaype (Sleape), Pontisbury, Madeley, and Wall' subtus Eywood, co. Salop,



Northcriffting, co. Nottingham, Worthe, co. Sussex, Neudegate and Mary Magdalen (Bermondsey), co. Surrey, Seuenhampton, Melkesham, and Erlstoke, co. Wilts, Westschireburn, ? co. Hants., Fulmodeston, Magna Jernemuth, Lutton in Sutton, Wendlyng, Gressenhale Skernyng, South Grenehowe, Runham, Rackye, and Sprowston, co. Norfolk, Cleydon, co. Suffolk, Foulnesse, Rocheford, Legh, Botelers, Shopeland, Dakynham, Magna Sutton, Wakeryng Magna, Pakelesham, Wakeryng Parva, Walettes, and Roxwell, co. Essex, Lordisdoune, Southmolton, Sybferton, Dertyngton, Esteyngmouth, Westeyngmouth, Teyngmouth Episcopi, Kyngisware, Brixham, Clifton, Dartmouth, Harding, Harberton, Lewdisworthye, Bridgerule, and Barnstaple, co. Devon, Houke Stapelford, Ouerkentecomb, Netherkentecomb, Yerde, Frome, Foughchurch, West Chickereil, Charleton, Badecomb, Wydehenk, Gorewill, Sturmyenster Marshall, Magna Crouford, Middelstrete, Speghtesbury, Northporton, Southporton, Maydennywton, Loscomb, Wyn ... Clencheston, and Wynterborn Martyn, co. Dorset, Crowell, and Barton Gharcells otherwise Charcells Barton, co. Oxford, Kyngeston, Harbrok, Stampford, Wyke, Stokecurcy, and Canington, co. Somerset, Annandale, co. Dumfries, Olynton, Hardewyke, and Heyden, co. Gloucester, Sturrey, Heirne (Herne), Strode, Hawe, and Chystlett, co. Kent, Stoppesley otherwise Haveryng, co. Bedford, Tykyll, ?co. York, Smalley Morley, Driffeild, Wyndley, and Hasetwood, co. Derby, St. Bartholomew and St. Brigitt (Brydes) in London, Kingesnewton and Red Hill, co. Worcester, Thurcaston and Sytheston otherwise Sayston otherwise Syeston, co. Leicester, Wolnor Campton, Longdon, Chorley otherwise Charley, Magna Bloxwich otherwise Blockeswich, Walsall otherwise Wassall, Norton in le Moores, and Gratton, co. Stafford, Old Fillongley, co. Warwick, Wick Malbanc [Nantwich], co. Chester, Aston, co. Montgomery, Stebonheath, co. Middlesex, and in cos. Cumberland, Westmorland, and Lancaster. The great majority of the deeds are evenly distributed over a period preceding 1600. Among other items included in the archive are the institution by George, count of Lim'gen, dean and archdeacon of the church of Cologne, of Mathias de Juliaco, priest in the diocese of Cologne, to a vicarage in the church of Cologne, 1475; the act of Richard, bishop of Salisbury, recording the augmentation of the endowment of the vicarage of Warfield, co. Berks., by the prior and convent of Hurle, 1478; an inspeximus by Robert Legge, mayor of Totenes, co. Devon, of the court roll of the manor of Magna Totenes, 1506/7-7; copy court rolls of the manor of Chewell and Herons otherwise Heyrons, 1521-7, 1553, and of Stoke iuxta Clare, co. Suffolk, 1533; and the charter of Charles Theodorus, Count Palatine of the Rhine, Archtreasurer and Elector of the Holy Roman Empire, etc., establishing the Academy in the Electoral Palace of Mannheim, 1763.

A volume of transcripts of letters written by Marie de Medici, widow of King Henry IV of France, and a few by her son, the boy King Louis XIII, to leading personages on the French political scene, 10 July 1612 to 16 April 1617, during the period of Mary's regency and of the dissensions which ensued.

A group of letters written in French, mostly from British naval and military officers to the French governor of Santa Domingo at the time of the Seven Years War in 1762, dealing with the treatment of prisoners of war, requests to be released on parole, etc.; together with a letter to the French naval commander at Cap Francais from Isaac Decker, the commander of a British frigate lost at sea, volunteering for service with the French, as he feared punishment in the British Dominions, and a letter from a Parisian merchant concerning the export of sugar.

A holograph letter, 1702, from Elizabeth Pearse and Agnis Pearse, Aishburton, to their brother William Pearse, Cheapside, London; two holograph letters, 1881, from Lavinia Parkinson and F. Parkinson, Market Weighton, to Miss Ada Stephenson, Beverley, 1881; typescript correspondence between the donor and the International Union for Conservation of Nature, 1953-61; and miscellaneous nineteenth century vouchers.

A further collection of British and foreign stamps (Dept of Pictures and Maps), including some of the first issues of the stamps printed in connection with the National Productivity Year campaign, a collection of nineteenth century greeting cards, including valentines, birthday cards, and Christmas cards, and a number of photographs of the South African War, 1900, the first World War, etc.

As has been his custom for over thirty years, Mr. Llewellyn-Taylor has again made several valuable gifts of books, especially in the field of early rare books. During the past year over 100 volumes were received, ranging from incunabula to modern classics (Dept of Printed Books). Among them may be noted the *Itinerarium* of Bernard von Breydenbach (1486); *Summa de casibus conscientiae* of Angelus de Clavasio (1487); collections of sermons by Michael Lochmaier and Paul Wann bound in one volume (1497); and Part 3 only [*Tertia pars . . .*] of the *Opera* of Johannes Gerson (1488).

The sixteenth century presses are strongly represented by various editions of the works of Aristotle, Demosthenes, Horace, Herodotus, Juvenal, Justinus, Plutarch, Pliny, Petrarch, S. Thomas Aquinas, Thucydides, Martin Luther, Manuzio, Antonio Bevilacqua, Ambrosius Calepinus, Antoine Geuffroy, and Suetonius Tranquillius.

Representative works from succeeding centuries include King Charles his case: or An appeal to all rational men concerning his tryal at the High Court of Justice, by John Cook (1649); The Morall philosophy of the Stoicks . . . by Guillaume Du Vair, Bishop of Lisieux (1664); the Travailes . . . of George Sandys (1658); A Further iustification of the present war against the United Netherlands . . . by Henry Stubbe (1673); the 1620 edition of John Owen's Epigrammatum . . .; and a large selection of works of historical, military, and biographical interest.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

E A LLOYD

1963067

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E A Lloyd, Brilley, per Miss E M Jancey, M.A., Hereford.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Twenty-nine deeds and documents, 1593-1848, relating to properties in Womaston (Old Radnor), Evenjobb, Llansaintfraed in Elvel, Llandrindod, Cascob, Ednall, Llanvareth, and Presteigne, co. Radnor.

Mynegai

Llansanffraid-yn-Elfael, Llanfachreth.

J H LLOYD ('PERYDDON')

1963068

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J H Lloyd ('Peryddon'), Bala.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A list of the meetings of the Bala town mission, 1893-5, and the Capel Tegid Mission Committee prayer meetings, 1897-8 (NLW MS 18422A); minutes of the Capel Tegid Young People's Religious Society, 1896-1903 (NLW MS 18421A); a diary belonging to J. E. Hughes, Pandy Isa, Bala, 1897 (NLW MS 18420A); the reminiscences of Thomas R. Thomas, Tynant, relating to the Cwmtirmynach district (NLW MS 18423D); notes on the antiquities of the Talybont district, Llanycil (NLW MS 18423D); a notebook belonging to 'Gwilym Derfel', Llandderfel, containing copies of poems, notes on 'Eos Cynllwyd', 'Tudur Llwyd', and Edward Jones ('Bardd y Brenin'), and a list of ruined houses in the parish of Llandderfel (18423D); an indenture of apprenticeship between Robert Roberts, Tyn y Bryn, Llanycil, and James Jones, Rhyducha, wheelwright, 1809 (NLW Misc Records 165); copies of entries in the register of Bala Independent Church relating to the baptisms of the children of Griffith Lloyd, shoemaker, 1813-23, made by John Peter, 1876 (nlw ms 18423d); a list of Welsh books published at Bala, 1756-1820, compiled by R. Prys Jones, Pontypridd, 1915 (NLW MS 18423D); a letter from Bob Owen, Croesor, explaining certain place names, 1936; a copy of 'Cân y Ffeniaid'; and copies of six englynion by David Roberts ('Dewi Havhesp') (NLW MS 16799D).

HERBERT J LLOYD-JOHNES

1963069

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major Herbert J Lloyd-Johnes, T.D., F.S.A., Coates, Nr. Cirencester.

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A further gift of twenty printed books relating to Poland, many of which carry inscriptions by their authors, and a small collection of the works of William Barnes, the nineteenth-century poet and philologist (Dept of Printed Books).

D J MICHAEL

1963070

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend D J Michael, B.A., Clunderwen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A petition by ninety members of Ffynnon Baptist Church, co. Pembroke, to incorporate Blaenconyn Church, together with a letter of dismissal, 1844 (NLW MS 12041C); and a volume containing subscriptions towards the first meeting house at Blaenconyn, 1844, and grain accounts, 1851-3 (NLW MS 12042B).

VACCINATION REGISTERS

1963071

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D Ll Carrellio Morgan, Ph.D., F.C.C.S., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Four vaccination registers for the Aberystwyth Registration District, 1871-1924 (NLW MSS 18458-61F).

IWAN MORGAN

1963072

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Iwan J Morgan, M.A., Barry.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An oil-painting of Tretower Castle and village, possibly the original by Henry Gastineau (1797-1876) of the engraving by H. W. Bond published in Wales Illustrated, 1830, and in Dugdale's England and Wales Delineated, c. 1835 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

W MORGAN-RICHARDS

1963073

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W Morgan-Richards, Pencoed, Bridgend.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Holograph and autograph letters, 1915-36, to the donor from J. Bodvan Anwyl (NLW MS 16098E), Frederic Evans, Neath (NLW MS 16704E), J. J. D. Hooson, Birmingham (NLW MS 16726A), R. G. Heys, Scarborough (NLW MS 16098E), and James B. Johnston, Falkirk (NLW MS 16726A); holograph letters of Charles Ashton, 1891, and H. Elvet Lewis, 1933 (NLW MS 16726A); a receipt signed by E. M. Sirman, Jesus College, Oxford, 1927 (NLW MS 17743E); a menu card of a dinner held at the Welsh Board of Education Summer School, Jesus College, Oxford, 1925, with signatures; and two Welsh poems (NLW MS 16799D).

CROFT, BARN AND BARLEY HAY LIMESTONE QUARRIES

1963074

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr George Stratton Ormond, Tenby.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A pocket book, 1857, of a [Carew] gentleman farmer and the proprietor of [Barley Hay] limestone quarry (NLW MS 18119A); and a ledger, 1889-1914, relating to the Croft, Barn, and Barley Hay limestone quarries [parish of Carew, co. Pelnbroke] and to agricultural activities (NLW MS 18120E).

#### TRANSCRIPTS OF MUSTER ROLLS ETC

1963075

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Leonard Owen, C.I.E., M.A., Gerrards Cross.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Twelve files of typescript transcripts made by the donor of lay and clerical subsidy rolls, other taxation returns, and muster rolls at the Public Record Office relating to the six counties of North Wales (NLW MSS 18158-65D). The muster rolls or certificates of muster are those taken in the reign of Henry VIII for cos. Anglesey, Merioneth, Caernarvon, Denbigh, and Flint (P.R.O. Nos. E36/33 and E36/49). The lay subsidies and other taxation returns, including benevolences, reliefs, devotion money, poll tax, and hearth tax, cover a period from 1542/3 to 1673/4. The six counties of North Wales are represented-- Anglesey (2 files), Caernarvon (1 file), Denbigh (2 files), Flint (1 file), Merioneth (1 file), Montgomery (3 files). The Anglesey, Caernarvon, Denbigh, and Merioneth files are prefaced with a transcript of the relative portion of the Bishop's Census for the Diocese of Bangor of 1563 taken from British Museum MS. Harl. 594. The Caernarvon file contains also a jurors' list for 1748. The clerical subsidy rolls occupy one file and extend from 1564/5 to 1624/5.

#### J E OWEN, CAERNARFON

1963076

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Ruffina Owen, Tre-Taliesin, per The Reverend J Penry Edwards, Pentre-ty-gwyn.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An extensive group of sermons and lecture notes of the donor's brother Rev Edward John Owen (d. 1955), Congregational minister, Caernarvon.

#### MATTHEW WAYNE

1963077

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Peter Pagan, B.A., F.L.A., Bath.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Complete Pocketbook, or Gentleman's and Tradesman's Daily Journal, 1809, with memoranda and accounts in the hand of Matthew Wayne (c. 1780-1853), ironmaster and coalowner of Aberdare, etc. (NLW MS 18419A)

#### SIR T H PARRY-WILLIAMS

1963078

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Thomas H Parry-Williams, M.A., D.Litt., LL.D., Ph.D., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An essay: 'Casgliad o weithiau Sion Brwynog, gyda nodiadau hanesyddol a beirniadol' by the late Rev Gwilym H. Jones, Blaenclydach, which was awarded a prize at the Holyhead National Eisteddfod, 1927 (NLW MS 11987E).

A copy of the privately-printed and limited edition of the donor's elegy Y Ddinas, which was awarded the Crown at the Bangor National Eisteddfod, 1915, and a collection of off-prints of articles on literary and philological subjects (Dept of Printed Books).

#### PEMBROKESHIRE COUNTY LIBRARY

1963079

Ffynhonnell / Source

Pembrokeshire County Library, per Mr G A Dickman, A.L.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Early issues of several nineteenth century newspapers (Dept of Printed Books), including The Haverfordwest and Milford Haven Telegraph, The Pembrokeshire Herald, The Star of Gwent, The Dewsland and Kemes Guardian, The Pembroke County Guardian, Potter's Electric News, and The Western Mail.

#### GREGYNOG VISITORS BOOKS

1963080

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Evan C Powell, Newtown.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Four Gregynog Visitors Books:- records of, and attendances at, conferences and committee meetings, 1921-62 (2 vols.) (NLW MSS 18462-3C); Gregynog Press, 1923-44 (NLW MS 18465E); and Gregynog Convalescent Home, 1941-5 (NLW MS 18464C).

#### W E EAMES

1963081

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D Lloyd Rees, Tal-y-sarn, Caerns.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A typescript copy of 'Hanes Achos yr Annibynwyr yn Nhalysarn' by W. J. Eames, 1962 (NLW Misc Volumes 216).

#### SIR FREDERICK REES

1963082

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Frederick Rees, M.A., M.Comm., LL.D., Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Press cuttings from The Pembrokeshire Herald and General Advertiser relating to the South Wales Railways, 1845-59, including correspondence, reports of meetings, and an account of the opening of the South Wales Railway to Haverfordwest, 30 December 1853 (NLW Misc Records 418).

#### DR T IFOR REES

1963083

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr T Ifor Rees, C.M.G., Bow-Street.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of over eighty volumes of printed music consisting of instrumental music in full score, dramatic pieces, oratorios (full and vocal scores), cantatas, anthems, and songs, mostly by Welsh and English composers, which formed part of the library of the donor's father, the late J. T. Rees, Mus.Bac. (Dept of Printed Books)

RHYL PUBLIC LIBRARY

1963084

Ffynhonnell / Source

Rhyl Public Library, per Mr W Shortle, A.L.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A useful run, including Volumes 1-7, 9-13, 15, and 17-30, of The Theatre: a monthly review of drama, music, and the fine arts (Dept of Printed Books).

CYNGOR YR EISTEDDFOD GENEDLAETHOL

1963085

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Ernest Roberts, Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minutes of the Council the Commission of Reorganisation, and the Finance, Publications, Literature, and Drama and Elocution Committees of the National Eisteddfod of Wales, 1961-2.

ROYAL CAMBRIAN ACADEMY

1963086

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Royal Cambrian Academy, Plas Mawr, Conway.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A set of the annual reports of the Royal Cambrian Academy 1948-62 (Dept of Printed Books).

WILLIAM COULING

1963087

Ffynhonnell / Source

St. Clears Town Trust, per Mr E E H Phillips, Clerk of the Trustees.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A manuscript by William Couling, Surveyor, Carmarthen, entitled 'Map of the Manor, Town, Borough, and Liberty of St. Clears, 1810' (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

FISHGUARD HARBOUR IMPROVEMENT COMPANY

1963088

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R S L Scott, B.A., Goodwick.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Records of the Fishguard Harbour Improvement Company (formed in 1859), including reports and minutes, bye-laws, tolls, specifications and estimates, account books of harbour dues, accounts and vouchers, and correspondence, 1857-97.

#### GEORGE BERNARD SHAW

1963089

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Gertrude Mary Shaw, Berkhamsted.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Twenty-five letters, postcards, and notes from George Bernard Shaw mostly to his aunt Georgina (Mrs. Frederick Shaw), and to Arthur F. Bernard Shaw, formerly Professor of Pathology at Newcastle and Cairo, and Miss Constance Shaw, Dublin, 1893-1921, letters from Conor O'Brien, Stanley, Falkland Islands, to - Shaw, 1924, and from A. W. B. Shaw (son of Mrs. Frederick Shaw), Dublin, to his son [Professor A. F. Bernard Shaw], 1930 (NLW MS 18157E); a photograph of George Bernard Shaw aged 20 (Dept of Pictures and Maps;) and a pedigree, notes, and printed Memorials of the Shaw family of Bushy Park and Kilkenny, Ireland, and notes on the family and Dublin history by A. W. B. Shaw.

#### ARTHUR THOMAS

1963090

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Arthur Thomas, Cardigan.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A file of letters, 1914-16, written by the donor to his parents while on naval service (NLW MS 18118C).

#### SIR BEN BOWEN THOMAS

1963091

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Ben Bowen Thomas, M.A., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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From the early days of UNESCO, the interests of the Library have been well cared for by Sir Ben Bowen Thomas, who has always arranged for copies of the more important publications issued by the Organisation to be sent to the Library. A Study of general categories applicable to classification and coding in documentation by Eric de Grolier (Paris, 1962) is typical of many useful publications which have been received during the year (Dept of Printed Books).

#### RICHARD THOMAS & BALDWINS

1963092

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Richard Thomas and Baldwins, Ltd., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A copy of the special issue of Ingot issued in October 1962 to celebrate the opening of the Spencer Steel Works, Llanwern, by Her Majesty the Queen (Dept of Printed Books).

A number of firms with Welsh interests issue their own private journals, such as Ingot, which the Library would be pleased to receive regularly. They invariably contain contributions of considerable value to the research historian and help to make industry more accessible to the academic world.

R G THORNTON

1963093

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R G Thornton, Lymington.

Blwyddyn / Year

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An oil-painting of Cilgerran Castle, attributed to William Havell (1782-1857), and a collection of line engravings and drawings of Welsh interest in watercolour, wash, and pencil (Dept of Pictures and Maps). These include three watercolour drawings of Caernarvon Castle, Newcastle Emlyn, and an unidentified 'Sea Shore', by David Cox (1783-1859), and watercolour drawings of 'A Rush Drag at Pystil Rhyadyr, April 10, 1829', by Lady Delamere, and a riverside scene [near Llanfarian, Cardiganshire] attributed to Nicholas Pocock (1740-1821); wash drawings of Kidwelly Castle, inscribed 'Augt 18, 1855', by Thomas Tudor (1785-1855), and Abbey Cwm Hir, Radnorshire, by George Heriot (1766-1844); a pen-and-ochre wash drawing by Penry Williams (1798-1885), dated Rome, 1847, and depicting the artist sketching and a group of women studying a portfolio of sketches; pencil drawings of Cilgerran Castle, Llandoverly, Llangadock, Cenarth Falls and the river Teivy, by David Cox (1783-1859), Moel Hebog by Cornelius Varley (1781-1873), and Cilgerran Castle by W. Hoare (1706-92); and two coloured line engravings of Cilgerran Castle and a view near Newcastle Emlyn by W. Radclyffe after David Cox.

MORFYDD OWEN

1963094

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mr Gilbert Tritschler, Pontypridd.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Material relating to Morfydd Owen (1891-1918), musician (NLW MS 18247D). It includes a typescript biography by the donor; holograph and autograph letters to the donor from Dr. Ernest Jones, Elsted, near Midhurst, husband of Morfydd Owen, and others, 1955-60; copies of her birth, marriage and death certificates; two photographs; the Pontypridd County School Magazine, July 1907; press cuttings; and obituary notices of Dr. Ernest Jones together with photographs of him.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS, WASHINGTON

1963095

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Library of Congress, Washington, U.S.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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As the National Library of Wales was one of the earliest libraries in Great Britain to adopt the Library of Congress system of classification, it is pleasant to record that the close association of earlier years is well maintained, as shown by the continued receipt of copies of most Library of Congress publications, particularly in the field of bibliography (Dept of Printed Books).

WELSH EDUCATION

1963096

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Department, Ministry of Education.

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Photocopies of documents relating to Welsh Education transferred to the Public Record Office (NLW MS 18174E). They consist of correspondence relating to the constitution of the Aberdare Committee,



1880; reports by Owen Edwards on the Caernarvon and Bottwnog County Schools, 1894; minutes by Owen Edwards on the teaching of Welsh at Cardiff, 1908; and documents relating to the Education Acts of 1902 and 1904.

#### LLANFIHANGEL & LLANAFAN DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

1963097

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs E M Williams, Cnwch Coch, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Records (minute books, visit books, case books, correspondence, etc.) of the Llanfihangel and Llanafan District Nursing Association, 1919-47.

#### BONTDOLGADFAN

1963098

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Miss M Eluned Williams, Wrexham, and the late Alderman W Emyr Williams, C.B.E., LL.D., Wrexham, per Mrs Gwilym Evans, B.A., Aberystwyth.

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A supplementary group of Bontdolgadfan manuscripts and papers. It includes a diary of Richard Tibbott, 1741-2, with a collection of hymns at the reverse end (NLW MS 18435B); a journal or autobiography of Rev Richard Williams (1802-42), Calvinistic Methodist minister at Liverpool and brother of William Williams ('Gwilym Cyfeiliog') (NLW MS 18436B); about seventy family letters, 1826-42, almost entirely written by Richard Williams, Liverpool; a copy of the will of Richard Williams, 1842, and an earlier will, 1839 (NLW MS 18437C); and a copy of the inscription on the tomb of Richard Williams at Liverpool.

#### MARY WILLIAMS

1963099

Ffynhonnell / Source

Emeritus Professor Mary Williams, M.A., D.U.P., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of eight volumes in Chinese, and several books relating to modern Greece (Dept of Printed Books).

#### R BRYN WILLIAMS

1963100

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R Bryn Williams, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A unique and valuable group of records, reports, diaries, letters, articles, poetry, etc., relating chiefly to the history of the Welsh Colony in Patagonia (NLW MSS 18176-236). The most important items are a diary giving an account of the voyage of the first emigrants on the ship *Mimosa* in 1865 (NLW MS 18176B); a large number of letters giving information about the early days of the settlers as well as of later periods, 1866-1960 (NLW MS 18206C, 18207B); a copy of a letter from Michael D. Jones to the leaders of the Colony in 1877, begging them to repay a portion of their debt to him (NLW MS 18181B); a ten-shilling note used by the settlers in 1865 and in all probability the only one now in existence (NLW MS 18188A), and a photocopy of the pound note used by the first settlers, the original

of which is in Patagonia and again is the only one in existence (NLW MS 18189A); a copy of the minute books of the Welsh Courts held in the Colony, 1872-81 (NLW MS 18178C); extracts from the minute books of the Gaiman Council, the first example of local government in the history of the Republic of Argentina (NLW MS 18184C); the minute book of 'Cyfarfod Misol y Wladfa', 1881-1925, and letters relating to Bryn Gwyn Calvinistic Methodist Chapel, manuscripts relating to Vrondeg Baptist Chapel, 1877-80 (NLW MSS 18201-2D); a manuscript by Dafydd Iâl Jones giving a complete account of irrigation in the Colony (NLW MS 18183C); extracts from the diaries and letters of T. Benbow Phillips, important as a source for the history of the Welsh Settlement in Brazil and of the part he played in the delegation of 1899 (NLW MS 18175B); a unique copy of Welsh hymns with Spanish translations by E. Morgan Roberts ('Llynfab') (NLW MS 18215A); poetry in Welsh and Spanish written by some of the Welsh settlers (NLW MS 18213E); statutes and rules of various movements and societies (NLW MS 18203E), and plans of the irrigation system; etc. (NLW MS 18210B).

Personal manuscripts of the donor include the original typescripts of Croesi'r Paith (NLW MS 18231C), Awen Ariannin (NLW MS 18230D) and Cymry Patagonia (NLW MS 18228C), the first draft of Y Wladfa (NLW MS 18232C), numerous articles, plays, and B.B.C. scripts on the Welsh Colony and other subjects (NLW MSS 18237-9D, 18243-4D); correspondence relating to the donor's visit to Patagonia in 1959-60 (NLW MS 18221C), and an account of the return journey which was not published in Crwydro Patagonia (NLW MS 18236C); letters from Robert Ambrose Jones ('Emrys ap Iwan'), 1887-92 (NLW MS 18227B); and a parchment certificate ('Gwarant Gorsedd') issued to Griffith Griffiths ('Gutyn Ebrill') by 'Gorsedd Beirdd Ynys Prydain', 1881 (NLW MS 18219D).

A valuable collection of printed material relating to the Welsh Settlement in Patagonia, some of which was used by the donor for his authoritative study Y Wladfa recently published by the University of Wales Press (Dept of Printed Books). Included are 103 issues of Y Drafod printed during 1920-62; a copy of the rare Esquel en sus bodas de plata specially bound and inscribed by the author; 13 poems inciviles by Hugo Jorge Garzon, with illustrations by H. Davies; and Semblanza y evocacion de la epopeya Galesa en Chubut by Virgilio Zampani.

#### ROWLAND DAVIES, LLANRHYSTUD & ABRAHAM THOMAS, LLANBRYNMAIR

1963101

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Richard H D Williams, M.A., Woodstock, Pembs.

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A manuscript tune book of Rowland Davies, Llanrhystud, Cardiganshire, which was used in 'Ysgol-gân David Lewis, Capel Bach, Llanrhystyd', 1839 (NLW MS 18600A); and a slightly imperfect copy of [John Ellis: Mawl yr Arglwydd . . . (Trefriw, 1816)] which belonged to Abraham Thomas, Llanbrynmair, 1831 (NLW MS 18601A).

#### MAESCANNER BAPTIST CHURCH, DAFEN, LLANELLI

1963102

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend T R Williams, Llanelly.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A history of Maescanner Baptist Church, Dafen, Llanelly, written c. 1953 by Joseph Bowen (d. 1954), Dafen (NLW MS 12196B).

#### THOMAS WILLIAMS, ABERYSTWYTH

1963103

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Thomas Williams, B.A., Aberystwyth.

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Seven holograph letters, 1962-3, to the donor from the late James W. Jones, London (d. 1963), relating to the life of the writer's brother David [Ivon Jones, grandson of John Jones, 'Ivon'] (1883-1924), and to the family of James Williams, a native of Aberystwyth who was killed at Belle Isle in 1857 (NLW MS 16726A).

## OLDFIELD

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Deeds and papers of the Oldfield family of The Farm, Betws-yn-Rhos, co. Denbigh:

About 500 deeds, early fourteenth century - 1887, relating to properties in the parishes of Llangainwen, Llangristiolis, Llanidan, and Llanvair Pwllgwyngill, co. Anglesey, Caerhun, Eglwrsrhose, Guffin, Llandidno, Llandrillo, Langelynin, Llangwstennin, Llannor, Llanvihangell y Pennant, Llysvaen, Penmachno, and Penmorfa, and in the town of Conway, co. Caernarvon, in the parishes of Abergeley, Bettus, Eglwysfach, Gwytherin, Gyffylliog, Henllan, Llanddulas, Llandrillo, Llandurnog, Llanelian Llanfair Talhayarne, Llanfihangel, Llanganhavall, Llangernyw, Llangwm, Llanidan, Llanrhaider in Kinmerch, Llanroost, Llansaintffraid, Llansanan, Llantysilio, Llanvair Dyffryn Clwyd, Llanyfydd, Llanynys, Nannerch, Nantglyn, Nantglyn Canon, Sct. Asaph, and Sct. George, in the town and township of Abergeley in the town and borough of Denbigh, and in Colwyn, Llechrhyd, and Senior, co. Denbigh, in the parishes of Bodfarry, Caerwys, Cilcen, Comb, Dymerschion, Flint, Halkin, Hawarden, Holywell, Llanasaph, Mould, Nannerch, Northop, Rhelofnyd, Rhyddlan, Saint Asaph, Skeiviog, and Whitford, in the township of Holywell, in the town of Mold, and in Coleshill otherwise Counsillt, Huriathick, and Rhyl, co. Flint, in the parishes of Bettus Gwervil goch, Corwen, Gwyddelwern, Llandanwg, Llandderfel, Llanddwywe, Llanuckil, Llanvawr, Maentwrog, Tal y Llyn, and Trawsfynydd, co. Merioneth, and Llanvihangel, cos. Merioneth and Denbigh, in Gravenhunger and in Oure, co. Salop, and in the parish of Asheley, in the lordships of Assheley and Muckleston, and in Winnington, co. Stafford.

Deeds and documents of industrial interest. They include deeds relating to the Gadlis workhouse or Cupola, in Bagillt, 1743-1820, to a lead mine in the township of Brinford, parish of Holywell, 1757, to a black Jack work and a calamine house in Holywell, 1771, to mines at Bwlch y Clwin, co. Merioneth, and Pylle chochion, Bwlch garw, Bwlch yr haiarn, Nantissaf, and Gallt y Pryfed, co. Caernarvon, 1806, to coal mines in the townships of Coleshill fechan and Coleshill Fawr, parish of Holywell, 1821, to mines to be opened in the parish of Saint Asaph, cos. Flint and Denbigh, 1829, to land leased for raising coal, ironstone, and clay to make brick, parish of Whitford [c. 1830], to properties in the parish of Llanfair Talhayarn to adventure for ore, 1835, and to the Flint Marsh Colliery, 1842; documents relating to the bankruptcy of John Wright Hayton and Company, Greenfield, parish of Holywell, wire and iron manufacturers, 1820; briefs for defendants in actions relating to a lease of a smelting house, slag hearth, and refinery, parish of Holywell, 1824, and to limestone quarries, parish of Llysfaen, co. Caernarvon, 1844; and share certificates in the Anglesey Mining Company [? mid-nineteenth century]. Papers relating to religion, education, charities, etc. They include sermons by Pet[er] Vaughan [vicar of Llangernyw], delivered in 1684 and 1688, and by Thomas William Griffiths [? and his father, David Griffiths of Trefilan, co. Cardigan], delivered in the 1860's and 1870's, and other sermons and exhortations; an incomplete interleaved Bible with manuscript notes; a terrier of Llandrillo, deanery of Idernion, 1743; deeds relating to pews in the parish churches of Llanfairtalhayarn and Holywell, 1796-1831, to an enlargement of the churchyard belonging to Holywell parish church, 1816, to the tithes of the township of Coedrwg and of the parishes of Llantysilio and Bryneglwys, co. Denbigh, to a tithe barn in Hendregyda [co. Denbigh], to the commutation of the tithes of the parishes of Holywell and Llanelian-yn-Rhos, 1839, to a meeting-house in the village of Llansannan, 1816, to a Calvinistic Methodist chapel in the town of Holywell, 1826, to the erection of a chapel for Wesleyan Methodists on Flint Mountain, 1837, to an allotment in the parish of Bettws Abergele for the benefit of a schoolmaster of the same parish, 1819-26, to land for an intended school in or near the village of Llanasa 1838, and to annuities payable to the poor of the parishes of Holywell and Whitford, 1835; a list of the vicars of Betws-yn-Rhos from the Reformation to 1897; deeds and documents, 1749-1833, relating to a charity school and to a charity for the poor of the parish of Bettws; a petty charges account of the Holywell Union, 1838-41; and files of correspondence, etc., 1904-9, relating to the Vale Road, Wellington Road, and Clwyd Street National Schools, Rhyl.

Professional, estate, and family papers of members of the Oldfield and related families. These include over 250 diaries compiled by John Oldfield, ?1784-1830, Edward Oldfield, 1797-1850, Thomas Oldfield, junior, 1812-64, Rev Edward Oldfield, 1813-40, Emma Copner Oldfield, 1826-81, Clarissa Lumley Oldfield, 1832-75, Janet Oldfield, 1843-71, Matilda Oldfield, 1878-96, and others, and Richards's Universal Daily Remembrancer, 1820-48; papers relating to the legal practices (articles of clerkship, etc.) and military careers (commissions, etc.) of Edward Williams of Farm, co. Denbigh, gent., 1768, John Oldfield, 1781-1833, Edward Oldfield, 1792-1841, Thomas Oldfield, 1813-42, and Copner Oldfield, 1825-35; papers of Rev Edward Oldfield, M.A., including certificates of ordination, 1817-19, appointment to be a chaplain to the Duke of Sussex, 1828, and declarations of conformity on being licensed to the perpetual curacy of Llanfairtalhaiarn, 1830, and collated to the rectory of Llysfaen, 1835; Welsh and English verse composed to celebrate events in the lives of members of the Oldfield family; a scrapbook compiled in the second half of the nineteenth century; a list of Justices of the Peace for co. Denbigh, 1882; a memoranda book, 1794-1800; pardons to convicts, 1800-1; letters patent to John Wynne [sheriff of co. Denbigh], 1811; assignments of the gaol at Ruthin to and from Lloyd Hesketh Bamford, sheriff, 1828-9; letters, 1785-1838, relating to the estates of Edward Lloyd of Cefn and David Pennant of Downing; assignments of personal estates for the benefit of creditors, 1823-42; papers, 1848-54, relating to the estate of Thomas Burchinshaw of Foel, parish of Llansannan, co. Denbigh, gent., deceased; an expenses book, 1908-11; rentals of the Farm estate, 1852-1932; a contract, specifications, etc., relating to alterations to the Farm, 1861-3; and miscellaneous vouchers, 1861-3.

An illustrated seventeenth century pedigree of the Barton family; a pocket-book containing lists of tenants, etc., 1698-9; a certificate, 1723, that Thomas Jones of Abergeley, gent., had taken the oaths mentioned in An Act for . . . Extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales; a survey, 1735, of the estate of the late Mr. Evan Lloyd in St. Asaph and Llanûfydd; a lease, 1751, of the dignity as baron in Dinmael, parish of Llangwm, and of the chief rent, etc., of the lordship of Pencraig and Cefn y post [parish of Llanvihangel, cos. Denbigh and Merioneth]; papers of Rev Robert Anwyl, B.A., including certificates of ordination, 1763-5, and of presentation to the rectory of Nannerch, 1799, and to the vicarage of Bettws in Rhos, 1811, a draft of his will, 1815, and executors' accounts; a rental of the estate of Robert Watkin Wynne, esq., in cos. Denbigh, Merioneth, Caernarvon, and Flint, 1781-6; appointment of Robert Watkin Wynne, esq., to be Lieutenant Colonel to a regiment of Fencible Cavalry, 1794; tables of the sheriffs of cos. Denbigh and Flint, 1541-1795; account books, 1809-53, of the commissioner of the Caerwys Inclosure; letters from Lady Orkney at Deganwy to Rev Mr. Price and Mrs. Price at Pullycrochan [c. 1816]; land tax assessments of the parishes of Halkin, Holywell, and Kilken, and of the townships of Greenfield, Llysdanhynedd, Soughton, and Tre Mostyn, co. Flint, 1838; and six volumes of music (early nineteenth century transcriptions of airs, hymn-tunes, etc.).

About 100 probates of wills and letters of administration, 1699-1822.

Mynegai

Llangeinwen, Llanfair Pwllgwyngyll, Eglwysrhos, Gyffin, Llandudno, Llangelynnin, Llangustennin, Llanfihangel-y-Pennant, Llysfaen, Llanfair Talhaiarn, Llangynhafal, Llanrhaiadr-yng-Nghinmeirch, Llanrwst, Llansannan, Llandysilio, Llanfair Dyffryn Clwyd, Bodfari, Cilcaen, Tremeirchion, Mold, Ysceifiog, Bettws Gwerfyl Goch, Llanycil, Llanfawr, Llanfihangel.

## OLDFIELD

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About 350 letters, 1818-85, relating to members of the Oldfield family of the Farm, parish of Bettws-y-rhos, co. Denbigh, and of Perth-y-terfyn, co. Flint, and vouchers and accounts relating to John Edward Oldfield of the Farm and to his estate, 1873-94. The writers include Copner Francis Oldfield of the 39<sup>th</sup> Regiment (from Ireland, 1856, Malta, 1856, Canada, 1857, and Bermuda, 1861-2), [Rev] Rowland Williams, Ysceifiog [?1840], and his son [Rev] Rowland Williams, Yskeiviog Rectory, St. D[avid's] C[ollege], Lampeter, and Broadchalke Vicarage, Salisbury, 1843-63.

## JOHN ROBERTS HUGHES

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts and papers from the library of John Roberts Hughes (1886-1962), Tre-Taliesin, Cardiganshire, including original manuscripts purchased by J. R. Hughes at various times, transcripts made by him of records largely of Quaker interest, notebooks containing material relating to the Quakers in Wales and notes on folklore, etc., and a small group of deeds and documents (including several probates of wills), 1765-1918, relating to cos. Glamorgan and Monmouth (cf. Annual Report, 1948-9, pp. 40-1).

The manuscripts include the following:- a volume of sacramental sermons by James Bell preached at Brechine, Montrose, Logie, and elsewhere in 1727; a servants' wages book, 1766-1817, which appears to have belonged to a Mrs. Calverley Bewick(e); two vestry-books of Pontesbury, co. Salop, 1803-16 and 1816-39; two uniformly bound volumes of Welsh poetry lettered on the spine 'Gwaith Prydyddion Morganawg' containing 'cywyddau', etc. (not confined to Glamorgan poets), transcribed in 1793 by Rev John Evans, Caira, vicar of Newport, co. Monmouth (d. 1822) from an older but imperfect manuscript which may since have been lost; 'Details and Effusions of my heart' by [Elizabeth Fothergill, Fulford near York]. Second volume, 1797-18[21], with one or two notes written in 1836; a journal (?copy, incomplete) of a voyage from London to Capetown, 1831-2, on board the barque Science of Scarbro [sic] bound for Hobart's Town [Tasmania], by James Backhouse of York in the service of the Society of Friends; a small volume containing seven issues of The Moon-raker (Calne: H. H. Gaby), 1831-2; a volume written early in the nineteenth century bearing the name of 'Saml. Waring' and containing copies of various items of Quaker interest beginning with a 'Note to Pim Nevin from Ann Mifflin of Philadelphia', 'Relation of a Visit to the Indians in 1802 by H. Kirkbride, A. Mifflin &c.'; Hay [co. Brecknock] Communicants Register, 1906-13; disbursements of surveyors of the highways in the township of Prestatyn in the parish of Meliden, co. Flint, 1857-68; poor rate assessment books for the following parishes in co. Denbigh - Acton, 1915, Bieston, 1916-17, Borrass Hovah, 1917-19, Borrass Riffre, 1915-17, and Erlas, 1916; a volume containing copies of papers (98 items), 1718-23, in a cause in the Consistory Court of London between Elizabeth Paul, wife of Daniel Paul of the parish of St. James, Westminster, co. Middlesex, esq., and the said Daniel Paul touching restitution of conjugal rights; notes on the Quakers in Wales by Richard Jones, Pant-y-rhedyn, Stay-a-Little [sic], Llanbryn-mair; a small notebook containing the texts of sermons heard at various C.M. Associations, etc., 1847-9; a file containing material (items of verse, etc.) relating to Mrs. Hemans and her family; seven letters addressed to Rev W. H. Owen, Rhyllon, St. Asaph, including four from R. Waldo Sibthorp, Ryde, 1841, and one letter addressed to Mrs. W. H. Owen, who was the sister of Mrs. Hemans; a file of correspondence, etc., relating to Wrexham Borough Museum, 1924-5, when J. R. Hughes was Hon. Secretary of the Museum Committee; and some papers (press cuttings, etc.) which belonged to John Edwards, bookseller and stationer, 74 Foregate Street, Chester. The transcripts by J. R. Hughes include a painstaking copy, 1945-7, of 'The Quakers in Wales: Yearly Meeting Minute Book from 1682 to 1797, Account of Sufferings from 1682 to 1791', made from the original record; 'Y Crynwyr yng Nghymru': two volumes of extracts from original documents, deeds, and minutes of the Society of Friends; a transcript made in 1946 of 'An Account of the Sufferings of the Friends of the Monthly Meeting of Carmarthenshire and Glamorganshire, 1806-1855 [1856]'; a transcript of the Churchwardens' and Overseers' Book of the parish of Bodwrog, co. Anglesey, 1807-9 and 1811-15; a volume containing transcripts of 'The Account of the Overseers of the Poor for the part of the parish of Gwyddelwern called Cwm from 7th May 1781 to 27th April 1807 & a list of the Overseers from 1822 to 1879' [copied in part by Mrs. J. R. Hughes] and of records of burials, 1815-31, and baptisms, (?) 1813-31, at Cerrig-y-drudion parish church, kept by Robert Edwards, parish clerk or sexton; and a transcript of a biographical essay in Welsh on Rev Thomas Meredith (1821-1901), rector of Newborough, co. Anglesey, and afterwards of Llanddeusant in the same county, by Hugh Williams of Pen-y-Gamdda, Newborough (d. 1916). There are also two notebooks containing transcripts by G. Eric Follows, Worcester, of entries of Hereford and Radnor and South Wales marriages and births from the books in the Worcester safes [Society of Friends].

The notebooks contain numerous loose papers including letters to J. R. Hughes from other Friends and some miscellaneous items, among them a note in the autograph of Owen M. Edwards taken from a copy of Nathaniel Hawthorne, The House of the Seven Gables, which O. M. Edwards bought in Holywell St., London, Nov. 10, 1883, and a letter, 1890 from J. Arthur Price to O. M. Edwards, Lincoln College, Oxford.

There are also some personal and family papers, including correspondence and one or two probates of wills.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

G V ROBERTS

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Disgrifiad / Description

Holograph poems of Sir Lewis Morris (NLW MS 18429C), Huw Menai (NLW MS 18429C), and W. H. Davies (written in New Poems, 1907) (NLW MS 18432A), a typescript copy of Caradoc Evans: Taffy was a Welchman (NLW MS 18431C); plays by Edward Abbott Parry (NLW MS 18450D); Memoir of Richard Robert Jones of Aberdaron . . . by William Roscoe (1822), with manuscript additions by 'Dic Aberdaron' (NLW MS 18433C); an author's presentation copy of Lewis Morris: The Epic of Hades (1880) (Dept of Printed Books); letters of Lady Eleanor Butler and Sarah Ponsonby, Llangollen, 1792-1827 and undated, John Frederick Campbell, first earl Cawdor, 1841, Captain William Pryce Cumby, Hendon, 1835, William Edwardes, Sealyham, 1851, Caradoc Evans, Richmond, 1930, Sir G. J. Falcon, Pembroke Dockyard, 1835, Sir William Garrow, undated, Thomas Lewis, mayor of Pembroke, 1851, Charles Mathews, actor, 1832, Captain Hugh Middleton, Dublin Bay, 1659, Sir Watkin O. Pell, Pembroke Dockyard, 1834, Thomas Pennant, Downing, 1793, Richard Philipps, baron Milford, 1788-1806, Richard Bulkeley Philipps Grant Philipps, baron Milford of Picton Castle, 1851, General Sir Thomas Picton, 1800-14, Lady Katherine Plymouth, 1781-1812, Llewelyn Powys, Dorchester, 1926, James Scott, Duke of Monmouth, 1677, J. C. L. S. Sismondi, undated, Joseph Taylor, Pendomer, 1684/5, Connop Thirlwall, bishop of St. Davids, 1841-73 and undated, Erasmus Vaughan, Trecwn, 1770, Evan Walters, artist, 1931, Sir Gardiner Wilkinson, 1870, C. W. Williams Wynn, 1808, and Philip Yorke, Erthig, 1797 (nlw ms 18428E); a bill of complaint of Nester Perrott of Haroldstone touching estates in co. Pembroke, Haverfordwest, and co. Hereford, 1700 (NLW Misc Records 166); the prenuptial settlement of Rees Williams, Midrim, and Mary Phillips, Llanvalteg, 1785, touching properties in Midrim, Llanvinith, and Llanegwad, co. Carmarthen (NLW Deeds 796); a return of green forage and oats received by Thomas Picton at Trinidad, 1798 (NLW MS 18428E); the appointment of Colonel John Owen to be aide-de-camp, 1838 (NLW Misc Records 167); a licence to Peter Henry Roche, perpetual curate of Newton, co. Pembroke, to be absent from his benefice owing to infirmity of body, 1856 (nlw ms 18428e); and a typescript catalogue of pictures at Golden Grove, co. Carmarthen, being one of twenty copies privately circulated in 1904 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Llanfallteg, Mydrim, Llanfynydd.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

H TOBIT EVANS

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts from the library of H. Tobit Evans (1844-1908), Llanarth (NLW MSS 18438-43). They include letters 1885-1907, mainly addressed to H. Tobit Evans, from [Alderman] J. Bevan, Llansadwrn, [Principal] J. H. Davies (ten letters, relating to Philip Pugh, etc.), John M. Davies, Froodvale (relating to the family of Philip Pugh), E. A. Dillwyn, Swansea, [Rev Chancellor] Daniel S[ilvan] Evans (concerning John Pughe, Motygido) (copy), [Rev] T. Gwilym Evans, Aberayron, [Rev] Tho[ma]s Johns, Llanelly (concerning the Dafydd Jones o Gaeo), [Rev] R[ees] J[enkin] J[ones], Aberdare, [Rev] Michael D. Jones, Bala (re. formation of a society to deal with Welsh problems; this letter, written in 1885, is the only one written before 1900), [Rev] D. Pryse Williams, Y Wenallt, Brongest, and [Rev] D. Worthington, Llangeitho Rectory, letters, 1885-1900, to H. Tobit Evans from R. J. Berwyn, David Davies, Llandinam, D. S. Davies, Michael Davitt, Llwyd ap Iwan, Michael D. Jones, and Eluned Morgan, relating to the Welsh Colony in Patagonia and to Michael D. Jones's Testimonial (NLW MS 18438B); extracts, etc., from parts I-II of 'Diwalliant Hanesyddiaeth' by the Reverend Evan Lewis, Cilgwyn, including a prospectus relating to its proposed publication (NLW MS 18441B); a notebook containing material (extracts from printed sources, etc.) relating to the Quakers in

Cardiganshire, pedigrees of prominent Nonconformists, etc. (NLW MS 18441B); a notebook containing 'Hynafiaethau Dyffryn Hoffnant, a'r cylchoedd', 'Can y gwynt' (printed at Carmarthen, 1805), and 'Y Ceris'; a notebook containing pedigrees and historical notes relating to the parish of Penbryn (NLW MSS 18440-1B); extracts from George Eyre Evans, Vestiges of Protestant Dissent, and from the Cilgwyn church book (see Welsh Gazette, 1904, Jan. 21-, and Cofiadur, I.) (NLW MS 18441B); extracts from the Welsh Gazette, 1902-4, relating to historical matters, including Taith yn Sir Aberteifi yn y Flwyddyn 1856 (incomplete), Some Noted Cardiganshire Men (Davis of Castell Hywel and Edward Lhuyd), and extracts from Lampeter parish registers, 1700-10 (NLW MS 18443C); a list of Cardiganshire benefices and their incumbents (NLW MS 18439C); pedigrees, mainly of the Musgrave and Pugh families (NLW MS 18442E); and miscellaneous papers, including a tracing of Werndriw, parish of Llanddewi-brefi, and englynion, etc., by J. Myrddin Thomas to H. Tobit Evans.

#### EDWARD HALL

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A group of miscellaneous and largely unrelated letters from various correspondents, including Thos. Edgworth (per J. Bury), Wrexham, 1841, [Very Rev] Henry T. Edwards, The Deanery, Bangor, 1877, C.(?) H. Evans, Henblas, 1833, [Lieut.] Allen Geo. Field, Edinburgh, 1824, M. Fitzgerald Dublin, 1822, Ann F. Fisher, Chetwynd Lodge [Newport, Salop, 1843], Ann Gilgrest, Llanstephan, 1815-16, [The Venerable] Charles A. H. Green, Newport, Bishop-elect of Monmouth, 1921, R[obt.] Jones, Druggist, Rhyl, 1842, Lewis Meredith & Co., Shrewsbury, 1841, D. Moore, Plas Tirion, undated, Joseph Peers, Ruthin, 1854, M. Pryce and Elisa [Pryce], The Coedref, Meifod, and Pentre Leighton, Welchpool, 1867 and undated, [Rev] Edward Roberts, Halkin Rectory, Holywell, 1833, Mary Salter, Plas (?) Wilmot, 1839, Mary E. Stevens, Penzance, undated, George Thomas, Devauden, Chepstow, 1887, William Tomkins, Flint, 1841, Jno. Walker, London, 1829, [Sir] John Williams, Plas Llanstephan, 1900, and -, Halkin Hall, 1852 (to Rev R. Richardson). A few of the letters are of a legal nature and are addressed to solicitors, among them J. V. Horne, Denbigh. Two letters are addressed to Walter Wade, Esq., and Mrs. Walter Wade, Beaumaris, and there is also a note (undated, 18th cent.) concerning Maesmynan Lordship.

Mynegai

Welshpool

#### EDWARD HALL

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A group of holograph letters of Henry Austin Bruce, first baron Aberdare, c. 1870, Henry Campbell Bruce, second baron Aberdare, undated, William Nevill, fifth marquess of Abergavenny, undated, his daughter Violet Nevill, undated, and his son Richard Nevill, [18]92, Henry William Paget, first marquess of Anglesey, 1827-9, Sabine Baring Gould, undated, Christopher Bethell, bishop of Bangor, undated, William L. Bevan, archdeacon of Brecon, 1858, John Crichton Stuart, first marquess of Bute, 1814, John Patrick Crichton Stuart, third marquess of Bute, 1867-[8], Baron Christian Bunsen, [1843]-5, and Thomas Burgess, bishop of St. Davids, 1804-[27], and engraved portraits of Thomas Burgess and Henry Nevill, second earl of Abergavenny.

#### W J HEMP, CRICIETH

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A file of material from the library of the late W. J. Hemp, Cricieth, largely relating to Welsh genealogies (NLW MS 18426E). It contains pedigrees compiled by W. J. Hemp, T. Allen Glenn, etc., extracts from manuscripts transcripts of memorial inscriptions, newspaper cuttings, and holograph and

autograph letters of J. E. Griffith, Bangor, 1893, B. Thomas, Llanddona Rectory, Beaumaris, 1920, O. Ll. J. Evans, Broom Hall, Chwilog, 1923, W. B. K. Williams, Longfield, Kent, 1926 (to John Edward Lloyd and Thomas Shankland), John Troughton, London, 1938-43, A. Bodvel Roberts, Caernarvon, 1941 (to Gwenlyn Evans, Caernarvon), T. Richards, Bangor, 1946, Charles Evans, Sidmouth, undated, and A. C. Rowlands, Ruthin, undated.

W A EVANS

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Thirty-six deeds, 1310-1614, relating to properties in the townships of Escorebrill and Erethlyn in the commote of Vghdulas in the lordship and county of Denbigh, in the town of Denbigh and the suburbs thereof, and in Leweny, Llandegla, Cacadutton, Llewessog, Llecheryo, Caerserwydd, Minera, Brymbo, Aberchwyllyer, Blorant, Bodnod, Beryne, and Tallwyn in the same county, in Colshull, Merton Isglane, Botvarrey, Hendregayrews, Blorante, Melyden, and Flynt, co. Flint, and in Beaumaris, co. Anglesey; and the probate of the will of Agnes Velivell [of Beaumaris], 1542.

Mynegai

Lleweni, Aberwheeler, Bodfari, Meliden, Flint.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

E LEWIS, FELINGANOL, LLANRHYSTUD

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Six charms [? late nineteenth - early twentieth centuries] to preserve the livestock, etc., of members of the Lewis family of Felinganol, Llanrhystud, from witchcraft, two account books, 1865-1924, of milling, etc., at Felinganol; fifteen letters, 1862-1930, relating to business and family affairs; three account books, etc., 1882-1937, of Llanrhystud Baptist Church; four deeds, 1830-65, relating to properties in the parish of Llanrhystid, co. Cardigan; the probate, 1865, of the will of Margaret otherwise Margret Morgan, late of Velinganol, parish of Llanrhystid, spinster, and papers relating thereto, 1865-1906; a financial account, 1861-2, of the Cambrian Benefit Society, Llanrhystid; and miscellaneous poetry.

ELIZABETH HALL

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A memorandum of agreement, 28 July 1837, between Howell Jenkins of Ystradbarwick in Llantwit Vardre and Thomas Powell of the Gaer, Newport, for the lease of coal under Ystradbarwick Ucha, and a draft lease for 60 years in respect of the same coal mines in 1840, with correspondence relating thereto, documents, both printed and in manuscript, concerning a Chancery case in 1860-1 involving a dispute about the grant of a lease of coal under the Duffrynfrwd estate near Cardiff and Cefn yr hafod farm in Eglwysilan; and posters advertising the sale by auction of the tithes of toll gates in Glamorgan, 1868, notices of courts to revise voting lists at various centres in Glamorgan, 1867, and the sale of a dwelling house in Cardiff, 1862.

Mynegai

Llantwit Faerdre

H JONES DAVIES

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An index volume of newspaper cuttings, mainly of Calvinistic Methodist interest, compiled by Rev J. Roberts-Evans, Birmingham; three holograph sermons of [Rev Professor] Richard Morris, Bala (NLW MS 16634A); eight letters from W. G. Jones, Carnarvon, 1921, Gladys Evans, Birmingham, 1923, [Rev] R. J. Rees, Cardiff, 1926, J. W. Jones, Blaenau Ffestiniog, 1952, and W. Ambrose Bebb, Bangor, 1953; and engraved portraits of divines (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

WILLIAM GAMBOLD

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Disgrifiad / Description

A microfilm of a holograph manuscript in Chetham Library, Manchester, of a Welsh-English Dictionary, 1720, by William Gambold (1672-1728), rector of Puncheston (NLW Microfilms 212).

DYLAN THOMAS

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A page from an autograph album containing an original poem of two stanzas signed by Dylan M. Thomas and written at Hendre Farm, St. Dogmaels, in 1930 (NLW MS 12043B). Another text of this poem, said to differ in one line, is preserved among the Dylan Thomas MSS. at the University of Buffalo, New York, and is entitled 'The Sheperd [sic] to his Lass'.

PEMBROKESHIRE DEEDS

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Two deeds, 1656-7, relating to properties in the parishes of Whitchurch in Dewisland and Ambroth, co. Pembroke (NLW Deeds 797-8).

SIR THOMAS PICTON

1963119

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A holograph letter, 1813, from Lieut-General Sir Thomas Picton, London, to the General Officers Commanding 3rd Division (NLW MS 16704E).

H C ASHTON

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr H C Ashton, Newport, Mon.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Pedigrees and genealogical data relating to the Ashton family of Trefeglwys and to the Pugh family of Mathafarn, co. Montgomery, and their branches, collected by the donor's father, Dr. J. C. Ashton, Machynlleth (NLW Minor Deposits 781B). There are also two pen-and-ink sketches by D. A. Jones, March 1934 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Nodiadau

Original material withdrawn by Depositor 1986. Replaced by photocopies.

## BADMINTON

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Ffynhonnell / Source

His Grace the Duke of Beaufort, K.G., P.C., G.C.V.O., Badminton.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A supplementary group of records relating mainly to the Badminton estates in the counties of Brecknock, Glamorgan, Gloucester, and Monmouth, and containing approximately 15,000 items extending in date from the late thirteenth to the twentieth century. A preliminary list is available for consultation at the Library. The following is a brief description listing the main items in the collection:

### GLAMORGAN

Charters, Title Deeds, etc.

Copies of, and extracts from, charters, ministers' accounts, etc., from c. 1200 relating to the lordship of Gower, compiled as evidence in a suit between the Duke of Beaufort and Nathaniel Cameron, c. 1838, concerning the title to land in Gower; a charter of William de Breouse to the burgesses of Swansea, 1306 (copy translation), a confirmatory grant of Gower to Alina, wife of John de Mowbray, reciting previous grants to the De Breos family, 1328 (copy translations); a charter of John de Mowbray, lord of Gower, to the abbey of Neath, 1334 (copies and translations); a confirmation to the Earl of Warwick of rights in the land of Gower, 1360 (copy translation); inquisitio post mortem John, duke of Norfolk, 1433 (copy); an extensive group of title deeds, 16th-20th cent., relating to the lordship of Gower and more particularly to properties in the parishes of Bishopstone, Ilston, Llandilo Talybont, Llangyfelach, Llanrhidian, Llansamlet, Loughor, Oystermouth, Pennain, Pennard, and Swansea.

Manorial.

A bill of complaint by the Earl of Worcester against Sir William Herbert and others concerning incroachments on wastes in the seigniorship of Gower, the withholding of perquisites, etc., 1590 (copy); a commission to enquire into mises and aids due to the Earl of Worcester in the manors of Gower and Kylvaye, 1594 (copy); miscellaneous papers relating to the mises due to the lord of Gower on succeeding to the lordship, 1633-1837; papers in a suit between the Earl of Worcester and the inhabitants of Gower relating to a toll called Toll Pixie, 1636-40; a schedule of rents in Gower, 1662; rentals for Gower, 1667, 1669-70; a lease of the custom duty on coal wrought in the lordship of Kilvay and exported over Swanzey bar, 1663; estreats from the records of the courts leet and baron of the manors of Gower Wallicana, 1673-1744, and Gower Anglicana, 1673-1838; estreats from the records of the courts of the manor of Pennard and the fees of Kittle, Lunnon, and Trewyddfa, 1674-1818; grants of the prisage and butlerage of wines in the lordship of Gower, 1683-1738; an opinion as to the rights of mesne lords in the lordship of Gower, the right of the lord of Gower to hold an admiralty court, and the right to dig for coal under highways, 1684; accounts of collectors and bailiffs, 1686-8, 1689-91, in the seigniorship of Gower; rentals and accounts for the manors of Swansea and Gower, 1702-30; a lease of anchorage, heriots, reliefs, etc., within the seigniorship of Gower, the manor of Kilvey, and the towns of Loughor and Swansey, 1731; a rental and account book relating to the manors, fees, etc., of Swansey, Lougher, Wallicana, Anglicana, Kilvey, Trewiddva, Penard, Lunon, Kittle, Bishopstone, and Oystermouth, 1733-45; a lease of cliffage, anchorage, etc., within the waste land and cliffs of the manors of Oystermouth and Pennard, 1734; the presentment of a grand jury at a court leet for the manor of Pennard with the fees of Kittle, Lunnon, and Trewiddva, of inclosures on Trewiddva common, 1736; letters from Gabriel Powell relating to manorial affairs and disputes between the Duke of Beaufort or his agents and tenants in the seigniorship of Gower concerning manorial rights and customs, 1736-65; a letter concerning the rights of the Duke of Beaufort, as lord of Gower, over the tenants of the lordship of Clase in Langevelach, which was in the hands of the Bishop of St. Davids, 1735, and papers in a suit concerning this issue, 1756; a petition by the tenants in the fee of Trewiddva against inclosures of commons, 1737; correspondence and other documents relating to disputes between the Duke of Beaufort and his agents and tenants in the seigniorship of Gower in the 1740's and 50's; a case and opinion concerning the rights of the seigniorship of Gower within the manor of Landillo Talybont, 1788; papers in a suit relating to waste lands within the parish of Llandilo Talybont, 1838-40; and correspondence and papers relating to the Duke of Beaufort's claim to rights of admiralty in Gower, 1840-4.

Industrial.

Coal. A lease of coal mines in the lordships of Gower and Kylvey, 1526; a discharge relating to arrears of rent for coal mines in the lordship of Gower, 1586; a bill of complaint mentioning coal mining in Gower, 1590; an order relating to coal works at Morva lliw in the parish of Loughor, 1639; a lease of custom duty on coal wrought in the lordship of Kilvay and exported from Swanzey, 1663; an account in respect of coal wrought at Trewithva, 1664; a licence to dig for coal on Trewythva waste, parish of Llangevelach, 1665, extracts from court rolls mentioning coal works in the fee of Trewyddva, 1686; leases of coal in the fee of Trewyddva, 1695-1729, 1742; a decree in a suit concerning digging for coal on tenements called Ynis Howell and Trewyddva, 1719; an agreement relating to a coal pit at Mynyth Carn Lloyd, 1728; proposals for working coal under common lands in the parish of Langevellaugh, 1730; correspondence and affidavits relating to coal works under Mynidd Carn Llwyd in the fee of Trewyddva in the 1730's; a letter relating to coal works at Lougher and Truithva and elsewhere in the vicinity, 1730; letters and deeds relating to coal and culm under lands in Trewyddfa, 1732-3, 1737-8, 1744, 1747-8, 1748-50, 1754-5; correspondence from Gabriel Powell to the Duke or the Duchess of Beaufort, 1736-65, relating inter alia to coal in the parishes of Langevelach and Landilotalybont, in the lordship of Kilvey and the manor of Gower; a lease of all mines of coal under the Duke of Beaufort's lands in the parish of Loughor, 1737; affidavits relating to coal works in the parishes of Langevelach and Landilotalybont, 1749; authority to construct waggon ways in the manor of Kilvey for carrying coal from the parish of Lansamlet to the river Towy, 1750; an account of land money due from Clyne colliery, 1751-4; a lease of coal under various tenements and waste lands in the parishes of Swansea, Langevelach, Lanridian, and Ilston, 1754; a lease of coal under tenements and waste land in the parish of Lloughour, 1754 and 1776, with papers relating thereto, 1776-81, authority to dam a brook for the use of coalworks at Keven Gorwidd, parish of Loughor, 1766; a plan of mining lands about Landore, 1768; a plan, 1768, of waste ground at Treboth showing a coal pit sunk in 1758; a lease of a coal bank and land in the parishes of Lanridian and Lloughour for constructing a canal for carrying coal from coalworks in the said parishes, 1768; a lease of part of Morfa Mawr waste, parish of Landilo talybont, for making a coal bank for shipping coal, 1771; a lease of land in the borough of Lloughour on the river Lloughour for making a coal bank and dock, 1774-5; an account of coal supplied from the fire engine colliery, Trewyddva, 1778-9, to the copper works of Messrs. Lockwood & Co., and of coal from Treboth common, 1778-9; a lease referring to coalworks under Lord Vernon's estate in the parish of Lansamlet, 1783; extracts from the licence books of the seigniorship of Gower, 1791-1826, recording licences granted for digging coal under wastes in the said seigniorship; a lease of coal mines under Morfa bach and Loughor Common, parish of Loughor, 1796; a lease of coal under Cwmllynfell farm, parish of Llanguick, 1800, 1801, 1807; leases and assignments of coal in the parish of Llangevelach (at the Lone, the Graig yr hwpper, and Graigylone veins and under Mynidd y Gwain common), 1800, 1801, 1807, 1819; a covenant between Messrs. Lockwood & Cotton and John Morris relating to the working of their respective collieries in the fee of Trewyddva, with references to collieries at Penyvilia and Cwm Pit Bottom, 1805; leases of coal at Mynidd y Gwair, 1822, Gelly Wastad Common, Graig yr Hooper and Mynidd y Gwair, 1839, 1878, 1892, Mynydd Gelli Wastad, 1872, 1875, 1918, Mynydd Piscodlyn, 1866, 1874, 1883, Graig y Bedw, 1866, 1874, and Penlan Newydd and Mynydd Cadley, 1845, 1871-1900, all in the parish of Llangyfelach; leases of coal under Tyr yr Arlwydd, 1867, 1886, under Gurnos Farm and Mynydd Bach y Bishwel, 1854, 1865, 1872, 1878, under Gurnos Farm, 1886-1902, and elsewhere, 1863-4, 1874, 1883, 1888, 1896, in the parish of Lloughour; leases of coal under Mynydd Liew Common, 1864, 1872, 1877, 1878, and under Mynydd Coalbrook, 1867, 1872, 1879, parish of Llandilo Talybont; leases of coal under Clyne Wood, Oystermouth, 1866, 1873, 1877, at Cefn Drym, parishes of Llandilo Talybont and Llangyfelach, 1873, at Penyclawdd and Three Crosses, parish of Llanrhidian, 1874-5, under Town Hill, Swansea, 1845, 1862, 1864, 1875, under Gwayn Arlwydd Farm and waste called Mynidd bach y Glo, parish of Swansea, 1850, 1873, 1894, 1901, under Garn Goch common and elsewhere in the parishes of Loughor and Llangyfelach, 1825, 1872, 1877, under various tenements and lands in the parish of Llansamlet, 1857-80, in the fee of Trewyddfa, 1845, 1854, 1872-3, 1885, 1899, 1902-3, 1906, 1908, at Graig Fawr near Pontardulais, 1919, and under Mynydd Bach y Glo common and Gorslewana common, parish of Forestfach, 1923; deeds relating to the Worcester Colliery in the parishes of Swansea and Llangyfelach, 1861-1903; deeds relating to the Pwllbach Colliery Company and the Red Vein, parish of Llanguicke, 1903-23; and a judgement in a suit, Beaufort v. Morrision Collieries, for the recovery of coal in the fee of Trewyddfa and parish of Llansamlet, 1905.

Other Industrial Documents. An assignment of a partnership in glassworks at Swanzey, 1686; consent of the corporation of Swanzey to the erection of copper works, 1720; a lease of land to build a glassworks thereon in Swansea, 1720; a lease referring to an iron forge in the manor of Kilvey, 1732; a lease of copper works on the Forest farm in the parishes of Lansamlett and Langavelach, 1736; a lease

referring inter alia to copper and lead smelting works in the same two parishes, 1754; a lease referring to the iron battery to be erected at Ithrim Issa, parish of Langevelach, 1755; a lease referring to copper works at Middle Dock, parish of Lansamlet, 1757; leases referring to copper works in the borough of Swansea, 1763-4; a lease of land for erecting a stoneware or earthenware manufactory in the borough of Swansea, 1764; a lease relating to paper mills at Ystrad llawrnant, parish of Langevelach, 1764; a lease referring to copper smelting houses on Lord Vernon's estates in the parish of Lansamlet, 1783; a lease relating to an iron forge to be erected on lands called Eythrim Genol and Isha, parish of Langevelach, 1784; an Act for making a canal from Swansea to the parish of Ystradgynlais, co. Brecknock, 1794; proceedings relating to the Swansea Canal, 1793-4; a bill of costs relating to the Swansea Canal, 1795-7; accounts, an agreement, etc., relating to the Trewyddfa canal, 1794-1808; an Act for making a canal and railway from the river at Penclawdd, parish of Lanrhidian, to Loughor, 1811; a lease of part of Havod farm, parish of St. John-juxta-Swansea, and land called Morva Coch, parish of Llangefelach, for erecting copper works, with deeds relating thereto, 1815-37; journals of the Trewyddfa Canal, 1829-33; leases of copper works at Morva Arglwydd, parish of Llangevelach, 1844, 1862, 1883; leases of the Forrest Copper Works, parish of Llangevelach, 1845, 1851, 1867; correspondence, deeds, etc., in a suit between Messrs. Calland, Patrick and others and the Duke of Beaufort concerning the Trewyddfa canal in the 1830's to 50's; an agreement for mining lead, tin, copper, etc., on common lands in the parishes of Pennard and Bishopstone, 1848; deeds relating to the Lower Forest rolling mills or the Beaufort Tinplate Works, parish of Llansamlet, 1860-1906; a lease of part of Lower Forest farm, parish of Llansamlet, for erecting tinplate works, 1867; deeds relating to the Dyffryn Tin Plate Works, parish of Llansamlet, 1873-1905; and a surrender of the Morfa Copper Works in the county borough of Swansea, 1907.

#### Miscellaneous.

An expense account in respect of the parliamentary election at Cardiff, 1744-5; papers relating to the inclosure of Town Hill and the Burroughs in the borough of Swansea, 1749, 1761-2; a lease of land being part of the Burroughs in Swansea to the Countess of Huntingdon, as a site for a chapel, 1787 (copy); an election address in connection with the parliamentary election for co. Glamorgan 1789; a lease of land at Orchard Field, Swansea, as a site for a school, 1831; an inclosure award, parish of Loughor, 1835 (copy); a lease of a school in Welcome Lane, parish of St. John, Swansea, 1853; a lease of land on Mumbles Hill, parish of Oystermouth, as a site for a school, 1866; and a lease of land at Morryston as a site for a school, 1873.

#### BRECKNOCK

##### Title Deeds.

An extensive group of title deeds, 16th-20th cent., relating to properties in the lordships of Crickhowell and Tretower, and more particularly in the parishes of Crickhowell, Llambeder, Llanelly, Llanfihangel Cwmdy, Llangattock, Llangenney, and Llangunider.

##### Manorial.

A lease of the 'Tolle Cense and tolchester' of the town and lordship of Crighoell, 1586; a lease of the 'Tolle and tolle cense' of the lordship of Crighoell, 1595; accounts of the bailiffs of the manors of Crickhowell and Tretowre, 1666-7; accounts of the bailiffs of the said manors at various times between 1668 and 1709; grants of heriots and fines in the same two manors, 1676, 1680; letters, depositions, etc., relating to alleged injuries suffered by the Duke of Beaufort's tenants within the manor of Crickhowell, 1698-9; a rent roll for Crughoell and Tretower, 1699; leases of part of Crighoell toll 1707, 1720, 1728; rentals for the manors of Crickhowell and Tretower, 1727, 1740; a volume of abstracts of pleas at the courts baron and customary courts of the manor of Crickhowell, 1760-72; an account book relating to suits in the courts of the manors of Crickhowell and Tretower, 1760-72; records (presentments resiant lists, constables' returns, etc.) of the courts leet and courts baron of the manor of Crickhowell and of the manor of the borough of Crickhowell, 1773-88; depositions, opinions, etc., relating to the boundaries between the lordships of Crickhowell and Abergavenny, c. 1783; presentments of the courts leet and courts baron of the manor of the borough of Crickhowell, 1820-1919, of the manor of Crickhowell, 1824-1919, and of the manor of Tretower, 1837-1919; precepts to the bailiffs of the manor of Tretower, the manor of Crickhowell, and the manor of the borough of Crickhowell, 1868-96; lists of jurors and haywards in connection with the courts of the same three manors, 1866-1919; a presentment of the boundaries of the manor of Tretower, 1871; a presentment of the boundaries of the manor of Crickhowell, 1872; presentments of the courts leet and baron of Tretower, Crickhowell, and the borough of Crickhowell, 1901, 1910, 1925; a perambulation of the manor of Crickhowell, 1902; and a copy of an undated roll of the customs of the lordship of Crickhowell.

#### Ecclesiastical and Educational.

A lease of the rectories of Llangattock next Crickhowell and Cumdy, 1552; leases relating to the tithing barn, tithe, or altarage of the chapel of Llangeney, 1583, 1592, 1604, 1613, 1624; leases relating to the parsonage house, tithes, etc., of the parish of Llangattock, 1583, 1592, 1597, 1626, 1631; leases relating to the tithing barn, tithes, and altarage of the parish of Llanelly, 1583, 1613, 1624; leases of tithes, etc., belonging to the portionaryship of Crighoell, 1589, 1610, 1631; a lease of tithes in Llangattuck Crickhowell, 1660; a lease of the rectory of Llanvihangell Come Duy, 1620; copies of the bishops' certificates recording institutions to various benefices in the county, 1721-1823; leases of tithes in the parish of Crickhowell, 1726 and 1787; a release of the advowsons of Llangattock juxta Crughoell, Cwmdu, Lanbeder, Langwynyder, and Patrisso, 1742; a lease of a meeting house 'now erecting' in the parish of Llangunider, 1783; a lease of land on Coed yr Ynis common, parish of Llangunider, for erecting a meeting house, 1795; letters and copies of letters exchanged between the Duke of Beaufort and the Bishop of St. Davids, or their representatives, concerning the right of presentation to the perpetual curacy of Tretower, 1799; an account book relating to tithes, glebe rents, etc., in the parishes of Cwmdu and Crickhowell, 1810-17; leases, etc., relating to the following chapels - Welsh Baptist in Davies Street, Brynmawr, 1836, Primitive Methodist in the parish of Llangattock, 1836, a chapel at Graig yr Arlwydd, parish of Llanelly, 1838, Primitive Methodist at Graig yr Arlwydd, 1841, a chapel at Abernant Melin, parish of Llangunider, 1842, Primitive Methodist in Orchard Street, Brynmawr, 1843, Sion Welsh Baptist, Brynmawr, 1846, Calvinistic Methodist, Worcester Street, Brynmawr, 1847, Wesleyan at Nantybwich, parish of Llangunider, 1853, Bethesda Welsh Independent, Brynmawr, 1853, English Wesleyan at Brynmawr, 1853, Wesleyan at Wayndew, parish of Llangattock, 1853, English Independent at Ellwoods Fields, Brynmawr, 1853-89, Wesleyan in Bailey Street, Brynmawr, 1860-1, Calvary Baptist, Brynmawr, 1863, Rheoboth Independent, Brynmawr, 1863, and a chapel at Rhymney, parish of Llangunider, 1863; a lease of a school house in Bridge Street, Crickhowell, 1843; a lease of land as a site for St. Mary's Church, Brynmawr, 1869; a grant of land to the ministers and churchwardens of the parish of Llanelly as a site for a school at Brynmawr, 1873; a conveyance to the school board of the parish of Llanelly of ground at Brynmawr as a site for a school, 1874; and a lease of land for building a church at Beaufort, parish of Llangunider, 1890.

#### Industrial.

A lease of mines or pits of 'Smythes colles and Lyme coales and Lyme stones' within the lordship of Crighoell, 1589; a lease of coal within the lands of Lord Arthur Somersett in the parish of Llangunider, 1702; leases mentioning Llanelly forge, first half of the eighteenth century; a lease to William Price of the parish of Llangattock of mines of coal under a tenement leased to him seven years previously, 1730; a lease of iron ore on any of the waste ground of the manors of Cruckoel and Tretowere, 1734; a lease of lead, copper, and tin on the hills and wastes of the manors of Crickhowell and Tretowere, 1737; a lease of iron ore under commons in the parishes of Llanelly and Llangattock Crickhowell, 1751; correspondence and other papers relating to negotiations and disputes between Samuel Walker of co. York and Penoyre Watkins of co. Brecknock concerning coal and iron works in cos. Brecknock and Monmouth, 1768-75; a lease of iron and coal under the Duke of Beaufort's lands in co. Brecknock and of a messuage called Blaen Ebow with a coal work in the parish of Llangattock, and also a licence to erect works for melting iron ore, 1769; a lease of messuages called Blaen Ebow and Llwyn y Pwll, parishes of Llangattock and Llanelly, with authority to erect iron furnaces thereon, and a lease of the coal and iron under wastes in the said parishes, 1779; a lease relating to an iron furnace called Llanelly Furnace and a forge or iron works called Llanelly Forge, parish of Llanelly, 1786; leases, etc., of the Clydach Iron Works, parish of Llanelly, and of coal and iron seams in the said parish, 1797, 1801, 1863, 1875; leases relating to coal under Llwyn y Pwll farm, parish of Llanelly, 1801, 1832, 1864; leases relating to the Union Iron Works, parish of Llangynidr, and coal and iron deposits in the said parish, 1807, 1827, 1837, 1862; a lease of iron ore and a thin vein of coal on commons in the parishes of Llanelly and Llangattock, and of iron ore under Llwyn y Pwll farm, parish of Llanelly, 1821; a lease of coal under Old Castle Farm and elsewhere in the parish of Llanelly, 1827; leases, etc., relating to the Clydach Bridge Colliery, parish of Llanelly, 1832, 1864; leases relating to the Hafod Colliery, 1866, 1873; deeds relating to an iron foundry and fitting shops at Brynmawr, parish of Llanelly, 1874-84; leases, etc., relating to the Clydach Coal Works or Clydach Colliery, parish of Llanelly, 1876-94; a licence to work coal and clay within the manor of Crickhowell, at Beaufort as per endorsement, 1880, 1888; leases, etc., of coal and culm at Clydach, parish of Llanelly, 1881-4; leases of coal and iron stone under Bryn farm, parish of Llangattock, 1884, 1889; a lease of coal and ironstone under Hafod Liberty, parishes of Llanelly and Llangattock, 1889; an assignment of the Hafod Colliery, Brynmawr, 1895; a lease of the Hafod and Clydach Collieries, 1898; leases of coal at Twyn Gwyn, Beaufort, 1920, 1928; and leases, etc., of coal seams near Beaufort, 1922-7.

## MONMOUTH

Charters, Title Deeds, etc.

A charter of Edward, Duke of York, to the borough of Newport, 1414, reciting a previous charter from the Earl of Stafford, 1385 (copy and translation); a charter of Edward VI to the town of Monmouth, 1549 (copy); a volume containing inter alia copies of the charters granted to the borough of Monmouth, temp. Edward VI - temp. Charles II; a charter of James I to the borough of Newport (copy translation); a charter of James I to the town of Monmouth, 1605 (copy translation); and a large group of title deeds relating to properties in co. Monmouth, late 13th cent.-20th cent.

Manorial.

Manor of Raglan. Court rolls, 1365-6, 1368-9, 1377-9, 1384-5, 1443-4, 1446-54, 1466-7, 1483-7, 1632-5, 1638-40; compotus of praepositus, 1386-7; compotus of receiver, 1457-8; survey, 1552; estreats of fines and amerancements at the courts leet and baron, 1593-1641; presentments and estreats, 1653-1735; rentals and accounts, second half 17th cent. and first half 18th cent; and presentments of petty constables, early 18th cent.

Other Manors. Court roll of the manor of Mora (court of William Kere, abbot of Tyntern, 1488-9, courts of William Kere and Henry Newlond, successively abbots of Tyntern, 1492-3); court roll of the manor of Porcasseeck (court of William Kere, abbot of Tintern), 1491-2; proceedings subsequent to a writ of quo warranto relating to the Earl of Pembroke's rights and privileges in his lordships in co. Monmouth, 1567; copies of a decree in a suit between the inhabitants of the manors of Usk, Caerlion, and Treleck, plaintiffs, and the Earl of Pembroke, defendant, concerning rights in woods called Gwehelloge, Glascoed, Wieswood, and the Old Park, 1581; miscellaneous documents relating to the manor of Kilgoygan, 1595-1700; estreats of fines, amerancements, etc., in the courts of the manors of Dingestowe, Penyclauth, and Landenny, 1600-38; the presentment of a jury of survey for the manors of Monmoth, Whitecastle, Grossmonte, and Skenffrethe, 1606; a court order in a suit relating to heriot customs in the manors of Monmouth, Whitecastle, Grosmonde, and Greenfield, 1634; a survey of the manor of Llantillioe, 1651; the presentment of a jury of survey for the manors of Ragland, Dingestow, Penyclawth, and Langoven, 1651; presentments at a speech court for the forest of Wentwood, 1661; the presentment of a jury of survey for the manor of Trelleck, 1677; leases of the duties of prisage and butlerage on wines in the lordship and borough of Chepstow, 1683-1738; rentals and accounts for several manors, second half 17th cent. and first half 18th cent.; and depositions, opinions, etc., relating to the boundaries between the lordships of Crickhowell, co. Brecknock, and Abergavenny, co. Monmouth, c. 1783.

Industrial.

A complaint by the inhabitants of the lordships of Usk, Caerlion, and Treleck against the Earl of Pembroke, relating to the furnaces and forges for making iron erected near the woods called Gwehelloge, Glascoed, Wieswood, and the Old Park, 1581; a grant of Tynterne Forge, Tynterne Furnace and wireworks, 1662; assignments of a seat or working place in the wire works at Abby Tintorne, 1666-95; deeds relating to the iron forge at Monmouth, 1678-1787, 1849, 1863, 1868-85; account books of Tintern Wire Works, 1688-90, 1698-1700; account books of Tintern Iron Works, Tintern Furnace, the Upper and Lower Forges, and Bont Seyson Forge, 1690-1701; leases referring to Tintern Furnace, 1706, 1708; an opinion referring to a proposed new ferry across the Severn, the existing Aust Ferry, and the cattle trade through Chepstow and over the said ferry, 1720; an account of Chepstow port rents, 1734-5; an inventory of stock at Abby Wyre Works and Pont Saysons Forge, 1740; a lease of the furnace for melting iron ore and the lower forge in the parishes of Tintorne and Chapple Hill, 1742; mortgages of iron works and wire works in the parish of Portcassegg, 1746-54; articles of agreement relating to coal and iron works at Blaen Dyffryn Eboith Fawr, parish of Aberystroth, 1768; deeds relating to the paper mill called Lady Mill at Mounton near Chepstow, 1773, 1798, ?1818-92, 1866-73; a lease of iron works and forges (Trosnant or Pont Pool Furnace, the Town or Old Forge, the Osborn Forge, the Park Forge, the Wire Works) in the parishes of Trevethin and Panteg, 1786; an Act for extending Monmouthshire Canal Navigation, 1797 (printed); share certificates of the Monmouthshire Canal Navigation, 1799; accounts, correspondence, arbitration awards, etc., relating to Abbey Tintern Iron and Wire Works in the parishes of Chappel Hill and Tintern, 1805-43; an Act for making a railway from Howler Slade in the Forest of Dean, co. Gloucester, to the town of Monmouth, 1810 (printed); Monmouth Railway share certificates, 1811; leases of the furnaces, forges, mills, iron works, and wire works called The Abbey Works in the parishes of Chappel Hill and Tintern, 1813, 1821, 1866, 1878; a lease of an iron foundry near the river Wye at Chepstow, 1864; a grant of land to the Coleford, Monmouth, Usk and Pontypool Railway Company, 1868; an agreement for leasing land in the parishes of Dixton and Monmouth to the Ross

and Monmouth Railway Company, 1869; agreements for leasing land in the parishes of Llandogo, Penalt, and Dixton Hadnock to the Wye Valley Railway Company, 1872, 1875, and in the parishes of Dixton and Dixton Hadnock to the Coleford Railway Company, 1881-3; a lease of coal and ironstone under Gantref Farm, parish of Bedwelty, 1880-1; and an agreement with the Golden Valley Railway Company, 1888-9.

Ecclesiastical.

A grant of the moiety of the advowson of Penclawthe, 1463; leases, etc., relating to the rectory and advowson of Dixton, 1549, the rectories of Trostrey and Llandeny, 1553, the rectory of Monmouth and the advowson of the vicarage, 1575-1610, the tithes of the parish of Howick, 1577, 1611-17, 1704, the rectory and tithes of Llanvihangell Pont moyle and Langevo, 1582-1638, the advowson of Gwernessny, 1587, the tithes of Monkeswood and Stavarney, 1594, the rectory and tithes of Raglan, 1598-1676, the rectory of Newchurche, 1599-1606, the rectory and tithes of Monmouth, 1663, the rectory and tithes of Langevo, 1664, tithes in the parish of Bettus Newydd, 1664, tithes in the lordship of Penllyen, 1671, a moiety of the rectory of Uske and Lanbadock, 1686, the rectory and tithes of Monmouth, 18th cent., tithes in the parish of Skenfrith, 18th-19th cent., and the rectories of Raglan, Landeny, and Dixon, second half 18th cent.; letters of institution of Morgan Johns to the rectory of Lansoye, 1575; an exemplification of the record of a suit concerning the proportion of the cost of repairing the parish church of Magor to be borne by the inhabitants of Magor and Redwicke, an annexed chapelry, 1640; a suit concerning the title to the rectories and tithes of Llandilo Gresseny, Penrose, Llanarth, Dingestow, and Tregeare, 1655; licences confirming seats in Monmouth parish church to members of the Beaufort family, 1683-1752; correspondence and other documents relating to the charity set up by Lady Scudamore in favour of five poor widows, the sum bequeathed having been used to purchase lands in the parishes of Lantilio Gressenny and Skenfrith, 1727-1862; papers relating to the rebuilding of St. Mary's Church, Monmouth, 1735-8; a copy of the terrier of the parish of Skenfrith, 1771; a lease of a schoolroom at the Devauden in the parish of Newchurch East, 1836; a lease of land for a National School in the parish of Llansoy, 1867; a grant of land as a site for a school in the parish of Glascoed, 1880; and a grant of land at Beaufort as a site for St. Davids Church, 1896.

Miscellaneous.

Valor of the possessions of the abbey of Tyntern, 1536 (copy, 1672); an inquisition at a court of survey held for the town and borough of Monmouth, 1613; a volume containing inter alia a copy of the ordinances and constitutions of the borough of Monmouth, temp. James I; extracts from the Common Council Book of the borough of Monmouth relating to the election of mayors and bailiffs, 1694-1818, with an opinion in a case relating to the election of the said officials, 1818; an abstract of the poll at Newport in the parliamentary election, 1727; and ordinances made and agreed upon by the mayor and aldermen of the borough of Newport, 1711.

## GLOUCESTER

Court rolls of the manor of Wolaston, 1405-6, 1475-88; title deeds relating to property mainly in the manors and parishes of Woollaston and Tudenham, 16th-19th cent.; estreats of fines and amercements at the manorial courts of Woolaston, 1595, 1603-4, 1616-17, 1653-7, 1660-2, and Tudenham, 1656-7; estreats of surrenders and admissions at the manorial courts of Woolaston and Tudenham, temp. Charles I-temp. Charles II; records of the manorial courts of Woolaston and Tudenham, including precepts to bailiffs, presentments, estreats, suit rolls, jury lists, etc., c. 1660-1735; accounts and rentals for the manors of Woolaston and Tudenham, second half 17th cent. -c. 1730; a letter relating to coal mining in Tydnam Chase or elsewhere in Tydnam or Wollastone, 1677; and correspondence, etc., relating to a controversy between the Duke of Beaufort and the incumbents of Woolaston concerning the rectory and rectorial tithes of the parish, c. 1692-1720.

## OTHER COUNTIES

Title deeds relating to properties in cos. Anglesey, Berks., Carmarthen, Devon, Dorset, Essex, Hereford, Lincoln, Middlesex, Nottingham, Pembroke, Radnor, Somerset, Southampton, Westmorland, Wilts., and York, 17th and 18th cent.; and rentals and accounts relating to the manors of Chulmley and Denbury, co. Devon, Chaldon Herring, co. Dorset, and Chalton, co. Southampton, c. 1677 - c. 1730.

Mynegai

Swansea, Pennard, Bishopston, Llangyfelach, Llanrhidian, Llangynidr, Crickhowell, Llanfihangel Cwm Du, Caerleon, Penyclawdd, Llandenni, Monmouth, Grosmont, Skenfrith, Penallt, Trostre, Llanfihangel Pont Moel, Monkwood, Newchurch, Betws Newydd, Usk, Llandeilo Crosenny, Tintern.

Nodiadau

Group II. Schedule Available.

#### BRECON BOROUGH CHARTER

1963122

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Borough of Brecon, per Mr E Franklyn Jones, F.C.C.S., Town Clerk.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

The original royal charter of incorporation of the borough of Brecon, co. Brecknock, 20 March 2 and 3 Philip and Mary [1555/6] (NLW Rolls 276). The charter is written in Latin, on three skins of parchment, and is richly illuminated. The seal is imperfect.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available also English translation.

#### BBC (WALES)

1963123

Ffynhonnell / Source

The British Broadcasting Corporation, Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

Photocopied scripts of programmes broadcast in the Welsh Home Service of the B.B.C. during 1962.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

#### TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH, CARMARTHEN

1963124

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Officers of Tabernacle Baptist Church, Carmarthen, per Mr T J Evans, M.B.E.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A group of records of Tabernacle Baptist Church (NLW Minor Deposits 746-71B). It includes a church book, 1835-44, containing a register of members, annual statistics, minutes of church and committee meetings (particularly the committee for re-building the chapel), together with some entries for 1845-67; a volume containing a register of marriages, 1838-68, and of burials, 1841-67, minutes, 1844-67, and a history of the church from 1650 to 1842; two minute books containing details of changes in church membership, 1868-1900; ten minute books of deacons' meetings, 1896-1955; a Sunday School register, 1879-82; a Band of Hope register, used as a library register, 1898-1901; three minute books of the Young People's Society, 1911-15, 1920-3; a minute book of the committees of the Young People's Society, 1913-15; a minute book of the committee of the Christian Endeavour Society, 1915-16; a minute book of the weekly meetings of the Christian Endeavour Society, 1915-18; a list of members of the Young People's Society's games group, 1945; a minute book of the Eisteddfod committee, 1914-15; a scrapbook containing material of historical interest, 1921-4; and a cash book, 1930-47.

#### J L CORBETT-WINDER

1963125

Ffynhonnell / Source

Colonel J L Corbett-Winder, O.B.E., M.C., Vaynor Park, Berriew.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A group of estate and family records of the Lyon, Winder, and Corbett-Winder families of Vaynor Park, Berriew, co. Montgomery, ranging from 1601 to 1920. It includes title-deeds, leases, abstracts of



title, and subsidiary documents relating to the Vaynor estate in the parishes of Berriew, Bettws, Churchstoke, Llanwnog, Llanwyddelan, Mainstone, Manafon, Trefeglwys, and Tregynon, cos. Montgomery and Salop; plans, valuations, and accounts, mainly nineteenth century, relating to various parts of the estate; numerous particulars and conditions of sale of properties in co. Montgomery; copies of, and extracts from, wills of members of the family and other persons concerned with the estate; a group of seventeenth century legal papers being copies of Bills of Complaint, Answers, etc., in actions in which members of the Devereux family were concerned; records of a more personal nature, including subscription lists at the coming-of-age of W. J. Corbett Winder, 1896, lists in connection with a presentation to C. W. Williams Wynn by the Montgomeryshire Yeomanry, 1828, a licence of change of name and arms, 1869, an election song printed in English and Welsh on behalf of Lyon in his contest against Wynn [1831], and correspondence in connection with a memorial to Lt. W. J. Lyon at Cadillon in France, 1814; a number of items relating particularly to the parish of Berriew, including a history of the roads and places in the township of Vaynor Ucha for the last fifty or sixty years, 1879, an agreement relating to the chapel at Revel, Berriew, 1849, an account showing the application of rent from Pennarth Farm in the education of ninety of the children of the poor of the parish of Berriew, [c.1863], an agreement respecting the chapel in Keel township, 1847, and a memorial from the Berriew parishioners to Major Corbett-Winder concerning the new burial ground, with copies of the reply thereto, 1889-90; and seven manuscript volumes, including land tax assessments and accounts of rents and disbursements for towns and properties in the hundred of Plumsgate, co. Suffolk, 1731-43, and accounts of rents from the Lord Viscount Hereford's estates in cos. Montgomery, Salop, Warwick, Worcester, Pembroke, and Hereford, 1740-51.

Three minute books of Berriew Parish Council, 1894-1955 (NLW Minor Deposits 782-4B).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

#### CURTLE & HALLMARK, WORCESTER

1963126

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Curtler and Hallmark, Worcester.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A pedigree roll on parchment of the descendants of Gruffith [ap] Nicholas of Newton [in the parish of Llandeilo Fawr], co. Carmarthen, by his wives Mabel, daughter of Meredith ap Henry Dwnn, and Ales, daughter of Sir Thomas Perrott of Haroldston, co. Pembroke, including the families of Rice of Dinevor, co. Carmarthen, Perot of Morton on Lugg, Bullingham, and Hereford, co. Hereford, Scudamore of Kentchurch and Rollston, co. Hereford, Vaughan of Bredwardine, co. Hereford, Tomkins of Monington, co. Hereford, Meyrick of Winforton, co. Hereford, Bromwich of Castle Bromwich, co. Warwick, and Goodrich, co. Hereford, Devereux, Croft, Herle, Seabourne, Milborne, Baskerville, Meysey, and other ramifications (NLW Rolls 135). The roll was compiled in 1623, with some later additions. The genealogist quotes records of evidence in the Council in the Marches of Wales touching the mortgage of lands in Winforton, co. Hereford, by James ap Meyrick to Sir Griffith Rees, son of Sir Rees ap Thomas, the redemption of the same, and the suit concerning it between Margery Meirick and Edward Hopton, 16-27 Henry VIII; copies of quitclaims from Joan, formerly wife of Thomas Perrott, knight, widow, to Thomas Perrott, son and heir of the latter, 7 April 1463, and from William Hubert otherwise Hoskyn, brother and heir of Robert Hoskyn, clerk, to William Perrott, 21 September 1474, of an estate in co. Pembroke; and a grant from Margery Meyrick, widow, relict of Ievan Gwillim Jenkin, to Edmund Baskerville and Sibill his wife of the manor in the vill of Winforton, co. Hereford, ?12 December 1552. There is also a note how James ap Meyrick, who was the son of Thomas ap John of Winforton, took the name of Meyrick, and data from deeds, wills, and tombs in support of some of the entries, together with some other biographical notes.

Mynegai

Dinefwr

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

D HYWEL DAVIES

1963127

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D Hywel Davies, Narberth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

About sixty deeds, 1730-1894, relating to properties in the parishes of Eglwys cummin, Llanboidy, Llangendeirne, Mydrim, and Treleach ar bettws, co. Carmarthen, in the parish of Saint Peters, co. borough of Carmarthen, and in the manor of Saint Florence, and adjoining the town and within the liberties of the borough of Tenby, co. Pembroke; an agreement, 1817, relating to the collieries of Black Hook, Thomas Chapel, and Stammers, the use of the engine at Kingsmoor, and the erection of a pier at Saundersfoot; testamentary records relating to the family of Hancock, including the limited administration, 1848, with will, 1828, annexed, of John Hancocke, vicar of Treleach; and manorial records, including presentments, etc., of the manors of Begelly, 1825-43, Coedrath, 1805-43, and Cwmrath, 1793-1805, and estreats from the court rolls, etc., of the manor of St. Florence, 1749-1846.

Mynegai

Trelech a'r Betws

D DAVIES

1963128

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs R O Davies, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

Four deeds, 1803-65, relating to the farm called Esgairwen Fawr in the parish of Llanarth, co. Cardigan; account books, 1820-2, 1840-5, 1872-81, relating to the same farm; a copy of an undated letter from James Evans, Esgairwen (d. 1937), father of the depositor, to the vicar of Llanarth concerning the seizure of the writer's goods for non-payment of tithe; copies of a ballad entitled 'Ocsiwnau Degwm Llanarth'; an assessment book for property and income tax in the parish of Llanarth, 1845; an essay (124 pages) on the history, customs, etc., of the Mydroilyn ward of the parish of Llanarth by James Evans; posters (printed with manuscript notes) relating to the elections to the school board of the district of Llanarth, 1883, 1889 and 1895; account books of Mydroilyn Congregational Chapel, 1880-1914; and thirty letters, mostly in Welsh, 1845-1932, from members of the Esgairwen family and acquaintances who had emigrated to America.

Notes of lectures delivered by the donor's husband, the late Professor R. O. Davies, University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, to extra-mural classes at Tregaron, and scripts of talks in Welsh given in the BBC Welsh Home Service for Schools.

T I ELLIS

1963129

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr T I Ellis, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

Additional records of 'Undeb Cymru Fydd' ( 'The New Wales Union') consisting of about sixty files of correspondence, accounts and other papers for the period 1941-62.

OLWEN CARADOC EVANS

1963130

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Olwen Caradoc Evans, Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A sketchbook containing pencil-sketches and watercolour drawings of Welsh and other landscapes by C. F. Oldfield and A. E. Oldfield, c. 1840-60, together with miscellaneous plans and specifications (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

#### CHANCERY DEPOSITIONS

1963131

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Executors of the late Mr G E Godson, per Messrs Norris & Miles, Tenbury.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

Attested copies, 1738/9, of depositions on behalf of complainant in the action in Chancery, 1738 of Margaret Jeffreys, widow, against David Evans and others, defendants, touching the title to properties in the parish of Llywell, co. Brecknock (NLW Misc Documents, Breconshire).

#### BETTISFIELD

1963132

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Edward Hanmer, Bt., Bettisfield Park, Whitchurch, Salop.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A holograph letter, 1798, from Saml. More, secretary of the Society for the Encouragement of Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce, to Sir Thomas Hanmer, bt., of Hanmer, co. Flint.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

#### T HUDSON WILLIAMS

1963133

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Alun Hudson-Williams, B.A., M.Litt., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

Additional material from the library of the depositor's father, the late Professor T. Hudson Williams, Bangor, being typescript translations from Russian of 'Ewyrth Ifan' (two versions), 'Yr Ardd Geirios', and 'Yr Wylan' (Tchekhov), 'Yr Eneth Amddifad' (Ostrovsky), and 'Yr Inspector' (Gogol), the last having been adapted for the stage by Rev A. E. Jones ('Cynan') (NLW Minor Deposits 772-7B).

#### J R HUGHES DIARIES

1963134

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs J R Hughes, Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

Pocket diaries of the late J. R. Hughes, latterly of Tre-Taliesin, co. Cardigan, the depositor's husband, for the years 1904-21, 1924, 1927-9, 1932-4, 1936-8, 1940-8 and 1953. The earlier diaries are the most complete, and those for the period 1924-38 contain a few memoranda only. The diary entries are written in Welsh. There are also a few small notebooks, one containing 'Y Ffrwd ar fin y Ffordd', a translation into Welsh by J. R. Hughes, 1943, of Elizabeth Gibson, The Well by the Way (The Simple Life Series, No. 7, 1903). Other items are two copies of an article or address entitled 'Ffydd ac Ymarweddiad y Crynwyr' and 'Adgofion a Chofnodion o'r Diwygiad 1904-1905 yn Nwyrain Dinbych gan John Roberts Hughes ... 1959'.

## GLANSEVERN

1963135

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Elizabeth Humphreys-Owen, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A supplementary group of Glansevern family papers. It includes the probate of the will of Owen Owens of Penniarth, parish of Myvod, co. Montgomery, 1699; a notebook, consisting of the blank pages of Rider's British Merlin for 1667, containing accounts of rents received and other memoranda; Rider's British Merlin for 1710, 1729, and 1739, with accounts and memoranda probably mainly by Arthur Devereux (the volume for 1710 contains entries by William Whittington and the entries in the volume for 1739 relate to 1760); notebooks containing pages from Rider's British Merlin for 1703 and 1737, with entries probably by Arthur and Pryce Devereux; The Royal Engagement Pocket Atlas for 1782, with entries by Arthur Davies Owen; diaries, with manuscript entries by William Owen, for the years 1780, 1782-4, 1786, 1788-90, 1793, 1797, 1804 and 1812, and a diary for 1778 containing no entries but with some pages cut out; The Ladies' Own Memorandum-Book for 1783, with entries mainly of agricultural interest, probably by Thomas Davies; diaries for 1847 and 1852, with entries probably by Erskine Humphreys; Kearsley's Pocket Ledger for 1833, containing notes and quotations inserted by Anne Warburton Owen; a notebook containing essays and poems, some connected with Gibraltar, written in the second half of the eighteenth century; a transcript by Arthur Davies Owen of Stenographia by Jeremiah Rich, 1755; a notebook containing a newspaper cutting, 1888, of a game called The Family Coach, with a manuscript adaptation of the game; an Indian horoscope roll of Charles Wynham Humphreys (born in Bombay 1806), with a typescript explanation of the contents; a manuscript containing details of the Receipts and Issues of the Public Revenue from Lady Day 1702 to Michaelmas 1710; an illuminated volume presented to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Humphreys by their friends, neighbours and tenants congratulating them on the birth of a son and heir; two illuminated volumes presented to A. E. O. Humphreys by tenants of the Glansevern and Llangurig estates upon his achieving his majority in 1897 (one volume contains photographs of some of the tenants); an illuminated volume presented to A. E. O. Humphreys-Owen by the tenants of the Glansevern estate and others upon his marriage in 1907; a vellum roll containing the names of subscribers probably in connection with a presentation upon the marriage of A. C. Humphreys; grants of the arms of Owen to Anne Warburton Owen in 1838 and to A. C. Humphreys-Owen in 1876; a grant of supporters to the arms of Sir Edward William Campbell Rich Owen upon his being constituted a Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath, 1846; a manuscript volume containing surveys of farms in the parishes of Berriew and Llandyssil, co. Montgomery; a framed cartoon of A. C. Humphreys-Owen published in The Westminster Gazette, 21 March 1899; a lithographic portrait of A. C. Humphreys-Owen; a perspective view of the taking of Fort D'Orleans, 23 March 1757, a plan of the fort and of part of the town of Chandernagore, a sketch and note on the positions of the French and English squadrons before the beginning of the third action at sea at Pondicherry, 10 Sept. 1760, and a plan of the battle of Plassey (the three plans are framed); offprints of scientific papers by Dr. S. P. F. Humphreys-Owen and of an obituary notice of him published in Proceedings of the Physical Society, LXXVII, and a reproduction of his memorial in Heydon churchyard, Herts.; Campobello by Mrs. Kate Gannet Wells (new and enlarged edition); The Journal of Captain William Owen, R.N., edited by W. F. Ganong, two papers reprinted from the Collections of the New Brunswick Historical Society, Vol. I (1897) and Vol. II (1899); Tymmorol ag wybrenol Newyddion neu Almanac Newydd am 1770 o gasgliad Gwylim Howel (Mwythig); Sir Mathew Hale's three epistles to his children with an account of the author's life prefixed (imperfect); a composite volume containing Llyfr Gweddi Gyffredin, Y Bibl Cysegr-Lan, Mynegai'r Beibl, Llyfr y Salmau . . . ar Fesur Cerdd . . . Edmund Prys, Emytau (Caer Grawnt. Joseph Bentham. 1746); and Archives Historiques. Souverains et Personnages Distingues de Toutes les Nations . . . Tome I (Paris, 1846).

Mynegai

Peniarth, Meifod

Nodiadau

Converted to a Donation 1994. Schedule Available.

JEFFREYS & POWELL, BRECON

1963136  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Messrs Jeffreys & Powell, Brecon.  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63  
Disgrifiad / Description  
Twenty-three deeds, 1689-1883, relating to properties in the parishes of Llanvihangell Nantbraen and Trallong, co. Brecknock.  
Mynegai  
Llanfihangel Nant Bran, Trallwng

JACK JONES, RHIWBEINA Rhif  
1963137  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr Jack Jones, Rhiwbeina.  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63  
Disgrifiad / Description  
A typescript final draft of 'A Burnt Offering' by the depositor, being a biographical novel based on the life of Dr. William Price (1800-93), Llantrisant, pioneer of cremation.  
This volume is not to be made available to readers for a period of 50 years.  
Nodiadau  
Restricted Item 49. List Available.

CORWEN NATIONAL SCHOOL  
1963138  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr W E Jones, B.Sc., Director of Education, Dolgellau.  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63  
Disgrifiad / Description  
A log-book of Corwen National School, 1915-62.  
Nodiadau  
Transferred to Gwynedd RO, Dolgellau.

ROYAL NATIONAL LIFEBOAT INSTITUTION  
1963139  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr W S Jones, Aberystwyth.  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63  
Disgrifiad / Description  
A minute book of the Aberystwyth Branch of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution, 1861-1957 (NLW Minor Deposits 785B).

ASSIGNMENT BY JOHN PECK  
1963140  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr A J Kempster, Cople, Bedford, per The County Archivist, Bedford.  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1962-63  
Disgrifiad / Description  
An assignment by John Peck of Kildare to John Peck, son of his brother Jasper Peck, of rents issuing out of the Golley lands in Burton, co. Denbigh, 23 May 1662 (NLW Minor Deposits 788B).

## COMMISSIONERS OF ENCLOSURE FOR NEW RADNOR

1963141

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Manager, Midland Bank, Kington, per Miss E M Jancey, M.A., County Record Office, Hereford.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A volume of memoranda (copies of notices of meetings, statements of claims, correspondence, etc.) of the Commissioners of Enclosure for the parish of New Radnor, co. Radnor, 1811, together with financial accounts, 1812-15 (NLW Minor Deposits 787B).

## HERBERT STANLEY JEVONS

1963142

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs R Konekamp, Newport, Pembs.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

A group of manuscripts and printed matter from the library of the depositor's father, Herbert Stanley Jevons (1875-1955), who, among other appointments, was Fulton Professor of Economics and Political Science at the University College of South Wales and Monmouthshire, Cardiff, and Adviser to the Ethiopian Embassy. The archive includes material for, and correspondence relating to, the following books published by him - *The British Coal Trade* (1915), *Money, Exchange and Banking in India* (1922), and *Economic Equality in the Co-operative Commonwealth* (1933), drafts of works which do not appear to have been published, including *'The Social Revolution'* (1919), *'The Problem of War'* (1932), *'Utopia'* (1935), and *'Why Federation means Peace'* (1940); numerous articles and lectures and a large number of files containing articles, correspondence, etc., on various subjects including *'Agriculture in Central India'* (1914-18), *'The Bombay Cotton Industry'* (1926), *'The British Heavy Steel Industry'* (1931-2), *'The Burma Agricultural Society'* (1929), *'Coal and Mining'* (1909-49), *'Economic Development of Great Britain'* (1934-5), *'Housing in Wales'* (1912-14), *'Indian Economic Enquiry Committee'* (1925-6), *'Indian Economics Professorships'* (1914), *'Indian Exchange and Currency'* (1924-5), *'Proposed Society for Economic and Cultural Relations with Germany'* (1946-7), *'Rangoon University: memorandum on the Co-ordination of Industrial Research'* (1928), *'Rhiwbina Garden Village'* (1951-2), *'Merthyr Co-operative Garden Village Society'* (1954), *'Royal Commission on Agriculture in India'* (1927), and *'The Royal Statistical Society'* (1933-41); numerous files containing articles, correspondence, pamphlets, etc., relating to the Abyssinian Association, of which H. S. Jevons was the first Secretary, and to the Anglo-Ethiopian Society, of which he was the first Treasurer, 1935-55; correspondence with Haile Selassie I, Emperor of Abyssinia, 1937-53; correspondence with Sir Richard Acland, Lord Cecil, Sir Stafford Cripps, Hugh Dalton, Anthony Eden, Cyril Garbett, Archbishop of York, Patrick Geddes, Sam Higginbottom, D. Caradog Jones, Kebede Makonnen, Sir John Simon, Madame Genevieve Tabouis, and Dr. John Thomas, 1918-55.

The printed material includes books, pamphlets, and periodicals containing articles by H. S. Jevons, and a large number relating to Abyssinia (Dept of Printed Books).

The papers are not available for consultation without the prior permission of the depositor.

Nodiadau

Permission needed to consult papers. Converted to a Donation 1977. Schedule Available.

## RADNORSHIRE QUARTER SESSIONS

1963143

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D C S Lane, Clerk of the Peace and of the County Council, Llandrindod Wells.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1962-63

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of Radnorshire Quarter Sessions, received under the provisions of the Public Records Act (1958). They include:

Order Books. Thirteen volumes covering the period 1771-1951.  
Files. 718 rolls or files for the period 1753-1951.

Rolls or

Supplementary Records. Approximately 4,300 items grouped under the following headings and relating to the period 1750-

(1) Bridges. Articles of agreement, specifications, estimates, plans, etc., 1776-1885, for repairing or building bridges, including Builth, Erwood, Glangwy, Glasbury, Howey, Newbridge on Wye, Tan House, and Temple (Llandrindod) bridges, and bridges over the brooks or rivers called Arran, Colwyn, Eddow (Box's bridge, Franksbridge), Elan (Nantgwyllt), Gaernwen, Gwenlas, Gwynllyw, Ithon (at Disserth, Llanbadarn Fawr, Llanbadarn Fynydd, Llanbister, Llandewy, Llanyre, and Penybont), Lug (near Dolley, at Liggo, Rossbridge), Marteg, Megrem, Mithel, and Team (Stow Bridge, Melin y Gro bridge). (2) Roads. Order books of the trustees of the turnpike roads in cos. Radnor and Hereford, 1767-1824, and of the trustees of the Radnorshire district, 1824-37; annual abstracts of the accounts of the several turnpike trusts within the Radnorshire district, 1822-33; a plan of a proposed new road from Rhayader to Llangerrig, 1828; annual abstracts of the accounts of the Llangirrig turnpike trust, 1830-3; order books of the county roads board, 1845-89; a ledger of the county roads board, 1852-68; an account book of the roads board, 1863-87; bonds for the payment to the treasurer of the roads board of the rents due for toll gates and toll houses, 1869-88; statements of account of the county roads board, 1870-89; county surveyors' reports on the roads (quarterly), 1874-89; an account book of the county roads board, 1876-88; statements of accounts relating to and estimates of revenue from the Radnor turnpike roads, 1882-9.

(3) Police, Gaols, Criminal Proceedings. Papers relating to the conveyance of prisoners to the hulks, 1815, 1820; returns of convictions under the game laws, 1814-21; quarterly reports of the visiting surgeon on the county gaol, 1824-9, 1835-7; quarterly reports of the visiting magistrates on the county gaol, 1824-37; quarterly reports of the keeper of the county gaol, 1824-9, 1831, 1835-7; reports of the clerk of the peace on the county gaol, 1824-35; a minute book of the police committee, 1857-89; plans, specifications, etc., relating to alterations to the county gaol, 1856-7, 1868-70; an account book - police fund and superannuation fund, 1871-89; and correspondence (nearly 125 letters) relating to the appointment of a chief constable, 1873.

(4) Railways. Plans, sections, books of reference, etc. (1855-1928), relating to branches of the Central Wales Railway, The Manchester-Milford Railway, The Mid-Wales Railway, The Great Western Railway, The Worcester and Aberystwyth Junction Railway, and The East and West Wales Railway, and to the Kington-Eardisley Railway, The Lugg Valley Railway, The Knighton Railway, and The Presteign, Clun and Bishop's Castle Railway.

(5) Documents, etc., relating to the appointment of high sheriffs, under sheriffs, deputy lieutenants, justices of the peace, county officials, etc., 1761-1911, including commissions of the peace, 1817, 1822, 1828, 1830, 1838 and 1872; a volume of subscriptions to the requisite oaths by sheriffs, justices, incumbents, and dissenting teachers, and of declarations as to their qualifications by justices, 1779-1812; a volume of subscriptions to the requisite oaths by justices, 1829-49; a roll of similar subscriptions by justices and sheriffs, 1859-67; and a volume of declarations and subscriptions by justices, 1903-11.

(6) Rates and Taxes. Land tax assessments, 1812-17 and 1821-31; returns of the county rate sub-committee, 1826-34; a volume entitled 'Copy of the Poor Rates of the respective Parishes in the County of Radnor with an amended Valuation', 1845; a minute book of the county rate committee, 1852-60; county rate tables, 1854; and precepts to the guardians of various unions concerning general, police, and road rates, 1869-71, 1875, and 1882-9.

(7) Finance. Tables of fees to be taken by justices' clerks, 1753-90; bundles of vouchers mainly in support of the county treasurer's accounts, 1761-7 and 1791-1889; an abstract of the annual accounts of the county treasurer, 1792-1823; returns of fines imposed by justices out of sessions and of fines, penalties, etc., imposed at quarter sessions, 1823-9, 1834, and 1836; annual accounts of the county treasurer (mostly abstracts), 1853-90; account books of the county treasurer, 1859-90; returns of fines, penalties, and fees received by the clerks of the justices at petty sessions, 1869-1900; and an account book of the clerk of the peace, 1871-95.

(8) Jury service and service as constables. Returns of persons liable to serve as high constables, 1815-17, 1819, 1821, 1823, 1825, 1832, 1834, 1836, and 1838; returns of persons liable for jury service, 1794, 1815-17, 1821-4, 1876-1912; and jurors books, 1902-49.

(9) Lunacy. Returns of persons of unsound mind in various parishes, 1833 and 1836; a memorandum of an agreement between cos. Brecon, Monmouth, and Radnor for lunatic asylum purposes, 1870; and returns of persons of unsound mind chargeable to the common funds, 1889-93.

(10) Elections. Poll clerks' books for various districts, 1841; registers of parliamentary electors, co. Radnor, 1868-88;

one bundle of correspondence relating to the parliamentary election for Radnor boroughs, 1879-80; correspondence and other documents in connection with setting up electoral divisions and other matters appertaining to the implementation of the Local Government Act, 1888; registers of persons entitled to vote at the parliamentary and county council elections for co. Radnor, 1889-1915; and electoral lists for the parliamentary county of Brecon and Radnor, 1918-26.

(11) Friendly Societies. Rules and orders of the following societies - Knighton, 1787; Presteign, 1817 (amended); The New Loyal Union Society, Knighton, 1817; Presteign, 1823 (amended); Knighton, 1823-4 (amended); Rhayader and Llansaintffread Cwmtoyddwr, 1824; Nantmel, 1826 (amended); The New Loyal Union Society, Penybont, 1826; Old Radnor, 1831 (amended); and Presteign, c. 1838 (amended).

(12) Licensing. Minute books of the county licensing committee, 1905-37; and files of the county licensing committee and compensating authority, 1910-51.

(13) Religion. Fifty letters from incumbents or curates to the clerk of the peace in reply to a request for a return of the number of places of worship not of the Church of England in each parish, distinguishing between the different sects and giving the numbers belonging to each, 1829-30.

(14) Annuities. Documents relating to the registration of annuities, 1770-87.

(15) Militia. Nominal rolls of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Radnorshire Rifle Volunteer Corps, 1863-79; commissions in the Radnor Militia, 1871; and nominal rolls of the 1st Herefordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps (Radnorshire), 1880-92.

(16) Correspondence. Bundles of correspondence (miscellaneous), 19th century.

Mynegai

Llanddewi, Llangurig, Llansanffraid Cwmteddwr

Nodiadau

Transferred to Powys RO, Llandrindod 11/12/1990.

#### LLANBADARN FAWR PARISH COUNCIL

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Llanbadarn-fawr Parish Council, per Mr John R Evans, Llanbadarn-fawr, Cards.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minute books of the parish councils of Issa-yndre, 1894-1953, and Ucha yn dre, 1895-1934, and of the Llanbadarnfawr United District Burial Board, 1898-1931; account books of the parish councils of Issa yn dre, 1895-1938, and Uchyndre, 1897-1946; registers of mortgages of the said parish councils, 1899; and a fees account book, 1899-1955, and receipt and payment account books, 1898-1951, of the joint committee for the parishes of Issa yn dre, Ucha yn dre, and Vaenor Ucha appointed for the purposes of the Burial Acts.

#### GLANSEVERN (BOROUGH OF LLANIDLOES)

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Ffynhonnell / Source

The Borough of Llanidloes, per Mr J E Thomas, F.C.C.S., F.R.V.A., Town Clerk.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A group of letters of the family of Humphreys-Owen of Glansevern, co. Montgomery:

Three volumes of letters of sympathy addressed to Mrs. M. Humphreys-Owen upon the death of her husband, A. C. Humphreys-Owen, in 1905.

Over 300 other letters. These include twelve letters to Lord Hereford from R. Ainslie Constantinople, 1780, G. Beauclerk, Ockingham, 1766, Geo. Bourne, Piccadilly, 1767, Lord Choimondeley, London, 1759, Lord Courtenay, Powderham Castle, 1764, Lord Ferrars, 1782, Wm. Goodwin, Westminster, 1754, Lord Powis, 1760 and 1778, W. Price, Rulace, 1753, and Lord Rockingham, 1770 and 1774; a letter (mid-eighteenth century) from the Earl of Bath complaining about the bargain made concerning the Shrewsbury election; nine letters to Dr. Edward Johnes from S. Butler, Shrewsbury, 1829, Sir James Cockburn, London, 1823, Dr. R. W. Darwin, Salop, John Davies, Manchester, 1843, Albany Fonblanque, 1835, Francis C. Knowles, 1840, James Ware, 1806, and C. W. Williams Wynn, 1806;



thirty-five letters, 1830-66, to Arthur James Johnes, the correspondents including A. Arnos, 1830, Richard Cobden, 1852, Rev Dr. Donne, Llanyblodwel, 1842, Lady Augusta Hall, Joseph Hume, M.P., 1853, W. S. Landor, 1850, Lord Monteagle, 1848, A[neurin] Owen, 1843, Lord Powis, 1864, C. Romilly, 1847, Theodore Sedgwick, New York, 1840-1, Lord Dudley Coutts Stuart, 1850, and C. W. Williams Wynn, 1845; forty-one letters, 1853-90, to Rev C. H. Cholmeley, including replies to invitations to attend the funeral of Dr. [C. G. B.] Daubeny and to Magdalen College dinners, and letters from Samuel Wilberforce, bishop of Oxford, 1853-8, William Stubbs, bishop of Oxford, 1890, John Jackson, bishop of Lincoln, 1867, Walter Kerr Hamilton, bishop of Salisbury, 1868, George Moberly, bishop of Salisbury, 1869 and 1882, John Wordsworth, bishop of Salisbury, 1894, Richard Derby, 1868, B. Jowett, B. Pusey, Rev William Rogers, 1882, Wm. Butterfield, 1874, Rev A. P. Stanley, James Keble, 1865, and E. P. Shirley, 1868; thirty letters, 1894-5, congratulating Mrs. M. Humphreys-Owen on her husband's success in the parliamentary election for Montgomeryshire; nearly 150 letters, 1868-1905, addressed to A. C. Humphreys-Owen, M.P., mainly from politicians and public men, including Lord Aberdare, 1891, A. H. D. Acland, 1891-1904, Charles Booth, 1893, H. Montagu Butler, 1898-1904, Lord Carrington, 1897, Lewis Campbell, 1902-3, J. Chamberlain, 1902, R. S. Conway, 1903, T. E. Ellis, 1898, D. Silvan Evans, 1901, Edmond Fitzmaurice, 1901, H. J. Gladstone, 1891, J. E. Gorst, 1898-1904, J. L. Hammond, 1900, W. V. Harcourt, 1898, Auberon Herbert, R. C. Jebb, 1869-1904, Thomas Herbert Maddy, 1894, Lord Monteagle, 1887, J. Owen, bishop of St. Davids, 1892 and 1899, F. Pollock, 1879, Frances S. Powell, 1898, Henry Cecil Raikes, 1868 and 1877, J. Rhys, 1897, Walter Severn, 1890, Charles Tawney, 1883, Connop Thirlwall, bishop of St. Davids, 1868, G. O. Trevelyan, 1897, Sir John Williams, 1899-1900, and George Young, 1897; and miscellaneous letters, 1807-1902, including a letter, 1863, from F. T. McDougall, bishop of Labuan, to J. Rigaud concerning the progress of his mission and the attacks upon him for his part in fighting pirates, copies of letters, 1862, between J. Rigaud, Magdalen College, Oxford, and J. A. Jeremie, Trinity College, Cambridge, concerning the bishop's conduct, and letters to Sir Julian Pauncefote from John Arundel, 1899, concerning the allocation of Pacific Islands, and from Richard Harding Davis, Marion, Massachusetts, concerning the Boer War and enclosing a printed list of the highest prices realised for food and tobacco during the siege of Ladysmith, 1899-1900.

#### CILYBEBYLL

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr H R P Lloyd, Monmouth, per Mr R J H Lloyd, T.D., The National Museum of Wales, Cardiff.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A second supplementary group of Cilybebyll records, being deeds and documents, 1847-83, consisting largely of leases of building ground formerly part of Clynbidy farm, Llanguick, co. Glamorgan.

#### PENNINGTON & SONS

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Pennington & Sons, London, per The Assistant Archivist, County Record Office, London.

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One bundle of deeds relating to properties in the parishes of Monington, Nevern, Eglwysrwrw, Maenachlogddy, and Manordivy, co. Pembroke, 1791-1818, and a copy of a deed of partition, 1766, of part of the Castle Gorvod settled estate in Llanginning and other lands in Mydrim, Kiffick, Trelech ar betws, Llanfihangel Abercowin, and Llanwinio, and in the town of Laugharn, co. Carmarthen; and two bundles of deeds, documents, probate papers, accounts, and correspondence concerning the estates of the Macnamara family of Llangoed Castle in cos. Brecknock, Radnor, and Carmarthen, 1620-1850.

Mynegai

Mynachlogddu, Trelech a'r Betws

#### LLWYN-Y-BRAIN

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr G C Pryse-Rice, Holme Lacy.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A second group of deeds and documents of the Llwyn-y-brain estate, including about 200 deeds, 1564-1819, relating to properties in the parishes of Kricadern, Llandeivalley, and Lliswen, in the lordship of Cantrescelly, co. Brecknock, and Bettus Ievan, Blayn porth, Brongwyn, Cardigan, Kytplwy, Lechryd, Llanarth, Llanavan, Llandevriog, Llandissilio, Llandogwy, Llangoedmore, Llangranog, Llangynllo, Llanllohayarn, Llanyna, Penbrynn, Tredroier, Tremayn, and Verwicke, to the manors of Cardigan, Priory of Cardigan, Iskoed Ishirewen, and Coedmore otherwise Iskoed Coedmore, to the rectories of Cardigan, Penbrin otherwise Penbrynne, Tremaine and [Ver]wyck, and to the tithing or farm of Blaen Anarth otherwise Blayne Anarch, parish of Aberporth and Kitt plwy Tremayne, co. Cardigan, to properties in the parishes of Henllanamgoed, Kil y Kwm, Llandilo vawr, Llandingad, Llanegwad, Llangadocke vawre, Llangathen, Llanvairybryn, Llanvihangell Kilvargen, Llanvnnio, Llanwrda, Mothvey, Mydrim, St. Ismaells, and Trelech ar bettus, in Llanhiern, parish of Llanegwad, at Hawkinge Church, parish of Stt. Ismells, in the borough of Llanymthovery, parish of Llandingad, in Castell llwyd, lordship of Laugharne, and in the lordships of Allt y gaer, Durslwyn, and Kathinocke, to the rectory of Llanegwad, and to the tithes of Kydwelly, co. Carmarthen, to properties in the parish of Pennall, co. Merioneth, to the tithes of the parish of Cemmes, co. Montgomery, to properties in the parishes of Clidey and St. Michael's, town of Pembroke, in the towns of Kilgarran and Tenby, in the town or village of Saint Dogmells, and in the territories of the chapel of Llangolman and of Ywch Nevarne, parish of Meliney, co. Pembroke, and to properties in Ilston otherwise Ilveston on the Hill and Houghton on the Hill [co. Leicester]. The archive includes abstracts of about forty deeds made by the late Rev Gruffydd Evans, B.D., in 1908.

Testamentary records:- probates of the wills of Samuel Hughes of the parish of Llangathen, co. Carmarthen, gent., 1657, and Maurice Morgan of Clydey, 1656, and David Morgan of Coed Lloyd, 1688, both of co. Pembroke, esquires; a draft of the will of John Howells of Penybayly, co. Cardigan, gent., 1735; Wills of Mary Lewis, spinster, 1724, and Rice Griffith, clerk, 1757-62, both of Llwyn-y-brain; and a copy of the will of Mathew Griffiths of Llwyn-y-brain, esq., 1767.

A list of church-wardens for the hamlet of Istrad Ynis, parish of Llandingad, 1684-1706; case and opinion, 1796, touching the decision to charge the tithes of the said hamlet for the relief of the poor; and letters from Thomas Lawrence and W. Morgan, vicars of Llandingad, touching tithe accounts, etc., 1812-29.

Correspondence and accounts relating to legal and estate affairs and to the collection of the tithes of Penbryn, 1779-1838; miscellaneous vouchers, 1794-6; and a copy of the will, 1861, of John Vaughan of Penmaen Dovey, co. Merioneth, and papers relating thereto.

Quietus to Samuel Hughes, esq., high sheriff, 1738; the appointment of Walter Rice to be Captain Lieutenant of the militia forces of co. Carmarthen, 1770; and verses relating to the Cardigan election, 1849.

An estreat, 1648, from the court roll of the manor of the Priory of Kidwelly relating to land in the parishes of Kidwelly and St. Ismaels.

A group of family pedigrees.

A volume of manuscript plans of properties in the parishes of Llandeilo Fawr Rural, Llandingat Without, Llangadock, Llansadwrn, and Llanwrda, co. Carmarthen, by Matthew Williams, 1782-94 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Crucadarn, Llyswen, Betws Ifan, Blaenporth, Llanafan, Llandyfriog, Llanllwchaiarn, Llanina, Penbryn, Troedyraur, Ferwig, Cilycwm, Llangadog Fawr, Llanfair-ar-y-bryn, Llanfihangel Cilfargen, Myddfai, Llanymddyfri, Kidwelly, Cilgerran.

## GREAT SESSIONS

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Ffynhonnell / Source

The Keeper of Public Records, by direction of the Lord Chancellor.

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#### Disgrifiad / Description

During the year the records of the Courts of Great Sessions of Wales were transferred from the Public Record Office to the National Library of Wales (see pages 14-15). Another extensive group, consisting of records which were 'not deemed of sufficient value to justify their preservation in the Public Record Office', had been transferred to the Library in 1909. The only records of the Courts which now remain in the Public Record Office are a few items which relate to Flintshire in conjunction with Cheshire. These remain with the records of Chester. They arose from Flintshire's anomalous position under the county palatine of Chester, which it retained in some respect until 1830. Microfilm copies of the more important of these items have been made for the Library.

The records transferred are briefly described in Giuseppe's Guide to the Public Records, Vol. I pp. 317-24, and they are listed in volumes IV and XL of the Public Record Office's Lists and Indexes. All classes listed in these volumes under WALES (i.e. WALES 1 to WALES 28) are now transferred excepting class WALES 15, which consists of records of the manor court of Ruthin, having no connection with the Courts of Great Sessions, and excepting also four plea rolls (relating to Anglesey and Caernarvon) which antedate the establishment of the Courts, viz., WALES 16/1 and 20/1. Transferred together with the WALES classes is class CHESTER 30, the Flintshire plea rolls (excepting the rolls earlier than 1542).

Not included in the printed lists but included in the transfer are various volumes serving as indexes to the records. Lists of these are available at the Library. Their references in the PRO catalogue of lists and indexes are IND. 8864-70, 17526-74, 17589-90, and 17607-11. Due to be transferred, but not included in the printed lists, is WALES 30/51, a group of 39 deeds presumed to have been acquired by the Court as evidences. Classes WALES 29 and 31 and the remainder of WALES 30, also consisting of deeds, have not been transferred, their connection with the Courts of Great Sessions being uncertain.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

DR T IFOR REES

1963150

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr T Ifor Rees, C.M.G., Bow-Street.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two volumes of music containing holograph hymn-tunes, psalm-tunes, and children's songs, 1891-1949 and undated, by the depositor's father, the late J. T. Rees, Mus. Bac. (NLW Minor Deposits 779-80A)

The manuscripts are not to be made available for consultation without the consent of the depositor.

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EISTEDDFOD GENEDLAETHOL CYMRU

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John Roberts, Secretary, The Royal National Eisteddfod of Wales.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A group of literary and musical compositions and adjudications of the Royal National Eisteddfod, Dyffryn Maelor, 1961.

EISTEDDFOD GENEDLAETHOL CYMRU

1963152

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Cecil N Smith, Ebbw Vale.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Papers of local committees of the Royal National Eisteddfod of Wales, Ebbw Vale and District, 1958, including the petition, agreement, balance sheet, printing tenders, agenda, reports of sub-committees, instructions and standing rules for local committees, lists of adjudicators and of competitors, and files of correspondence.

Mynegai

Llangyndeirn

#### VEAL, BENSON & CO

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Veale, Benson & Co., Bristol, per The Bristol Archives Office.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Twenty deeds, 1776-99, relating to properties in the parish of Llangendeirn, co. Carmarthen.

#### 'OLD ABERYSTWYTHIANS'

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Emeritus Professor Mary Williams, M.A., D.U.P., London.

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Disgrifiad / Description

The first minute book of the London Society of 'Old Aberystwythians', 1898-1914 (NLW Minor Deposits 786A).

#### BERRIEW PAROCHIAL RECORDS

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Ffynhonnell / Source

The Ven Archdeacon William Williams, Berriew.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Berriew parish books containing assessments, vestry minutes, and accounts, 1757-1803 (St Asaph Parochial Records 39-40, 42, 52-3), 1809-30 (St Asaph Parochial Records 19); churchwardens' accounts, 1820-61 (St Asaph Parochial Records 51); particulars of weekly relief pay, weekly nurse pay, and monthly disbursements, 1828-70 (St Asaph Parochial Records 60-2), relief ordered, 1828-53 (St Asaph Parochial Records 60), occasional relief, 1831-5 (St Asaph Parochial Records 49), 1857-70, and disbursements, 1830-41 (St Asaph Parochial Records 45, 48); accounts of assistant overseers, 1826-48 (St Asaph Parochial Records 50); assessments, 1826-68 (St Asaph Parochial Records 30); minutes, a subscription list, etc., of the committee to obtain a new hearse, 1856 (St Asaph Parochial Records 26); and annual balance sheets, 1864-7 (St Asaph Parochial Records 47). Appointment of select vestries, 1825-68, and assistant overseers, 1826-67 (St Asaph Parochial Records 16); select vestry accounts, 1839-57 (St Asaph Parochial Records 15); maintenance accounts and quotas of the parish of Berriew with the Montgomery and Pool United District, 1822-64 (St Asaph Parochial Records 18-19); overseers' vouchers, 1826-78 (St Asaph Parochial Records 1-9); waywardens' accounts, 1875-9 (St Asaph Parochial Records 10); about eighty bastardy bonds, 1715-1825 (St Asaph Parochial Records 32); about 100 apprenticeship indentures, 1821-65; an apprenticeship register, 1825-30 (St Asaph Parochial Record 38); papers (correspondence, removal orders, etc.) relating to legal settlements and removals, ?1809-69 (St Asaph Parochial Records 12); returns relating to poor and church rate, 1819-31 (St Asaph Parochial Records 29); completed census forms, 1821 (St Asaph Parochial Records 28); a list of charities, c. 1830 (St Asaph Parochial Records 21); accounts of Christmas and Easter charities, 1848-70; letters, etc., relating to Humphrey Jones's charity (for apprenticing), 1856-7 (St Asaph Parochial Records 20); a return of daily and Sunday schools, 1833 (St Asaph Parochial Records 22); terriers of the vicarage and parish church of Berriew, 1791-1849, and

case and opinion relating thereto, 1856 (St Asaph Parochial Records 27); and churchwardens' vouchers, 1818-69 (St Asaph Parochial Records 11).

Printed papers (St Asaph Parochial Records 31), including Copy of . . . Bye-Laws, &c. respecting the Poor. . . , Welshpool, 1815, the Montgomery and Pool United District Act, 1825, and accounts of the treasurer for co. Montgomery, 1859-62.

Copies of three enclosure awards, 1805-7, made under an Act for enclosing waste grounds in the manors of Kedewen, Hopton, and Overgorther, co. Montgomery, and relating to lands in the parish of Berriew (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Cedewain

## PROBATE RECORDS

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The President of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice, with the approval of the Lord Chancellor, has recommended, under Section 3(6) of the Public Records Act, 1958, that registered copies and indexes of wills not required for permanent preservation in the District Probate Registries at Bangor, Carmarthen, and Llandaff be deposited in the National Library of Wales.

The following volumes were received during the year covered by this Report:

CARMARTHEN:- Forty-two volumes of registers of wills, 1858-1941, three registers of wills and administrations received, 1859-73, two registers of miscellaneous business, 1859-73, two docket books, 1859-73, four index books, 1858-1923, and three statistical registers, 1885-1902 and 1916-25 (STi David's Probate Records).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

## THE RECORDS OF THE CHURCH IN WALES

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The following items were added during the year:

### DIOCESE OF BANGOR

PARISH OF CARNO:- parish registers, 1638-1709 (with particulars of tithes of hay, 1630, of parishioners seated according to tenements, 1631, etc.), 1707-24 (NLW CPD 618).

PARISH OF NEFYN:- parish registers, 1694-1813 (baptisms, marriages and burials), 1754-1812 (marriages) (NLW CPD 275).

### DIOCESE OF MONMOUTH

PARISH OF ST. MELLONS:- parish registers, 1722-1812 (baptisms and burials to 1812, marriages to 1753), 1813-1900 (baptisms), 1900-58 (baptisms), 1813-1904 (burials), 1904-63 (burials), 1754-1812 (marriages), 1813-44 (marriages), and 1837-1961 (marriages) (NLW CPD 497).

### DIOCESE OF ST. DAVIDS

PARISH OF BOSHERSTON:- parish register, 1670-1783 (baptisms, marriages, and burials) (NLW CPD 533).

PARISH OF LLANILAR:- parish register, 1685-1784 (with gaps), 1778-1812 (draft?, baptisms and burials, with vestry minutes relating to militiamen, 1810, and memoranda and accounts relating to rents, tithes, household expenditure, etc., 1813-19) (NLW CPD 076-7); and churchwardens' accounts and vestry minutes, 1742-50 and 1788-1849 (St David's Parochial Records 1,3).

PARISH OF ST. TWYNNELLS:- parish registers, 1774-1812 (marriages), 1813-35 (marriages), and 1813-1922 (baptisms) (NLW CPD 600).

### DIOCESE OF SWANSEA AND BRECON

PARISH OF GLASBURY ON WYE:- parish registers, 1661-95 (baptisms, marriages, and burials, with an account of the mears between Glasbury, Aberllyfni, and Pipton), 1695-1717 (baptisms, marriages and burials), 1717-51 (baptisms, marriages and burials), 1752-1812 (baptisms and burials, with marriages for 1752-4), 1754-64 (banns, marriages by banns and licence), 1764-1821 (banns, marriages by banns and licence), 1813-38 (baptisms), 1813-37 (marriages), 1813-46 (with gaps, burials) (NLW CPD 127-8); and two account books, 17th-20th cent. (relating to charities) (Swansea and Brecon Parochial Records 1-2).

PARISH OF NEW RADNOR:- parish registers, 1644-1706, 1706-50, 1750-61, 1761-1800 (baptisms and burials), 1801-12, 1813-1918 (burials) (NLW CPD 345); a vestry book, 1832-62 (Swansea and Brecon Parochial Records 1); and a minute book of the Church Building Committee, 1842-7 (Swansea and Brecon Parochial Records 2).