

ADRODDIAD BLYNYDDOL / ANNUAL REPORT 1980-81

PAUL SANDBY

1981001

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mr Frank Aubrey Coombes, per Trant & Richards, Solicitors, Carmarthen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A pen and watercolour drawing of Edwinsford by Paul Sandby (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE432).

MAXWELL FRASER BEQUEST & TREFIN ARCHDDERWYDD CYMRU BEQUEST

1981002

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Maxwell Fraser (Mrs Edgar Phillips), Slough, Berkshire.

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Disgrifiad / Description

The manuscripts and papers of Maxwell Fraser (1902-80), authoress and travel writer, and of her husband, Edgar Phillips ('Trefin'; 1889-1962), together with an extensive collection of printed books, photographs, postcards, records and cassettes, postage stamps and first day covers. At the testator's request the archive is to be divided into two groups to be known as the 'Maxwell Fraser Bequest' and the 'Trefin Archdderwydd Cymru Bequest'.

The 'Maxwell Fraser Bequest' contains a substantial corpus of correspondence, diaries, drafts and typescripts of books and articles, broadcast scripts, material connected with the testator's researches on Lord and Lady Llanover, a very large number of theatre programmes, a small group of letters and papers relating to the testator's parents and to her uncle, Lovat Fraser (1871-1926), the prominent journalist and author of *India under Curzon* and after (1911).

The 'Trefin Archdderwydd Cymru Bequest' is a much smaller archive consisting of manuscripts, papers, letters, diaries, drafts and typescripts of poems, articles and other compositions including translations and broadcast scripts, and scrapbooks relating to the National Eisteddfod and the Gorsedd of Bards.

A more detailed description will appear in next year's Annual Report. The personal papers are not to be made available without the Librarian's permission.

F E LLEWELLYN JONES

1981003

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Reverend F E Llewellyn Jones, Hereford, per Dr M I Williams, Aberystwyth.

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About 500 letters relating to the testator, some personal and family letters, including twenty from him when he was at school ; letters and papers regarding his career in the church and his musical activities and interests; correspondence with various libraries and the P.R.O. dealing largely with genealogical enquiries; and papers relating to legal and monetary matters.

There are notes on a wide variety of topics, but most deal with theology, antiquities, local history and genealogy. There are also vocabularies, mainly Welsh, newspaper cuttings, pamphlets and programmes, some photographs, postcards and maps and about 80 books (Dept of Printed Books).

This bequest constitutes an addition to the notebooks and papers previously donated to the Library by Rev F. E. Llewellyn-Jones.

A collection of seven photographs, five reproductions, a framed watercolour, 'Sunset at Llangollen' by A. B. Donaldson, and three rolled wall maps (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE447-51).

WINIFRED THOMAS

1981004

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Miss Winifred Thomas, Carmarthen, per Mrs G Munday, Llanrhidian, Gower.

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Two paintings by Winifred Thomas, Welsh mining village, oils on canvas, and Evening Street, ink and watercolour (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE664-5).

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WALTER VINCENT THOMAS

1981005

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Owen Barfield, Dartford, Kent.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume containing holograph musical compositions by Walter Vincent Thomas (NLW MS 21685A). Included are songs to words by Coleridge, Christina Rossetti, Walter Scott, Shelley, Byron, etc., an organ offertory, and a prelude and fugue for organ. The compositions which are dated bear dates between 1889 and 1892. The volume is inscribed 'Walter Vincent Thomas, Bron Llwyn, Wrexham, N. Wales (commenced to inscribe these songs, etc., Octr. 21st 1890)'.

Holograph composition for piano and violin by Vincent Thomas entitled 'The Dance of Nimue' An incomplete copy of The Song of Dinadan, 1906, the words by Ernest Rhys and the music by Vincent Thomas.

D H BAYTON

1981006

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D H Bayton, Llanarth.

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A collection of about fifty works by Charlotte M. Yonge and eighty-eight volumes of The Monthly packet of evening readings from the library of Mrs. Pamela Mary Bayton, M.B., C.L.B., St. Bride's Netherwest (Dept of Printed Books).

E A BENJAMIN

1981007

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E A Benjamin, Penarth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Through Mr. Benjamin's kindness the Library has been allowed to make photocopies of the following: his typescript transcript of the Census Returns for Aberystwyth and district for 1841, 1851, 1861 and 1871 together with indexes to the returns compiled by Mr. Benjamin's brother and sister in law; his index to the gravestone inscriptions in St. Michael's Churchyard, Aberystwyth, based upon the borough engineer's survey of August 1972; his transcript of the Census Returns for Penarth, Cogan, Leckwith, Llandough and Lavernock for 1841, 1851, 1861 and 1871 ; his transcripts, for most of the nineteenth century, of the parish registers of Llandough, Leckwith, Penarth (St. Augustine's) and Old

Cogan (St. Peter's) ; his transcripts from gravestones for the latter two parishes and Lavernock (St. Lawrence's).

CLIVE BETTS

1981008

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Clive Betts, Western Mail & Echo Ltd., Cardiff

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Disgrifiad / Description

Copies of recent press releases, reports, etc., relating to Welsh affairs (Dept of Printed Books).

DR RACHEL BROMWICH

1981009

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Rachel Bromwich, M.A., Bethesda.

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Papers of 'Cylch yr Hengerdd', 1971-8, comprising reports, announcements, and synopses of papers read to the circle in Jesus College, Oxford (NLW MS 19045E).

DEREK CLAYTON

1981010

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Derek Clayton, Tonpentre, Rhondda.

Blwyddyn / Year

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An incomplete volume containing an account of the receipts and payments of a Friendly Society functioning 1895-7 (NLW MS 15585C). The name of the Society does not appear in the volume but the recipients of benefits were mainly from Ton and Pentre and also from Clydach, Ystrad, Cwmpark, Pontygwaith etc. The entries are in Welsh.

CLWB LLYFRAU CYMRAEG

1981011

Ffynhonnell / Source

Y Clwb Llyfrau Cymraeg, per Dr Gwenda Thompson, Mill Hill, London.

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Records of the Clwb Llyfrau Cymraeg (formerly Cymdeithas Llyfrau Cymraeg Llundain) established in 1953 and wound up in 1977, comprising two minute books and files containing leaflets, correspondence, balance sheets, etc.

WELSHPOOL GAS COMPANY

1981012

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W D Cooke, Solicitor, Welshpool, per Alderman G C E Jones, Welshpool.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume containing the Welshpool Gas Company Counterpart Deed of Settlement, dated 27 December 1853 (NLW MS 19042E).

SAMUEL GWILLY DAVIES

1981013

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs A E Davies, Llandoverly, per Mr D Byron Williams, The National Library of Wales.

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The papers of Samuel Gwilly Davies (1885-1979) including typescript copies of, 'Atgofion Rheolwr Banc' and 'Atgofion' published in Wedi Croesi'r Pedwar Ugain (Gwasg Gomer, 1967); a typescript of Dyffryn Troed-yr-aur (Gwasg Gomer, 1976); a manuscript volume containing biographical sketches of six Cardiganshire characters - Siors y Gwndwn, Dafi Roberts Blaencwm, Mari'r Lodge, Shams y Go, Deio'r Cipar, and Shôn y Bardd; sixty-one poems in manuscript bearing the title 'Cerddi'r Cyhudd 1920' [four of these poems were published in Criafol (Wrexham, 1928)]; a few other poems; notes and lectures on Ann Griffiths, Williams Pantycelyn, hymns and religion, folk songs, life and culture, the tithe disturbances, sleeping in the open air, and 'how I look on life'; news cuttings including some of Davies's articles in the Brython c. 1908-9, poems and adjudications, c. 1914-18, book reviews, and some items relating to the Llandoverly area; and two printed books viz. Dan Jenkins, Cerddi Ysgol Llan y-crwys (Llandysul, 1934), and R. F. Watkins, Y Gwir am y Degwm (Wrexham, 1933).

EDWARD DAVIES, BERRIEW

1981014

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E G P Davies, Meifod.

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Nineteen diaries of Edward Davies of Berriew, co. Montgomery, and later of Lower House farm, Little Ness, co. Salop, for 1883-9, 1891-2, 1898-1900, 1905, 1908, 1910, 1913-14, 1926 and 1933. All except the 1933 diary relate to the period when Edward Davies farmed consecutively the three farms of Penyffridd, Felindre and Cil in the parish of Berriew. There are also an account book, 1916-38, and a weekly report and diary book of a cultivation officer under the Montgomeryshire Agricultural Executive Committee containing copies of reports on farms, 1918-21, by Edward Davies, and also copies of two letters written by Edward Davies, one dated 1925, relating to the death at sea of his son, Herbert Davies.

HAFOD MISCELLANEA

1981015

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E J Davies, Haywards Heath, West Sussex.

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Items associated with Hafod :

Rules, orders, and regulations, of Hafod Friendly Society, established . . . 1798. Rheolau, trefniadau ac erthyglau, i'w cadw . . . gan Gymdeithas Gyfeillgar, dan yr enw Hafod Gyfeillgar Gymdeithas . . . Caerfyrddin: Argraphwyd gan I. Daniel, 1799. pp. 20. (Dept of Printed Books).

A Catalogue of Pictures, Busts, & c. at Hafod. Henderson - Hafod Press - 1807. pp. 4. (Dept of Printed Books). A bronze medal of Hafod Society. Obverse reads 'Hafod Friendly Society Established June 30, 1798'. Reverse reads 'Sobrwydd, Diwydrwydd a Brawdgarwch' around two hands clasped in a handshake (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE931-2). Four individual type letters from the Hafod Press. The printed works are of particular value as no previous examples are recorded.

MARGARET DAVIES & ALUN DAVIES

1981016

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Elwyn Davies, M.A., M.Sc., Ph.D., LL.D., Tenby.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Papers of the donor, his wife Dr. Margaret Davies, and his brother the late Professor Alun Davies, Department of History, University College, Swansea (NLW Misc Records 555).

Included are papers relating to The Historical Association (of whose Council Professor Davies was a member), 1969-77 ; copies of Welsh Council reports and surveys, 1971-3 ; a copy of a report to the Country-side Commission on 'The Distribution and Nature of Second Home Ownership and Use in England and Wales', 1971 ; a copy of the Report of a Working Party on the Future Use and Management of Publicly Owned Land (formerly Vaynol Estate Land) in Snowdonia' presented to the Welsh Office, 1969; a copy of a Civic Trust report on 'The Rhondda Valleys: Proposals for the Transformation of an Environment', 1965; copies of Discussion Papers 1-5 (1976) and a Consultative Document (1976) relating to the Pembrokeshire Coast National Park Plan; copies of a Statement and Report of Survey in respect of Dyfed County Structure Plan, 1977-8 ; copies of reports relating to the Dee Estuary Crossing, 1967; and a copy of the consultant's report to the Secretary of State for Wales on 'Deeside Planning Study', 1970; copy of a memorandum, 1977, by Sir Goronwy Daniel 'Devolution to Wales'.

GWEN DAVIES, TRE'R-DDOL

1981017

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Gwen Davies, Tre'r-ddôl, Dyfed.

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Ledger of Edward Evans, Leri Stores, Tal-y-bont, co. Cardigan, 1904-10 (NLW Ex 411). Three pamphlets relating to Machynlleth Agricultural Show, 1947, 1948 (torn) and 1949, three posters advertising Machynlleth races, 1946, and Machynlleth show, 1947 and 1949, and the annual report of Llangynfelin Church, 1979 (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE1048-54).

JAMES DAVIES, NOTTINGHAM

1981018

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr James Davies, Nottingham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Thirty six items, mainly Welsh literature (Dept of Printed Books).

D J WILLIAMS, FISHGUARD

1981019

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John Davies, Llanrhumney, Cardiff:

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Disgrifiad / Description

Through the kindness of Mr. Davies, the Library has been allowed to photocopy six letters, 1940-3, from D. J. Williams, Fishguard, to Mr. Davies's mother, Rev Mrs. Rosina Davies, a former mayoress of the town of Cardigan (NLW Facsimiles 304).

SIR J GORONWY EDWARDS

1981020

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lady Edwards, Barnes, London, per Mr J Beverley Smith, M.A., University College of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Thirty-nine notebooks compiled by the donor's late husband, Sir J. Goronwy Edwards (1891-1976), director of the Institute of Historical Research and Professor of History at the University of London. The notebooks date from his early academic career and contain lecture notes, undergraduate essays, extracts from original sources made whilst working on his M.A. thesis entitled 'The Edwardian Settlement of Wales; its Establishment and its Working, 1283-1307', University of Manchester, 1915, and extracts from the Plea Rolls of co. Flint, temp. Ed. I-II.

SIR O M EDWARDS

1981021

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lady Edwards, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Papers of Sir Owen Morgan Edwards (1858-1920) comprising diaries, a large group of correspondence, notes, and miscellaneous material, relating to all aspects of the career of one of the nation's great benefactors.

The work of preparing a preliminary list of this important archive is in progress.

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Working list available.

DAVID JONES

1981022

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Elwyn Evans, Merton Park, London.

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Seven letters and a postcard, 1953, from David Jones (1895-1974), artist and writer, to the donor; also a typescript copy of a letter from David Jones to Alun Oldfield-Davies, 1953, and two slides showing a Christmas card sent by David Jones to the donor in May 1962. The letters and postcard to the donor, principally concern the arrangements for broadcasting 'Wales and the Crown', a radio talk by David Jones on the occasion of the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II in 1953 (see David Jones (ed. Harman Grisewood), *Epoch and Artist* (London, 1959), pp. 39-48).

IFOR EVANS, UPTON, CHESTER

1981023

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Ifor Evans, Upton, Chester, per Mrs M James Evans, Colwyn Bay.

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An album presented to the late Mr. & Mrs. Tom Evans, the donor's parents, on their retirement from the Clwydian Caf , Rhyl, 1936, by the Rhyl and District Nonconformist Ministers' Fraternal whose meetings were held there, 1911-36 (NLW Ex 392). A complete list of members is appended, together with two photographs.

JOHN CADFAN EVANS

1981024

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John Cadfan Evans, Llangadfan, per Major E H C Davies, Llangadfan.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Daily Attendance Registers of Llangadfan National School, 1902-13, together with Class Teachers' Diaries, 1924-9; and a copy of the 1908 Almanac issued as a supplement to The Montgomeryshire Express and Radnor Times, 31 December 1907 (Dept of Printed Books).

ARCHBISHOP PROSSER

1981025

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend John Wyn Evans, B.A., B.D., Llanfallteg.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Three photograph albums, to be added to the manuscripts and papers of the late Archbishop D. L. Prosser, containing mainly photographs of churches, church functions and groups of clergy, 1928-44, and one original drawing of Abergwili Palace, 1865 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

JOHN VICTOR EVANS

1981026

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs K M Evans, Dulwich Village, London.

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Additional papers of the donor's husband, John Victor Evans, M.A. (1895-1957), including the following: a scrapbook of press cuttings, election addresses and photographs concerning the Merthyr Tydfil by-election of June 1934, in which J. Victor Evans stood as the Liberal candidate; miscellaneous press cuttings dealing with industrial, political and cultural events in the Aberdare and Pontypridd valleys, many items dealing with pit accidents and industrial inquiries, reflecting the career of Evans's father, Henry Howard Evans, as an engineer. Also, material concerning Victor Evans's career at Oxford and items relating to the Pontypridd branch of the Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion.

A small miscellaneous collection of printed books, including the Gregynog Press editions of the poems of Ceiriog and W. J. Gruffydd (Dept of Printed Books).

An album containing 13 photographs of the Oxford Union, two portraits of Henry Richard, a photograph of Aberystwyth Law Society, 1935, a certificate presented to J. Victor Evans by the Borough of Camberwell C.D.S., 1945, and an illuminated address presented to him by the Social and Occupational Clubs of the Aberdare Valley, 1939 (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE529-35).

ARTHUR H M HOPE

1981027

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr G L Fairs, M.A., F.R.Hist.S., Hay-on-Wye.

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A photocopy of a transcript, 1967, by Rev Arthur H. M. Hope, M.A. (?1879-), of letters, 1880-4, from his grandfather John Edwin Hope (1807-88) of Hay to his son Dr. James William Hope, Freemantle, Western Australia, who was the transcriber's father (NLW Facsimiles 303).

MRS FARRELL

1981028

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Farrell, Amlwch.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of about 350 volumes, mainly of twentieth century Welsh literature but including some works on philosophical, religious and political topics (Dept of Printed Books).

KYRLE FLETCHER

1981029

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mrs C A Kyrle Fletcher, London.

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Papers of the donor's late husband, Ifan Kyrle Fletcher, relating largely to his publications and his activities in the world of the theatre. Included are material relating to his volumes *Splendid occasions in English History, 1520-1947*, London, 1951, and *The British Court. Its Tradition and Ceremonial*, London, 1953; correspondence, 1953-6, relating to *Theatre Notebook* of which publication he had been manager and joint editor; miscellaneous material, 1955-69, dealing with the International Federation for Theatre Research; papers relating to the British Theatre Museum Association, from 1955, the International Conference on Theatre History held in London, July 1955, the Sarah Siddons and Henry Irving Exhibitions held at the Saville Theatre, London, 1955-6, and an exhibition held at the Café Royal, London; a volume containing press cuttings, 1920s-30s, of articles, letters, etc., written by Kyrle Fletcher relating mainly to the theatre in Wales; a further volume of press cuttings, 1930s-50s, of miscellaneous contributions by him, typescripts of talks given by him on the B.B.C., 1941-51.

WILLIAM EDWARDS ('WIL SGEIFIOG')

1981030

Ffynhonnell / Source

Ms Hazel A Formby, Ysgeifiog, Clwyd.

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Extracts from the Ysgeifiog Vestry Book, 1848, relating to William Edwards ('Wil Sgeifiog'; 1790-1855), two photographs of William Edwards's grave in Ysgeifiog churchyard, and a photograph of Mrs. Mally Owen, sister of William Edwards, taken in 1867 (NLW Misc Records 525).

JAMES HOWELL, A SURVAY OF THE SIGNORIE OF VENICE

1981031

Ffynhonnell / Source

Friends of the National Library of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A copy of James Howell, *A Survay of the Signorie of Venice* (London, 1651), in original calf binding, in which is written the only known verse which has a claim to be in the autograph of Henry Vaughan the poet (NLW MS 21699C). The six lines of verse are a translation into English of the hexastic of Sannazarius on the city of Venice, which together with another inferior translation into English is printed at the beginning of the book; they are written below the printed text above what looks like the signature of Henry Vaughan. Examples of Vaughan's hand are too few to allow certainty of identification. The verse is written by a different pen in different ink but probably the same hand. Vaughan's translation is not otherwise known. It is close in style to other translations by Henry Vaughan which reached print. The only marks of ownership in the book are 'E V' and 'Elishu' written on the fly-leaf in hands, or one hand, of the seventeenth or early eighteenth century.

MEMORANDA BOOK OF WILLIAM WILLIAM JONES

1981032

Ffynhonnell / Source

Ms Kathy Gilbert, Syracuse, Kansas, U.S.A.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Memoranda book of William William Jones originally of Gwyndy, Llanrug, co. Caernarfon, father of Mary Elizabeth Simpson (nêe Jones) and grandfather of the donor (NLW Ex 370). The volume contains notes of sermons heard, 1881, presumably at Llanrug; notes recording his departure from home for Liverpool, his sailing for America, his landing in 1881 and his arrival at his destination (not stated) ; and a few further notes, 1882-4 and 1890. The book is all in Welsh.

DR COLIN A GRESHAM

1981033

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Colin A Gresham, Cricieth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Through Dr. Gresham's kindness the Library was able to make a photocopy of his typescript work `An Analysis of Deeds relating to the Trefan Estate in Eifionydd and Nanmor, 1529-1763, selected from a Schedule of Dolfriog Deeds [in the] National Library of Wales' compiled in 1980 (NLW Facsimiles 290).

FLORENCE GRICE

1981034

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Florence Grice, Oldford, Welshpool, per Alderman G C E Jones, Welshpool.

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Five certificates, 1913-18, awarded to Bertie Grice for scholastic achievement in religious knowledge while a pupil at Welshpool C.E. Boys' School, and two certificates (1913 and 1915) awarded to Samuel Grice for good attendance at Welshpool C.E. Sunday School (NLW Misc Records 526).

MOSES GRIFFITH

1981035

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Ceridwen Griffith, B.A., Porthaethwy, per The Librarian.

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A further addition to the archive of the donor's late husband, Moses Griffith, which came to the Library in 1979 and 1980 (see Annual Report 1978-79, p. 45, and 1979-80, p. 50). It consists mainly of papers and statistics relating to Welsh Black cattle, pamphlets and lectures on agricultural matters, sales catalogues including that of the Vaenol estate, maps and photographs.

EDWARD GRIFFITH

1981036

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E H Griffith, A.R.C.A., Little Cornard, Suffolk.

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Two photographs of members of the family of the sculptor Edward Griffith (1841-1915 or 1916) of Chester and later of Liverpool (Dept of Pictures and Maps). The first, 1915, shows a group of four generations, while the second, 1925, is a photograph of Edward Griffith's son, Edward Owen Griffith (1868-1931), who was also an artist and sculptor, and father of the donor. Biographical details regarding the family are to be found in NLW MS 21233C.

HYMN

1981037

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Rhidian Griffiths, The National Library of Wales.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscript copy of a hymn: Awn ym mlaen dan ganu, 'Yr Arglwydd sy'n teyrnasu', with music by Haydn Morris and words by T. Thomas, Seven Sisters, Glam. (NLW MS 21602E)

R GERAINT GRUFFYDD

1981038

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R Geraint Gruffydd, B.A., D.Phil., The National Library of Wales.

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Copies of poems selected for Cerddi '73 (edited by the donor), Gwasg Gomer, Llandysul, 1973, and of a number of those rejected (NLW Misc Records 528-9). There are also forms and correspondence relating to this volume.

A poster advertising 'Unfed-ar-ddeg Eisteddfod y Plant, Llanerchymedd, . . . Nos Lun a Nos Fawrth y Pasg, 1924 . . . Llanerchymedd: Argraffwyd gan John Jones, Llyfrwerthydd, &c.' (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE934).

YR EISTEDDFOD GENEDLAETHOL

1981039

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Harri Gwyn, Llanrug.

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Additional papers of the National Eisteddfod of Wales relating to the 1955 event at Pwllheli, and consisting of: minutes of the Executive Committee, December 1953- November 1955; other papers and correspondence, 1953-6.

D T EVANS, CROES-LAN, LLANDYSUL

1981040

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Emlyn Harbud, Maesllyn, Llandysul, per Y Parchedig W Rhys Nicholas, B.A., B.D., Porthcawl.

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Two essays submitted by the late Mr. D. T. Evans, Cross Lane, Croes-lan, Llandysul in local eisteddfodau: 'Tai Dadfeiliedig Plwyfi Bangor, Llanfair, a Llandysul hyd ochr orllewinol Afon Cerdin' (1921) and 'Diffygion Amaethyddiaeth Sir Aberteifi' (1923) (NLW Misc Records 538-9).

R GUY HARLAND

1981041

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R Guy Harland, Colwall Green, Malvern, per Professor Ian Parrott, M.A., D.Mus. (Oxon.), F.T.C.L., A.R.C.O., University College of Wales.

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Letters, 1932-9, from Sir Henry Walford Davies (1869-1941) to the donor, dealing with the donor's musical compositions (NLW MS 19049D). Some of his works are included with the letters, together with suggested improvements and corrections by Sir Walford.

MRS SUNTER HARRISON

1981042

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Sunter Harrison, Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

114 pages of typescript notes with accompanying photographs relating to the parish and church of Erbistock and the township of Eyton, co. Denbigh.

Two maps of the Broughton Hall Estate, Worthenbury, one manuscript map of 1833 by Thomas Fenna, and one map of 1882 based on the 1st edition of the 6" Ordnance Survey maps (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE390-1).

Four photographs of drawings of Erbistock church, 1859 and 1860 (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE433-5).

A medal of the National Union of Conservative and Unionist Women's Association, and a colour photograph of Sir Richard Puleston of Emral (3rd baronet) (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE724-5).

EDWARD GEORGE HARTMANN

1981043

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Edward George Hartmann, Ph.D., Suffolk University, Boston, U.S.A., per Mr Douglas A Bassett, B.Sc., Ph.D., Director, National Museum of Wales.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript list of 'Welsh Settlements in the United States' compiled by the donor, 1981 (NLW Misc Records 559).

JUDITH HOAD

1981044

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Judith Hoad, Farmers, Llanwrda.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A group of scriptural and sermon notes bearing the names of Isaac Jenkins (1812-77) and Dr. T[homas] Jones, both Wesleyan Methodist ministers (NLW MS 19050B).

R D ROBERTS, LLWYNHENDY

1981045

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Eluned Hughes, Haverfordwest.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Some additional manuscripts of Rev R. D. Roberts, Llwynhendy (1820-93) comprising ten diaries, four letters, a draft Association Address (incomplete), and a few loose papers, which include a photograph of John Jones ('Yr Hen Gloddiwr') (see Annual Report 1954-55).

IEUAN AP GRIFFITH HUGHES

1981046

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Ieuan ap Griffith Hughes, Caernarfon.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A copy of the register of baptisms of the Calvinistic Methodist church, Edern, co. Caernarfon, 1811-1931; a register of children who joined the Temperance Society of the Calvinistic Methodist church, [St. John Street, Chester], 1920 (one leaf only); parish account book of Edern, 1895-1934; and a letter, 1809, from D[avid] Jones [Llan-gan] relating to a poor woman from Edern now living near him in co. Pembroke.

A collection of some 550 volumes in English and Welsh, mainly on religious topics, also a collection of periodicals of a similar nature, dating from the second half of the nineteenth century to 1940 (Dept of Printed Books).

A framed lithograph of 'Cenhadon Hedd. Trefnyddion Calфинаidd, 1861', lithographed by J. H. Lynch, printed by M. & N. Hanhart, and published by J. Edmunds, Bangor; also a frame with three reproductions of portraits of Thomas Carlyle, Robert Browning and Alfred Tennyson) (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE913-14).

MALDWYN HUGHES

1981047

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Maldwyn Hughes, Lampeter.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two ledgers relating to a drapery business founded in Lampeter in 1902 by the donor's father the late Mr. Rhys Hughes (NLW Ex 367-8). The first records retail sales, 1902-24, and the second goods bought from wholesalers, 1915-26.

G WYN JAMES

1981048

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr G Wyn James, B.Sc., Pontgarreg, Llandysul.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minute book of the Penbryn and Crannog Co-operative Society, co. Cardigan, 1902-4 (NLW Ex 405).

Papers relating to the centenary celebrations of the Primary School, Capel Cynon, Dyfed, 1978. (NLW Misc Records 542).

The tithe map of Brongwynn Parish, Ceredigion, 1847, together with the associated schedule (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE947).

GLENYS JAMES, MEXICO

1981049

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Glenys James, Mexico.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Copy of a survey (175 pp. and appendices) compiled by the donor and submitted in 1974 entitled 'The Welsh in Canada'. The purpose of the project was `to conduct an exploratory survey of Canadians of Welsh origin in the provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Saskatchewan and British Columbia'.

Not to be made available without the donor's consent.

FREDA JARMAN

1981050

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Freda Jarman, Llan-non, Ceredigion, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Diary (Dyddiadur Methodistiaidd) of David Jones, National School, Llan-non, for 1874 (NLW MS 21686A),- and a copy of the Sunlight Almanac for 1895 with press cuttings containing gardening notes pasted in (NLW Ex 375).

A miscellaneous collection consisting of about 150 volumes, mainly nineteenth century works, many on religious topics but including also school and college textbooks on a variety of subjects (Dept of Printed Books).

`Cruchley's New Map of London', 1852, and O.S. 1" map, 3rd edition, sheet 79, a brochure of Snowdonia and four photograph albums (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE635-41).

EUNICE JENKINS, LLWYNDAFYDD

1981051

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Eunice Jenkins, Llwyndafydd, Llandysul, Dyfed, per Mr J Keith Evans, B.A., A.L.A., The National Library of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Teacher's certificate awarded by the Education Department to David Herbert, master at Rhostie National School [co. Cardigan], 1870s, together with inspectors' reports on the said school, 1876-9, also a school time-table, 1878 (NLW Misc Records 560).

DEED OF ENDORSEMENT

1981052

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend D J Odwyn Jones, M.A., Aberaeron.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Draft of an endorsement, 1841, in respect of a lease of Cilgwyn chapel, parish of Llanybi, co. Cardigan (NLW Deeds 993). Trustees are named and the conditions of trusteeship laid down.

TABERNACLE WELSH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, CREWE

1981053

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E G Jones, Crewe, per The Reverend J D Williams Richards, Liverpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Material relating mainly to Tabernacle Welsh Congregational Church, Derrington Avenue, Crewe, including deeds, 1924 and 1953; minute book of the Management Committee, 1901-18; a bound copy of the church's Annual Reports, 1900-50, together with those of St. Paul's Street Welsh Calvinistic Methodist Church, Crewe, 1898-1900; and minutes, 1910-24 and 1934-9, of the Crewe and District Welsh Society.

EDGAR JONES, LLANDEILO

1981054

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mr Edgar Jones, Llandeilo.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript history of Penrheol Independent Church, Llandeilo, 1880-1980, by the donor (NLW Misc Records 530).

G C E JONES, WELSHPOOL

1981055

Ffynhonnell / Source

Alderman G C E Jones, Welshpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Papers reflecting the donor's work as a member of the former Montgomeryshire and the present Powys County Councils, a member, and one time mayor, of the former Welshpool Borough Council, and councillor of the present Welshpool Town Council, president and honorary secretary of the Welshpool and District branch of the British Legion, chairman of the Victorian Memorial Hospital League of Friends, and chairman of the managing body of Oldford Infants School, Welshpool, 1948-81. Also, a minute book of the Welshpool Borough Housing Committee, 1920-4, programmes relating to the annual eisteddfod of the Congregational Church at Forden, 1928, the carnival held at Welshpool in 1938 (of which the donor was joint secretary), and a register of the Girls' Sunday School at Berriew Street, Welshpool, 1906-8.

SCRAPBOOK OF KATIE JONES

1981056

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Glyn Jones, The National Library of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Scrapbook of Miss Katie Jones, cousin of Dr. Kate Roberts, principally containing newspaper cuttings relating to young men from Rhostryfan and Waunfawr and other districts in co. Caernarvon who served in the armed forces during the First World War (NLW Ex 412).

HOWARD C JONES

1981057

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Howard C Jones, Penarth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Typescripts of (1) notes on 'Origins of Street names in Aberystwyth', (2) an 'Index to Will O' Whispers Articles in Cambrian News, 1978-80', and (3) a 'Caerphilly Bibliography up to 1977', all compiled by the donor (NLW Misc Records 549).

IEUAN GWYNEDD JONES

1981058

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor Ieuan Gwynedd Jones, M.A., F.R.Hist.S., University College of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Twenty-one letters, 1906-10, written by William Evans in South Africa to his relatives at Godre'r-graig, Ystalyfera, Glamorgan, together with two letters describing the sea voyage from Southampton to Cape Town. Many of the letters relate to Evans's work as a miner in various mines throughout South Africa. There are also letters, 1910, including two from South Africa, concerning Evans's illness as a result of a bullet wound in his leg, and his death later that year ; together with a photograph of his grave at a cemetery in Klerksdorp, South Africa.

A small group of family papers, including letters and postcards, 1906-10, concerning the Evans family, Godre'r-graig, Ystalyfera.

A typescript volume containing papers presented to the Past and Present Conference on Literature and the Historians, 1967.

J ALUN JONES, LLANGRANNOG

1981059

Ffynhonnell / Source

Captain J Alun Jones, Llangrannog.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A history of the river Twrch, which formed the boundaries between cos. Brecknock and Carmarthen and between the former and co. Glamorgan, together with the contribution of the river and its tributaries to local industries, by the late David Noah Williams of Cwmtwrch. (NLW Facsimiles 299).

A photocopy of a cutting from the Pacific Tribune giving an account of the death of Rees Brongwyn Williams (1891-1978) of Ilwaco, Pacific County, Washington, together with notes on the history of his family who emigrated to America from the Cwmtudu area, co. Cardigan, during the second half of the nineteenth century (NLW Misc Records 564).

YR EISTEDDFOD GENEDLAETHOL

1981060

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr O T Jones, Parc, Y Bala, per Mr Robin Gwyndaf, M.A., Welsh Folk Museum, St. Fagan's.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minute book of the Gorsedd Committee of the National Eisteddfod of Wales, Bala, 1967 (NLW Ex 414).

MARTIN JONES

1981061

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Olwen Elizabeth Jones, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The papers of the donor's late husband, Professor Martin Jones, M.Sc., professor of Agricultural Botany at King's College, University of Durham, consisting of professional papers and correspondence, 1924-79, filed according to subject and personal names, and relating mainly to agricultural botany and connected institutions ; notebooks ; articles ; notes of field trials and experiments ; lecture notes ; transcripts of radio and television programmes and talks to various societies; printed pamphlets and periodicals ; newspaper cuttings.

A collection of maps, photographs and slides (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

ARMAND LE CALVEZ

1981062

Ffynhonnell / Source

M l'abbé Le Clerc, Buhulien, Brittany, per Per Denez.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Papers of the abbé Armand Le Calvez (Armans ar C'halvez; 1921-72), priest and educationalist given to the Library in 1975, transferred to the Department of Manuscripts from the Department of Printed Books in 1981.

The abbé Le Calvez was enthusiastic in his support for the more extensive use of the Breton language, especially in education, and it appears to have been this enthusiasm which led him to undertake a study of the place of the Welsh language in education in Wales. In 1969 he was awarded the degree of docteur ès-lettres by the university of Rennes for a thesis on this subject, subsequently published as *Un cas de bilinguisme le Pays de Galles: histoire, littérature, enseignement* (Lannion, Bretagne, [1970]). These papers contain notes by him on education in Wales, on Welsh literature and history and on the history and contemporary situation of the Welsh language, together with MS. drafts and a typescript of *Un cas de bilinguisme*.

The abbé Le Calvez also studied bilingualism in education elsewhere in Europe, and these papers contain material relating to Friesland, South Schleswig, Ireland, Austria and Yugoslavia, and to *Le Monde Bilingue* (a society for the advancement of bilingualism).

In 1957 the abbé Le Calvez opened a bilingual (Breton / French) unit at Skol Sant-Erwan, a private primary school at Plouêzec (Ploueg-ar-Mor). This pioneering venture is represented here by correspondence and other papers.

These papers also contain typescript Breton translations of liturgical texts, post Vatican II, and material relating to the campaign to extend the use of Breton in the church and to *Emglev Beleien Vreizh* (Association of Breton Priests) ; papers relating to *Strollad an Deskadurezh Eil Derez*, *Kevredigezh an Deskadurezh Nevez*, *Emgleo Breiz* (Breton cultural and educational organisations), the *Gorsedd of Brittany* and the *Celtic Congresses* in 1967-8. There is also a file of material relating to broadcasting in Breton.

LLANRHYSTUD DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

1981063

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs J C Lewis, Llanrhystud, per Mr B G Owens, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A small group of correspondence, press cuttings, circulars and legal agreements concerning the work of Llanrhystud Development Committee [*Pwyllgor Gwelliantau Pentre Llanrhystud*], 1946-53, of which the donor's late husband, Mr. Seiriol Lewis, was secretary. The papers concern the provision of the water and electricity supplies for the village, the development of a sewerage scheme and the maintenance of local highways. Included are two minute books of the committee, 1946-52.

SAUNDERS LEWIS

1981064

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Saunders Lewis, M.A., Penarth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Letters to the donor, Mr. Saunders Lewis, from Kate Roberts (71 letters, 1923-70, together with a photograph of her, 1948), David Jones, artist and writer (25 letters, 1961-74, together with a photograph of him taken towards the end of his life), Robert Williams Parry (11 letters, 1927-38, together with a letter from him to `Mr. Hughes', 1944), Edward Glyn Jones (11 letters, 1919-24, 1928), D. J. Williams, Abergwaun (5 letters, 1960-7), Prosser Rhys (3 letters, 1927-9), Lascelles Abercrombie (2 letters, undated), D. T. Davies (2 letters, 1927 and 1951), Griffith John Williams (2 letters, 1935), E. Tegla Davies (1948), John Barrett Davies (1933), Noelle Davies (1936), Dorothy Edwards [1931], Oliver Elton (1924), Paul E. Hook (1928), Catherine Huws (1933), R. T. Jenkins (undated), D. Llewelyn Jones (1927), J. Jones (1921), D. Morgan Lewis (1927), Thomas Parry (1951), J. W. Scott (1961), R. S. Thomas (1979), Bryn Williams (1965) and Elisabeth Williams, widow of Professor G. J. Williams (undated). Two of the letters from David Jones have been published by Mr. Lewis, in *Mabon* (English), vol. 1, no. 5 (Spring 1972), pp. 15-25, and again in *Agenda*, David Jones Special Issue, vol. 11, no. 4 - vol. 12, no. 1 (Autumn - Winter 1973-4), pp. 17-29.

There are also 25 illustrations by Alan Taylor for *The Flower Maiden : The Story of Blodeuedd* (sic) from the *Mabinogion*, adapted by Christine Gregory, together with typescript drafts of the text of this work (which does not yet appear to have been published).

Mr. Lewis has also added to the group of his mother's family papers (see Annual Report 1963-64, pp. 32-3) a letter from Henry Rees to William Roberts, Amlwch, 1842, and a copy of a letter from William Roberts to Henry Rees, 1863.

A colour printed inscription by David Jones, `Extensis manibus 'To be framed (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE884).

H J LLOYD-JOHNES

1981065

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major H J Lloyd Johnes, O.B.E., T.D., LL.D., F.S.A., Coates, Glos.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A series of fourteen scrap-albums containing press cuttings, theatre programmes (London and provincial), race-meeting programmes, etc., compiled by the donor's sister the late Miss M. Lloyd-Johnes, 1920s-40s; diaries of Miss Lloyd-Johnes for the years 1919, 1923-31, 1933-5, and 1939; and correspondence addressed to her, late 1920s-40s.

A further group of letters, minutes, reports and associated material relating to meetings of the Council of the National Museum of Wales and of the Welsh Folk Museum Committee, April 1980 - April 1981 ; correspondence, newspaper cuttings, financial and other papers, March 1979 - May 1981, relating to the Cirencester and Tewkesbury Conservative Association ; and miscellaneous circulars, pamphlets, journals, etc., reflecting the donor's involvement in and membership of local and national societies.

W R LLOYD JONES

1981066

Ffynhonnell / Source

Reverend W R Lloyd Jones, Llangwryfon, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two letters, one, 1876, from John Lloyd in Sydney, Australia, to his parents, David and Mary Lloyd, Pentre Llyn, Llanilar, containing an account of his life in Sydney, the other, [1886], from Mary Lloyd to her daughter, Ann Lloyd, mother of the donor, giving details of the great flood which carried away

the Trefechan bridge and caused havoc in the Aberystwyth area, with explanatory notes on the Lloyd family by the donor (NLW MS 21555C).

E MADOC JONES

1981067

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss E Madoc Jones, M.A., Old Colwyn.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Letters, 1890-1950, addressed to the donor's father the late Evan Madoc Jones and his wife including letters from G. B. Benfield, Swansea, E. Ernest Dodd, Pwllheli, John Evans, Liverpool, Samuel J. Evans, Llangefni, Edgar Jones, Barry, Gwyneth Jones, his daughter, H. Parry Jones, Llanrwst, John Jones, Valley, John Owen Jones, Caernarfon, Cyril H. Owen, Torquay, Estyn Owen, Prestatyn, J. A. Owen, Mynytho, (Mrs.) S. A. Owen, Colwyn Bay, L. Vaughan Parry, Birkenhead, R. Alun Rowlands, London, Henry Townsend, London, Percy Watkins, Board of Education, London, and Rhys Williams, Monmouth; also notes on some of the writers, on George M. Ll. Davies, on Professor G. H. Bryan, U.C.N.W., Bangor, and on a fire at Beaumaris Grammar School, 1910.

A typescript article entitled 'An Island Poet' containing an appreciation by the donor of the poems of Siriol Williams-Bulkeley contained in her volume *Island Songs and Sketches*, with four relevant photographs.

Photocopies of an oil painting of Snowdonia and a pencil sketch of Beaumaris Castle both by Christopher Williams, with notes by the donor relating to them.

BETTY MEARS

1981068

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Betty Mears, Rhos, Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Through the kindness of Mrs. Mears and her brother Mr. Arthur Smith the Library was able to make a photocopy of an essay in Welsh on the life and work of the Welsh poet I. D. Hooson (ob. 1948), submitted for competition at the National Eisteddfod, Rhyl, 1953, by the late Llewelyn Phillips, uncle of Mrs. Mears and Mr. Smith, and of a letter, 1955, from E. Morgan Humphreys to Llewelyn Phillips relating to the essay (NLW Facsimiles 293).

LANTERN SLIDES

1981069

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Gwyn I Meirion-Jones, B.Sc., M.Phil., Ph.D., Fleet, Hampshire.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A small collection of lantern slides taken, c. 1910, by the late H. R. Meirion Jones (d. 1959), the donor's grandfather (Dept of Pictures and Maps). H.R.Meirion Jones was one of the sons of John Jones (1842-1922) of Cynwyd and Manchester, the founder of the firm of J. Jones & Sons, Tailors and Outfitters, of Manchester. Both John Jones and H.R.Meirion Jones were deacons at Heywood Street Welsh C.M. Chapel, Cheetham, Manchester, and most of the slides are of persons connected with the chapel.

LLANFYLLIN CAS, COKE AND FITTING COMPANY

1981070

Ffynhonnell / Source

Midland Bank Ltd., per Mr Edwin Green, B.A., M.Phil., Archivist.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume containing, bound in, the following documents, 1859-60, relating to the Llanfyllin Gas, Coke and Fitting Company (Limited) - memorandum of association ; articles of association, followed by list of subscribers (33 pp.); and certificate of incorporation (NLW MS 19041E).

PEGGY MILLER

1981071

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Peggy Miller, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The 'Llangeitho MS.' containing transcripts of Welsh and English hymns (NLW MS 19044A). The authors named are Daniel Rowlands, Howel Davies and Dafydd Jenkins, Gwngod. The volume belonged to Daniel Jones in 1742 and was partly written by him. In 1929 it was deposited temporarily in the National Library for the purpose of making a photostat facsimile which is now NLW MS 5984B.

A notebook of David Evans, carpenter, Cefengarn, containing two elegies in Welsh, one to Ebenezer Richard (1781-1837), and accounts of wages (NLW MS 19043A). Two Welsh Bibles and three Latin textbooks published between 1727 and 1760 (Dept of Printed Books).

KENNETH MOON

1981072

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor Kenneth Moon, University of New England, Armidale, New South Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Photocopy of a manuscript written by Trances Purcell née Lepherd of Sydney (died 1935), containing reminiscences of the life of an immigrant Welsh family in New South Wales in the 1870s (NLW Facsimiles 309). According to Professor Moon [see Kenneth and Elaine Moon : The Trances Purcell Manuscript : A Welsh Childhood in New South Wales, 1870', N.L.W. Journal, Vol. XXII, No. 1 (1981), pp. 92-102] the account, although purporting to be fiction, is heavily autobiographical. The manuscript is held by the surviving children of the author.

DR PAUL MORGAN

1981073

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Paul Morgan, St. Cross College, Oxford.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A small group of 16 letters to a young lady named Ann Williams from relatives and friends, 1860-8 (mostly 1863-5) and undated (NLW Misc Records 550). Some of these letters are from relatives living at Little Mancott farm [p. Hawarden, co. Flint]. There are also two MS. poems, a receipt for highway rate, p. Mancott [co. Flint], 1843, and a number of designs on scraps of paper [?embroidery patterns].

LLANGADOG MISCELLANEA

1981074

Ffynhonnell / Source

The family of the late Mr W T Morgan, per Mr Gwyn Morgan, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A file of correspondence, printed programmes and reports, etc., relating particularly to the annual eisteddfod and chapels at Llangadog, co. Carmarthen (NLW Ex 403).

T E NICHOLAS

1981075

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mr Islwyn Nicholas, Aberystwyth, per Mrs Mary Nicholas, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Five scrapbooks containing press cuttings and correspondence, including two letters written by T. E. Nicholas, the donor's father, when in Swansea gaol in 1940. There are also letters from Roderic Bowen, Tom Driberg, Ness Edwards, Dai Dan Evans, Willie Gallagher, James Griffiths, Emrys Hughes, Gwilym R. Jones, Morgan Jones, Hugh Mac Diarmid, Sean O'Casey, Iorwerth Peate, Goronwy Roberts and Frances Stevenson. Part of the correspondence consists of letters congratulating T. E. Nicholas on the occasion of his 61st birthday in 1940 when he was in Brixton gaol. There are also letters of condolence to the donor on the death of his father in 1971, and letters relating to the various publications of the donor and his father especially *Thus Spake Prophets* (London, 1948), and *The Prison Sonnets of T. E. Nicholas translated from the Welsh* (London, 1948).

A few sermons, lectures and poems by T. E. Nicholas; photographs of T. E. Nicholas together with his family and friends ; photographs of the cremation of Dr. William Price of Llantrisant and other items relating to Dr. Price assembled by the donor in preparation for his biography entitled *A Welsh Heretic* (London, 1940).

Fifteen tape recordings of T. E. Nicholas in conversation, reading his poems, preaching, etc. Amongst the miscellaneous items is a minute book of the Aberystwyth branch of the Women's League, 1931-7; a visitors' book of New Street Meeting House, Aberystwyth, 1921-34; an indenture of apprenticeship of the donor with a manufacturer of 'artificial teeth', 1917; and an agreement by T. E. Nicholas and his wife to employ an assistant in their dentistry practice, 1930.

MARI NICHOLAS

1981076

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Mari Nicholas, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two typescripts of unpublished works by the donor's husband, the late Islwyn ap Nicholas, entitled *Poet Behind Bars* (1940) and *Unfurled Banners The Story of David Ivon Jones* (1978). The first work is an account of his and his father's arrest under Defence Regulation 18B, their imprisonment and subsequent release, in 1940, and the second is a biography of a Welshman who became one of the leaders of the South African Labour movement.

A 'spiritualist' pencil drawing of Dr. William Price, Llantrisant, by Frank Leah and a gouache of Llety, Crymych, birthplace of T. E. Nicholas (Niclas y Glais), 1879-1971, by David Emrys James (Dewi Emrys), 1942, both pictures framed (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE915-16).

THOMAS ESGER JAMES

1981077

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend W Rhys Nicholas, B.A., B.D., per Mr Richard E Huws, A.L.A., The National Library of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume containing a long essay on the stars entitled 'Blodau'r Nef' by Rev Thomas Esger James (1869-1941), Congregational minister at Maesteg and Cardigan, and a printed broadsheet containing an elegy by him on his mother (NLW Ex 415).

G NOAKES

1981078

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Venerable Archdeacon G Noakes, B.A., Llanfarian, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Archdeacon of Cardigan has kindly allowed the library to photocopy a lecture entitled 'Adgofion deugain mlynedd' delivered, probably in 1882, by a native of north Pembrokeshire who had been born around 1810 (NLW Facsimiles 300).

T M OLIVER

1981079

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mrs T M Oliver, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of forty five volumes, mostly twentieth century Welsh literary and religious works (Dept of Printed Books).

SIR THOMAS PARRY

1981080

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Thomas Parry, M.A., D.Litt., D.Litt.Celt., LL.D., F.B.A., Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Series of scripts on Welsh regions by the donor, prepared for radio lessons, 1935; correspondence and reviews relating to the Oxford Book of Welsh Verse, ed., Thomas Parry, 1962 ; R. Williams Parry's translation of Outward Bound by Sutton Vane (typescript) ; Joseph P. Clancy's translation of Blodeuwedd by Saunders Lewis (typescript) ; minutes of the management and executive committees of Cwmni Theatr Genedlaethol Cymru / Welsh National Theatre Company, 1969-71, and minutes of committees of the Court of Governors of Cwmni Theatr, National Theatre for Wales, 1970-1 ; manuscripts of Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Davies-Rees ('Awen Mona'), bequeathed to the donor in 1972, consisting of six fairy-tale stories in English.

DANIEL PROTHEROE

1981081

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Daniel Protheroe, Cwmtwrch Isaf, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Notes by the donor on houses in the vicinity of Bryn Seion chapel, Cwmtwrch, demolished as part of a road widening scheme, and on the former inhabitants (NLW Misc Records 390).

LEASE OF LAND AND HOUSE

1981082

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Arthur Pugh, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A lease, 1908, of land and a dwelling house in Taliesin, co. Cardigan (NLW Deeds 994).

STEVE RACE

1981083

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Steve Race, F.R.A.M., Great Missenden, Bucks.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A copy of the address delivered by the donor at the funeral of Mrs Dorothy May Phillips ('Maxwell Fraser'), M.A., T.R.G.S., at St. Lawrence's Church, Upton, Slough, 8 January 1981.

ABSTRACT PF TITLE

1981084

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D Gareth Raw-Rees, M.B.E., Llandre, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An abstract of title, 1883, to messuages and lands called Tyn-y-Parc and Bryngriffity, parish of Llanfihangel Genau'r-glyn, co. Cardigan (NLW Deeds 992).

SHIPS' CARGO BOOK ETC

1981085

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr and Mrs D Rees, St. Dogmael's.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An account book containing mainly lists of cargo and provisions bought for the sloop Britannia, 1831-41, and, amongst other things, the names of pupils at Monington school, 1847-8, another seafaring account book, c. 1859-60, and a manuscript volume of mathematical exercises for tradesmen, the cover being inscribed 'Levi Davies's Copy 1835' (NLW Ex 393-5).

H ARIANWEN REES

1981086

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss H Arianwen Rees, Broad Oak, Carmarthen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two account-books, 1952-9 (general) and 1954-9 (local) belonging to the firm of J. Rees & Sons, Steam Saw Mills, Broad Oak, Carmarthen. Earlier volumes, 1864-1906, were received from the donor in 1967 (NLW MSS 19705-6B, 19707-8D). The business was wound up in 1959.

Four photographs, one of John Rees, the founder of the company, his sons, William Rees, the donor's father, and Rhys Rees, and the others who worked there, c. 1900, another showing the workshops and two photographs of the workers at Broad Oak Farm (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Papers (chiefly programmes) relating to Welsh activities in Cardiff: Urdd Gobaith Cymru (The Welsh League of Youth), 1938-68, including Aelwyd yr Urdd, 1941-2; Ty'r Cymry, 1937-62, including financial accounts; the Cardiff Cymrodorion, 1942-70, and Welsh activity in general (Welsh and English plays, religious services, concerts, and 'eisteddfodau', etc., connected with Undeb Cymru Fydd (the New Wales Union), Ebeneser and Minny Street Congregational churches and Tabernacl Baptist church, the B.B.C., and the Welsh Drama Society of the University College).

MAPS AND POSTERS

1981087

Ffynhonnell / Source

C Richardson & Sons, The Old Bank, Regent Street, Llangollen.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of seven manuscript maps and posters, relating to Shorthill Colliery and farms near Wem and Pontesbury (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE268-77).

E HADDON ROBERTS

1981088

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E Haddon Roberts, O.B.E., M.A., M.Sc., Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A small collection of books and pamphlets mainly on secondary education in Wales (Dept of Printed Books).

EMILY ROBERTS

1981089

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sister Emily Roberts, Caernarfon.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of about fifty volumes in English and Welsh, including religious works, fiction and some miscellaneous publications (Dept of Printed Books).

GOMER M ROBERTS

1981090

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Gomer M Roberts, M.A., Llandybie.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A volume belonging in 1836 to Enoch Johnson of ? Llandygwidd, [co. Cardigan,] containing sermon notes and accounts (gathering stones, etc.), 1846-50 (NLW Ex 408), a ledger, 1894-1912, of Henry Herbert of Brynmarlais, Llandybie, co. Carmarthen, colliery proprietor and architect (NLW Ex 409); and a small collection of postcards (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Eleven photographs and postcards (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE1000-12), including portraits of 'Gwilym Myrddin' (William Jones, 1863-1946), Rev. T. Valentine Evans (1861-1935) and Cardigan town crier, and views of Cefn Ydfa and of haymaking. Also the official programme of the Jubilee of King George V, Cardiff, 1935, and the programme of the New Wales Exhibition at the National Eisteddfod of Wales, Llandybie, 1944.

J AUSTEN ROBERTS

1981091

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Austen Roberts, F.R.I.C.S., Welshpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two bonds between Montgomeryshire men, 1799 and 1824 (NLW Deeds 997-8).

JOHN E ROBERTS

1981092

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John E Roberts, Edern, Gwynedd.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume of manuscript sermons in Welsh ('Jno. Roberts's Book, Edern, August 11, 1809') with one or two hymn stanzas and a short vocabulary; and a manuscript theological treatise in Welsh on ['Hanfod Duw a Duwdod Crist'] by John Roberts, possibly the same person.

A manuscript music book bearing the name of Richard Jones, Mathan ganol, Bodfean, 1852, containing anthems, hymn-tunes, etc., some with words of temperance interest.

Manuscript sermons in Welsh (nearly all on loose sheets) of Rev John Hughes (1847-1936), Edern, father of Rev Dr. Griffith Hughes, Chester, with a few order papers. Reminiscences (in Welsh) of Rev David Williams [?1836-1920, later of Llanwnda] and the C.M. Church at Edeyrn at about the time he began to preach by Rev John Hughes.

SYDNETTA ROBERTS

Rhif

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Sydnetta Roberts, Seaforth, Liverpool

Blwyddyn / Year

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A bundle of letters and cards, 1885-98, from Sir Owen M. Edwards to Miss Jane Sydnetta Davies (afterwards Roberts) and Mr. Arthur Davies, the donor's mother and uncle, and to her grandfather, Mr. R. M. Davies, Ruabon; together with papers relating to Miss J. S. Davies's career as a teacher.

ANN SOTHERN

1981093

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Ann Sothern, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs.

Blwyddyn / Year

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The typescript of the donor's work 'Look Back with Love' being reminiscences of her childhood and early years in Wrexham, also photographs of her father and mother (NLW Misc Records 451).

R W STEEL

1981094

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor R W Steel, B.Sc., M.A., D.Sc., University College of Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Through the kind cooperation of Vice Chancellor Steel the Library was able to make a photocopy of a thesis on 'Social and Economic Change in the parish of Llanfrothen [co. Merioneth], 1851-1962', presented by his daughter Miss Alison M. Steel for Part II of the Geographical Tripos at Newnham College, Cambridge, 1963 (NLW Facsimiles 306).

CLARE TAYLOR

1981095

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Clare Taylor, M.A., Ph.D., University College of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A copy (typescript) of 'Wales and America: Documents relating to America from the National Library of Wales' listing the contents of twenty reels of microfilm of material relating to America in various archives in the National Library of Wales produced in the series 'British Records relating to America in microform' under the editorship of Professor W. E. Minchinton. Dr. Taylor has contributed a 37 page historical introduction.

PAULINE TAYLOR

1981096

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Miss Pauline Taylor, Llannarth, Aberaeron.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A notebook containing copies of the letters from T. E. Lawrence to H. S. Ede (the letter dated 25.ix.33 is on a loose sheet) which were published by the Golden Cockerel Press in 1942: Shaw-Ede. T. E. Lawrence to H. S. Ede, 1927-35, together with a smaller notebook containing a list of books by and about Lawrence (NLW Ex 369).

A collection of material (Dept of Pictures and Maps) relating to J. Kelt Edwards and the donor, comprising the following:

A watercolour of Rhaiadr Du, Maentwrog, by Kelt Edwards, signed and dated Sept. 1917.

Six humorous watercolour sketches by Kelt Edwards, mostly signed and dated 1917, relating to personal events.

A small sketch book of Kelt Edwards, containing 19 watercolour sketches (13 views and six humorous cartoons) and 11 pencil or ink sketches.

A metal plate engraved with a view of Cei Newydd, and eight pulls. The view is signed and dated 1916.

A pencil sketch of the donor [by Kelt Edwards], 1948.

Three letters from Kelt Edwards to the donor, Sept. 1917 - May 1918, dealing mainly with personal matters and events portrayed in the humorous sketches.

A number of copies of three war postcards designed by Kelt Edwards.

Copies of bookplates designed by Kelt Edwards : bookplates of the donor, T. Witton Davies, H. Hughes, Edward John of Plas Llanidan and Sir John Rhys. Also the original design for the donor's bookplate, signed and dated 1918.

Three photographs taken at the National Eisteddfod, Corwen, 1919: one showing the bardic chair [designed by Kelt Edwards], one showing Kelt Edwards and another man with the chair, and one showing Kelt Edwards in bardic robes with a group of people, including the donor (Dept of Pictures and Maps). Press cuttings relating to the National Eisteddfod, Corwen, 1919, mentioning the donor's success in the cello competition, with photographs of her. (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE704-23).

G E H THELWALL

1981097

Ffynhonnell / Source

Col G E H Thelwall, Bucklebury, Berks., per Professor D Ellis Evans, M.A., D.Phil., Jesus College, Oxford.

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Papers relating mainly to the Williams family of Treffos, Llanfaes, ancestors of the donor. Included are the following:

Family correspondence, 1745-1900, especially letters to and from Thomas Williams of Llanidan (1737-1801), Rev James Williams, chancellor of the diocese of Bangor (1790-1872), John Williams, barrister and receiver-general of North Wales (1784-1846), and Rev Thomas Norris Williams rector of Aber, co. Caernarfon (1809-81). The correspondence includes a brief description of a naval engagement with the French, 1779; a letter from an Anglesey prisoner of war in France, 1805; a letter from a Marseilles prison giving the names of Anglesey prisoners of war held there, 1806; a description of a tour in Norway, 1874; and a reference to a local tradition that the spirit of Sir John Wynn of Gwydir lies under Swallow Falls to be purified, 1875.

Copy correspondence, including a letter from Archbishop Ussher of Armagh, 1645; a letter describing an affray between Bishop John Warren of Bangor and his deputy registrar, [late 1790s]; and a letter (in Welsh) from George Sauerwein to Angharad Llwyd, 1855.

Miscellaneous deeds, documents and papers, including a rental of the King's rents in the commotes of Tindaethwy and Menai, co. Anglesey, 1656; a notebook containing arithmetical exercises and recipes, 1730; a plan of an intended railway from Penrhyn Mawr colliery to Red Wharf, 1812; the will of Edward Thomas of Ty'n Lon, in the parish of Llanddeusant, co. Anglesey, 1814 ; a poster advertizing the Anglesey races to be held at Llangefni, 1825; and pamphlets and squibs relating to the Anglesey county election of 1837 between William Owen Stanley of Penrhos and Owen John Augustus Fuller-Meyrick of Bodorgan.

A R B THOMAS, TIVERTON, DEVON

1981098

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr A R B Thomas, Tiverton, Devon.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript of a summary in English of the life of Gwilym Lleyl translated for and condensed by the donor, his great-grandson, from 'Cofiant Y Parch. William Rowlands' by Rev R. Morgan published in twelve parts in Yr Eurgrawn Wesleyaidd, 1868.

ELEAZAR MORRIS

1981099

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D J Thomas, Roath Park, Cardiff:

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Disgrifiad / Description

Five letters and two postcards addressed to Miss Rachel Walters and her brother, Mr. Tom Walters, of Brynaman, Carmarthenshire, 1914, 1924-8 and undated, from their uncle, Eleazar Morris, of Coronel Suárez, Argentina, and his son Tudor, 'Tui', who spent two years, 1925-7, studying at Spurgeon's College, London (NLW MS 21482D); together with photographs of members of Eleazar Morris's family.

FRANCIS THOMAS

1981100

Ffynhonnell / Source

Councillor Francis Thomas, Carno.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minute book of the Powys Eisteddfod held at Carno, 1967, containing minutes of the executive committee and of two public meetings, together with two volumes containing names of competitors (NLW Ex 371-3). A brief biographical sketch of John Thomas, Bronhaul, Carno (1866-1937), the donor's father, and a selection of his poetry (NLW Ex 374).

J OSBORNE THOMAS

1981101

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs J Osborne Thomas, B.A., Fishguard.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Six letters, 1831-69, mainly relating to Blaenywaun Baptist chapel, co. Pembroke, and addressed to members of the family of Llywellin of Tredefaid, parish of Llantood ; a group of Welsh and English sermons, 1871-7 and undated, of John Williams ('Marlaisydd', 1850-1929), afterwards a Baptist minister at Cardigan; a minute book of the general committee of Union of the Baptists of Wales at Cardigan, 1936; and notes on Baptist reorganisation after World War II.

S P THOMAS, TENBURY

1981102

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr S P Thomas, Tenbury.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A photocopy of 'Genealogy of the Blayney Family of Montgomeryshire and Castle Blayney (Ireland)', compiled by the donor (NLW Misc Records 531).

D M TRICKEY

1981103

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss D M Trickey, Aberystwyth, per Dr J D Owen, Curator, Ceredigion Museum.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Rental of the Nanteos and Tregaron estates, cos. Brecknock and Cardigan, for Michaelmas 1870.

SIMPSON'S GENTLEMAN'S ALMANACK, AND POCKET JOURNAL

1981104

Ffynhonnell / Source

University College of Wales, Hugh Owen Library, per Mr W W Dieneman, M.A., A.L.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Copy of Simpson's Gentleman's Almanack, and Pocket Journal, for 1824, with entries apparently made by a person living at Hitchin, co. Hertford, some suggesting that the writer was an attorney or a justice of the peace (NLW Ex 396).

Several miscellaneous collections of books, pamphlets and periodicals (Dept of Printed Books).

VISUAL ARTS DEPARTMENT, UNIVERSITY OF WALES, ABERYSTWYTH
1981105

Ffynhonnell / Source

Visual Arts Department, per Mr Alastair Crawford.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of illustrated books designed by students of the Visual Arts Department of the University College of Wales and printed at the press of the Department (Dept of Printed Books).

TREVOR VAUGHAN

1981106

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Trevor Vaughan, Newport, Gwent.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A file of papers relating to the Council for Wales and Monmouthshire, 1956-8, and more particularly to the resignation of Dr. Huw T. Edwards as chairman in 1958 and the appointment of Mr. Henry Brooke as his successor (NLW Misc Records 537). The donor served as a member of the Council from 1956 to 1958.

MRS ITHIEL VAUGHAN-POPPY

1981107

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Ithiel Vaughan-Poppy, Cefngorwydd, Powys.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript copy of the donor's work on 'Homes of the Vaughans of Carmarthenshire' (NLW Misc Records 557).

HUW WALTERS

1981108

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Huw Walters, B.Lib., Glanamau, Ammanford.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Cuttings, 1979-80, from the 'South Wales Guardian' of articles by [Rev] Brynmor Davies (NLW Misc Records 558).

Photocopy of a draft pedigree of the Davies family of Llansawel, co. Carmarthen, together with a copy of a letter to the donor from Rev Roger L. Brown, The Vicarage, Tongwynlais, Cardiff, containing information on the Davies family (NLW Facsimiles 310).

J J WILLIAMS

1981109

Ffynhonnell / Source

Reverend J G E Watkin, Treforys, Abertawe.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Papers and manuscripts of J. J. Williams (1869-1954), Congregational minister and bard, complementing another group of his manuscripts and papers, (see Annual Report 1954-55, p. 26) (NLW MS 19053E).

DAVID JONES, LLAN-GAN

1981110

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Folk Museum, St. Fagans, per Mr Arwyn Lloyd Hughes, M.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Photocopies of diaries of Rev David Jones, Llan-gan, Glamorgan, (1736-1810) for 1808 and 1810, and of other papers of his comprising a MS. prayer and volumes containing family notes and accounts (NLW Facsimiles 291).

DR JOHN WILKINSON

1981111

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Dr John Wilkinson, Knighton.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A further selection of about thirty volumes to be added to Dr. Wilkinson's earlier donation including works about Dante, three editions of the Commedia and works on church history (Dept of Printed Books).

D E WILLIAMS, SGETI

1981112

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend D E Williams, B.A., B.D., Sgeti, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Twelve hymn tunes by John Harris, a miner from Drefach, Llanelly, the words of eleven of them by the donor, and the words of the other by Rev R. M. Rhys, Drefach, papers relating to the St. David's Day children's concerts held at Esgairlas Chapel, Ffaldybrenin, 1927-32 (NLW Misc Records 561).

J GLYN DAVIES

1981113

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs E M Williams, Bangor, per Sir Thomas Parry, M.A., D.Litt., D.Litt.Celt., LL.D., F.B.A., Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Papers and correspondence of J. Glyn Davies (1870-1953), Professor of Celtic in the University of Liverpool, consisting of lectures by him including 'The survival and modification of spoken and written Welsh in Liverpool' ; verse in Welsh by him ; notes and transcripts ; correspondence (1918-38) from J. Glyn Davies to W. Garmon Jones, mainly relating to the affairs of the Department of Celtic at the University of Liverpool, and including copies of letters from J. Glyn Davies to John Sampson, Librarian of the University of Liverpool, and A. M. Carr-Saunders, Professor of Social Studies in the same university; and a copy of John Morris-Jones, Cerdd Dafod, Rhydychen, 1925, annotated by J. Glyn Davies (according to a note, at the beginning, the book came from the library of W. Garmon Jones).

TITHE ACCOUNT BOOKS

1981114

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Evan Williams, Lampeter.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two account books, 1924-35, of the tithes [of the parish of Llanwenog, co. Cardigan,] due to Col H. Davies-Evans and his successors (NLW MSS 15272-3C).

JAC L WILLIAMS

1981115

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Gwyneth Williams, Llanbadarn Fawr, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The papers of the donor's husband, Professor Jac L. Williams, B.A., B.Sc.Econ., Ph.D., (1918-77), Dean of the Faculty of Education, University College of Wales, Aberystwyth:

Essays, articles, etc., on education, especially bilingual education; drafts and carbon copies of contributions to the Press, including the 'Isambard' column in Barn; school and college notes and copious notes from academic books on education; literary compositions, in both prose and verse, and eisteddfod adjudications; scripts of radio and television programmes; and a copy of his thesis, 'A Sociological Study of Llanddewi-Aberarth', University of London, 1954.

Correspondence, 1939-77, including letters from Henry Brooke, Ednyfed Hudson Davies, Gwynfor Evans, Cledwyn Hughes, David Hughes-Parry, Joan Lestor, Saunders Lewis, Elystan Morgan, Thomas Parry, Goronwy Roberts, Kate Roberts, Wyn Roberts, Peter Thomas and D. J. Williams. Among the subjects discussed are: Plaid Cymru, teaching through the medium of Welsh, learning Welsh as a second language, bilingual road signs, television in Wales, various aspects of the state of the Welsh language, and matters relating to the University of Wales and the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth.

Papers concerning Undeb Cymru Fydd (the New Wales Union), 1943-69, especially papers emanating from the education and television committees; papers of the Welsh Committee of the Schools Council including reports on conferences discussing teaching through the medium of Welsh in secondary schools, 1970-3; minutes, correspondence, reports, etc., relating to the University of Wales, the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, and the Faculty of Education of the college.

Papers relating to Undeb Cenedlaethol Athrawon Cymru (National Association of the Teachers of Wales), 1944-72, including minutes of the Executive Committee; circulars and memoranda submitted by U.C.A.C. on subjects such as education and the reconstruction of education, 1944; and a survey of the use of the Welsh language in Caernarfonshire secondary schools, 1970-1.

Reports, including reports on Bilingualism in Education, 1960; Bilingualism in Welsh Schools, 1962; the Robbins Report on Higher Education, 1963; and a draft report by the Welsh Language Council on the Welsh Language and Nursery Education, 1974.

Small groups of papers relating to Plaid Cymru, the Celtic Congress, a course for interpreters in the law courts, the Cardiganshire Books Society, and visits to European countries, especially Russia.

DAVID WILLIAMS

1981116

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Hilarie M Williams, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Papers of the donor's husband Professor David Williams, A.M., M.A., D.Litt., (1900-78), Sir John Williams Professor of Welsh History at the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, 1945-67. The papers represent most aspects of Professor Williams's activity: his publications, reviews of books, lecturing, broadcasting ; his work for the University College of Wales, the University of Wales, the University of Wales Press, the Council of Wales. A preliminary list has been prepared.

These papers are to be made available only with the consent of the donor.

HUW WILLIAMS, BANGOR

1981117

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Huw Williams, Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Some forty letters addressed to the donor, 1960, 1970-78, some with articles or musical compositions enclosed. The majority relate to the publication *Cerddoriaeth Cymru* edited by Huw Williams, some relate to radio broadcasts, the publication of individual tunes and other matters of musical interest. Most are in Welsh and the correspondents include Cassie Davies, Islwyn Ffowc Elis, Elfed Owen, Nansi Richards, Kate Roberts, Sir Ben Bowen Thomas, and Kenneth A. Wright.

A small group of papers of Owen Morris Williams, cobbler and musician, of Morfa Nefyn (1870-1958) including some of his compositions (NLW MS 21695D).

Three letters from Frances Keen, London, to Mr. Williams concerning St. Winifred's Well, Holywell ; a letter from Rev Canon Walter Lloyd, Chirk, to Sir Thomas [Artemus Jones] (NLW MS 21482D); and a letter from the musician E. D. Williams, Bangor (NLW MS 21555C).

A black and white photograph of Thomas John Williams (1869-1944), author of 'Tôn y Botel' (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE929).

IRFON RHYS WILLIAMS

1981118

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Irfon Rhys Williams, Penrhyn-coch.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Several collections of pamphlets, periodicals and documents, consisting mainly of publications of governmental and intergovernmental agencies, dealing with medical, educational and agricultural matters in Africa, Asia, Sudan, Europe and the United States of America (Dept of Printed Books).

J CARADOG WILLIAMS

1981119

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Caradog Williams, Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An essay (typescript) by the donor on the history of Seilo Congregational Church, Llanfair Caereinion ('Trem ar Hanes Eglwys yr Annibynwyr, Seilo, Llanfair Caereinion, Powys') (NLW Misc Records 547).

M WILLIAMS, TAL-Y-SARN

1981120

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs M Williams, Tal-y-sarn, Gwynedd.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A miscellaneous collection of about seventy volumes and pamphlets, including religious works and school textbooks of Latin, French and English (Dept of Printed Books).

MARTHA GLADYS WILLIAMS

1981121

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Martha Gladys Williams, Sketty, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

The register of the Welsh Baptist churches at Caersalem Newydd, Tre-boeth, and Bethania, Clydach, c. 1839-71, a testimonial presented to Rev R. Davies (1824-1916) at Caersalem Newydd in 1870, notes by the donor regarding the provenance of the register and the descendants of Hophni Gibbon, and some loose papers relating to the afore-mentioned churches (NLW MS 19054E).

MARY WILLIAMS, TREGUNNOR

1981122

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Mary Williams, Tregunnor, Carmarthen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Miss Williams has kindly allowed the library to make a photocopy of a typescript of her reminiscences relating particularly to her duties as Home Mission worker at Hull, London, Bangor, etc. (NLW Facsimiles 289). Miss Williams retired in 1964.

NORMAN PRITCHARD WILLIAMS

1981123

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Norman Pritchard Williams, Aberystwyth, per Mr Arthur Pugh, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Sixty letters, 1962-79, mainly in Welsh, addressed to the donor from friends in Patagonia and other regions of Argentina.

R BRYN WILLIAMS

1981124

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend R Bryn Williams, M.A., Llanbadarn Fawr, Dyfed, per Miss Gwerfyl Pierce Jones, M.A., The Welsh Books Council.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Typescript and manuscript material submitted in competition at Cardiff National Eisteddfod, 1978, comprising reminiscences of life in the Welsh Colony in Patagonia by people who had lived there all their lives (NLW MS 19047D). This material was edited into book form by the donor, who was the adjudicator of the competition, as *Atgofion o Batagonia* (Llandysul, 1980).

W E WILLIAMS, RHYL

1981125

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W E Williams, Rhyl.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A printed annual report of Trafford Street Welsh C.M. chapel, Farnworth, 1903, lists of members and of their contributions, 1905 and undated and a MS. copy of an address by the donor on the history of the chapel (NLW Misc Records 551).

JOHN THOMAS (‘PENCERDD GWALIA’)

1981126

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs W S Gwynn Williams, Llangollen.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Orchestral parts of *The Bride of Neath Valley*, a cantata by John Thomas (‘Pencerdd Gwalia’; 1826-1913), composed for the National Eisteddfod at Chester, 1866. Also included is the first harp part of an arrangement by the author of Welsh dance music for two harps or harp and piano from the same cantata.

NORAH WOOD

1981127

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Norah Wood, Eastbourne, per Mr D L Baker-Jones, J.P., M.A., F.S.A., Felindre, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

An exercise book containing the reminiscences of the donor's mother-in-law, Mrs. Henry Wood (née Beatrice Jones Parry of Ty-llwyd, co. Cardigan) who was born in 1867 (NLW Ex 402).

PENIARTH

1981128

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Peniarth estate records which had been on deposit in the Library have been purchased. These comprise the Peniarth and Ynysmaengwyn deeds and documents deposited in the early days of the Library, the 2910 Peniarth deeds listed, rather inadequately, in two catalogues, the 667 Ynysmaengwyn deeds still unlisted the additional deposits made in the 1950s of 663 Peniarth and Penbedw deeds and papers and the papers of Mrs. Baker (591 items) (see Annual Report for 1955 and 1956), described in a schedule ; and three boxes of unnumbered correspondence. The purchase also includes thirty-eight manuscripts from the Peniarth library which had not previously been in the National Library. Seventeen of these are described by W. W. E. Wynne in his catalogue of the Peniarth manuscripts in *Archaeologia Cambrensis*, 3rd series, 59 (1869) and 4th series, 6 (1871). The seventeen are, giving J. Gwenogvryn Evans's numbers with W. W. E. Wynne's ‘Ancient Peniarth’ numbers in brackets: 249 (56), 448 (61), 450 (9), 451 (70), 454 (64), 459 (65), 460 (48), 462 (42), 467 (88), 487 (43), 488 (44), 489 (45), 490 (46), 491 (47), 492 (19), 493 (18), 495 (75). Of the other manuscripts, two are numbered 485 and 499 by J. Gwenogvryn Evans, the remainder have not been numbered. The manuscripts are mainly genealogical, largely of the nineteenth century, many of them the work of W. W. E. Wynne. A catalogue of them is in preparation. Two points should perhaps be made clear : first, that the Hengwrt-Peniarth manuscripts were all acquired for the Library by Sir John Williams and, second, that there remain some ‘Ancient Peniarth’ manuscripts which have not come to the Library.

Three 'Ancient Peniarth' manuscripts were bought separately in the saleroom : MSS. 234 (Anc. Pen. 6), part of 440 B (Anc. Pen. 63) and 483 (Anc. Pen. 49).

MEMORIAL COLLEGE, SWANSEA

1981129

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

The surviving archives of Memorial College, Swansea, spanning the period 1793-1973 (NLW Misc Records 546). They include revenue account books; records of receipts and expenditure, including details of subscriptions to the college and of students' collecting tours; minute book, 1838-67; lecture notes, including those of Edward Davies, Classical Tutor at the college ; manuscript sermons and literary works by leading Congregationalist ministers and college professors, including George Lewis, J. Ossian Davies, E. Herber Evans and J. Vernon Lewis ; correspondence, including letters addressed to Rev Professors Edward Davies, 1835-41, John Evans, mainly 1920s and 1930s, and D. Miall Edwards, 1900-40; registers of contributions and membership rolls of Soar Congregational Church, Swansea, 1876-1959; diaries, 1837-8 and most of the period 1895-1969; printed material; and miscellaneous other items. Papers of Colonel David Williams (1752-1819) of Henllys, parish of Cilycwm, co. Carmarthen, who gave evidence at the trial of Warren Hastings. The records of his service in India for over eighteen years until his retirement in 1785 include his commission to be a lieutenant of infantry, 1773, signed by Warren Hastings; three letter books, 1781-6, mainly of correspondence in the former year, particularly with Lieutenant Colonel Alex[ande]r Hannay; three tickets issued to David Williams for the trial of Warren Hastings; and nine letters, 1781-1805, mainly from fellow-officers. Among papers, 1798-1802, relating to Williams service in command of the Royal Carmarthen Fusiliers is a notebook containing copies of correspondence concerning his resignation. Also included are letters, 1798-1815, some from [Sir] W[illia]m Paxton ; satires, including one recording the 'Historical & Political Exploits of a D-rb-sh-re Squire' who canvassed Carmarthen in [17]66; a deed, 1784, relating to property in the parish of Llanfairarybryn; and correspondence, accounts, etc., 1826-44, of William Jones of Henllys, who was Williams's nephew. .

VAN LEAD MINE, LLANIDLOES

1981130

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A small group of plans and sections relating to the Van lead mine, Llanidloes, with correspondence, mainly letters to Captain W. H. Williams, agent to the Van Mine, and lists of setting, agent's reports and accounts, 1869-75.

BLACKSMITHS' ACCOUNT BOOKS

1981131

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Ten volumes containing accounts, 1861-1935, of members of the Griffiths family who were blacksmiths at Llansawel, co. Carmarthen, being mainly ledgers, 1876-1935, and day books, 1909-30. The greater part of the records are in the hand of William T[homas] Griffiths who was also a district councillor, and in addition to the entries relating to the family craft there are numerous items of social interest such as hearse accounts.

HEYTHROP COLLEGE, LONDON MS

1981132

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A manuscript volume (240 folios, erratically foliated), of cywyddau, awdlau and englynion, as well as a few free-metre poems, medicinal recipes and prose items, which formerly belonged to Heythrop College, London (NLW MS 21700D). The manuscript is written by several hands of the second quarter of the seventeenth century and appears to be connected with the Denbighshire parish of Llanefydd. The strict-metre poems contained in the manuscript include well-known medieval and renaissance poetry as well as some unique items of local poetry from the Vale of Clwyd, e.g. several poems by Huw Llifon, sexton of Llanefydd. Among the few prose items included are: f.3, a copy of 'Y Pedwar Brenin ar Hugain a Farnwyd yn Gadarnaf', and f. 162v, a list of the graduates at the 1567 Caerwys Eisteddfod. Numerous marginal notes throughout the volume record the ownership of the manuscript, e.g. Edward Wynne of Plas Ucha, Llanefydd, in the 1690s (f. 21); Peter Edwards [of ?Gyffylliog] in 1752 (f. 158); and Robert Thomas, sexton of Llanfair Talhaearn in 1771, who compiled an incomplete list of contents. The manuscript belonged to the Jesuit seminary of St. Beuno near St. Asaph before being transferred to Heythrop College near Chipping Norton and subsequently to London.

TEXT OF THE SUMMA DE VITIIS BY GULIELMUS PERALDUS

1981133

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A late thirteenth-century Latin manuscript containing a text of the Summa de vitiis, a treatise on the Seven Deadly Sins by Gulielmus Peraldus (c. 1200-c. 1271), a Dominican theologian (NLW MS 21680B). The text is followed by an index, notes on prayer in French and two sets of Latin prognostications. The manuscript is written in a small English bookhand. It contains 182 leaves. The catchwords and signatures indicate that ff. 83-94 (the gathering numbered v) should be bound between ff. 60v and 61r. The binding is original, of whittawed leather, sewn in five double bands. There are no clear indications of provenance earlier than the nineteenth-century printed label inside the cover, of John Mozley Stark, to King William Street, Strand.

COLLECTION OF DISTINCTIONES

1981134

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

An early 13th-century collection of distinctiones from the Mostyn library (NLW MS 21693B). The distinctiones are theological and scriptural and, to a small extent, merely grammatical. They are set out in the characteristically medieval schematic pattern. It is a type of compilation not previously represented in the Library. Quotations in the distinctiones are mostly from Scripture; there are also however some from the Fathers, from the Liturgy and, among the pagan writers, Boethius, Virgil, Ovid and Lucan. The compilation appears in part at least to be an original one. It is the work of one hand, an English one, well written and prettily decorated in red and green. It is of 26 leaves, 265 x 160 mm., bound in limp vellum. By 1744 it was in the Mostyn library. Sold in 1920, it then passed through the collections of J. P. R. Lyell and H. Bradfer-Lawrence.

TEXT OF THE OCLUS SACERDOTIS OF WILLIAM DE PAGULA

1981135

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

An early fifteenth-century manuscript containing a text of the Oculus sacerdotis of William de Pagula, vicar of Winkfield, near Windsor, written c. 1327 (NLW MS 21679B). The Oculus sacerdotis was the most widely used and influential pastoral manual of the later Middle Ages in the British Isles. Bound in eighteenth century sheep, gilt, now rebaked. At the end of the text on f. 139r is the signature of William Marchall, chaplain, of the 15th century. On the flyleaf is the armorial bookplate of Thomas Weld (d. 1810) of Lulworth Castle, Dorset.

MEDICAL TEXTS IN LATIN

1981136

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A small fourteenth-century manuscript from Italy containing medical texts in Latin, including the Antidotarium of Nicholas Salernitanus (NLW MS 21703B). The manuscript is of 37 leaves and is in limp vellum covers. It comes from the library of Coleg Coffa, Swansea.

A SURVEY OF THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF LLANDAFF

1981137

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A volume containing a complete set of page proofs of A Survey of the Cathedral Church of Llandaff (London, 1719), corrected (and in a few places altered) by the author, Browne Willis (NLW MS 19046B). According to a note on the title page these proofs were bound by the author's tenant at F[enny] Stratf[ord] and the considerable MS. additions indicate that the volume was then used by the author as a working copy.

JOURNAL OF A TOUR BY THOMAS LETTS & THOMAS BOYCE

1981138

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Journal of a tour in North Wales by Thomas Letts and his companion Thomas Boyce, end of August - beginning of September 1832 (NLW MS 21690B). There are 163 pages of text and 69 full-page illustrations in pencil, water-colour and wash, some original and some derivative.

DIARY OF MRS HENRI PALEND

1981139

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

The diary of Mrs. Henri Palend, 'Sally', daughter of a Dolgellau family [? Owen, Garthangharad] and wife of a Paris businessman born in Switzerland (NLW MS 21688A). Written partly in English and partly in French, it describes a honeymoon tour, 1839, from Paris to Italy returning through Switzerland and Germany, a journey to London and Manchester, 1839, and a visit to her family in Dolgellau, 1841. Of special interest are the references to Chopin and Georges Sand (pp. 7 -8), the journey on the newly-opened railway from London to Chester (p. 60) and the description of life in Dolgellau during the Summer of 1841.

JOURNAL OF A TOUR BY THOMAS LETTS

1981140

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Journal (132 pp. of text and illustrations) of a tour in the Lake District and Scotland by Thomas Letts, July - August 1847 (NLW MS 21691B).

ACCOUNT BOOK OF SLATES ETC

1981141

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An account book containing details of slates shipped from either Porth Dinorwig or Porth Penrhyn, co. Caernarfon, most probably the former, 1823- 8, with names of ships, prices of slates, etc. (NLW MS 19051D)

PRESS LETTER BOOK

1981142

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A press letter book belonging to the Clerk of Works of the Faenol estate, co. Caernarfon, 1909-17 (NLW MS 19052D).

LONDON MECHANICS INSTITUTION

1981143

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Two manuscript volumes containing summaries of various lectures delivered at the London Mechanics Institution [now Birkbeck College] between May 1834 and February 1835, and including a report of the meeting at which Dupin, president of the French Chamber of Deputies, was made an honorary member of the Institution, 19 June 1834 (NLW MSS 15274-5B).

POLICEMAN'S INFORMATION BOOK

1981144

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Information Book of P.C. Pugh, No. 249, stationed at Nant-y-glo, May 1, 1912 - Oct. 21, 1913, containing descriptions of thefts and persons wanted mainly in the counties of Glamorgan and Monmouth (NLW MS 15280A). On page 90v there is a list of car numbers belonging to Suffragettes.

INSPEXIMUS AND CONFIRMATION

1981145

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Inspeximus and confirmation, dated at Cardiff, 9 October 1338, by Hugh Le Despenser, son and heir of Hugh Le Despenser, and Alianore, his consort, to Neath Abbey, co. Glamorgan (NLW Deeds 999). This charter inspects: A charter of Richard de Granville, called the 'Foundation Charter of Neath Abbey', the text of which differs in some respects from the foundation charter (c. 1129) printed in Dugdale's Monasticon Anglicanum, Vol. V (p. 259); two other charters of Richard de Granville; and two charters [dated between 1147 and 1157] of William, Earl of Gloucester. The seal is wanting. This deed is recited by Richard, Earl of Warwick, in his Charter of Confirmation to Neath Abbey, dated 1468, transcribed in G. T. Clark's Cartae et Munimenta de Glamorgan, vol. V.

DEEDS RELATING TO DENBIGHSHIRE AND RADNORSHIRE

1981146

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Four deeds, 1322-1562, relating to properties in the parishes of Burton, Llai, Llanfair Dyffryn Clwyd, Llanelidan, co. Denbigh, and Presteigne and Norton, co. Radnor (NLW Deeds 1000-5), notification, 1540, of an admittance to a corn mill in the lordship of Bromfield and Yale, co. Denbigh; grant, dated at London, 11 April 1448, of rights of confraternity in the Hospital of Holy Trinity and St. Thomas the Martyr in Rome made by the Camerarii custos and proctor of the hospital to David ap Eynion ap David and Gwenllian verch Howell his wife. (Formerly Phillipps MSS. 30,310, 40,954, and unnumbered).

PEDIGREE AND ARMORIAL BEARINGS

1981147

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A nineteenth century pedigree and armorial bearings of the Hughes family of Adwy'r Clawdd, co. Denbigh.

SIGNATURES OF WELSH BISHOPS ETC

1981148

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A small group of papers, 1726-1912, containing letters and episcopal acts bearing the signatures of Welsh bishops, and a letter from E. B. P[usey] (NLW MS 19048E).

THOMAS PENNANT AND DAVID PENNANT

1981149

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Papers relating to Thomas Pennant (1726-98), traveller and naturalist, and David his son. There are three letters (in French) from [Philippe Picot, baron] de La Peyrouse at Toulouse to David Pennant, 1788-9. The first of these letters concerns the recipient's intended visit to Brittany and contains a list of minerals to be sought in the mines of that province. Subjects referred to in the other two letters include botanical and geological specimens for the recipient, books for the writer and the progress of the writer's *Flore des Pyrénées*. There is also a letter in Latin from Domenico Vandelli at Lisbon to [? Thomas] Pennant, 1787, concerning the geology of Portugal, with a list of species of fish and testacea.

THOMAS PENNANT

1981150

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

The miscellaneous notes, mainly in the hand of Thomas Pennant, concern north east Scotland (brief queries with replies in another hand), the dimensions of the Baltic, India, molluscs, shells and apodes, and the time allowed the couriers who attended the Russian embassy to China to go from Irkutsk to St. Petersburg (NLW MS 21692C).

SIR THOMAS PICTON

1981151

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Fourteen letters, 1802-15, written by Sir Thomas Picton (1758-1815), to Joseph Marryat, M.P. (? 1756-1824, Chairman of Lloyd's, colonial agent for the islands of Grenada and Trinidad and father of the novelist Captain Frederick Marryat) (NLW MS 21687E). The letters include references to the

affairs of Trinidad, a detailed account of the position during the British occupation of Flushing during the Napoleonic Wars in a letter dated 25 August 1809, and accounts of the action seen by Picton during the Peninsular War, notably at the battles of Badajos and Vittoria. [Parts of six of these letters have been published in H. B. Robinson's *Memoirs of Sir Thomas Picton* (1836)]. There is also a print depicting Picton's death at the Battle of Waterloo, and a letter from Francis Palgrave to [? Dawson Turner, his father-in-law], 9 May 1844. This group complements a similar group of letters of Sir Thomas Picton held by the Library (NLW MS 5416E), which have been published, in part, by Professor Edward Edwards in *West Wales Historical Records*, Vols. XII and XIII.

DAVID PRICE, ORIENTALIST

1981152

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A series of over forty autograph letters, 1807-20, from David Price, the orientalist, (1762-1835), [see D.W.B., p. 784], concerning the publication of his most famous work, the *Chronological retrospect . . . of Mahommedan history. . .* (London, 1811-21) (NLW MS 21681C). The letters are addressed to Mr. [J.] Booth, his London publisher, giving information about the progress of the work, including his decision to have it printed at Brecon.

SARAH PONSONBY & ELEANOR BUTLER

1981153

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A series of twelve letters, eleven in the hand of Sarah Ponsonby and one in the hand of Eleanor Butler ('the Ladies of Llangollen'), to Lady Puleston, 1809-31 and undated (NLW MS 21682C).

RICHARD ROBERT JONES ('DIC ABERDARON')

1981154

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Holograph notes by Richard Robert Jones ('Dic Aberdaron'; 1780-1843) relating to the loss of books, etc. (NLW MS 21634D); a watercolour portrait of Jones, 3.5 x 3 ins., and two etched portraits (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

RICHARD COBDEN

1981155

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A letter from Richard Cobden describing a visit to his father-in-law at Machynlleth in 1846 (NLW MS 21577D).

CHARLES E GRIFFITHS, ABERYSTWYTH

1981156

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Correspondence and other personal papers of the late Charles E. Griffiths, Aberystwyth, including letters from three generations of Labour politicians including Clement Attlee, Tony Benn, :Noel Buxton, Michael Foot, Hugh Gaitskell, Elystan Morgan, John Morris, Lord Moyle, Lord Shawcross, Lord Shinwell, Frank Soskice and George Thomas, all of a fairly formal nature.

`THE DUMB WORLD' BY WILLIAM HENRY DAVIES

1981157

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Holograph manuscript of the poem `The Dumb World' by William Henry Davies (1871-1940) (NLW MS 21629B).

JOHN COWPER POWYS

1981158

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Some fifty-six letters from John Cowper Powys, written from Corwen and Blaenau Ffestiniog between 1945 and 1961, to the poet Marjorie Tilden encouraging her to persevere with her writing, together with two volumes of her poetry *Songs and Sonnets* (1942), and *Star Crossed* (1947 and 1966) for which he contributed the foreword (NLW MS 21684C). In this group there are also two letters from Littleton Powys to Miss Tilden, and about sixteen from Lord Dunsany and Lady ? Dunsany discussing and praising her poems and a novel she had written about a mining community in South Wales. There are also copies of extracts from some of the letters presumably in the poet's own hand.

JOHN COWPER POWYS

1981159

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Eight letters, 1957-61, from John Cowper Powys from Blaenau Ffestiniog to Miss Marjorie L. Gay, Edinburgh, and two letters, 1960 and 1964, from Miss Phyllis Playter from Blaenau Ffestiniog to Miss Gay (NLW MS 21683C).

JOHN COWPER POWYS

1981160

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Three letters, 1939-40 and undated, one containing a pen and ink sketch of the author from John Cowper Powys, Corwen, to Louis Webb, then an air-gunner (NLW MS 21683C).

EVAN THOMAS GRIFFITHS

1981161

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts or typescripts of short stories and translations by Evan Thomas Griffiths (1886-1967) (NLW MS 21689C).

DYLAN THOMAS

1981162

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A hitherto unpublished and unused cache of papers of Dylan Thomas, some seventy loose sheets and two small notebooks, kept by Veronica Sibthorp from the period of her association with the poet, apparently during his stays in Cornwall in April - June 1936 and June - July 1937 (NLW MS 21698E). They include an eight line draft of Dylan Thomas's poem 'Your breath was shed' and a draft of an apparently unpublished poem 'For as long as forever is' (this line, but no more, turns up in the poem Twenty four years), the latter on the dorse of a typescript draft of William Empson's Ignorance of death. There are thirteen rhymes and limericks by Dylan and others in collaboration with Veronica Sibthorp or by her alone, most of them bawdy. There are two drafts of a page of prose headed 'A bad beginning', perhaps the opening of the projected 'Book about Wales' mentioned by Dylan in letters of 1936-7. Most of the sheets were preserved for the sake of their scribbled drawings, done by both parties, for mutual amusement, but including several sketches of Dylan and one of Veronica by John Armstrong, later her husband. There are two letters from Dylan to Veronica written after his marriage and one from Augustus John to Caitlin Macnamara probably shortly before her marriage to Dylan in July 1937. Veronica is said to have made the wedding dress.

WYSTAN HUGH AUDEN

1981163

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A series of five autograph letters, two typescript letters, and a typed poem, 1956-7, from Wystan [Hugh] Auden to Vernon Watkins, written from Forio d'Ischia near Naples and Oxford (NLW MS 21619E).

PADDY'S RUN WELSH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, SHANDON, OHIO

1981164

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Microfilm of the register / minute books of Paddy's Run Welsh Congregational Church, Shandon, Ohio, 1803-1900 (NLW Microfilms 401-2).

REGISTERS OF THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

1981165

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Microfilm (20 reels) of the registers of the Archbishops of Canterbury, 13th-17th cent. (Dept of Printed Books)

DAVID CHRISTOPHER DAVIES

1981166

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr. D. E. Bick, Newent, Glos.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Eighty-three letters, 1865-84, from David Christopher Davies (1827-85), geologist and mining engineer, of Oswestry, to William Whitwell (NLW Minor Deposits 1350A). They include, apart from family and general news, items relating to the writer's studies in geology and references to his publishing in the fields of geology, mining and quarrying. He was also a lay preacher and published a volume of sermons. The collection also includes three letters, 1871-87, from G. Christopher Davies, son of D. C. Davies, to William Whitwell, a list of dates, 1859-60, connected with the discovery of millstone grit fossils, and a pamphlet entitled Abstracts of the Proceedings of the Geological Society of London, 1875-6.

ALISON BIELSKI

1981167

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Alison Prosser Bielski, Tenby.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Additions to the deposited group of manuscripts and typescripts of Alison Bielski's published and unpublished work; her diaries or work journals, 1971-8, and a journal or diary of a visit to South Africa, 1974.

PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINTS BY ARTHUR BATTISCOMBE

1981168

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Judith Butler, Glasbury on Wye, per Dr Colin A Lewis, University College, Dublin.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A set of photographic prints, copies of photographs taken by Arthur Battiscombe during 1880-90 in the Glasbury, Portland Bill and Plymouth area (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE466). The photographs include scenes of social and topographical interest in Glasbury, Hay, Boughrood, Rhaeadr, and Abbey Cwmhir, and views of sailing vessels.

The photographs may not be reproduced until 1990.

BRONGWYN PARISH COUNCIL

1981169

Ffynhonnell / Source

Brongwyn Community Council, per Mr G Wyn James, B.Sc., Pontgarreg, Llandysul.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of Brongwyn Parish Council (NLW Minor Deposits 1362-3B), including a minute book, 1894-1974, receipt and payment book, 1950-74, and copies of financial statements, 1968-74.

WELSH CHURCH COMMISSION

1981170

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Church Commissioners, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A file of correspondence, 1858-84, touching the receivership of Brecon Collegiate Church; and annual rentals and accounts of the said Collegiate Church in respect of estates on beneficial leases and estates in possession, 1861-76, 1878-9.

ANGLO-WELSH REVIEW

1981171

Ffynhonnell / Source

Ms Gillian Clarke, Cyncoed, Cardiff

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Typescripts of material published in Anglo-Welsh Review, No. 66 (1980).

W V S CORBETT

1981172

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W V S Corbett, Felindre, Nr. Knighton.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Miscellaneous items including a marriage licence, 1844, granted to John Stuart Corbett of Llandaff, co. Glamorgan, and Elizabeth Evans of the parish of Llanmerewig, co. Montgomery ; an account, 1832, for legacy duty purposes, of the personal estate of James Evans of the Goitrey, parish of Kerry, co. Montgomery, clerk, ob. 1831 ; a commonplace book containing verse, agricultural, botanical, horticultural entries, etc. (the first page bears the inscription 'Common Place Book. August 28th 1813'); letters of ordination of James Evans of the parish of Beguildy, co. Radnor, as deacon, by the bishop of Hereford, 1782; licence from the bishop of Hereford to James Evans to perform the office of curate in Mainstone, co. Salop, 1822; and articles of agreement, 1802, concerning the sale of a messuage called the Gorther in the parishes of Beguildy and Bettws, cos. Radnor and Salop, and a corn mill called Gorther Mill.

A plan of the several estates in the parish of Begailey [i.e. Beguildy] and county of Radnor [Lower House Farm; Cwm yr Hob; Tansomalia; Bryntanhouse Wood; Backside Wood, and unidentified properties on the bank of Teme]. Scale [1 :4752] 6 chains to 1 inch. MS. estate plan on vellum; 51 x 62 cm.

ANEIRIN TALFAN DAVIES

1981173

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Geraint Talfan Davies, Cardiff:

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

An extensive group (21 boxes) of the papers of the late Aneurin Talfan Davies, O.B.E., M.A. (1909-80), the depositor's father.

Included are personal papers such as his diaries, 1956-80 (with gaps), sermons of his father Rev William Talfan Davies, Gorseinon (1873-1938), and material relating to the death of his elder son Owen in 1963 ; papers relating to his work with the B.B.C. until his retirement as Head of Programmes, Wales, in 1970; papers reflecting his literary activities as editor of *Barn*, author of *Crwydro Sir Gâr* and *Crwydro Bro Morgannwg 1 and 2*, and compiler of the column 'Ar Ymyl y Ddalen' in *Barn* and the monthly column in Welsh in the *Western Mail*; material relating to literary figures with whom he was acquainted, e.g. Dylan Thomas (radio scripts, articles on, and material for the volume *Dylan: Druid of the Broken Body*, London, 1964), David Jones (original letters from which were published in the volume *David Jones - Letters to a Friend*, Swansea, 1980, radio scripts, etc.), and T. Rowland Hughes (letters sent to, and biographical matter); correspondence, minutes of meetings, etc., in connection with *Llyfrau'r Dryw* / Christopher Davies (Publishers), Ltd., The Welsh Theatre Company, Yr Academi Gymreig, The Guild for the Promotion of Welsh Music, the Welsh Council of Churches, the Welsh Arts Council, and a number of bodies within the Anglican Church in Wales; correspondence from Philip H. Burton, Sir Idris Foster, Norah Isaac, Dafydd Jenkins, Margaret M. Jenkins (Pennant), D. Gwenallt Jones, Saunders Lewis, Archbishop John Morgan, Robert Williams Parry, Sir T. H. Parry-Williams, Iorwerth C. Peate, Kate Roberts, Archbishop Glyn Simon, D. J. Williams (Fishguard), and Archbishop G. O. Williams; several volumes of press cuttings; and miscellaneous material.

These papers may not be consulted without the depositor's consent.

Nodiadau

Preliminary list available.

I E DAVIES, CONWY

1981174

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr I E Davies, Conwy, per Mr Dennis J Roberts, Penmaenmawr.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A manuscript volume bearing the inscription on the first page-'The Cambrian Kalendar. E Powell, 'Hawarden', Colwyn Bay' (NLW Minor Deposits 1355A). The contents consist of commemorative notices relating to a person or event connected with Wales for each day of a calendar year.

L DERRICK JEHU

1981175

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr L Derrick Jehu, O.B.E., Rio de Janeiro.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Documents of genealogical interest relating to the Jehu family.

DUBLIN INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES

1981176

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies, per the late Professor David Greene, M.A.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of 22 MSS., dating from the 18th and 19th centuries, containing religious plays and sermons in the Breton language, and formerly belonging to the Breton scholar and litterateur, Roparz Hemon (1900-78). The collection had previously been in the possession of the Breton scholar, Emile Ernault of Saint-Brieuc (1852-1938), after whose death it was acquired by Father L. Le Floch, parish priest of Louannec, who gave it to Roparz Hemon. Half the MSS. (Nos. 1-11) were collected in the 19th century by the Breton poet, J. -M. Lejean, and were in the possession of Léon Bureau of Nantes in 1881, when they were listed and described in *Revue Celtique* V, pp. 327-8. No. 12 belonged in 1881 to the Finistère folklorist, Francois-Marie Luzel (1821-95) (See *Revue Celtique* V, p. 322). No. 15 was given to Roparz Hemon by Father A. Calvez of Lannion.

The Manuscripts are Nos. 1 Nabuchodonozor; 2 Nativité N[otre] Seigneur - Tragedien ar hiniveles ar ma[bic] Jesus en Brezonec; 3 Tragedien Sant Guillerem en Bresonec; 4 Le Dernier Jugement; 5 Vie de Sainte Anne; 6 La Passion; 7 Pasion hor salver; 8 La Rêssurrectzon de Jesus Christ. 9 La Création; 10 Vie de David; 11 Buhez Jenovefa a vrabant; 12 Sainte Geneviève. 13 Passion ha Marhue hon salver Jesus Christ. 14 Tragedie Santes Julite ha Santt Cire he mab; 15 David; 16 Ar voyen den em brocuri a da gonservi ar pêoc (sermon); 17 Bue ar Prins Huon a Vourdel; 18 Annonce d'une lère communion des enfants (sermon); 19 De l'aumône en breton (sermon); 20 Jesus a voa ho Chassêal eun Diaoul (sermon); 21 Saint Pierre et Saint Paul (sermon) ; 22 Passio Domini nostri Jesu Christi (sermon).

CARDIGANSHIRE EDUCATION AUTHORITY

1981177

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dyfed County Council, per Mr D G Williams, M.A., Area Education Officer, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Further additions to the Cardiganshire Education Authority Records: Clarach Church of England School stock and stores account book, 1936-7 ; Llandysul Intermediate School cash book, 1895-8 ; Cardiganshire maintenance grants book, 1936-7; Education Office receipts book, 1949-52.

Log books of Coedmor and Rhydcwmere schools in co. Carmarthen were temporarily deposited during the year but have since been transferred to the Dyfed Record Office, Carmarthen.

Nodiadau

Transferred to Ceredigion RO, Aberystwyth. Schedule Available.

CARDIGANSHIRE EDUCATION AUTHORITY

1981178

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dyfed County Council, per Mr D G Williams, M.A., Area Education Officer, Aberystwyth, per Mr G Wyn James, B.Sc., Pontgarreg, Llandysul.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Two log-books, one of Capel Cynon Council School, 1929-78, and the other of Pontgarreg Evening Continuation School, 1899-1924.

Nodiadau

Transferred to Ceredigion RO, Aberystwyth. Schedule Available.

VIVYAN ELLACOTT

1981179

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Vivyan Ellacott, Mumbles, Swansea, per Professor Brynley F Roberts, University College, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A transcript of Edward Williams's ('Iolo Morgannwg') Cyfrinach Beirdd Ynys Prydain, made by Thomas Evans ('Tomos Glyn Cothi'), 1764 - 1833, in Caerphilly, Glamorgan, in 1805 (NLW Minor Deposits 1367A). See NLW MS 4430 for another transcript of this work by Tomos Glyn Cothi.

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981180

Ffynhonnell / Source

The English Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, Aberystwyth Circuit, per Mr Lionel Madden, M.A., Ph.D., A.L.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Additional manuscripts and papers relating to English (Wesleyan) Methodism in Aberystwyth : Records of the Aberystwyth English circuit, namely, a register of baptisms, 1866-1964; and two minute books of the Quarterly Meetings, 1930-65.

Records of the Queen's Road English chapel, namely, minute books, of the Trustees' Meetings, 1919-48; the Class Leaders' meetings, 1887-1928; the Sunday School Council, 1920-8; and the Wesley Guild, 1926-39.

Records of the Penparcau English chapel: a minute book of the Trustees' Meetings, 1953-74; two minute books of the Leaders' Meetings, 1956-73 ; an account book, 1953-63 ; two Collection Journals, 1946-75 ; Sunday School Attendance Registers, 1958-9 ; and receipts, 1954-76.

LANKA CAMBRIAN SOCIETY, CEYLON

1981181

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Glyn Evans, M.A., Tregaron.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Papers of the Lanka Cambrian Society, Ceylon, comprising a history of the society, 1936-45, monthly circular letters outlining activities of the previous month, 1944-5, and reports on the society's St. David's Day celebrations and eisteddfod in 1945 (NLW Minor Deposits 1361B).

HENRY EVANS, MACHYNLLETH

1981182

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Henry Evans, LL.B., Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Records relating mainly to former local government bodies of the old county of Montgomery. Included are records of the Machynlleth Poor Law Union, the Machynlleth Rural District Council, and the Machynlleth and Estimaner (co. Merioneth) Petty Sessions, together with other miscellaneous volumes and papers. Covering the 19th-20th centuries, the records were accumulated by the depositor's predecessors in the course of their duties as clerks to the various authorities now represented. A handlist is preparation.

UNITARIAN CONGREGATION, NEW STREET, ABERYSTWYTH

1981183

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr M H Fitzpatrick, Bronant, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A supplementary collection of material relating to the Unitarian congregation at New Street, Aberystwyth (see Annual Report, 1978-9, p. 81) (NLW Minor Deposits 1356B). It includes a minute book, 1961-78, cash book, 1953-75, and financial records including statements, balance sheets, accounts, etc., 1932-78; also a copy, 1957, of the conveyance of the Meeting House, New Street.

CLEDWYN FYCHAN

1981184

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Cledwyn Fychan, A.L.A., Penbontrhydybeddau, Ceredigion.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

`Rhannu'r Wobr', a black and white 16 mm film made c. 1964 by Aelwyd yr Urdd, Aberystwyth (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE917).

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WERN

COUNCIL SCHOOL, LLANBRYNMAIR

1981185

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr & Mrs Herbert Hamer, Llanbryn-mair, per The Reverend R L Griffiths, M.A., B.D., Abercarn, Gwent.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Log book, 1912-37, of Wern, Llanbryn-mair, Council School and, from 30 September 1912, of the new Council School at Bont Dolgadfan, Llanbryn-mair (NLW Minor Deposits 1368A).

MRS SUNTER HARRISON

1981186

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Sunter Harrison, Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Thirty-five pages of typescript notes and references compiled by the depositor in the course of her researches into the history of the Puleston family ; and a copy of The Family of Colley of Churton Heath in the County of Chester with some Pedigrees of Related Families, compiled by T. H. Davies-Colley and edited by W. F. Irvine (1931).

CYMMRODORION

1981187

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion, per the late Mr J Haulfryn Williams, B.A., Honorary Secretary.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Casket containing the Grant of Arms and Crest with Supporters to the Society, 1953 (NLW Minor Deposits 1346A).

LORD HOOSON

1981188

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lord Hooson, Llanidloes.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

An additional group of the papers of Lord Hooson, (see Annual Report 1979-80), comprising: correspondence and papers relating to the General Election of 1970; papers relating to the Liberal Party's proposals for a Bill of Rights, c. 1969; miscellaneous speeches, press statements, newspaper cuttings, etc., 1960s-70s; parliamentary accounts, 1970-2; and correspondence on his elevation to the House of Lords, including letters of congratulation, 1979.

Nodiadau

Conditional access.

SCRAPBOOK COMPILED BY JOHN GRIFFITHS

1981189

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs D L Hughes, Ruthin.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A scrapbook containing press cuttings compiled by the donor's father, Rev Principal John Griffiths, M.A., B.D., Principal of the Baptist College, Cardiff, ob. 1947 (see Annual Report 1975-76, pp. 77- 8) (NLW Minor Deposits 1238B). Included are articles on Baptist churches and ministers and the Baptist College, Cardiff.

TAL-Y-BONT AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL SHOW

1981190

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Geraint Hughes, Tal-y-bont, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81
Disgrifiad / Description
Minute Book, 1960-76, of the Tal-y-bont Agricultural and Horticultural Show.

ROBERT GITTINS, Y FAELDREF, DOLANOG
1981191

Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Glyn Tegai Hughes, M.A., Ph.D., Gregynog.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81
Disgrifiad / Description
A supplementary group of the papers, correspondence and books of the late Mr. Robert Gittins, Y Faeldref, Dolanog [see Annual Report, 1976-77, p. 40], relating to his study of the hymns of Ann Griffiths, Dolwar Fach.

BORTH VILLAGE IMPROVEMENTS ASSOCIATION
1981192

Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr N D Humphreys, Borth, Dyfed.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81
Disgrifiad / Description
Papers of Borth Village Improvements Association (B.V.I.A.): minute books, 1955-81; correspondence, 1967-80 ; accounts, 1964-70 ; register, 1969-81 ; minute book of Borth Carnival Committee, 1950-65 ; correspondence of Borth Carnival and Improvements Committee, 1963-6.

BRYNCROES TITHE MAP & APPORTIONMENT
1981193

Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Alun Ifans, Trelettert, Fishguard.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81
Disgrifiad / Description
Part of the Bryncroes tithe map and the accompanying apportionment (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

DIARY OF WILLIAM RICHARD JONES
1981194

Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs D Jones, Rhaeadr, per Mr F W Allen, Llangurig.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81
Disgrifiad / Description
Diary, 1 January - 27 July 1855, of W[illiam] R[ichard] Jones (1837-c. 1912) of Pullan Cottage, [Llandinam, co. Montgomery, afterwards vicar of Hyssington] together with notes on the diarist by the late C. E. Vaughan Owen (NLW Minor Deposits 1366A)

MICHAEL D JONES, BALA
1981195

Ffynhonnell / Source
Councillor Dafydd Jones, Llanerfyl.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81
Disgrifiad / Description

A letter from Michael D. Jones, Bala, to Thomas Davies, Ty-mawr, Pennant-lliw, Llanuwchllyn, 1879 (NLW Minor Deposits 1349A).

DR EMYR WYN JONES

1981196

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Emyr Wyn Jones, O.B.E., M.D., F.R.C.P., D.P.H., Manchester.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript work by the depositor entitled 'The Lost Interlude' being a study of a Welsh interlude Barn ar Egwyddorion y Llywodraeth mewn Ymddiddan rhwng Pendefig a Hwsmon [1785] published in connection with the prosecution, 1783-4, of William Davies Shipley, dean of St. Asaph, for alleged seditious libel.

Not to be made available without the depositor's consent.

IEUAN GWYNEDD JONES

1981197

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor Ieuan Gwynedd Jones, M.A., F.R.Hist.S., University College of Wales.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Microfilm copies of the returns made in North and South Wales to the Religious Census of 1851, the originals of which are preserved in the Public Record Office (PRO HO 129/26/576 - 129/29/623) (NLW Microfilms 394-400). The returns have recently been published in two volumes by the depositor.

'CYMDEITHAS Y CHWIORYDD', SALEM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, LLANDEILO

1981198

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss M E Jones, Llandeilo, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Minute Book, 1974-80, of the Women's Guild or Sisterhood ('Cymdeithas y Chwiorydd') of Salem Presbyterian Church, Llandeilo (NLW Minor Deposits 1345A).

GILBERT CUNNINGHAM JOYCE

1981199

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Marjorie A Jones, Tenby.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Official documents, 1892 - 1927, dealing with the clerical career of Gilbert Cunningham Joyce, afterwards bishop of Monmouth (NLW Misc Records 527).

A C LEWIS, PRESTWOOD, GREAT MISSENDEN

1981200

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs A C Lewis, Prestwood, Great Missenden.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

An account of tithes due to the vicar of the parish of Christ Church, co. Monmouth, 1806-17, and a copy of proposals put forward at a meeting of the landholders of the parish regarding arrangements with the vicar relating to the tithes, 1826 (NLW Misc Records 533-4).

Two photographs [c. 1880] of Christchurch Parish Church, Gwent, interior and exterior views, together with recent photographic copies (Dept of Pictures and Maps PE526-7).

LLANDYSSIL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

1981201

Ffynhonnell / Source

Llandyssil Community Council, per Mr D Evans, Chairman, Welshpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of the former Llandyssil Parish Council: files of correspondence and associated papers relating to telegraph, telephone, and postal facilities at Llandyssil and Abermule, 1921-63 ; street lighting, 1900-71; water supply and Montgomery Spitfire Fund, 1923-42; footpaths, 1925-68; Dingle Road, Abermule, 1945-56; closure of railway services and new bus services, 1961-7; sewerage scheme, 1968-73; roads and dangerous corners, 1925-73; rights of way, 1925-56; electricity supply, 1936-47; Bus shelters, 1940-62 ; refuse tip and litter bins, 1933- 67 ; War Memorial, 1930-54; village pump and well 1937-55 ; housing sites and housing general correspondence, 1937-58; Coronation celebrations, 1953 ; Coronation trees, 1930-63 ; celebrations in Investiture year, 1969 ; Newtown National Eisteddfod Appeal Fund, 1965 ; Local Government Reorganisation, 1961-7; Local Government Boundary Commission, review of communities, 1975-7; and Powys County Council Structure Plan, 1975-8.

Receipts and payments book, 1944-74 ; vouchers, bank pass books, and precept books, 1936-74 ; financial statements, 1942-64, and charity accounts, 1955-73.

O.S. map, 6 inches to 1 mile, 1903, showing rights of way.

LONDON SOCIETY OF OLD ABERYSTWYTHIANS

1981202

Ffynhonnell / Source

London Society of Old Aberystwythians, per Mrs M Teifi T Beynon (Secretary), per Mr Colin Fletcher, Waunfawr, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Three minute books, 1936-68, of the London Society of Old Aberystwythians (NLW Minor Deposits 1357-9A). The minute book for 1898-1912 was deposited in the Library in 1962.

LONGUEVILLE

1981203

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Longueville & Co., Oswestry.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A further large deposit from this office will be described in next year's Annual Report.

C A LYONS

1981204

Ffynhonnell / Source

Captain C A Lyons, Skenfrith, Abergavenny.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81
Disgrifiad / Description

A small group of deeds, documents and research material relating to the home of the depositor, including: thirty two deeds and documents, wills and insurance policies, 1721-91 and 1862-1922, concerning the property then known as 'The New Inn', Skenfrith, co. Monmouth [subsequently known as 'Sarn', the home of the depositor] ; a list of the owners of 'Sarn', 1918-81 ; and plans and a map. Also, notes on the history of Skenfrith, together with a typescript essay by the depositor on 'The village of Skenfrith and its ancient buildings'.

MONTGOMERY DISTRICT COUNCIL

1981205

Ffynhonnell / Source

Montgomery District Council, per Mr I Wyn Williams, Chief Executive, Welshpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Minute books and some other volumes relating to former local government authorities of the old county of Montgomery :

Transferred to Powys RO (Llandrindod) 2005

Newtown and Llanidloes District Highway Board.

Minute book, 1880-90.

Newtown and Llanidloes Rural District Council.

Minute books, 1895-1955. (17 volumes). Not continuous.

Newtown and Llanllwchaearn Local Board.

Minute books, 1866-94. (9 volumes). A continuous run.

Newtown and Llanllwchaearn Burial Board.

Minute book, 1870-80.

Newtown and Llanllwchaearn Urban District Council.

Minute books, 1894-1959. (31 volumes). Not continuous. The first volume, 1894-7, includes Local Board minutes up to January 1895, and thereafter, the minutes of the first and subsequent meetings of the newly established Urban District Council.

Various committees minute books, 1915-55. (14 volumes). Not continuous.

Newtown Free Library committee minute books, 1903-66. (5 volumes). A continuous run.

Council letter books, 1916-19; 1924-5; 1925-7.

Llanfyllin District Highway Board.

Minute books, 1874-9; 1879-85; 1892-5.

Llanfyllin Burial Board.

Minute book, 1875-1919.

Llanfyllin Union Rural Sanitary Authority.

Minute book, 1882-91.

Llanfyllin Rural District Council.

Minute books, 1891-8, 1898-1903 and 1931-66 (11 volumes). The period 1931-66 is represented by a continuous run of minutes. The volume covering 1891-8 includes minutes of the Llanfyllin Union Rural Sanitary Authority up to January 1895, and thereafter, the minutes of the newly established Rural District Council.

Housing Committee minute books, 1946-51, 1952-8.

Health / Sanitary and General Purposes Committee minute books, 1946-52, 1952-8.

Finance Committee minute book, 1946-54.

Llanfyllin Borough / Town Council.
Minute books, 1885-1957. (11 volumes). A continuous run.

Llanfyllin Town Council, acting as the Urban District Council for the Borough of Llanfyllin.
Minute books, 1900-38. (5 volumes). A continuous run.

Machynlleth Rural District Council.
Minute books, 1913-50. (10 volumes). A continuous run.

Welshpool Borough Council.
Minute books, 1835-1957. (10 volumes). A continuous run.

Llanidloes Borough Council.
Account book, 1914-35.
A group of local government records (19 -20c.) from Plas Machynlleth relating in the main to the former Machynlleth Urban District Council, but also including records of the old Machynlleth Rural District Council. It comprises of minute books, bye-laws, officers' report books, registers, ledgers, account books, valuation lists, rate books, files of correspondence, and other papers.

M MORGAN, LLANGADOG

1981206

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs M Morgan, Llangadog.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Eight deeds, 1867-1930, relating to properties in the parishes of Llandilofawr, Llanfairarybryn and Llangadock, co. Carmarthen, together with a sale catalogue of Cynghordy mansion, etc., 1883, and accounts and correspondence, 1894-1913.

A T MORGAN JONES

1981207

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr A T Morgan Jones, Seaford, East Sussex.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A draft by the depositor of a pedigree of his family in the Cothi valley and surrounding areas, co Carmarthen (NLW Misc Records 563).

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RENDEL

1981208

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Rosemary Rendel, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A group of correspondence and papers of the depositor's father, Sir George William Rendel (1889-1979), diplomat and public servant (see International Who's Who, 1978-79. Who's Who, 1978). Among the subjects covered are: the Tripartite Commission on German Debts, 1951-3, the Commission on Constitutional Development in Singapore (of which Sir George was Chairman), 1954-60, the Saar Referendum Commission, 1953-60, the Anglo-Italian Settlement, 1938, the Austrian Treaty Commission, 1947, the Anglo-Egyptian Financial Agreement, 1959 (and other matters relating

to Egypt, 1962-71), Bulgarian Embassy affairs, 1938-43, Yugoslavian Embassy affairs, 1943, 1971-9, Belgian Embassy affairs, 1948-54, Middle Eastern affairs (including visits to Saudi Arabia in 1937 and 1964), the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, 1942-51, and British Immigration Policy, 1958. Among the numerous correspondents are: Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery of Alamein, Sir Anthony Eden, Lord Perth, R. A. Butler and Ernest Bevin.

These papers are to be made available only by permission of the depositor (during her lifetime), subject to closure for 30 years (as for Public Records) and during the lifetime of correspondents.

Nodiadau

Conditional access.

LIVERPOOL AND DISTRICT WELSH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES

1981209

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend J D Williams Richards, Liverpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Material relating mainly to Liverpool and district Welsh Congregational churches, including five minute books, 1895-1957, of Tabernacle Congregational Church, Belmont Road, Liverpool; letters and papers, 1870-1949, mostly relating to the Welsh Congregational churches at Golborne and Widnes; copies of the Merseyside Welsh Congregational Churches monthly magazine, Y Gadwyn 1980; programme of Service of Dedication and Consecration of a new inter-denominational church at Baglan Bay, Port Talbot, 1973; a collection of photographs, mainly of prominent Nonconformist ministers of the last century including Christmas Evans, John Elias, and William Williams, 'Y Wern' ; and two Ordnance Survey maps of the parishes of Amlwch, Coedana and Llandyfydog.

EMILY ROBERTS

1981210

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sister Emily Roberts, Caernarfon.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Papers of Sister Emily Roberts (1919-), successively a school teacher at Carrog, Gwyddelwern, and Derwen School, Corwen, Circulation Officer (Wales) for Y Cylchgrawn Efengylaidd, and Home Missionary with care of Noddfa Calvinistic Methodist Church, Cilbeblig, Caernarfon. The papers include personal correspondence, 1938-76; diaries and scrap-books, 1938-76; school notes; notes of sermons heard, 1937-74; and family papers, 1859-1947.

Also, papers, 1970-6, relating mainly to the Evangelical Movement in Wales ; the Council of the Free Churches of Wales ; Caersalem church; Caernarfon ; Ebenezer Evangelical Church, Bangor ; and the Independent Evangelical Church, Adelphi Street (later Queen's Road), Llandudno.

`Y GYNGRES GELTAIDD'

1981211

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Hywel D Roberts, B.A., Cyncoed, Cardiff:

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

An additional group of papers relating to `Y GynGRES Geltaidd' (the Celtic Congress), (see Annual Report 1978-79, p. 83), including correspondence and papers relating to various meetings of the Congress, notably the one held at Fougères, Brittany, in 1968. Also, material relating to the early years of Broadcasting to Schools, and the beginning of Television for Schools, 1930s-1960s, and on education in Wales in general; three notebooks of lectures at U.C.W., Aberystwyth, by D. Gwenallt

Jones and Professor Daryll Forde, 1929-31; material on the Millenium of the Tynwald, Isle of Man, 1979.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS

1981212

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Austen Roberts, F.R.I.C.S., Welshpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Two albums containing a total of over 150 good photographs (c. 1910), mostly taken along the coast between Barmouth and Bardsey Island (Dept of Pictures and Maps). Subjects include sailors, fishermen, sailing boats, paddle steamers, sheepshearing, ferrying cattle and sheep across the Mawddach estuary and visits to ruins and standing stones.

EDERN CM CHAPEL

1981213

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John E Roberts, Edern, Gwynedd.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Two account books of Edern C.M. chapel, 1890-1959, one relating to pews and buildings (NLW Minor Deposits 1364-5B).

EDWARD SALISBURY

1981214

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Edward Salisbury, Denbigh.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A typescript of the depositor's 'Salisbury Chronicle A.D. 1086-1964', with corrections and additions by the depositor (see Annual Report 1972-3, p. 46) (NLW Minor Deposits 1370B).

SEVERN ROAD WELSH CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL, CANTON, CARDIFF

1981215

Ffynhonnell / Source

Severn Road Welsh Congregational Chapel, Canton, Cardiff, per Mrs Sally Davies, Canton.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of Severn Road Welsh Congregational chapel, Canton, Cardiff, comprising: annual reports, 1914-79; minute books and lists of members, 1868-1979; account books, 1877-1979; Sunday School registers, 1888-1913; correspondence relating to the closure of the chapel and the sale of the building, 1979-1980, and a brief centenary history of the chapel, 1967.

'CYMDEITHAS GYMRAEG AMWYTHIG'

1981216

Ffynhonnell / Source

Shrewsbury Welsh Society, per Mrs May Dolphin, Shrewsbury.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Four volumes containing material relating to the activities of 'Cymdeithas Gymraeg Amwythig' ('The Shrewsbury Welsh Society') from 1934, the year of its formation, until 1979 (NLW Minor Deposits 1351-4A). Included are minutes of committees and general meetings, secretaries' annual reports, printed copies of programmes, newspaper cuttings giving accounts of meetings and functions, letters, photographs, etc. The minutes for 1938-40 are missing.

UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

1981217

Ffynhonnell / Source

United Reformed Church (Province of Wales), per Dr Gareth Jones, M.A., M.Ed., University College, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of the United Reformed Church (Province of Wales):

Wood Street Congregational Church, Cardiff

Church registers, 1891 -1959; roll books, 1933-5; minute books of church meetings, 1891-1970; minute books of diaconate, 1884-1972; minute books of Sunday school, 1868-1958; minute book of Building Committee, 1893-5 ; church accounts, 1930-49 ; miscellaneous papers ; history of the City United Reformed Church, Cardiff.

St. John's English Congregational Church, Flint

Members' subscription books, 1970-3.

English Congregational Union of North Wales

Minute books of executive, finance, and general purposes committees, 1875-1966; correspondence and papers, 1929-72, including the history of Chester Street Congregational Church, Wrexham, and her daughter church at Gwersyllt; annual reports, 1923-70 (with gaps); treasurer's statements, 1926-9; year books, 1964-70 (with gaps); and miscellaneous items.

Flintshire District English Congregational Union

Minute books, 1938-72, correspondence and papers, 1939-72.

Montgomeryshire English Congregational Union

Minute book, 1928-73.

Papers of the Congregational Church in England and Wales, 1966 and 1970.

Copy of the will of Ernest Holland Thorpe, 1951, which relates to bequests to the Congregational Union of England and Wales, and the Congregational Church of Rhos-on-Sea, Colwyn Bay.

Printed histories, periodicals, journals and addresses (Dept of Printed Books).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

WELSH BEEKEEPERS' ASSOCIATION

1981218

Ffynhonnell / Source

Commander E G Verge, Llandygwydd, Cardigan.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Four files of correspondence and other papers, 1968-72, of the Welsh Beekeepers' Association. (Minor Deposits 1369B).

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981219

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, per Mr Elfyn Jenkins, B.A., Bow Street, Dyfed, per The Reverend Daniel Davies, Bow Street.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Additional records including registers of baptisms of the Aberystwyth circuit or part circuit (7), 1835-1964; the Ystumtuen circuit (4), 1861-1936; the Cardigan, later the Lampeter and Cardigan, circuit (1), 1839-65; the Aberaeron, later the Lampeter, circuit or part circuit (2), 1865-1949.

A Trust-Property schedule, 1916-39, Sunday School schedule books, 1868-1929, lists of furniture in Ministers' houses, 1857-71, and a Thanksgiving Fund treasurer's book, 1879-80, of the Aberystwyth circuit.

Miscellaneous papers, correspondence and deeds, 1806-1943, 12 Class-Books, 1847-1908, Membership Rolls, 1894-1932, and account books, 1841-85, of Queen Street, later St. Paul's, chapels, Aberystwyth; a treasurer's account book, 1883-94, of Siloam chapel, Aberystwyth; miscellaneous papers and correspondence relating to the chapels at Tre'r ddôl, 1863-1930, Borth, 1867-1940, and Bont-goch, 1880-1940.

A Quarterly Meetings minute book, [1906]-40, of the Lampeter circuit.

A Class-Book, 1882-5, of [St. Thomas Street chapel, Lampeter].

Six Class-Books of the following chapels: [Carmarthen], 1870-5; [Llanfyllin], no date; [Bethesda], 1886-92; [Birkenhead], 1891-4; and [Ebenezer (Deiniolen)], 1879-82.

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981220

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, per The Reverend W Islwyn Morgan, Bryn-mawr, Gwent, per Mr Elfyn Jenkins, B.A., Bow Street, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of the South Wales District including a Synod minute book, 1968-9; Synod agenda, 1964, 1966-8; a Directory, 1969-70; annual membership schedules, 1961-70; a Trust-property return, 1959; and a Home Mission Fund bank account book, 1961-3.

Three registers of baptisms - the Tredegar circuit, 1891-1928; the Cilfynydd, Pont-y-pridd, and Abercynon, later Aberdare and Abercynon, circuit, 1887-1968; and the Aberdare, later Aberdare and Abercynon, circuit, 1916-68.

Trust -property schedules of the Bryn-mawr and Tredegar, later Bryn-mawr, circuit, 1944-73 ; and circuit plans, 1945-58.

Balance sheet of the Llanidloes circuit, 1889-90.

Two promissory notes relating to the Tumble chapel, 1928-31.

A typescript of preliminary observations by members of a committee representing the South Wales District on the Report of the Commission relating to the constitution of the Welsh Assembly, 1956; an account book, 1881-90, 1931-2, of the Ferndale circuit; financial memoranda, 1953, of the Abercynon circuit; an account book, 1903-42, of Shiloh chapel, [Clatter].

Printed material, 1822-1978.

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981221

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, per Mr Elfyn Jenkins, B.A., per The Reverend Emlyn Williams, Blaenau Ffestiniog.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Additional records including a Trust-Property schedule, 1923-4, of the 2nd North Wales District.

Quarterly Meetings minute books, 1927-39, of the Blaenau Ffestiniog circuit.

Society Stewards' account books, 1893-1938, and 6 Class-Books, 1960-4, of Ebenezer Chapel, Blaenau Ffestiniog; Ministry account books, 1881-1944, of Shiloh chapel, Ffestiniog; a Trustees Meeting minute book, 1941, of Seion chapel, Maentwrog.

A minute book, 1921-35, of the Ffestiniog area Temperance Festival (all denominations).

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981222

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, per Mr Elfyn Jenkins, B.A., per The Reverend J Henry Griffiths, B.A., Llancynfelyn, Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of the South Wales District including a Chapel Affairs Committee minute book, 1908-9; financial reports and memoranda, 1967-73; and a membership schedule, 1898.

Records of the First North Wales District including a Chapel Affairs Committee minute book, 1903-72 ; an account book, 1935-74; a contributions account book, 1930-74; and financial reports, 1967-73.

Two circuit plans of the Llandeilo circuit, 1894 and 1907.

Printed material including Welsh Assembly agenda, 1910-28; the Thanksgiving Fund report, 1878-83; South Wales District Foreign Mission reports, Mynag, 1859, 1892-1904, and Home Mission reports, Mynag, 1868-1904; Sunday School Union report of the Swansea, South and North Wales Districts, 1883-4; a collection of South Wales District circuits Singing Festivals programmes, 1884-1921 ; pamphlets, leaflets including a copy of Holwyddorydd . . . Y Miliwn Ginis: Rev. R. Roberts (Robertus), Treorchy, 1899; and a number of pre-1900 Connexional books, and publications of the Book-Room, Bangor.

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981223

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, per Mr Elfyn Jenkins, B.A., per The Reverend Emrys W Evans, Pontarddulais.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Additional records including a Quarterly Meetings' minute book, 1937-60, and a Trust-Property Schedule, 1925-49, of the Llanelli (Wesleyan) Methodist circuit.

Miscellaneous papers, correspondence and deeds relating to (Wesleyan) Methodist chapels, namely, Cefncoedycymer, 1919-60; Quakers Yard, 1839-96; Treharris, 1948-52; Merthyr Vale, 1901-64; Cardiff, 1839-1961 ; Aberdare, 1856-1962; Aberaman, 1877-1961 ; Penrhiwceiber, 1945-72, together with an account book, 1893-1972; Pont-y-pridd, 1896-1953; Cilfynydd, 1897-1965; Ynys-y-bwl, 1890-1968; Abercynon, 1899-1969; Senghennydd, 1901-65; Llanelli, 1887-1968; Pembrey, 1886-1930; Kidwelly, 1896- 1945 . Tumble, 1920-38 ; and Carmarthen, 1923-34, together with correspondence and plans, 1972-3, relating to the transfer of the (Wesleyan) Methodist Burial Ground, John Street, to the Borough Council and a typescript list of the gravestones' inscriptions, 1823-94.

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981224

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, per Mr Elfyn Jenkins, B.A., per Miss Helen Williams, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Miscellanea of (Wesleyan) Methodist interest including two collecting books, 1889, of the Pen Nebo new chapel, and a photograph of a celebration relating to its opening.

WESLEYAN METHODISTS

1981225

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Methodist (Wesleyan) Church, per Mr Elfyn Jenkins, B.A., Bow Street, Dyfed.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

55 copies of Y Dyddiadur Wesleidd, later Dyddiadur yr Eglwys Fethodistaidd, 1870-1904, with some entries, belonging to Mary Ann Thomas [1867-1951], Llwynhelyg, Mynydd Bach, Llandeilo, and other members of her family.

WELSHPOOL TOWN COUNCIL

1981226

Ffynhonnell / Source

Welshpool Town Council, per Mr K Fletcher, Town Clerk.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

A further deposit of records of the former borough of Welshpool, comprising:

Welshpool Borough Council letter book, 1958; a volume of Rural Roads Scheme wages sheets, 1937-8; treasurer's account books, 1944-67; cash account book, 1957-66; collecting and deposit book, 1960-4 ; sundry debtors books, 1953-64 ; files of correspondence and papers relating to markets, finance, housing, highways, and general matters, 1958-66; material relating to the operation of the Government Evacuation Scheme in Welshpool, including papers concerning individual evacuees (surnames F-L), registers of billeting orders and evacuees, and Government circulars, 1940-4; files of vouchers, 1968, of rate demand notes, 1971, and of housing accounts, 1964-5 ; loose wages sheets (Surveyor's Dept.), 1963-4.

G M WILLIAMS, PONTLLANFFRAITH

1981227

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr G M Williams, Pontllanfraith, per Mr R G Davies, Crickhowell.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Thirteen title deeds, 1599-1744, relating to lands in the parishes of Grosmont and Llandeilo Crossenny and Skenfrith, co. Monmouth, and probate of a will, parish of Burghill, co. Hereford. Many of the deeds concern the glebe lands of the curacy of Dulais [Dulas], co. Hereford.

JOHN G WILLIAMS

1981228

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John G Williams, Abergavenny.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

Documents consisting mainly of title deeds relating to properties in the counties of Brecon, Radnor and Monmouth. Included are nineteen deeds, 1662-1879, concerning properties in the parishes of Llanfilo, Llangors, Llanigon, Llanvillo and Talgarth, co. Brecon; three deeds, 1614-1897, concerning The Lane, Perthduon and Cwmdauddwr, co. Radnor; five deeds, 1600-1742, concerning properties in the parishes of Llanddewi Rhydderch, Llanvapley, Llanvetherine and Llanwenarth, co. Monmouth; one deed, 1731, concerning Comyoy, co. Hereford; two wills, 1860 and 1880, of testators from the parishes of Glasbury, co. Radnor, and Talgarth, co. Brecon; seven wills, 1674-1704, from the parish of Llanvapley, co. Monmouth.

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Llanfilo, Llanfable Cwmiou.

THE RECORDS OF THE CHURCH IN WALES

1981267

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1980-81

Disgrifiad / Description

The following records were deposited during the year:

Diocese of Bangor

Parochial records

Parish registers of Machynlleth (1663-1934) and Dylife (1856-1926).

Diocese of Llandaff

Parochial records

Papers relating to the restoration of St. Owain's Church, Ystradowen, 1980.

Diocese of St. Asaph

Parochial records

Parish registers of Manafon (1596-1838) with other parish records including vestry books (1834-1931), terriers (1683, 1816, 1857), poor law records (1733-1850).

Diocese of St. David's

Archdiaconal records

Visitation returns, Archdeaconry of Carmarthen, 1979.

Parochial records

Parish registers of Bletherston (1813-1980), Camrose (1813-1934), Henfynyw (1772-1864), Llanddewi Aber-arth (1737-1868, transferred from Dyfed Archives), Llan-non (1679-1978), Llan-y-cefn (1816-1980), Llawhaden (1754-1980), Tumble (1927-79), with other parochial records for these parishes and for Llanilar, Llanrhystud and Llansanffraid.

Swansea and Brecon

Parochial records

Parish registers of Heyope (1679-1970), Llangynidr (marriage register, 1971-80) with other parish records for Llangynidr and Llangatwg.