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JOHN HUGH EDWARDS
1949001
Ffynhonnell / Source
The late Mr John Hugh Edwards, Hindhead, Surrey.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of approximately 1,250 books, mostly modern, relating to social, political, historical and literary subjects, including a few Welsh books (Dept of Printed Books); and some correspondence.

DR ERIE EVANS
1949002
Ffynhonnell / Source
The late Dr Erie Evans, Bangor.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Dr Erie Evans bequeathed 'such books as my sister Mair Olwen Jones does not want to the Librarian of the National Library of Wales, Aberystwyth, to be distributed by him to such hospitals as he may wish or to dispose of otherwise as he may think fit'.
360 books were received from the executors and disposed of in accordance with the terms of the will (Dept of Printed Books). Besides the books suitable for sanatoria, there was a large number of works in Esperanto, mainly translations from English, French, German, Russian, Swedish, etc., and including several works by Dr L L Zamenof, who initiated this universal language in 1887.

HERBERT MILLINGCHAMP VAUGHAN
1949003
Ffynhonnell / Source
The late Mr Herbert Millingchamp Vaughan, MA, FSA, Tenby.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of approximately 420 books, many of which had been purchased abroad (Dept of Printed Books). Mr Vaughan was particularly interested in genealogy, Jacobitism and Italian history and literature.

LAUNCELOT BAUGH ALLEN
1949004
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Ellinor M Allen, Woodchester.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Letters, 1801-81, from Mrs G M Waddington to Launcelot Baugh Allen (NLW MS 16381D).

VIALART, GEOGRAPHIA SACRA
1949005
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blaenau Ffestiniog Public Library, per The Librarian.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of Geographia Sacra, by Charles Vialart, bishop of Avranches (Amsterdam, 1704) (Dept of Printed Books).

G R BRIGSTOCKE
1949006
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr G R Brigstocke, Ryde, Isle of Wight.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Probate of the will of David ap Ieuan David ap Ieuan of Llanfair-clydogau, 26 September 1584; and a fine of properties in St Bride's, Monmouthshire, 1650 (NLW Deeds 416).
Four coloured photographs of Welsh costumes by C S Allen, Tenby, published c. 1870 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Mynegai
Llanfair Clydogau

MABINOGI: KELTSKE POVESTI
1949007
Ffynhonnell / Source
The British Council, London.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A Czech version of the Mabinogion entitled Mabinogi: Keltske povesti, translated by Jan Vilikovsky (Dept of Printed Books). Woodcut illustrations by Bohdan Lacina. Published by Edice Atlantis, Brno, 1944 (Dept of Printed Books).

J L C CECIL-WILLIAMS
1949008
Ffynhonnell / Source
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Two copies of The Story of the Gwynedd Lodge [of Freemasons], No. 5068. Cardiff: The Lodge, [1949] (Dept of Printed Books). One copy is No. 6 printed on special paper and bound in blue niger, and the other is copy No. 72 of the ordinary edition.
A group of material relating to the Vale of Clwyd Toy Industry, etc.

WYNDHAM D CLARK
1949009
Ffynhonnell / Source
Bwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A valuable group of manuscript and printed material from the donor's library (NLW MSS 14991-15065). The donation supplements the gift, made by Mr Clark some years ago, of material from the library of his grandfather, the late G T Clark, FSA, of Talygarn and Dowlais.
The manuscripts include:
I. Heraldic manuscripts. Six small quarto volumes of pedigrees and armorials of continental royal and noble families - French, 17th cent.; two folio volumes of armorials of English baronage, one ending with the year 3 and the other with 7 James I (NLW MSS 15059-60E); a folio collection of pedigrees and visitations made early in the seventeenth century, with notes by Peter Le Neve and others (NLW
MS 15061E); a nineteenth-century collection of extracts from armouries and transcripts of sepulchral inscriptions from English churches (NLW MS 15062E); an elaborately illuminated exemplification of proceedings for a grant of nobility to Don Juan de Morales Hondonero of Granada, 1734, with the leaden seal of Philip V of Spain attached, Spanish (NLW MS 15063D); an emblazoned pedigree roll of the families of Lewis and Carne signed by Lewis Dwnn, 1601, endorsed with notes by Thomas Jones of Tregaron, 1600; and a transcript of proceedings in the Chandos Peerage case, 1799 (NLW MS 15064D).

II. Clark family manuscripts:

(a) REV SAMUEL CLARK, DD (1626-1701) - sermons on the Beatitudes taken in shorthand and afterwards written out by William Jones, 1660 (NLW MS 14991B).
(b) Volumes of Clark family correspondence, 1709-1817 (NLW MS 14992C).
(c) REV GEORGE CLARK (1777-1848) - a commonplace book with entries by his father, Joseph Clark (NLW MS 14997B); volumes of correspondence (i) 1804-28; (ii) 1833-9; (iii) from his mother-in-law, Mrs Dicey, 1795-1830 (NLW MS 14999E); a diary, 1817 (NLW MS 14998A); a volume of notes and extracts, 1835 (NLW MS 14995A); two volumes of typescript copies of his correspondence, 1804-15, 1815-28 (NLW MS 15000-1C); and an incomplete dictionary of quotations from Milton, 1837-9 (NLW MS 14996D).
(d) CHARLES RUDSDELL CLARK (1810-36) - a diary of a tour through Wales, 1828 (NLW MS 15002A).
(e) GEORGE THOMAS CLARK of Talygarn (1809-98) - diaries, 1830-8, 1855-93, 6 vols (NLW MSS 15027D, 15003-9B); letter books, 1858-75, 1862-4, 1864-70, 1870-5, 1875-84, 5 vols (NLW MSS 15027D, 15028-31C); correspondence of the 2nd Administrative Battalion of the Glamorgan Rifle Volunteers, 1859-70 (NLW MS 15010E), and adjutant returns, 1862-9, when G T Clark was commanding officer (NLW MS 15011E); miscellaneous note books, 1832-71 (NLW MSS 15012D, 15013A, 15014-6B, 15017A, 15020A); a report on sepulchral monuments in Glamorgan and Carmarthenshire, 1869 (NLW MS 15022E), and notes on the Clark family pedigree (NLW MS 15052C).
(f) CLARK MISCELLANEA. About twenty account books, 1794-1875, including housekeeping books, garden and estate accounts, and records of financial transactions (NLW MSS 15034-8B, 15039C, 15040-1B, 15042A, 15043B, 15044C, 15045A, 15046B, 15047A, 15048-9B); recipe books (NLW MS 15021A); commonplace books by other members of the family; and a diary of a tour on the continent, 1845, by (?) Lady Anna Maria Dawson (NLW MS 15026B).

III. A book of extracts relating to Glamorgan and Welsh castles by Sir Richard Colt Hoare (NLW MSS 15050A, 15051E); and an account book of receipts at Communion at (?) Kirby Underdale, 1821-40 (NLW MS 15056C).

The printed collection contains 265 volumes, and is rich in seventeenth-century works (Dept of Printed Books). Thirty volumes contain in all upwards of 600 pamphlets tracts, reprints, and extracts from periodicals. These are concerned largely with archaeological and ecclesiastical matters, very many of Welsh interest, which seem to have been largely amassed by G T Clark and include many from his own pen. The bulk of the remaining volumes falls into three main classes, (i) heraldry, (ii) genealogy, (iii) theology.

(i) There are nearly forty volumes dealing with heraldic subjects. Many of these are general reference works which together form an exceedingly useful acquisition. The most valuable in this category is undoubtedly an exceptionally well-preserved and finely bound copy of John Bossewell's Workes of Armorie, deuyded into three bookes . . . In aed. R. Totelli, 1572. Worthy of mention, too, are The Institution, laws and ceremonies of the Most Noble Order of the Garter . . . Collected by Elias Ashmole . . . London, 1672, Nicolai Uptoni de Studio Militari Libri Quatuor, Iohan. de Bado Aureo Tractatus de Armis and Henrici Spelmanni Aspilogia . . . edited by Sir Edward Bysshe in 1654. Many of these books deal with aspects of French heraldry, including a handsome copy of D'Hozier's Les Noms surnoms, qualitez, armes, et blasons des Chevaliers et Officiers de L'Ordre du S. Esprit. .. Paris, 1634. An unusual volume is a large folio containing the names and armorials of the inspectors of dykes in the United Provinces, c. 1650, finely engraved and handcoloured, entitled Dyckgraef ende Hooge Heemrade van Rynlant.

(ii) The fifty books dealing with genealogy include a large number of heraldic visitations and family genealogies, particularly of sixteenth and seventeenth century continental ruling families. The most useful is probably Regium pariumque Magnae Britanniae Historia Genealogica . . ., by J W Imhoff. (Nuremberg, 1690).

(iii) The forty-eight theological works are interesting, apart from their intrinsic worth, in that they were nearly all written by members of the Clark family. As such they have been well cared for and richly
bound. Samuel Clarke (1599-1683), the divine, curate of Bennet-Fink, is represented by practically a complete set of his many theological and biographical works in the original editions, including his Martyrology, his various Lives, and The Marrow of Ecclesiastical History . . . 1654. His eldest son and namesake (1626-1701) was also the author of many theological works, and of Annotations on the Bible, of which successive editions are found in this collection. Other members of the family whose works are represented here include Samuel Clarke, DD (1684-1750), the theological writer who became Nonconformist pastor at St Albans and is best remembered for his Collection of the Promises of Scripture, found here in three editions, and George Clark, AM (1777-1848), Chaplain to the Royal Military Asylum, Chelsea.

The historical, biographical and literary works which comprise the remainder of the collection include four which are particularly worthy of mention. There is an almost perfect first edition of Thomas North's English translation of Plutarch's Lives of the noble Grecians and Romanes compared . . . London: T. Vautroullier, 1579, and a fine example from John Baskerville's Birmingham press, Publii Virgilii Maronis Bucolica Georgica et Aeneis. . . 1757. The two remaining works are interesting mainly for their personal associations. A manuscript note in a seventeenth-century hand on the flyleaf of Digestorum seu Pandectarzhm libri quinquaquinta ex Florentinis Pandectis repraesentati (Florentinae: L. Torrentini, 1553) states that this work formed part of the library of the celebrated seventeenth-century Dutch jurist, Jacques Oisel. A similar note on the fly-leaf of Discorsi letti nella grande aula del Palazzo Reale delle Scienze e delle Arti in Milano . . . 1813, states that this volume belonged to Napoleon, a claim substantiated by the appearance of the Emperor's armorial bearings on the cover. The gift also includes seven playbills and programmes of theatrical and musical entertainments at Windsor Castle, 1852 (Dept of Pictures and Maps). Charles Kean was the director of the theatrical performances and he played the title role in King John, 6 February 1852. Der Hahnenschlag was performed [circa 1852] by members of the Royal family, including the Prince of Wales and the Princess Royal.

DR A L DAVIES, BALA
1949010
Ffynhonnell / Source
Dr A L Davies, Bala.
Bwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
The diary of Rev E T Davies, Abergele, 1864-6, miscellaneous autograph letters and poetry; pamphlets and programmes (NLW MS 16914A).

For the Collection of Congregational Records at the National Library - Account books of subscriptions towards 'Yr Hen Gapel', Llanuwchllyn, 1842-5 (NLW Minor Donations 406-7A), and of subscriptions towards walling the cemetery, 1855 (NLW Minor Donations 408A); some correspondence relating to the chapel; and an 'Amryw' volume containing works by Dr George Lewis, Llanuwchllyn (Dept of Printed Books?).

WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF STATIONERS
1949011
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr D Caxton Davies, M.A., Cardiff.
Bwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of the brochure presented by the Worshipful Company of Stationers to the Archbishop of Canterbury and other guests upon the occasion of the celebration of the 500th anniversary of the foundation of the Company, June 1903 (Dept of Printed Books).

D T DAVIES, ABERYSTWYTH
1949012
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend D T Davies, Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Sixty-three blocks, many of which were used to illustrate the donor's work Hanes Eglwysi a Phlwyfi Llenny (Pwllheli, 1910) (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Mynegai
Llenny

EULONWY DAVIES
1949013
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Eulonwy Davies, Llanwrda.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Twenty deeds (1620-1807) relating to Gilfach y Blawd in the parish of Llanwrda, co. Carmarthen (NLW Deeds 332-51).

J GLYN DAVIES
1949014
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend George M Ll Davies, Dolwyddelan.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Additions to the 'Tanycastell Collection', consisting of a record of preaching appointments kept by John Jones, Talyssarn, 1821-32, with particulars of texts and notes of the effects of the sermons; a book of sermon notes by John Jones, 1829, lettered - 'Present for Fanny Jones'; booklets and sheets of hymns, hymn-tunes and sermon notes; transcripts of letters by John Jones, 1838-56; a copy of a letter by his brother William Jones, 1873; and letters by Dr David Evans and R. D. Griffith on the tunes published under the title Jeduthun, 1946.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

EVAN R DAVIES, PWLLHELI
1949015
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Vida Davies, Rhiwbina.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Autograph letters of D Lloyd George (1895), O M Edwards (1900), John Owen, Bishop of St Davids (1900), W T Stead (1900), William Jones, MP (1901), and Rev T Charles Williams (1914), all addressed to Evan R Davies, Pwllheli (NLW Amryw Loose Items 6).

DELHI WELSH SOCIETY
1949016
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Delhi Welsh Society, per Mr E R Souter, Cardiff.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A typescript volume, bound in blue morocco, containing an account of the Society compiled by H Frederick Oldham and E R Souter, with photographs and cards inserted (NLW MS 14983D).

MORGAN DE LLOYD
1949017
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Family of the late Mr Morgan de Lloyd, Penparciau, Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A miscellaneous collection of books and sheet music (Dept of Printed Books). It contains a large assortment of music compositions by Welsh and English composers and works on the theory and teaching of music, a large number of music periodicals of pre-Copyright date, in English and Welsh, a collection of 'Cymantfa Ganu’ programmes, several works relating to Baptists and Baptism, and a large number of the various Welsh periodicals published by the Baptist denomination.

DUNRAVEN
1949018
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Right Hon The Earl of Dunraven, CB, DSO, Dunraven Castle, Bridgend, and Adare Manor, co. Limerick.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Thirty-two volumes of British Government publications, including Census Returns, House of Lords and House of Commons Papers, Journals, Votes, Reports of Commissioners, etc., and Public General Acts (Dept of Printed Books). They are all folio publications published before 1849.

O M EDWARDS
1949019
Ffynhonnell / Source
Sir Ifan ab Owen Edwards, M.A., Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
The original manuscripts of Sir Owen Morgan Edwards's prize essays at Oxford - 'An Essay on the Influence of Machiavelli on Political Theory in England in the sixteenth century' (Stanhope Prize, 1886) (NLW MS 8442E), 'Thomas Cromwell' (Lothian Prize, 1887) (NLW MS 8443E), and 'The Reformation in France' (Arnold Prize, 1888) (NLW MS 8444E), jottings by Sir Owen M Edwards in 1905-6, and a typescript copy of a letter from Geneva which he had printed in Y Goleuad, 1887 (NLW MS 8364E).

WELSH SOCIETIES OF VANCOUVER
1949020
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Royal National Eisteddfod of Wales, Bridgend, 1948, per Mr W J Samuel, General Secretary.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
An album presented by the Welsh Societies of Vancouver with greetings to the Bridgend Eisteddfod and a list of contributors towards the cost of the bardic chair presented by them (NLW MS 14908D).

ABERYSTWYTH PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT BOOK
1949021
MANOR OF BRECON AFFEERMENT OF AMERCEMENTS
1949022
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A judgement on a case concerning the affeerment of amercements in the manor of Brecon (NLW Misc Records 45).

YR EISTEDDFOD GENEDLAETHOL
1949023
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr D Caradog Evans, Pwllheli.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A large scrapbook relating to the National Eisteddfod held at Pwllheli, 1925, compiled by the donor, who was the general secretary. It contains over 250 photographs with copious annotations by the compiler, nearly 100 letters and telegrams, and extensive press cuttings.
Two minute books of the same Eisteddfod, the one of the Executive Committee and the other of the Finance Committee.
Five minute books of the Calvinistic Methodist Sunday School meetings of the Dolgelley District, 1859-85 (NLW MS 18109D), 1896-90 (NLW MS 18111A), 1906-10 (NLW MS 18112A), 1910-14 (NLW MS 18113A); and minutes of church meetings and a list of subscriptions, 1883-4, towards the new chapel at Rehoboth, Islaw’rdre.
Mynegai
Dolgellau

PRINTED BOOKS
1949024
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr E E Evans, Blaenau Ffestiniog.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A miscellaneous collection of books, chiefly English biographies, published before 1911 (Dept of Printed Books).

`CYMRU FU`
1949025
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs E M Evans, London.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of Cymru Fu specially bound and presented to Stephen Evans ' by the Committee and Members of the Birkenhead Cambrian Choral Society in commemoration of his manly love of fair play in defending the rights of the Society at the Mold Eisteddfod, 1873' (NLW Misc Volumes 196).

TREFRIW PRINTERS AND PRINTING PRESS
1949026
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J T Evans, Prestatyn.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A manuscript account of the Trefriw printers and printing press (NLW MS 14977B).

A FITZGERALD
1949027
Ffynhonnell / Source
Colonel A FitzGerald, Llys Derwydd, near Ammanford.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Four works, in five volumes, of which three contain interesting plates (Dept of Pictures and Maps), namely:
1. Le Byron des dames; or portraits of the principal female characters in Lord Byron's poems, engraved from original paintings . . . under the superintendence of W. and E. Finden, London, 1887.
2. Excursions through Ireland, by Thomas Cromwell, illustrated with 600 engravings. London, 1820 (2 volumes). Most of the illustrations were specially drawn for the work by Geo. Petrie.
3. The History and Antiquities of Windsor Castle, by Joseph Potes, and illustrated with cuts, Eton, 1749. Most of the engravings are signed " Parr. sculp". This was probably Remi (or Remigius) Parr, an architectural designer and engraver, (1723-c. 1750).
The fourth work is a copy of Memoires pour servir a l'histoire des Expeditions en Egypte et en Syrie, par J. Miot. 2e. edition, Paris, 1814.

BRITISH RECORDS ASSOCIATION
1949028
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A group of records designated ' BRA 641 ' and consisting of:
I. 120 deeds and documents (1733-1891) relating to the Hanmer of Bettisfield estate in Bagillt, Bettisfield, Bronington, Erbistock, Greenfield, Haghton, Halkin, Hanmer, Hendre-Vigillt, Holywell, Iscoed, Knolton, Overton, Penley, Tybroughton, Willington, and Worthenbury, and in the hundred of Englefield, co. Flint, and in Malpas, co. Chester. They include an enclosure award for the parish of Hanmer, 1777; a reference book to a map of the Upper Bettisfield estate, 1811; documents relating to the Dee Bank and Coleshill Collieries in Bagillt, 1840-90; papers concerning the Extent of the Lordship of Englefield ... (Westminster, 1854); and documents relating to the endowment and patronage of the new parish church of St John the Evangelist, Bettisfield, 1878-81.
II. Forty-seven deeds and documents (1838-1912) relating to the Corbet of Ynysymaengwyn estate in the parish of Towyn, co. Merioneth, including a printed sale catalogue (1878) of the Ynysymaengwyn Domain, with maps, plans and illustrations. There are also references to Mrs Owen's Almshouses at Towyn, recreation grounds and market halls at Towyn and Aberdovey, and the residence of the headmaster of the elementary school at Bryncrug.
III. Seven deeds (1873-86) relating to lands of William Edward Oakeley, Plas Tanybwlich, in Ffestiniog, Llandecwyn, and Maentwrog, co. Merioneth, including an agreement relating to Llwynygell School, Ffestiniog, 1873.
IV. Sixty deeds and documents (1688-1915) relating to properties in Buttington, Guilsfield, Leighton,
Tregynon, Welsh Town, and Welsh Pool, co. Montgomery, Alberbury, Bausley, Bulthey, Craggion,
and Winnington, cos. Montgomery and Salop, Bulwith and Howden in the East Riding of co. York,
Bolton Percy and Copmanthorpe in the county of the city of York, and in the city of Chester. They
include agreements for the division and enclosure of waste land in Craggion, Winnington, and Bulthey,
1805-9, a copy of an enclosure award for the township of Bausley, 1835, a lease of Brimford New
Quarry in Craggion, 1904, and a draft lease to Granhams Moor Quarry Co., Ltd., 1915. Among the
most prominent parties to these deeds are members of the families of Leighton of Shrewsbury, co.
V. Eleven deeds (1791-1890) relating to the Hanmer drainage scheme and properties in Hanmer and
Bromington, co. Flint, and Llanfair Talhaearn, co. Denbigh.

Mynegai
Haughton, Hendrefigillt, Welshpool, Y Trallwng, Yorkshire, Tywyn, Aberdyfi.

WILLIAM GEORGE, BOOTLE
1949029
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr William George, Bootle.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Additional records of the Bootle Young Wales Society (see Annual Report, 1947-8, p. 23), - minute
books, general, 1903-5 (NLW MS 16389B), Ladies’ Branch, 1904-6 (NLW MS 16390B), Bazaar
Committee and Bazaar Finance Committee, 1905 (NLW MS 16391B); bank pass books (NLW MS
16392E), Bazaar accounts, 1905-6 (NLW MS 16391B), 1910-11 (NLW MS 16392E); and balance
sheets of Bazaar accounts, 1905, 1910 (NLW Amryw 28/1).

THE RECORDS OFFICER, GLOUCESTER
1949030
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Records Officer, Gloucester.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Deeds, 1719-85, relating to properties in Dingestow, Dixton, and Llangattock Vibon Avell, co.
Monmouth, Llanelli and Llanstephan, co. Carmarthen, and Brecon, from the muniments of the Probyn
family (NLW Deeds 419-26).

Mynegai
Llangatwg Feibion Afel, Llanelli, Llansteffan, Aberhonddu.

PITCHFORD HALL
1949031
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A book of medical recipes compiled by Richard Ottley, 1575, with a copy of a letter from 'Thomas
Norforke' [i.e., Thomas Howard, 3rd Duke of Norfolk (executed 1572)] to Queen Elizabeth; a late
seventeenth-century manuscript group of prayers, religious poems and copies of letters; a marriage
settlement (1666) of Henry Davies of Llanfair Waterdine and Elizabeth Owens of Beguildy; and two
deeds (1715 and 1742) relating to properties in Llanfair Waterdine and Bettus, co. Salop, and Hyep
and Beguildy, co. Radnor.

Mynegai
Bettws, Heyop.
A J GRIEVE
1949032
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend A J Grieve, M.A., D.D., Cavendish, Suffolk.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Seven volumes in the autograph of the donor, containing notes of lectures on the history of English literature delivered at the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, by Professor C. H. Herford, MA, DLitt, during 1890-4 (NLW MSS 15147-53B).

JOHN R HAINES
1949033
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr John R Haines, Gloucester.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Five estreats from the court-rolls of the manor of Caldicot and Newton, 1744-1820, and four documents relating to properties in Caerleon and Crick, co. Monmouth, 1831-71 (NLW Deeds 372-3, 1097-1101).

BROGYNTYN
1949034
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A folder containing a letter, 18 April 1648, from Owen Andrews, Gray's Inn, to Sir John Owen 'att Clenneney in Carnarvonshire'; a broadside entitled 'The Case of Richard Lloyd, Esq., in Relation to the Double Return for Cardigan '; a printed election address, 26 April 1831, 'To the Independent Burgesses of Carnarvon, Pwllheli, Cricieth, Conway and Neuyn', soliciting their support for William Ormsby Gore; and a group of forty-nine letters, 1822-51, addressed to W. Ormsby Gore, M.P. (d. 1860), and relating to tenancies, Parliamentary measures, etc. Several of the letters are from Gore's agent, Coote Nesbitt; the correspondents also include John F. M. Dovaston, Samuel Holland and Ellis Anwyl Owen.
A Latin ode to Sir Robert Owen in the hand of Thomas Price of Llanfyllin, 1697; an inventory of the plate at Glyn, 1803; and heads of an act for inclosing commons in Whittington.
Additional records of the Broghtyn estate and other manuscripts. They include a pocket-book containing receipts for tithes of Porkington demesne, 1721-48, and for a legacy to the poor of Selattyn, 1718-65; a rental and particulars of expenses of the estate of R. G. Owen, esquire, in Montgomeryshire, 1785-7; a notebook containing English poems by William Gore and others, 1797-1811, and an album for original poetry at Porkington, begun in 1812; a Porkington stud book, 1815-40; wages books for male servants at Porkington, 1811-66; and a survey of the estates of William Ormsby Gore, esq., M.P., in the parishes of Cemmes, Darowen and Machynlleth, co. Montgomery, compiled by George Owen, Oswestry, 1855.
Mynegai
Clennenau, Caernarfon, Caernarvon, Cricieth, Conwy, Nefyn, Cemaes, enclosures.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

HUDSON BAY RECORD SOCIETY
1949035
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Hudson Bay Record Society.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

LEWIS JONES (‘RHUDDENFAB’) 1949036
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J R Hughes, Cardiff.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Five scrapbooks of Lewis Jones (‘Rhuddenfab’), Ruthin, 1886-1906 (NLW MSS 16053B, 16054C, 16057B). One of these volumes was originally a memorandum book of an inspector of weights and measures in the Ruthin and Denbigh areas, 1859-84 (NLW MS 16055B), and another contains details of proceedings prepared for ‘Rhuddenfab’ in his capacity as conductor at the National Eisteddfod of Wales, Wrexham, 1888 (NLW MS 16056B). Among the few insets are the manuscript and a proof copy of a part of Cofeb Ddarluniadol Camlwyddiant Wesleyaeth yng Nghymru (Rhuthyn, 1900) by ‘Rhuddenfab’, with a letter from Rev John Felix, Coedpoeth, Wrexham, 1900 (NLW MS 16060A); and a letter from John Thomas, ‘Eifionydd’, 1912 (NLW MS 16061A).

A lecture by ‘Rhuddenfab’ on ‘Hen Gymeriadau Cymreig a’u Moesversi’ (NLW MS 16058B); the official programme of the National Eisteddfod of Wales, Wrexham, 1888, with marginal and other additions by ‘Rhuddenfab’ (NLW MS 16059B); three scrapbooks of Robert Isaac Jones (‘Alltud Eifion’), Tremadoc, 1869-73, 1889-1902 (NLW MSS 16062C, 16063-4D); a volume of Welsh sermons marked ‘Thomas Tissington 1884’ (NLW MS 16065B); a minute book of the Wrexham Licensed Victuallers’ Association, 1900-7 (NLW MS 16066C); and a volume of geometrical exercises (NLW MS 16067A).

Mynegai
Rhuthun, Wrecsam, Tremadog, Dinbych.

HENDREFELEN 1949037
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr A P Hughes-Gibb, Penshurst, Kent.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
238 deeds, 1546-1885, relating to properties in the parishes of Caron, Gwnnws, Llanbadarn Fawr, Llanddewi Brefi, Llanfihangel Genau’r Glyn, Llanfihangel y Creuddyn, Llangwyryfon, Llansantffraed, Llanychaearn, Lledrod, Ysbyty Ifan, Ysbyty Ystwyth, and Ystrad Meurig, and the town of Aberystwyth, all in co. Cardigan, the parish of Llanfihangel Abergwesyn, co. Brecon, and the city of Manchester; and a faculty from the bishop of St Davids enabling Edward Richard to set up a library at Ystrad Meurig.

Mynegai
Manceinion, Tregaron
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

KNIGHTON PAROCHIAL RECORDS 1949038
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J E Janson, Newtown.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A large file of poor law settlement and removal papers, 1675-1859, and overseers' accounts, 1708-52, a register of apprentices, 1819, and a savings bank treasurer's bond, 1855, all for the parish of Knighton (NLW Minor Deposits 621B).
See also Appendix II--Church in Wales Records.

WELSH PEDIGREES
1949039
Ffynhonnell / Source
Lady (Hilary) Jenkinson, Usk Priory, and Captain Andrew Knox Rickards, Fareham.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A volume and several small rolls of Welsh pedigrees, made about 1850, at one time in the possession of Thomas Edwards of Llandaff House (NLW MS 16920F).
The volume includes pedigrees (with the coats of arms and biographical notes) of Henry VII and the kings of England, the earls of Pembroke, and numerous families having estates in Glamorgan, including the Lords of Morgannwg and Gower and their descendants, transcripts of various ' charters, grants, and other evidences referred to in the Historical account of Glamorgan ' relating to Neath Abbey (1207-1334), Ewenny (1141), Whitland (1270), Tewkesbury, Llandaff and Margam; a general treatise of the lordships marchers of Wales with particular reference to Glamorgan; and an historical account of Gower and Kilvey.
The pedigree rolls relate to the families of William Richards of Cardiff (d. 27 October 1695), Edwards of Llandaff, Priest of Cardiff, and Powell of Energlyn. There are also numerous letters and papers with biographical notes, a licence granted (1 December 1823) to Thomas William Richards, Llandaff, sometime British Consul resident in Nantes, to adopt the surname Edwards and to use the coat of arms of his maternal grandfather Thomas Edwards, and an extract from the pedigree of Lord Dynevor.
Mynegai
Morgannwg, Gwyr, Llandaf.

JOHN JONES, LLANFROTHEN
1949040
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Bessie Bowen Jones, Criccieth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A licence to preach granted to John Jones, Llanfrothen, 17 July 1795 (NLW Misc Records 31).

NATIONAL HOME READING UNION
1949041
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major Edgar Jones, M.A., Barry.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A file of papers and correspondence relating to the formation and the work of the Welsh Branch of the National Home Reading Union, 1891-2 (NLW MS 15188C).

SEREN CYMRU
1949042
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend Dr E K Jones, Wrexham.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Various issues of Seren Cymru, 1860-70, all of which were required to complete the file of this newspaper in the National Library (Dept of Printed Books). An exceptionally valuable gift in view of the difficulty experienced in completing Welsh newspaper files of this period.

JOHN JONES, TALYSARN
1949043
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr G Penrhyn Jones, Dyffryn, Merioneth.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Sermon notes in the autograph of Rev John Jones, Talysarn (NLW MS 15186A).

DR IORWERTH HUGHES JONES
1949044
Ffynhonnell / Source
Dr Iorwerth Hughes Jones, Sketty, Swansea.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Four volumes of notes, papers on scientific subjects, and maps and drawings of geological mining, and engineering interest, compiled around 1850 by Evan Hopkins, CE, FGS. (NLW MSS 14911-14B)
A list of members of the Cardigan Book Society (NLW MS 17743E).

J TYWI JONES (‘MOELONA’)
1949045
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs J Tywi Jones (‘Moelona’), New Quay, Cardiganshire.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

J W JONES
1949046
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J W Jones, Blaenau Ffestiniog.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A sermon and two volumes of poems by O. G. Owen (‘Alafon’); odes, ‘englynion’, and seven scrapbooks by Robert Owen Hughes (‘Elfyn’); odes and other poems by W. J. Davies (‘Glan Llyfnwy’); the original manuscript of Yr Awen Barod, by William Thomas Edwards (‘Gwilym Deudraeth’); and a holograph manuscript of Tir na Nog by Thomas Gwynn Jones.
A scrapbook containing autograph letters, ‘cut-out’ autographs, poetry, portraits, churchwardens’ accounts for the parish of Llanfrothen, 1784-97, and miscellanea.
A volume of Welsh poetry by 'Elfyn', 'Ioan Brothen', 'Gwilym Deudraeth', and others, in the autograph of the donor.
A copy of The Life and Opinions of Robert Roberts... with an account of the memorial stone placed in Llangernyw churchyard in 1927, by the donor and his friends, and suggested epitaphs by Dr Thomas Gwynn Jones, including the epitaph which was cut on the memorial.
An address on 'Y Beibl yn ôl Emyn 248' by B. T. Jones.

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Liverpool Public Libraries, per Mr J P Smith, Librarian.

**Blwyddyn / Year**
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

**Disgrifiad / Description**
Various issues of Welsh periodicals - Yr Athraw, 1842-44, and Y Cylchgrawn, 1879-82 - required to complete sets in the National Library (Dept of Printed Books).
Fifty photographic plates of views in Wales (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

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A R LLEWELLIN-TAYLOUR
1949052

Mr A R Llewelin-Taylour, M.A., F.R.S.A., London.

**Blwyddyn / Year**
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

**Disgrifiad / Description**
Fifteen volumes (nos I-XV) of The Journal of the Statistical Society of London, 1839-52 (Dept of Printed Books). This gift almost completes the Library's file of the Journal from 1839 to date.
A collection of printed books including a copy, bound in old calf, of the 1512 Paris folio edition by L. Hornken of the Golden Ass of Apuleius, with a Latin commentary by Philippus Beroaldus, the Elder (Dept of Printed Books).

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APPRENTICESHIP INDENTURES
1949053

Colonel B Taylor Lloyd, M.P.S., Aberystwyth.

**Blwyddyn / Year**
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

**Disgrifiad / Description**
Three apprenticeship indentures to the trades of a draper and grocer, a chemist and an iron and brass founder, at Aberystwyth, 1823-96 (NLW Misc Records 32-4).

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WEAVERS' ACCOUNT BOOK
1949054

Mr D Myrddin Lloyd, M.A., Aberystwyth.

**Blwyddyn / Year**
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

**Disgrifiad / Description**
An account book kept by Evan John and Daniel Evans of Gwernogle, weavers, 1768-1869. Evan John was the father of Thomas Evans ( ' Tomos Glyn Cothi ') (NLW MS 14944A).

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J H LLOYD ('PERYDDON')
1949055

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

**Blwyddyn / Year**
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

**Disgrifiad / Description**
An essay by Miss Jones, Hendre, Cwm Main, on the houses and characters of Cwm Main, or ' Cwm Annibynia', in Llangwm, Llanfor and Llandderfel (NLW MS 14945B).

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HERBERT LLOYD-JOHNES
1949056
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major Herbert Lloyd-Johnes, Monmouth.

Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

Disgrifiad / Description
Weekly pay-bills and returns of casualties of the General's Company of the 4th Battalion of the 60th Regiment, Feb.-Sept., 1788 (NLW MS 15144B).


A copy of the first illustrated edition of Paradise Lost (Dept of Printed Books). In addition to the frontispiece, a portrait by Robert White (1645-1703), there are twelve other illustrations, one to each book. Seven are inscribed with the name of J. B. Medina (1659-1710) as designer, and with that of Michael Burghers (fl. 1670-1720) as engraver. One is inscribed with the name of Bernard Lens senior (1659-1725), as designer, and with that of Peter Paul Bouche (born c. 1646) as engraver. Three are anonymous as regards the designer, but have Burghers's name as engraver, and, lastly, one is anonymous altogether.

A group of vouchers, bills and receipts of John Johnes of Dolaucothi, recorder of Carmarthen, with tradesmen and craftsmen in Llandilo, Llandovery, Carmarthen, Bristol, London, etc., 1826-61

Mynegai
Caerfyrddin, Bryste, Llundain, Llandeilo, Llanyrdddyfri.

LEGAL PRECEDENTS ETC
1949057
Ffynhonnell / Source

Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

Disgrifiad / Description
A manuscript collection of legal precedents with examples largely taken from Denbighshire sources, and a manuscript book of directions for the practice of an attorney in the Court of Great Sessions, both of the early eighteenth century, a schedule of deeds, 1682-1810, relating to Blaene Llangerniew, and a copy of the will of Dorothy Jones of Golftyn, 1827 (NLW MSS 16475-6D).

Mynegai
Llangernyw.

ACCOUNT BOOK OF LEWIS AND ELIAS JENKINS ETC
1949058
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr A D Maddock, Kew Gardens.

Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

Disgrifiad / Description
A book of precedents compiled by an official of the consistory court of the Bishop of St Asaph, 1739-41 (NLW MS 16915B); and an account book of Lewis and Elias Jenkins, 1809-14, containing entries relating to the districts of Aberdare and Neath (NLW MS 16916B).

Mynegai
Aberdâr, Castell-Nedd.

MANCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARIES
1949059
Ffynhonnell / Source

Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of 190 pieces of music from the duplicate stock of the Manchester Public Library (Dept of Printed Books). The greater portion consists of bound volumes of the better-known composers - Beethoven, Bach, Schubert, Schumann, Chopin, Rubinstein and others - generally complete editions of their songs, symphonies, sonatas, nocturnes, etc. A feature of the collection is a group of volumes containing national folk songs of various countries ranging from those of the Norseland to those of China, and including, in six volumes, a complete set of Boosey & Co.'s 'Royal Edition' of songs of the British Isles. Several cantatas and oratorios by Bach, Spohr Gounod, and Weber are also included, together with a small but interesting group of requiem masses.

Mynegai
Manceinion

DAVID MATHIAS
1949060
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr David Mathias, Aberystwyth.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Five deeds (1841-88) relating to a piece of land and a malthouse in Mill Lane (now Mill Street), Aberystwyth (NLW Deeds 374-8).

BETHLEHEM CHURCH, LLANHARAN
1949061
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr and Mrs J Miles, Llanharan.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A baptismal register, 1849-81, of the Bethlehem Independent Church, Llanharan (NLW MS 16792B).

J M DAVIES, PONTARDAWE
1949062
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs E C Morgan, Monknash.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Holograph manuscripts of studies by the late J. M. Davies, Pontardawe, in the history of the Vale of Neath (NLW MSS 14920-1D) and the literature and writers of the Swansea Valley (NLW MSS 14922-3D).

IWAN MORGAN
1949063
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Iwan Morgan, M.A., Abergavenny.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Leaves from a scrapbook compiled at Castle Hill, Llanilar. They include a leaf from a fifteenth century Book of Hours (NLW MS 23805, f.2); a warrant by Thomas, Earl of Arundel, 1492; autograph letters of Edward Arnold, schoolmaster, 1840, Robert Baskerville, 1747, John Davies, schoolmaster at Llanilar, 1826, Reginald Heber, Bishop of Calcutta, undated, Lord FitzWilliam, 1810, John Williams, Edinburgh, 1828, David Williams, Ystrad Meurig, undated, and others; miscellaneous autographs and
franks; miscellaneous poetry including English verses on Cardiganshire Conservatives, 1865, and Welsh verses for an epitaph by Daniel Evans ('Daniel Ddu o Geredigion') for a greyhound, 'Topper', which had died during a coursing match at Shone Quill's Bank, 1825; tickets of admission to the trial of Warren Hastings, 1792, and to the gallery of the House of Lords, 1837; and miscellanea. A Tour through the island of Elba, by Sir Richard Colt Hoare, 1814, and Les dix livres d'architecture de Vitruve... seconde edition... par M. Perrault, Paris, 1684.

'Eikon Heroos en pistei exemplified in the life, actions, and exemplary death of Rev Augustus Hermanus Francke, late professor of Divinity in the University at Halle in Saxony, done out of the High-Dutch by Thomas Parsons'; an eighteenth-century manuscript (NLW Amryw 8/8).

A small but interesting collection of eighteenth century tracts, including a copy of Further report from the Committee of Secresy (sic) ... to enquire into the conduct of Robert, the Earl of Orford, 1742.


Seven volumes, five of them being early folio editions of Greek and Latin classics (Dept of Printed Books). These are particularly fine copies, the leather binding being still as glossy as when new, while the gold ornamentation on the backs and on the covers looks remarkably fresh. Another of the volumes contains about a dozen Civil War Tracts, dealing mainly with the religious controversies of the time.

A portfolio of miscellaneous engravings (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

A water-colour of a pastoral scene in North Wales [...] by Benjamin Barker (1776-1838) of Pontypool, engravings by Richard Earlom after drawings by Claude Gellee or Lorrain, from Liber Veritatis... (J. & J. Boydell, London, 1777-1819); etc. (Dept of Pictures and Maps)

Mynegai
Banc Siôn Cwilt, India, Caeredin, Germany, Yr Almaen.

'CYMANFA GANU DOSBARTH Y GARN'
1949064
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J J Morgan, B.A., Bow Street, Cards.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A secretary's minute book (1893-1924) and a treasurer's account book (1894-1940) of 'Cymanfa Ganu Dosbarth y Garn, Ceredigion' (NLW MSS 14981-2A).

DR JOHN R MOTT
1949065
Ffynhonnell / Source
Dr John R Mott, Orlando, Florida, U.S.A.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Addresses and papers, in six volumes, 1946-7, by the donor, on the Young Men's Christian Association and other religious topics, especially foreign missions (Dept of Printed Books).

'THE HISTORY OF THE ROYAL GWENT HOSPITAL'
1949066
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Board of Directors of the Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, Mon.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of The History of the Royal Gwent Hospital, by Thomas Baker Jones and William John Townsend (Newport, 1948) (Dept of Printed Books).
NEWPORT CENTRAL LIBRARY
1949067
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Borough Librarian, Central Library, Newport.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Four volumes of a typescript Calendar of Deeds acquired by Newport Library between 1945 and 1948 (Open shelves).
Mynegai
Casnewydd

PIERPONT MORGAN LIBRARY
1949068
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Trustees of the Pierpont Morgan Library, New York.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Mynegai
Efrog Newydd

J DYFNALLT OWEN
1949069
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Autograph letters by William Davies, Llanwnda, Pembrokeshire, 1845-60 (NLW MS 14005E), E. Herber Evans, 1877 (NLW MS 14350A), and Edward Stephen (‘Tanymarian’), 1882 (NLW MS 14350A); and correspondence relating to the formation of the Welsh Congregational Union which first met at Carmarthen in 1872 (NLW MS 16343E).

OWEN OWEN, MACHYNLETH
1949070
Ffynhonnell / Source
The late Mr Owen Owen, Cwmrhaiadr, Machynlleth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
An interesting miscellaneous collection of books (Dept of Printed Books), including a copy of Sermones et exhortationes ad monachos Joanis Trite mii abbatis Spanheimensis . . . The title page has been mutilated and part of the colophon cut out, but it is probably a copy of the so-called 1486 edition printed by J. Knoblouch at Strasburg. (The British Museum Catalogue gives the date of the press of J. Knoblouch as 1504.)
Other books include tours and road books by Arthur Aikin, John Cary, etc., and books on agriculture, natural history and topography, mainly English.
A collection of engraved prints relating to fishing and including two copies of ’ The Angler’s Companion’, engraved by G. Hudson, 1883, and printed on silk (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
LLANABER VESTRY BOOK
1949071
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr R Llewelyn Owen, Barmouth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Llanaber, Merioneth, vestry minute book, 1812-23 (NLW MS 16474D).

CYSEGR CHURCH, RHEWL
1949072
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend D J Peregrine, B.A., B.D., on behalf of Cysegr Congregational Church, Rhewl, Mostyn.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
The baptismal register of the church, 1832-73, with some entries to 1900 (NLW MS 16790E).

N PICTON
1949073
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr N Picton, Ardrossan.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Mynegai
Efrog Newydd

'THE INDUSTRIES OF WALES'
1949074
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Howell Prosser, F.R.I.B.A., Llandaff.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
'The Industries of Wales. A Bi-lingual Reading Book being a Historical, Statistical and Descriptive account of the various Industries of the Principality by Jno. E. Thomas, C E. A holograph manuscript (NLW MS 15229C).

EDWARD ROBERTS ('IORWETH GLAN ALED')
1949075
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend Canon J Richards Pugh, B.A., Carmarthen.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
The original manuscript of a translation into Welsh by Edward Roberts ('Iorwerth Glan Aled') of John Clare's poem 'The Thrush's Nest' (NLW MS 14980C).

N S E PUGLEY
1949076

Evocaciones bolivianas, by Morfudd Rees, the daughter of the donor. La Paz, Bolivia, 1949 (Dept of Printed Books).

A work by the donor entitled La Paz: album fotografico, containing reproductions of photographs of the city of La Paz and of scenes in the surrounding countryside, with a descriptive account in Spanish and English.

A vaccination register for the sub-district of Saint Clears, Carmarthen, 1871-4 (NLW MS 16919F).

A testimonial to Rev Thomas Davies on leaving Nerquis, 1878, with subscribers' names, and correspondence relating to his duties as chaplain in Cardiff prison (NLW MS 12225C).

A work by the donor entitled La Paz: album fotografico, containing reproductions of photographs of the city of La Paz and of scenes in the surrounding countryside, with a descriptive account in Spanish and English.
An account book of the Cil-yr-ychen lime works, Llandebie, between R. Kyrke Penson and John Job, for 1873 (NLW MS 14988C); and a copy of the will of David Hughes, Llangendeirne, 1854 (NLW Deeds 1156).

Mynegai
Llangendeirne, Llandebie.

'ENGLYNION' TO JOHN WILLIAMS
1949081
Ffynhonnell / Source
Dr J W N Roberts, Criccieth, per Mr W J Hemp, M.A., F.S.A., Criccieth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
'Englynion' to John Williams, surgeon, of Plas Hen and of Tynewydd, Llanystumdwy, written by O. W. Thomas, Maentwrog, 1826, and Ellis Owen, Cefnymeusyd, 1844 (NLW MS 14980C).

DOLGELLAU CRICKET CLUB
1949082
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs T H Roberts, Dolgelley.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

WELSH CALVINISTIC METHODIST CHURCH, BURY
1949083
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr T O Roberts, Manchester.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A statistical account, 1873-91 (NLW MS 16924E), and the Treasurer's Book, 1891-1918 (NLW MS 16925E), of the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church at Bury, Lancashire, with a brief account of the history of the church and of its closure, 24 June 1948.

PEDIGREE OF THOMAS SPENCER
1949084
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs W P Rowlands, Machynlleth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A pedigree roll, compiled by William Llyn or one of his pupils, showing the descent of Thomas Spencer from Cadell, Cadwaladr Fendigaid, Bleddyn ap Cynfyn, Gruffydd ap Cynan, and Simon de Montford (NLW Rolls 6).

HENRY E HUNTINGTON LIBRARY
1949085
Ffynhonnell / Source
Three publications issued by the Library in 1949 entitled (a) Lincoln and the Baltimore Plot, 1861, by Norma B. Cuthbert, (b) Apron full of gold: the letters of Mary Jane Megquire, 1849-56, by Robert Glass Cleland, and (c) Catalogue of the music in the Huntington Library printed before 1801, by Edythe N. Backus (Dept of Printed Books).

J DYFNALLT OWEN
1949086
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Tabernacle Welsh Congregational Church, Shrewsbury, per The Reverend J Dyfnallt Owen, M.A., Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Minute books of church meetings and committees, 1858-64 (NLW MS 16565B), and of Sunday School teachers' meetings, 1879-96 (NLW MS 16568B); ledgers and financial statements, 1845-60, 1878-82 (NLW MS 16564D); building fund accounts, 1860-1 (NLW MS 16566B); and printed reports, 1862, 1866 and 1870 (NLW MS 16567B).

KEMEYS TYNTE
1949087
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Somerset County Council, Taunton.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
About eighty-two deeds and documents ranging from 1586 to 1851 and relating to the counties of Brecknock and Glamorgan. They include deeds relating to properties in the parishes of Aberdare, Caerau, Canton, Eglwysilan, Llanfairfan, Llandaff, Llanedern, Llanfabon, Llanishen, Llanwonno, Leckwith, Lisvane, Machen, Merthyr Dyfan, Merthyr Tydfil, Michaelston y Fedw otherwise Lanvedow, Penmark, Pentyrch, Roath, Rudry, St Andrews, St George, St John's (Cardiff), Welch St Donats and Wenvoe, and the town of Cardiff, co. Glamorgan, and the parish of Llanfeigan, co. Brecknock, a list of members of the Breconshire Society, 1766; an account of the estate of Sir Charles Kemeys Tynte, bart., in co. Brecknock; estreats from the court rolls of the manor of Penmark, 1678-82, wills of Lady Mary Kemeys, 1699, Sir Charles Kemeys 1703, Mary Thomas of Penmark, 1722, and Mary Horton of Penmark, 1736; a fragment of a rental of lands in (?) Dowlais, late 17th century; and a document relating to the refusal to institute a non-Welsh-speaking presentee to the incumbency of Michaelston-y-Fedw, 1851.
These documents were presented in pursuance of an agreement between the National Library of Wales and the Somerset County Council to exchange Somerset items from the Wharton Collection for Welsh documents excluding those of Monmouthshire interest.
Mynegai
Aberdâr, Merthyr Tudful, Llanfedw, Penmarc, Llanfeigan, Llandaf, Llysfaen, Caerdydd.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

ALFRED SOTHEBY
1949088
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Alfred Sotheby, Guildford.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of 'Magna Carta', 1215, engraved on parchment, with coloured coats of arms, by J. Pine from an original in the Cottonian Library, 9 May 1733 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

ARCHIBALD SPARKE
1949089
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A number of bibliographical and biographical works by the donor (Dept of Printed Books). Mr Sparke, formerly librarian of the Bolton Public Libraries, was born at Cardiff and was for a time a member of the staff of the Cardiff Public Library.
Mynegai
Caerdydd

NASSAU SENIOR
1949090
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs St Loe Strachey, Penrhyndeudraeth.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Journals of tours by Nassau William Senior (1790-1864) in France, Italy, Greece, Egypt, Asia Minor, Scotland and Ireland. The journal of the Irish tour in 1852 contains an account of his journey through Wales.
Notes of lectures delivered by N. W. Senior as professor of political economy at Oxford (1826-52).
Memoranda, notes and correspondence relating to Senior's public work and other interests including the Poor Law Amendment Act (1834), Irish Education and Trade Unionism, the Constabulary (1862), and the Commission on Hand Loom Weavers (1841); an account of Jenny Lind (1849); a history of the French Revolution of 1848; and reviews of Scott's Waverley Novels.
Correspondence and papers of various members of the Senior family from 1764 to 1907. Letters to Mrs M. C. M. Senior (N. W. Senior's daughter) include autograph letters of W. M. Thackeray, Robert Browning, C. L. Dodgson ('Lewis Carroll') and Oscar Wilde.
Diaries of Mrs M. C. Senior (wife of N. W. Senior), 1830-82.
A typescript copy of Mrs St Loe Strachey's unpublished biography of her grandfather, Nassau W. Senior, entitled 'Victorian Meridian', together with typescript notes, memoranda and extracts made by Mrs Strachey.
Photographic prints of portraits of the donor's mother, Mrs Charles Simpson, and grandfather, Nassau William Senior (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Mynegai
Rhydychen
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

ITHEL THOMAS
1949091
Ffynhonnell / Source
Captain Ithel Thomas, Carmarthen.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Five works (Dept of Printed Books), including a copy of A Discourse of Constancy, by Justus Lipsius, London, 1654. This is the second English edition of the work, which was originally written in Latin. The first English edition, translated by Sir John Stradling, was published in 1595. The second edition was translated by 'R.G.', MA, of London.
HISTORY OF TESTIMONIAL TO H ELVET LEWIS (‘ELFED’)
1949092
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J R Thomas, Dollis Hill, London.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Two copies, one of which is bound in full leather, of the booklet which relates the history of the national testimonial to Rev Dr H. Elvet Lewis (‘Elfed’), 1948 (Dept of Printed Books).

JOHN PUGH, MONTYGIDO
1949093
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs M E Thomas and Family, Llanarth, Cardiganshire.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
About fifteen volumes from the library of Rev John Pugh, of Motygido, a celebrated clergyman and schoolmaster and an ancestor of the donors (Dept of Printed Books). The books are interesting not only from a bibliographical point of view, many of them being printed in London before 1640, but also as examples of the text books and reference books used by a clergyman in a remote part of Wales in the late eighteenth century. Besides editions of Greek and Latin authors, there are Latin manuals on such subjects as theology, logic, history and physics. John Pugh's encyclopaedia was the Latin encyclopaedia compiled by Johann Heinrich Alsted (1630). Notebooks, 1709-96, containing entries relating to John Pugh's school at Motygido, lists of pupils, lists of books lent, particulars of payments to John Pugh for serving curacies, genealogical memoranda of the Pugh family, farm and household accounts, lists of churchwardens of Llanarth, 1759-64, notes of sermons, and notes of a journey to Hereford by John Pugh, 1762, extracts from printed books (NLW MSS 14946-7B, 14948A, 14949D, 14950E); an assize rental of the commote of Kaerwedros, 1635, lists of the inhabitants of the parishes of Llandissiliogogo and Llanllwchaiarn, 1789-93, and presentments for the manor of Kaerwedros, 1794-5 (NLW MS 14950E).
Mynegai
Caerwedros, Henffordd

SIR LEONARD TWISTON-DAVIES
1949094
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A large group of deeds and miscellaneous documents almost entirely associated with the legal practice of Messrs Powles and Tyler of Monmouth. It consists of:

II. About 900 miscellaneous documents relating to Monmouth parliamentary elections, and particularly to petitions against the election of Benjamin Hall of Llanover, later Baron Llanover, made in 1831 by Henry Somerset, Marquis of Worcester, and later 7th Duke of Beaufort, and in 1835 by Joseph Bailey, junior, of Glanusk Park, co. Brecon. The documents include minutes of evidence before the House of Commons Committee on the Monmouth Election Petition, July 1831; minutes of evidence before a similar committee on the Worcester City Election Petition, April 1835; briefs, and cases and counsel's opinions; autograph and draft letters to and from Messrs Powles and Tyler, Arthur Wyatt, Troy House, chief steward to the Duke of Beaufort, George R. New, solicitor, Newport, etc.; poll books; lists of voters and of voters objected to; overseers' lists; vouchers and accounts, etc.

Cases, pleas, affidavits, etc., in actions relating to alleged irregularities in the appointment of mayor, bailiff; and burgesses for the borough of Monmouth, 1819-27; accounts, autograph letters, vouchers, etc., relating to the administration of the estate of James Haffenden of Clearwell, parish of Newland, co. Gloucester, including the tithes of the rectory of Newland, 1813-41, and of the estate of John Jones, ironmonger, of Monnow Street, Monmouth, 1852-82; and printed and draft sale posters and conditions of sale, and plans of properties in Llanbadoc, Llancayo, Llandenny, Llanfihangel Ystern Llewern, Llangewy, Llangover, Llanishen, Llantilio Cressenny, Llantilio Pertholey, Mamhilad, Monmouth, Penrose, Redbrook (including the Lower Red Brook Tin Works), Sketty, Trefare, Trevethin, and Usk, co. Monmouth, Gelligaer, co. Glamorgan, Goodrich, co. Hereford, and English Bicknor, co. Gloucester, 1843-54, and of shares in the Monmouth Gas and Water Company, Ltd., 1882.

A file of papers, correspondence, lists of voters, revision papers, candidates' addresses, posters, etc., relating to the Monmouthshire county parliamentary election, 1847.

A copy of The Monmouthshire Merlin, 17 July 1847.

Miscellaneous publications of the SPCK, 1766-89; An Act for paving the footways . . . in the town of Monmouth, [1818], and other pamphlets.


A collection of catalogues and guides to art exhibitions in various European countries.

A framed water-colour drawing of a bird by Sydenham Teak Edwards (? 1769-1819), Monmouthshire artist, illustrator of The Botanical Register, etc. (Dept of Pictures and Maps)

Plans of the proposed Monnow Valley Railway, 1865-6, and of the lands held by the Maesteg Iron Company, 1844.

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SIR LEONARD AND LADY TWISTON-DAVIES

1949095

Ffynhonnell / Source
Sir Leonard and Lady Twiston-Davies, Rockfield Park, Monmouth.
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Disgrifiad / Description
Lady Twiston-Davies presented numbers one to twelve, 1909-10, of the 'Broadsides' printed and published by the Cuala Press, Dublin (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Founded in 1903 and originally named the Dun Emer Press, the printing work was superintended from the outset by Miss Elizabeth Corbet Yeats and was started to give a chance to Irish girls to do good work. The Cuala Press has published a number of books, all of the same size on pure rag paper (not hand-made) produced specially in Ireland for the Press, and in addition between 1908 and 1915, it has issued over 100 'Broadsides'.
Sir Leonard presented twenty-two numbers of the 'Broadsides', 1913-14 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
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Iwerddon.

HERBERT M VAUGHAN
1949096
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Charles G Vaughan, Tenby.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of booklets and pamphlets from the library of his brother, the late Herbert M. Vaughan, MA, FSA, some of which are re-prints or off-prints of articles of Welsh interest originally published in English periodicals (Dept of Printed Books).
A threequarter length, seated, portrait in oils of Mr Herbert M. Vaughan by Ruth Foster, 1919 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
A silver inkstand which was exhibited at the Paris Exhibition, c. 1862, and which was a wedding gift to the donor's mother (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON
1949097
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Department of State, Washington, D.C.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

W RHYS WATKIN MSS
1949098
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs E Watkin-Jones, Blaenau Ffestiniog.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Manuscripts and books from the library of her father, the late Rev W. Rhys Watkin, MA, Llanelly (NLW MSS 17242-302).
The manuscripts consist of:
1. Personal manuscripts of W. R. Watkin, including Llawlyfr Undeb Bedyddwyr Cymru, 1891-1940, 1942-5, with diary entries, notebooks and unbound papers containing sermons, sermon notes and addresses, memoranda and notes of lectures attended by him ; and an incomplete catalogue of manuscripts in his possession, 1933 (NLW MS 17279B).
2. Records acquired by W. R. Watkin ex officio. These include a minute book and an attendance register of the Literary Committee of the National Eisteddfod held at Llanelly, 1930 (NLW MSS
17283C, 17284A), together with a mass of autograph letters to W. R. Watkin, unsuccessful compositions submitted for competition, adjudications, etc. (NLW MS 17270D), a minute book of the Baptist Social Service League of Wales, 1911-15 (NLW MS 17252B); replies to a questionnaire, 1925, circulated by the Carmarthenshire and Cardiganshire Baptist Association, with a view to compiling evidence for the Welsh Language Commission (NLW MS 17269C); replies to a questionnaire, 1933, circulated by the Historical Committee of the Carmarthenshire and Cardiganshire Baptist Association, relating to church records, histories, and plate (NLW MS 17255D); autograph letters, 1910-45 (NLW MS 17270D); and a few contributions received for publication in Seren Gorner.

3. Manuscripts collected by W. R. Watkin. In this group are original and other records of Welsh Baptist historical interest, principally from the libraries of Rev R. E. Williams, pastor successively at Cwmavon, Castle Street (London), and Pembrey, and Rev Hugh Jones, pastor successively at Soar (Ffrwdamws, Penygraig), Blaenywaun, and Bethel (Llanell). They consist of a group of records relating to Baptist matters in London, and particularly to Eldon Street, Moorfields (afterwards Aldgate), Welsh Baptist Church, including a collection book of ‘The Baptist Missionary Society for the Scattered Welsh Population of London’, 1857-71 (NLW MS 17286B), account books and vouchers of Moorfields Church, 1817-71 (NLW MSS 17242E, 17243-4C, 17245B, 17246A), a draft history of the church by R. E. Williams, autograph letters to R. E. Williams, 1901-5, and printed matter (NLW MS 17247D); autograph letters to Hugh Jones, Llanell, 1896-1921 (NLW MS 17265B), and other records relating to some former pastors of Blaenywaun Baptist Church (NLW MS 17265B), including a preaching journal, 1816-29 (NLW MS 17257B), account and collection books, 1845-72, diaries, 1846-73 (NLW MS 17263A), sermon notes (NLW MSS 17258B, 17259A, 17261-2B), an autobiography of Rev Richard Davies (‘Yr Hen Belican’) (NLW MS 17260B) and a volume of statistics, 1822-34, kept by him, relating to Sunday and Singing Schools at St. Dogmaels, Soan, and Penuel (Cemais) (NLW MS 17264B), an account book of Soar, Ffrwdamws, Baptist Church, 1843-58 (NLW MS 17250B); account books of Bwlehyriw Baptist Church, 1867-1914 (NLW MS 17248A, 17249B); a minute book of the Glamorgan Baptist Association and Quarterly Meeting, 1848-74 (NLW MS 17253C); a volume of membership statistics of each individual church in the Carmarthenshire and Cardiganshire Baptist Association, 1888-98 (NLW MS 17254D); an essay by William Harry, Llanmorlais, on ‘The History of the Baptists at Penclawdd . . .’, 1891 (NLW MS 17251D); ‘Adgofion am y Llwyni a Thomas Hopkin a’r Capel’ by T. C. Evans (‘Cadrawd’), 1908 (NLW MS 17266C), ‘Hen Atgofion Mr William Williams (‘Gwilym Oswald’), Croesoswallt am Eglwys y Bedyddwyr Penycae’ (NLW MS 17266C), and a typescript list of manuscripts of Rev Thomas Shankland in the library of the University College of North Wales, Bangor; ‘The Trinidad MSS.’, being manuscripts from the library of William Williams, Baptist missionary at San Fernando Trinidad (NLW MS 17267D); volumes and unbound papers containing sermons in Welsh and English by various Baptist ministers; manuscripts from the library of Thomas Jones, ship’s captain, of Milford, afterwards harbour master and Lloyd’s agent at Llanell (NLW MSS 17287-302D); an account and minute book of the Cwmaman Auxiliary Bible Society, 1843-80 (NLW MS 17256C), a diary, 1866, of Rev Thomas E. Evans, Congregational minister at Rhosllannerchrugog and Ruabon and afterwards at Manchester (NLW MS 17272A), and an autobiography begun in 1859 (NLW MS 17271A), a notebook of Thomas Davies, Bwlehyriw, containing memoranda, copies of family letters, etc., 1846-93 (NLW MS 17275A); a diary of David Samuel, Neath, 1896 (NLW MS 17276A); a catalogue of Welsh books and books relating to Wales [by Rev Ludwig Lewis, Presbyterian minister, Swansea] (NLW MS 17279B); a volume of Welsh poems, 1872-9, by Owen Rees (‘Bardd Degwel’), St Dogmaels, in the hand of ‘Glan Dudoch’ (NLW MS 17278A); a scrapbook relating to the West Glamorgan parliamentary election, 1888; a scrapbook, c. 1858-61, of Edward William Brown (afterwards Bolney), Vice-Principal of the South Wales Training College and Vicar of Sketty, a volume of English poems in the hand of, and partly by, Charles Serle Evans, Cwm Avon Office, 1841-3 (NLW MS 17277A); miscellaneous Welsh prose and poetry composed for eisteddfodau, miscellaneous addresses and articles, rentals of the executors and trustees of Thomas Williams, surgeon, deceased, in Glamorgan and elsewhere, 1813-19; etc. (NLW MS 17282E)

The printed material consists of 210 volumes, with numerous pamphlets and leaflets, principally of theological interest, in Welsh, English, Latin, German, French and Breton (Dept of Printed Books). A large proportion bears particularly on the Baptist denomination. The earliest book in the collection is Cornucopiae seu Latinae linguse commentarii, by Nicolaus Perottus, Archbishop of Siponto printed in Basle in 1526. The inside cover is inscribed ‘for Sr Garth of Christ’s college’, and the title-page has a note in Latin by ‘S. Smythes Rectr de Reston australi ao salutis, 1678’. There are a number of interesting seventeenth-century books, including works by Christopher Love and among the eighteenth-century books is a volume of engravings by Christoph Weigel of the dress of officials and

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J B WILLANS
1949099
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J Bancroft Willans, F.S.A., Kerry.
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Disgrifiad / Description
A minute book of the Commissioners of the Land and Assessed Taxes for the Upper Division of the hundred of Montgomery, 1829-77, and of the Commissioners of the Property and Income Tax, 1842-90 (NLW MS 15074D).
A number of sale catalogues of estates in Montgomeryshire and Shropshire and copies of catalogues of art exhibitions and of annual reports of art galleries, etc., useful in filling gaps in the Library's existing collections (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
A collection of photographs of Radnorshire churches, taken by the donor c. 1906 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

C P WILLIAMS
1949100
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr C P Williams, Wrexham.
Bwyydwyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of musical compositions by the donor - twenty hymn tunes; ' Menevia ', a piano concerto; four country dances; ' Owain Lawgoch ' for mixed choir and orchestra; ' At Valle Crucis Abbey '; an Easter Fantasy; ' Maelor ', a suite for a small orchestra; and ' Symphony in C '.
Mynegai
Owain ap Thomas ap Rhodri.

LLANUWCHLLYN FRIENDLY SOCIETY
1949101
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs David Williams, Llanuwchllyn.
Bwyydwyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Records of the Llanuwchllyn Male Friendly Society:- minute books, 1840-3, 1867, 1877-89, 1889-1907, 1911-15; contribution books, 1845-70, 1862-1923; lists of members, 1845, 1847-91; cash books, 1838-62, 1901-43; records of payments, 1838-9, 1854, 1876-86, 1923-43; records of receipts, 1840-1, 1843-5, 1851-5, 1876-87, 1934-7; balance sheets, 1839-40, 1888-1900, 1902-26 an account of money laid out at interest, 1846-75; rules of the society, 1838, 1855, 1868, 1876, 1887, 1908, with amendments; reports on valuation of liabilities and assets, 1914, 1918, 1922; a scheme made under the National Insurance Act of 1911, and records of the distribution of surplus funds, 1937.

WELSH INTER-COLLEGE EISTEDDFOD
TORIEL WILLIAMS

1949103
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend J Toriel Williams, Seven Sisters.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Further original manuscripts of the donor's hymns and poems.

J TUDNO WILLIAMS

1949104
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend J Tudno Williams, M.A., Llandudno.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Diaries, 1842-83, kept by Morris Prichards (NLW MS 14972A); an account of Siloh CM Chapel, Llandudno, to 1858, by Benjamin Williams (NLW MSS 14971B, 14973B); correspondence relating to Hugh Hughes, artist (NLW MS 14974A); and notes of sermons preached in Manchester, 1871 (NLW MS 14975A).

EVAN EVANS, TAI NEWYDDION

1949105
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs M Williams, Penygroes.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A biographical account of the late W. H. Williams, Mynydd Llandegai, written by the donor's father, Evan Evans, Tai Newyddion (NLW MS 14915D).

BETHANIA BAPTIST CHURCH, CYNWYD

1949106
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Margaret E Williams, B.A., Cynwyd.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Records of Bethania Baptist Church, Cynwyd, the original church book, 1832-43, with letters by Robert Ellis ('Cynddelw'), 1872, and Edward Evans, 1875-7 (NLW MS 15182B), and a treasurer's book, 1916-41 (NLW MS 15183D).
Sermon notes by Rev W. Samuel, Liverpool (NLW MSS 15184A, 15185B).
Mynegai
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MARY WILLIAMS
1949107
Ffynhonnell / Source
Professor Mary Williams, M.A., D.U.P., London and Durham.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of approximately 2,500 books, together with a large number of pamphlets and periodicals
(Dept of Printed Books). Many of the books and periodicals are of Welsh interest, and copies of most
of these were already in the Library. The donor, however, gave the Librarian absolute discretion in
regard to the duplicates. There are some 750 volumes, mostly unbound, as published, of French plays
and novels, as well as a representative selection of books on French literature and philology and some
on the history and topography of France. There are some books in other modern European languages,
especially German.
A further miscellaneous collection of books, pamphlets and periodicals from the library of the late Dr
G. Arbour Stephens (Dept of Printed Books). The pamphlets are of a very varied nature, including
reports of, and addresses delivered at, medical conferences, local topographical guides, and
publications on the political and social problems in which Dr Arbour Stephens was particularly
interested. Many of the books and periodicals are of Welsh interest and copies of most of these also
were already in the Library. Here, too, the donor gave the Librarian absolute discretion to dispose of
such duplicates to the best possible advantage.
A large and varied collection of prints, drawings and photographs, a feature of which is the large
number of oriental prints, woodcuts, and costume prints (Dept of Pictures and Maps). It includes about
200 Japanese prints and modern reproductions of the work of eighteenth and nineteenth century
Japanese artists, among them being some by Hiroshige, Hokusai, Kunisada, Kuniyoshi, Toyokuni and
Utamaro; several volumes illustrated with reproductions of the work of similar artists; several series of
Japanese and Chinese costume prints; one eighteenth-century and seven nineteenth-century Chinese
woodcuts; and two unsigned Persian prints.
The more general section of the collection includes several items of topographical interest, among
them being oil-paintings, water-colour and pen-and-ink drawings, and photographs of Welsh and other
scenes, an aquatint of Chepstow Castle by Paul Sandby (1775), and a line-engraving of Swansea Castle
by Godfrey after Sandby (1775); miscellaneous engravings by Bartolozzi, Hullmandel and others;
engraved portraits of eminent divines, and various group photographs; a selection of lantern slides,
including sixteen of specimens of Swansea china; etc.
Mynegai
Abertawe

R R WILLIAMS
1949108
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend R R Williams, M.A., Chester.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Twelve deeds (1767-1830) relating to Caemarian tanhouse, Dolgelley (NLW Deeds 360-71).
A holograph copy of the poem 'Y Gennad' by Dr Thomas Gwynn Jones (NLW MS 14918B); and a
letter by Max Muller, 1868 (NLW MS 14350A).
A miscellaneous collection of Welsh booklets and periodicals (Dept of Printed Books). All the latter,
including issues of The University College of Wales Magazine, 1892-95, Y Gread (Theological
College, Aberystwyth), school magazines issued by the Bala (Boys and Girls), Dolgelley, and Towyn
County Schools, etc., were required to complete the files in the National Library.
Mynegai
Dolgellau, Tywyn

LLANGOLLEN CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL
A deed relating to the old Congregational chapel at Llangollen, 1816 (NLW Deeds 379).

Typescript accounts of 'Tyddyn Seiper', 'Syr Thomas Powell', 'Dinas', and 'A Tithe Dispute', being contributions by the donor to the history of the parish of Llanwnda, Caernarvonshire.

Poems, in typescript, composed by John Parry Jones, Llandwrog; and correspondence relating to the descendants of Richard Farrington.

A volume of sermon notes by William Robert Davies, Dowlais, 1843-4 (NLW MS 19568A); a miscellaneous collection of Welsh books, pamphlets and reports, relating mainly to the Baptists, including church reports, etc. (Baptist Records, Mrs W T Lloyd Williams); and three group photographs of staff and students at the Baptist College and the University College of North Wales at Bangor, 1917-23 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

 Copies of Welsh verses by Thomas Tayler, Merthyr, Tomos Dafydd Miles, Howel William, Aberffrwd, Rees Evans, Toncoch, Mountain Ash, etc.

Records of the South African War Fund of the county of Merioneth, 1914-46, consisting of correspondence, account books and vouchers.
YALE
1949114
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Eleanor Yale, Llanbedrog.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Five documents (1806-55) relating to properties in the parish of Llanfair, co. Merioneth.

HOWELL LLOYD DAVIES
1949115
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
The collection formed by the late Howell Lloyd Davies, Ruabon, consisting of over 2,500 volumes (Dept of Printed Books). It contains dictionaries of all kinds and of many languages, of proverbs, quotations, place-names, surnames, synonyms, etc., as well as of words. English dictionaries predominate-- there is probably a copy of every English dictionary of any value or interest from the earliest times to the present day. It is doubtful whether so complete a collection exists outside the British Museum or the Bodleian Library.

The collection includes a large number of dialect glossaries, very many seventeenth and eighteenth century books on English grammar, and numerous spelling-books, most of the latter in good condition. Johnsonian books are not numerous, but among them are Johnson's copy of Walton's Life of Sanderson marked by him for dictionary purposes, The Plan of a Dictionary (1747, 4to, the non-Chesterfield variant), and a good copy of the Dictionary itself. Very few books marked by Johnson have survived. There are also books of general interest. Particular mention may be made of Statutes from Henry III to Henry VIII (1543); Holinshed's Chronicles (1587); Hobbes's Leviathan (1651); Evelyn's Sylva and Worledge's Husbandry, and, to come down to modern times, first editions of Newman. There are, too, some collectors' books, Vale and Nonesuch Press publications, and several of C. E. Montagu's works in first or special editions.

There are complete, well-bound sets of the publications of the Philological Society, the Bibliographical Society, the SPE Tracts, and the English Dialect Society.

There is also a specimen of an eighteenth-century ivory horn-book (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Manuscript material in the collection includes an early eighteenth-century volume of materials for a dictionary of English words (nlw ms 15194B); an early eighteenth century volume of materials for a dictionary of general information (NLW MS 15195D); thirty-five folios of materials for a dictionary of words and expressions, arranged alphabetically from A to S, compiled by Anthony Allen (d. 1754), lawyer and antiquary, Master in Chancery (DNB I, 302), with about ninety-six loose documents containing similar materials, and a description of the manuscript by Howell Davies (NLW MS 15196D); two volumes containing about 150 papers of John Hutton (? 1740-1806), author, and vicar of Burton in Kendal, Westmorland (DNB, XXVIII, 356) (NLW MSS 15197-8C); a volume of medical and culinary recipes belonging to Mary Owen, 1712 (NLW MS 15193D); autograph draft notes by George Borrow on 'Wales' and 'The Welsh Language', and on some points of comparative philology (NLW MS 15199B); a draft review by Professor H. C. Wyld of A Survey of English Dictionaries, Oxford Univ. Press, 1934, by M. M. Mathews (NLW MS 15200C), and notes on manuscript dictionaries, with extracts therefrom, compiled by Howell Davies (NLW MS 15201C).

JACOBITE CYCLE CLUB & TOUR
1949116
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Minute books, 1770-1864, of the Jacobite Cycle Club of North Wales with circular rosters (NLW MSS 14941-2C), a copy of a Club card dated 23 January 1722; and a list of persons who promised to dine at the house of Joseph and Ann Furnivall in Overton on Wednesdays before full moon, 1760-74 (NLW MS 14943D).
A diary of a tour in South Wales, 1781 (NLW MS 14978B).

J R HUGHES
1949117
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
300 original, copy and draft deeds, abstracts of title, sale catalogues, and posters, 1672-1919, relating to properties in Aberdare, Bridgend, Kadoxton-iuxta-Barr, Caerphilly, Cardiff, Cogan, Corntown, Dinas Powis, Eglwysilan, Ely, Kibbor, Lockwith, Lisvane, Loughor, Llanblethian, Llancarvan, Llandaff, Llandough-iuxta-Penarth, Llanedern, Llanfabon, Llangyfelach, Llangynwyd, Llanishen, Llansamlet, Llantrisant, Llantwit Vardre, Llanwonno, Merthyr Dovan, Merthyr Tydfil, Newcastle, Newton Nottage, Oystermouth, Penarth, Pendoylan, Pentycroch, Penyfai, Peterston-super-Ely, Porthcawl, Radyr, Roath, St Andrews, St Brides Major, St Brides-super-Ely, St Fagans, St George-super-Ely, St Johns-iuxta-Swansea, South Cornely, Sully, Swansea, Whitchurch and Ystradyfodwg, co. Glamorgan; Abertillery, Bassaleg, Bedwas, Coedkernew, Machen, Marshfield, Newport, Peterstone, Rumney, St Brides, and St Mellons, co. Monmouth; Cilycem, Conwilgaoo, Llandilofawr, Llandarog, Llandeusant, Llanybydder, Llanegwad, Llanfihangel Cilfargen, Llanfynyodd, Llangadoock, Llangathen, Llanawrda and Pencarreg, co. Carmarthen; Brecon, Llangammarch, and Llanwrydtyd; co. Brecknock; and Lampeter Vefrey, co. Pembroke. They include five estreats of the manors of Cogan Fleming and Rumney, 1778, and Rumney, 1856-74; documents relating to lead mines in Cilycem, 1789, coal mines under Nythbrân, Hafod Ucha, and Hafod Fawr, parish of Llanwonno, and Gelliwhion and Llan Farm, parish of Llantrisant, 1855-62, the Abertillery Tin Works, 1869, and the Clyngwyn Colliery in Bedwas and Machen, 1874; and releases by the Commissioners of the Cardiff Heaths Enclosure, 1800-2.

150 miscellaneous papers. They include papers relating to Esghairmein Ganol, parish of Caron, co. Cardigan, 1777-98; bills of costs in actions in the Consistory Courts of the archdeaconries of Carmarthen and Brecon relating respectively to the non-payment of a legacy, 1803-5, and the subtraction of tithes, 1811; papers in actions in the Consistory Court of the Archdeaconry of Carmarthen relating to the payment of a rate levied for the repair of St Mary's Church, Tenby, 1809-12; papers in an action against the Company of Proprietors of the Glamorganshire Canal Navigation touching the locks erected to take water to the Melin-griffith and Pentyrch Iron and Tinplate Works, 1810; letters to and from John Philipps, solicitor, Llandilo, and other papers relating to Waingron, parish of Lampeter Vefrey, co. Pembroke, 1831-3; certificates of transfer of shares in the Cardiff Water Works Company, 1861; a deputation of the Cardiff Theatre Company, 1914; and an undated list of officers of the 44th Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Battalion of Militia.

1,100 business letters addressed to, and vouchers of, Messrs Wood and Sons solicitors, Cardiff, Messrs. Dalton, Spencer, and Corbett, Cardiff, John Brown and Charles Brown, solicitors, Cardiff, John Philipps, solicitor, Llandilo, etc., 1787-1905. The writers include C. R. M. Talbot, Margam, 1838, John Nicholl, M.P., Merthyr Mawr, 1838-45, Henry Hey Knight, Neath, 1845, Griffith Llewellyn, Baglan Hall, 1845, and A. J. Gulston, Llwynyberllan, Llangadoock, 1850. The outstanding items among them are two letters written in [1787] by Edward Williams (‘Iolo Morganwg’), from Cardiff Gaol, proposing to mortgage his land in Rumney to liquidate his debts.

Cibwr, Llysfaen, Llanesarfan, Llandaf, Llantwit Fardre, Merthyr Tudful, Coedceniw, Llandiellowr, Nythbrân, Llandeilo, Rhymni, Aberdâr, Tregaron.

Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

KEMEYS TYNTE
1949118
Bwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Pedigree rolls of the family of Kemeys of Keven mably, 1694, of Sir Richard Cromwell, and of Tynte families; a grant of arms of Kemes and Tynte, 1785; a roll of the tenants and estates of the Earl of Pembroke in Monmouthshire; rentrolls and accounts of the Kemes Tynte estates in Wales, 1670-
1786, a poll of the freeholders of Glamorgan, 1744; the scrapbook of C. K. Tynte containing a large collection of manuscript poems relating to Wales, genealogies, broadsides and miscellaneous documents; and correspondence of the Kemeys family, 1680-1870, with letters by George, Baron Jeffreys and the Earl of Worcester, 1688.

Mynegai
Cefin Mable.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

GLYNLLIFON
1949119
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Deeds and documents relating to the Glynllifon estate, 1592-1757, rentals, 1772-86, correspondence relating to Caernarvonshire elections, 1762-1802, and letters from Thomas Coutts and others to Lord Newborough and others, 1760-1835.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

WILLS AND ADMINISTRATIONS
1949120
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Twenty-five wills and letters of administration of persons resident in Barry, Cad Stanton-iuxta-Barry, Cardiff, Dowlais, Eglwysilan, Ely, Llantrisant, Llantwit Vardre, Llanwonno, St Fagans and Whitchurch, co. Glamorgan, and Mynyddislwyn, co. Monmouth.
Mynegai
Llantwit Faerdre

SHERIFFS OF ANGLESEY ETC
1949121
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A list of sheriffs of co. Anglesey to 1764; and an unbound volume entitled 'Prince of Wales Pedigree', being a pedigree, compiled c. 1848, of British kings from the Norman Conquest.

DAWSON TURNER AND LEWIS WESTON DILLWYN
1949122
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

DIARY OF MORGAN WILLIAMS, TYNYCOED
1949123
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
The original manuscript of the diary, 1729-74, of Morgan Williams, Tynycoed, containing records of the Congregational church of Cefnarthen and Pentretygwn, together with accounts, 1774-1813, of the same church (NLW MS 14916A).

GEORGE BORROW
1949124
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A fragment of an essay on the Welsh language in the autograph of George Borrow (NLW MS 14986A).

DIARY OF THOMAS CLARKSON
1949125
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
The diary of Thomas Clarkson, 1823-4, giving an account of his travels through the United Kingdom to gain support for the Anti-Slavery Society (NLW MS 14984A). His itinerary through Wales, 28 June - 11 November 1824, is recorded. He had interviews at Chepstow, Abergavenny, Newport, Cardiff, Cowbridge, Neath, Swansea, Carmarthen, Milford, Haverfordwest, Cardigan, Llandovery, Brecon, Hay, Kington, Aberystwyth, Newtown, Leighton Hall, Shrewsbury, Chester, Wrexham, Mold, Denbigh, Ruthin, Bala, Dolgelley, Beddgelert, Caernarvon, Bangor, Abergale, and Holywell.

LETTERS OF ROBERT OWEN AND J P KEMBLE
1949126
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Autograph letters of Robert Owen, 1836 (NLW MS 14350A), and J. P. Kemble, 1812 (NLW MS 14005E).

THOMAS POWYS
1949127
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
The law note-books of Thomas Powys (NLW MSS 17323-40A).

ROBERT CORBETT ETC
1949128
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A receipt book, 1778, of the Montgomeryshire tenants of R. Corbett (NLW MS 18450E); accounts of the bailiff to the Leighton estate, 1815-39 (NLW MS 18451D); a description of North Bradford, Salop (Dept of Printed Books); the journal of Joseph Corbett of Longnor, 1815-16 (NLW MS 18455B); a Longnor account book, 1769-74 (NLW MS 18454B); information and complaints taken upon oath before the archdeacon of Salop, 1793-1827 (NLW MS 18452D); and a survey of the estates of Robert Corbett in the parishes of Cardington, Fordsley and Condover, 1794 (NLW MS 18453C).
COMMONPLACE BOOK
1949129
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A commonplace book compiled at Altyrodyn, Cardiganshire, 1770 (NLW MS 14990F).

GEORGE BORROW
1949130
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Autograph manuscripts of George Borrow - ' My dainty dame ' translated from a ' cywydd ' by Dafydd ap Gwilym, and a note on the Welsh language (NLW MS 16355B).

ROXBURGH CLUB
1949131
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

VIKING ANTIQUITIES IN GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND
1949132
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Viking antiquities in Great Britain and Ireland. Edited by Haakon Shetelig. 5 parts, Oslo, 1940 (Dept of Printed Books). This work is the result of a thorough investigation, instituted by the Scientific Research Fund of 1919, of all Viking remains in the British Isles. Norwegian archaeologists were appointed to collect material on the spot, and these, aided by some of the leading British archaeologists, were able to compile a complete record of Viking archaeology in these islands as well as of all reminiscences of the Vikings surviving in tradition and folklore. The fifth volume deals with British antiquities of the Viking period in Norway.

THE LETTERS OF HORACE WALPOLE ETC
1949133
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

ACROSS THE YEARS: THE LURE OF EARLY AUSTRALIAN BOOKS
1949134

A series of articles on various aspects of Australian literature and book collecting, including a history and description of some notable public and private collections, illustrated with reproductions of early watercolours and other paintings, portraits and photographs of documents and title-pages. There is a brief but interesting account of Thomas Richards, who was born at Dolgelley in 1800 and, after he had gained the Licentiate of the School of Apothecaries in 1823, went to Australia, where he followed various employments. He is reputed to have contributed over half the contents of the Hobart Town Magazine (1833-4) and has been referred to as ‘the father of the Tasmanian press’. None of his work has appeared in book form. It consists chiefly of essays on medical subjects, reviews, short stories and poems. One critic of Richards states that ‘he was not altogether at home in the Australian scene. He showed to better advantage in subjects placed in his home environment of Northern Wales’.

BRITISH MINIATURE PAINTERS AND THEIR WORK


The Strawberry Hill Press was established by Horatio (or Horace) Walpole, 4th Earl of Orford, and published a large number of notable books during its period of operation, 1757-89. Besides the books, this Bibliography includes lists of detached pieces printed by the Press, as well as of books hitherto ascribed to the Press but which for various reasons are now not considered to be genuine. Additional value is given to the work by the record which it contains of the prices at which copies of the productions of the Press have been sold in recent years.

LITTERATURE FRANCAISE

This well-bound volume of 488 quarto pages contains a connected account of French literature from its beginnings to the end of the seventeenth century. A second volume, on the last two and half centuries,
is due to appear soon. The work includes critical accounts of individual authors, together with
discussions of literary movements, and also contains descriptions of the social and political
background of various generations of literary figures. The hundreds of illustrations are very clearly
reproduced, and the six full-page coloured reproductions show a window of Chartres Cathedral,
illuminated mediaeval manuscripts, and a stage-scene of the Theatre Royal, dated 1670, in which
Moliere appears among a group of actors.

JOSEPH QUINCY ADAMS
1949138
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Dr Quincy Adams was the Director of the Folger Shakespeare Memorial Library, Washington, DC,
USA, from 1934 until his death in 1946. He was a distinguished Shakespearian scholar, and had
published two volumes of a complete edition of Shakespeare's works when he was appointed Director
of the Folger Shakespeare Memorial Library. On assuming that office, he abandoned this work and
devoted himself entirely to the problems of the Library - the building up of the collections, plans for
cataloguing the books and manuscripts, and the publication of reprints of unique Shakespearian
material.
His services to scholars all over the world were unique, and this volume of Elizabethan studies has
been published in his honour by Shakespearian scholars of American and other countries, colleagues of
his earlier days, former students and Folger Fellows.

JOANNES LUDOVICUS VIVES
1949139
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A very frutefull and pleasant boke called the instruction of a christen woman, by Joannes Ludovicus
There is a Welsh translation of this work in Peniarth MS 403.

EARLY ITALIAN ENGRAVING
1949140
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Early Italian Engraving: a critical catalogue with complete reproduction of all the prints described, by
Arthur Hind (Dept of Printed Books).
Part I, in four volumes, published 1938, relates to the Florentine engravings and anonymous prints of
other schools; part II, published 1948, deals with known masters other than Florentine monogrammists
and anonymous and comprises three further volumes. The set is copy 185 of a limited edition of 375
(part I) and 275 (part II) copies. Volume V is autographed by the author.

THE DIDOT PERCEVAL
1949141
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
The Didot Perceval according to the manuscripts of Modena and Paris, edited by William Roach.
The volume contains on the same pages, one above the other, the two manuscript texts of the prose
Perceval, namely Text E, Modena (Biblioteca Estense), and Text D, Paris (Bibliotheque Nationale),
together with a long critical introduction by the editor, a bibliography, textual notes, a table of proper names and a glossary.

OBSERVATIONS ON THE RIVER WYE

1949142
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of Observations on the River Wye, and South Wales . . . 1770, by William Gilpin, MA (London, 1782), with thirty-four original wash-drawings by the author (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

LANCELOT BAUGH ALLEN

1949143
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr B Wedgewood Allen, Narberth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A superbly mounted and bound album of the correspondence of Lancelot Baugh Allen, 1774-1845, warden and master of Dulwich College, selected and annotated by Francis Julia Wedgewood. The album includes letters by Horne Tooke, Sarah Wedgewood, William Vincent, dean of Westminster, Dr Samuel Parr, Sir Samuel Romilly, Lord Murray, Sir Robert Peel, Sydney Smith, Lord Gifford, Lord John Russell, Lord Lansdowne, Sir James Mackintosh, Madame de Stael, various members of the Allen family, and others, and is illustrated with prints of portraits and views and pedigree charts. A volume of water-colour sketches by Georgina Allen, 1847-9, including some Pembrokeshire scenes (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

CARDIGANSHIRE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

1949144
Ffynhonnell / Source
Cardiganshire Education Committee, per Mr J Henry Jones, M.A., Ph.D., Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description

JONES CHARITY

1949145
Ffynhonnell / Source
Messrs Eaton Evans and Morris, Haverfordwest.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A group of records of the trustees of a charity for the relief and apprenticing of poor families in the parishes of St Davids, Lawrenny, Cosheston, and Lampeter Velfrey, co. Pembroke, bequeathed by the will (1697) of John Jones, physician, of Carmarthen, and issuing from properties in the parishes of St Davids, Whitechurch-in-Dewisland, Llanhowell, and Mathry, co. Pembroke, and in the county of the borough of Carmarthen. They include:
1. An Order Book of the trustees, 1698/9-1843, with a few rentals of trust properties, 1712-20; extracts from the Order Book, 1712-1844; and draft minutes of meetings of the trustees, 1846-88.

2. About 270 autograph letters and copies of letters, 1812-1941, the majority being addressed to successive agents of the trustees, namely, Henry Rees, Haverfordwest, Richard Rees, Hilton, Haverfordwest, and Thomas Gwynne, James Summers and Henry Mathias, all of Haverfordwest. Rentals of trust properties, 1721-1855; valuations, reports and estimates of repairs, 1755-1891; petitions for assistance by individuals, 1792; details of distribution of charity, lists of recipients and receipts for payment, 1844-1903; annual statements of accounts, 1853-1903; and invoices and vouchers in respect of rates, taxes, repairs to trust properties, etc., 1856-1902.

3. About 180 title deeds of the trust properties, 1571-1934, including the original deed of trust (Feb, 1698/9), deeds of appointment of new trustees, leases, surrenders and assignments of leases, etc.

4. Miscellanea including a memorial by T. Selby, vicar of Mathry, to Sir John Philipps, Picton Castle, relating to the removal of part of the glebe land of Mathry, 1718; affidavits relating to a right of way at Caerfarchell, St Davids, 1767; claims for property and income tax allowances, 1844-71; and petitions by the ratepayers of Lampeter Velfrey, 1869, and by the managers of the British School in the parish, 1870, for assistance to the school, together with A Letter to his Parishioners giving a Short Account of the Schools in the parish of Lampeter Velfrey for the year 1868 by the Rector (Carmarthen, 1868).

5. Two volumes of manuscript maps of trust properties in co. Pembroke, the one compiled in 1746 and the other by Essex Davies in 1844, together with thirteen unbound maps compiled in 1771 (by Henry John), 1801, 1819-20 (by H.P. Goode), 1839, and c. 1865 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Disgrifiad / Description
Records of the families of Edwards, Griffith, and Philips of Rhual, Mold, co. Flint. They consist of:
Manuscript Volumes. Twenty-three volumes consisting of:- a seventeenth-century Welsh and border county armorial; a volume of extracts transcribed by Nehemiah Griffith, Rhual, 1710/11, from John Evelyn: Sylva, or a discourse of forest-trees; seven late eighteenth and early nineteenth-century scrap-albums of Thomas Griffith the younger, Rhual, and other members of the family, containing some original poems by Thomas Griffith and several poems of local interest, connected particularly with the family of Williams Wynn of Wynnstay; ten volumes of Field-Marshal Sir Alured Clarke, GCB, brother-in-law of Thomas Griffith the younger, Rhual, including copies of letters, 1784-90 and 1799-1801, written in the capacity respectively of Lieutenant-Governor of Jamaica and Commander-in-Chief, India, a general order book as Commander-in-Chief, India, 1799-1800, and six diaries, 1825-9 and 1831, a volume of letters of Major Edwin Griffith, Rhual, 1801-15, including accounts of the Peninsular War and of the preparations for the battle of Waterloo, where he was killed; a journal by Major Edwin Griffith of the campaign in Spain during the winter of 1808-9 which led up to the battle of Corunna; a particular of lands in Astley and Bedworth, co. Warwick, [1811]; and a rental of the Rhual estate in co. Flint, 1812-15.
Correspondence. About 130 autograph letters and copies and drafts of letters ranging in date from the middle of the sixteenth century to 1901. The overwhelming majority belong to the seventeenth century and are written to two members of the family, viz., Evan Edwards (ob. 1670), secretary to Richard Sackville, third Earl of Dorset, and subsequently Baron of the Court of Exchequer at Chester, and his grandson Thomas Edwards, the well-known Dissenter. The writers include Daniel Thelwall, Woodford, Essex, 1632/3-64, William Slater, Chester, 1636-70, Simon Thelwall, Gray's Inn, 1637-48, William Parry, Nantclwyd, 1640-50/1, William Griffith, Garreglwyd, 1644, Thomas Price, afterwards bishop of Cashel, 1652, Ra. Hughes, Disserth, 1659, David Lloyd, Ruthin, Dean of St Asaph, 1660-1, Brin Duppa (ob. 1662) of All Souls and Christ Church, Oxford, afterwards bishop of Winchester (undated), George Griffith, bishop of St Asaph, 1663, Mutton Davies, Gwysanney, 1666, Ambrose Lewis, Wrexham, 1684, Richard Edwards, Nanhoron, 1685, Isaac Chauncy London, 1694-6, and F. Turner, Ochor-y-Gop, 1698. Later writers include John Anstis, Garter King of Arms, 1725, Nehemiah Griffith, Rhual, 1733, Frederick Charles Philips, 1808-16, including letters from the Peninsular War, and Joseph Goodall, Provost of Eton College, 1831.
Miscellaneous Documents. About 120 documents. They include three seventeenth and eighteenth-century emblazoned pedigree rolls of the families of Edwards and Griffith of Rhual and Griffith of Pantyllongdy; papers relating to the sequestration of the estate of Evan Edwards, 1646-56; papers relating to the affairs of the Philips family in the manor of Philipsburg, co. Westchester, New York, containing a copy surrender by native proprietors of lands on Hudson's River, 1695, a survey of lands in the manor, 1770, letters patent demising the royal mines of gold and silver in the manor, 1771, and memorials of Frederick Philips the younger to the Congress or Committee of Safety of New York, 1776 and to the Commissioners for enquiring into the Losses and Services of the American Loyalists c. 1783-5; wills of members of the families of Griffith and Philip, 1700-1813; accounts of the executors of Sir Alured Clarke, 1832-6; and a few printed items, including a sale catalogue, 1832, of furniture, paintings, prints books, etc., at Plasnewydd, Llangollen, being the property of the executors of Lady Eleanor Butler and Miss Sarah Ponsonby. Some records in this group are associated with Walter Griffith, mercer, of Llanfyllin, brother-in-law of Thomas Edwards, Rhual, and, like him, a prominent Dissenter.
Deeds. About 120 title deeds, 1331-1875, relating to properties in Gwernaffield, Gwysanney, Hawarden, Hendref-biffa, Hope Medachied, Kilken, Leeswood, Maesygroes, Mold, Nerquis, Rhual, Trefcastell and Trercenf, co. Flint; Denbigh, Derwen, Eschlisham, Gyffylliog, Henllan, and Llanhaiadr in Kinmerch, co. Denbigh; Gwyddelwern, co. Merioneth; Llanfyllin and Pennant, co. Montgomery; Astley, Bedworth and Corley, co. Warwick, and in the counties of the cities of Warwick and Coventry. They include a lease of mineral rights in the manors of Hawarden, Mold and Hope, 1640; conveyances and abstracts of title of Mold and Denbigh Junction Railway, 1870; and a conveyance of a tollhouse called Bryn Griffith in Gwernaffield, 1875.
Mynegai
United States of America, Cilcaen, Llanhaiadr-yng-Nghinmeirch.
Nodiadau

A further group of Merioneth school log-books, 1863-1945, for the Barmouth, Dolgelley, and Towyn districts.

Mynegai
Dolgellau, Tywyn, Bermo.

Nodiadau
Transferred to Gwynedd RO, Dolgellau.

RICHARD JONES, LLANDINAM
1949150

A typescript copy of a dissertation on 'St Paul's Conception of the Spirit: A Study of the Usages of the term Pneuma' in the Pauline Writings together with an examination of its Historical Antecedents', for which the University College, Belfast, awarded the degree of Doctor in Divinity to the late Rev Richard Jones, Llandinam (NLW Minor Deposits 279-80B).

K L KENRICK
1949151

Papers relating to the fund raised by the Welsh community in Birmingham in 1934 for the benefit of the unemployed miners of the Rhymney valley (NLW Minor Deposits 286A); and the Treasurer's account book of 'Undeb y Brythoniaid', 1907-26 (NLW Minor Deposits 287A).

WILLIAM LE HARDY
1949152

Two documents (1695) relating to properties at Tybroughton and Bronnington, parish of Hanmer, co. Flint.

LLANFIHANGEL-AR-ARTH PARISH COUNCIL
1949153

The Llanfihangel-ar-Arth Parish Council, per Miss Mary Jones, Clerk.
A collection of records relating to the parish of Llanfihangel-ar-Arth, co. Carmarthen (St David's Parochial Records 1-36). It consists of rate books (21), September 28, 1839-April 1892, incomplete, a valuation list, July-September 1885; vestry books (2), June 17, 1800-March 25, 1828, March 30, 1831-March 6, 1899; overseers' books of receipts and payments (3), September 29, 1849-March 25, 1902; a notebook of overseers' accounts, 1878-81; a book of receipts and payments of the treasurer of the parish council, 1896-1919; parochial lists and statements of accounts (5), 1854-64; bonds of indemnity (12), February 13, 1781-June 8, 1811, from various people to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor; indentures of apprenticeship of poor children (17), 1784-91; audited balance sheets of overseers' receipts and payments (3), 1874, 1891, and 1892; certificates and complaints of chargeability of paupers (17), June 7, 1813-September 18, 1857; demand orders for, and various printed notices served upon, the guardians relating to the County and Road Rate, 1857-87; public notices (manuscript and printed) of vestry meetings, etc.; miscellaneous memoranda and receipts; and two maps.

ASTON HALL

1949154

Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Andrew Lloyd, Aston Hall, Salop, and Lyndhurst, Hants.

A collection of records relating to the parish of Llanfihangel-ar-Arth, co. Carmarthen (St David's Parochial Records 1-36). It consists of rate books (21), September 28, 1839-April 1892, incomplete, a valuation list, July-September 1885; vestry books (2), June 17, 1800-March 25, 1828, March 30, 1831-March 6, 1899; overseers' books of receipts and payments (3), September 29, 1849-March 25, 1902; a notebook of overseers' accounts, 1878-81; a book of receipts and payments of the treasurer of the parish council, 1896-1919; parochial lists and statements of accounts (5), 1854-64; bonds of indemnity (12), February 13, 1781-June 8, 1811, from various people to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor; indentures of apprenticeship of poor children (17), 1784-91; audited balance sheets of overseers' receipts and payments (3), 1874, 1891, and 1892; certificates and complaints of chargeability of paupers (17), June 7, 1813-September 18, 1857; demand orders for, and various printed notices served upon, the guardians relating to the County and Road Rate, 1857-87; public notices (manuscript and printed) of vestry meetings, etc.; miscellaneous memoranda and receipts; and two maps.

About 2,000 deeds (1337 to c. 1900) mainly relating to the Aston estate, co. Salop, and the Foxhall estate, co. Denbigh. They refer to lands and properties in the parishes of Astley, Atcham, Church Stretton, Clunbury, Ellesmere, Ercall, Hadnall, Kinnderley, Llanyblodwell, Melverley, Middleton, Oswestry, Selattyn, Shrewsbury, Uffington, West Felton, Whittington, Withington and Wroxeter, co. Salop; Kenchchurch, co. Hereford; All Hallows, Barking, Chigwell and Hampstead, co. Essex; Braughing, co. Hertford; St. John at Hackney, co. Middlesex; co. Louth, Ireland; Aberwheeler, Denbigh, Henllan, Llansannan and Llansilin, co. Denbigh; Llandysil and Llansanffraid, co. Montgomery; and Bodfari, Dymerichion, and Rhuddlan, co. Flint.


Surveys of the manors of Whittington, temp. Henry VIII-1740, and Aston, 1750-1873, the vill and lordship of Oswestry, 1577-1602, and the estate of Admiral Harvey in Essex, 1810.

Rentals of the manor of Whittington, temp. Henry VII-1775, the manor of Aston, 1627-1884, the lordship of Dupartes, 16th cent., and the estate of Sir R. S. Cotton in co. Denbigh, 1727; rentals of the chief rents and cottage rents of the manors of Whittington and Aston, 1636-1809; a terrier of the glebe of Hempstead, co. Essex, 1749; and a rental of the lordship of Broniarth, co. Montgomery, 1602.

Accounts of the bailiff and reeve of Aston, 1364-1506, the 'rhingyll' or bailiff of Kinnderley, 1378-81, the bailiff of Sandford, 1344-81, and the receiver and bailiff of Whittington, 1386-1528; the great roll of the exchequer for co. Salop, 1591-1650; an account of the receiver of Oswestry, 1362-3; and accounts of the Aston estate and the Lloyd family, including accounts of heriots, 1606-1800, workmen's wages, 1747-1833, sundry estate accounts, 1622-1913, an account of the Foxhall estate, 1729-39, and building accounts (Aston), 1786-1867.


Legal records and documents relating to heriots in the manor of Whittington, 17th cent., rights of freeholders in Selattyn, c. 1655-6, the commons of Whittington, 1777, Porkington waste, 1658, rights
in the forest of Woolston in the lordship of Whittington, 1669, and several other lawsuits involving
members of the Lloyd family in the seventeenth, eighteenth, and nineteenth centuries.
Miscellaneous papers of the Lloyd family, including wills, inventories and marriage settlements dating
from 1614, a pedigree of the Lloyds of Foxhall, co. Denbigh, 18th cent., an inventory of household
goods in Aston, 1682, a valuation and account of timber sold at Whittington, 1808-10, copies of
records of the properties of the Hospital of St John, Halston, in Wales and Salop, temp. Elizabeth,
accounts of rents issuing from the tithes of the township of Whittington for the support of Jeffrey Glyn
Grammar School in Bangor, c. 1640-77, and parliamentary poll books for co. Salop, 1701-1833.
A volume of maps of the Lloyd estate in cos. Salop, Denbigh and Montgomery, 18th cent., and maps
of farms in Wootton, Oswestry, 18th cent., and in the parish of Hempstead, co. Essex, 1770.
About 8,000 autograph letters (1642-1906) addressed to various members of the Lloyd family, of
which about 5,000 are addressed to Louisa Lloyd. Among the numerous writers, apart from members
of the family, may be mentioned Dr Thomas Arnold, headmaster of Rugby (letter dated 1834); Lady
Eleanor Butler and Sarah Ponsonby, ’The Ladies of Llangollen’ (1811-26); Sir Stephen Richard
Glynne of Hawarden Castle (1806-26); John Ralph Ormsby-Gore, 1st Lord Harlech (1855-9); William
Richard Ormsby-Gore, 2nd Lord Harlech (1839-42), HRH Prince William Henry, Duke of Clarence,
aftewards King William IV (1806) Edward Herbert, 2nd Earl Powis (1839-42); Henrietta Herbert, 1st
Countess Powis (1811-13), Humphry Mackworth, Governor of Shrewsbury, 1646, who sat for
Shropshire in Cromwell's second Parliament (1647); Thomas Pennant (1777); and Arthur Wellesley,
first Duke of Wellington (1816-39). The subjects discussed include matters relating to the Civil War in
Shropshire, the heroic action of the Terneraire, commanded by Sir Eliab Harvey in the Battle of
Trafalgar (one letter from Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas Masterman Hardy gives Lord Nelson's opinion of
the action of the Terneraire); parliamentary elections in Shropshire; the Shropshire Local Militia; the
Shropshire Yeomanry Cavalry; the Shropshire Hunt; the livings of Selattyn and Whittington, co. Salop,
and travels in North Wales in the early nineteenth century. The letters from the Duke of Wellington
refer chiefly to commissions in the army for William Fitzwarren Lloyd and Richard Thomas Lloyd, a
letter from Vice-Admiral Sir Samuel Hood gives an account of the capture of four French ships off
Rochefort, 26 Sept. 1805[6], and is written on board the Centaur on the day following the attack; a
letter from the Duchess of Rutland refers to the handwriting of Sarah Ponsonby, one of ’The Ladies of
Llangollen’; and a letter from the first Marchioness of Buckingham, sent from Dublin, refers to the
rising there in 1798.

Mynegai
Tremeirchion, Aberchwiler
N Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

GLANSEVIN

1949155
Ffynhonnell / Source
Colonel M F P Lloyd, D.S.O., Great Storkesley, Colchester.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A group of manuscript volumes, deeds, correspondence, miscellaneous documents, and plans of the
family of Lloyd of Glansevin and Mandinam, Llangadock, co. Carmarthen, and of the associated
families of Harries of Llandovery and Price of Ystrad-ffin, co. Carmarthen, Lloyd of Wern Newydd
The various classes of documents can be briefly described as follows:
Manuscript Volumes. An account book of Edward Pryse Lloyd and Morgan Pryse Lloyd, Glansevin,
including memorandum of agreements with tenants and workmen, household and farming accounts,
rentals, etc., 1731-1831; a rental of properties in Cardigan, Llandygwydd, Llandysilio, Llandysul,
Llanfair Orllwyn, and Llanwenog, co. Cardigan, 1740-2; a rental of the Glanhafren estate in cos.
Montgomery and Salop, 1749-57; a rental of properties in Buttington, Castle Caereinion, Gwilsfield,
and Pool, and in the lordships of Llanerchudol, Streetmarshau, Teirtref, and Tirymynach, 1753-4; an
account book of the Glansevin estate, recording payments to workmen and servants, agreements
between Morgan Pryse Lloyd and his tenants, etc., 1793-1802; a list of voters in the Carmarthen
parliamentary election, compiled in 1825 on behalf of John Jones, Ystrad (member for the division,
1821-32), together with details of their political allegiance and other marginal comments, and with

Deeds. About 600 original and draft title deeds and abstracts of title, 1542-1872, relating to properties in Abergwili, Brechfa, Clychwm, Conwil Gaeo, Llanddel, Llandofawr, Llandinawr, Llandover, Llandeuans, Llanegwad, Llanfair-ar-y-bryn, Llanfihangvel Cilfargen, Llanfihangvel Rosyccorn, Llanfihangvel Yeroth, Llanfynydd, Llangadock, Llangathen, Llanllawddog, Llansawel, Llanwra, Llanbyther, Llanycrws, Myddfai, Pencarreg, St Peter (Carmarthen), and Talley, co. Carmarthen; Caron, Cydhwlf, Henfynyw, Llanarth, Llanbadarn Odyn, Llandysiliogolog, Llandysul, Llanfair Orlwyn, Llanfihangvel Ystrad, Llangeitho, Llangybi, Llanina, Llanllwchaia, Llanllantaffr, and Silian, co. Cardigan; Bachelde, Berriwe, Betws, Castle Caereinion, Churchstoke, Forden, Llandinam, Llandloes, Llanwng, Llanwyddelan, Manafon, Montgomery, Nantcriba, Newtown, Pencoed, Penyfres, Pool, Stredalvedan, Trallungollen, Trefynon, Trehelig, and Tyddin Prid, co. Montgomery; Llanddewi Abergwesin, Llanfihangvel Bryn Pabuan, Llanwrtyd and Llywel, co. Brecknock, Caerwys, Cwm, Dymerichion, Dyserth, Gellilyfd, Golifyn, Northop, Rhlyfnoyd, Soughton, Trelan Isaf, Trelan Uchaf, Treprissey, Wepr, and Ysceifog, co. Flint; Marton and Wotherton, co. Salop; and Barton-on-the-Heath, co. Warwick. They include deeds of Welsh Baptist interest, including leases of Bethel Chapel, Caeo, 1760-1839, with a list of trustees, 1838, a lease of Bwlcwyry Chapel in Clychwm, 1760, and a draft conveyance of the site of Llandover Chapel, 1842; a lease of the tithes of Forden by the Grocers' Company, 1760; leases of the Trawsnant silver lead mines in Llanwrtyd and Llanddeu Abergwesin, 1846-72; leases of Nantarnell, Clychwm, and Tynybedw, Llanwrda, silver lead mines, with subsidiary documents, 1852-64; and a lease of Nantarnell, Clychwm, slab and slate quarry, 1865. The group also includes one manorial document, an estreat of Castlemartin, co. Pembroke, 1708.

Correspondence. Original letters and transcripts almost entirely of estate and legal interest, some being arranged in separate parcels according to the subjects to which they relate and others being widely dispersed among the parcels of miscellaneous documents. The majority belong to the second half of the nineteenth century, and the principal correspondents are Morgan Pryse Lloyd, Glansevin; David Lloyd Harries, Llandover; Rees Augustus, land agent, Llandover; and John M. Davies, Froodvale, Llandilo.

Miscellaneous Documents. Estate, legal and personal papers, including parcels of documents relating to Penlwyn, Llanddewibrefi, 1788-1858, the Derry Odyn estate in co. Cardigan, 1800-65, Wernfelen, Llandingat, 1813-52, Nantgwyn, Llanfihangvel Ystrad, 1853-7, and Close, Llywel, 1861; a deed of separation between John Rees Bishop of Dolgarreg, Myddfai, and Gwen, his wife, and documents relating thereto, 1818; a survey of estates in Pool, Castle Caereinion, Churchstoke, Berriwe, Manafon, Llanwyddelan, and Trefynon, 1828; papers in legal actions, including Vaughan v. Lloyd and Lloyd v. Vaughna relating to the affairs of the Abergwesin Mining Company at Trawsnant, Llanwrtyd, 1853, Harries v. Price relating to the title of Penlan, Llandingat, 1854, and Watkins v. Hughes and Davies v. Watkins relating to the repayment of mortgage securities on land in Llanwrda, 1864-73; sale catalogues and sale books of Maeslydan, Llandingat, 1854, the Maeslydan Hall estate in co. Carmarthen and Brecknock, 1884, the Wern Newydd estate in co. Cardigan, 1889, the Nantgwyn estate in Llanddeuans, 1918, the Glansevin estate, 1918-20, the Gilgwyn estate in Myddfai, 1919, the Trefechan Fawr estate in Carmarthen, 1919, and the Dolgarreg estate in Llangadock, Llanwrda and Myddfai, 1919, receipts for the payment by Rees Augustus, Llandover, of Mrs Lloyd Harries's Charity among the poor of the parishes of Llandingat, Clychwm, Caeo and Llandock, with details of distribution, etc., 1865-72; accounts of chemical wood cut at Wernfelen Grove and Penybank Grove, Llandingat, 1866-70, and contracts for the purchase of pit wood on the Glansevin estate, 1916; testimonials and a petition for a court of inquiry in connection with Edward Pryse Lloyd's service in the Indian Army, 1871; and an undated petition of the inhabitants of Llangadock, Llanddeuans, and Llansadwrn for the erection of a lock-up house in Llangadock, with over 250 signatures.
Plans. These include plans of a new road to Llanfihangel bridge in the parish of Llandysul, drawn by G. Thomas, 1826; Wainystafeiris, parish of Llangadock, [?]182-; the proposed Crescent, Carmarthen, 1869; and Glanhafren Hall Farm in the parishes of Pool and Castle Caereinion (late 19th cent.).

Mynegai
Llangadog, Castell Caereinion, Llandybie, Llanfihangel Iorath, Llanddewi Abergwesyn, Llandeilo Fawr, Tremereichion.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

HERBERT J LLOYD-JOHNES
1949156
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major Herbert J Lloyd-Johnes, Monmouth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A play-bill (printed on silk) of the Cardiff theatre for 15 March 1793, when ' Road to Ruin' and ' Midnight Hour ' were produced (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE BOARD
1949157
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Chief Officer, National Assistance Board, Cardiff.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A minute book (1926-48) of the Newcastle Emlyn Old Age Pensions Sub-Committee (NLW Minor Deposits 1113B).

OSWESTRY WELSH SOCIETY
1949158
Ffynhonnell / Source
'Cymdeithas Cymry Croesoswallt ', per Mr Edward Jones, Oswestry.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Minute-books (1922-47) of the Oswestry Welsh Society (NLW Minor Deposits 139-40A).

ASSOCIATION OF ENGLISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES
1949159
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Pembrokeshire and Cardiganshire Association of English Congregational Churches.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A minute book, 1892-1907, of the Pembrokeshire and Cardiganshire District Union (NLW Minor Deposits 414A).

PICTON CASTLE
1949160
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Honourable Mrs Sheila Plunkett, Picton Castle, Haverfordwest.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49

Disgrifiad / Description

An extensive archive consisting mainly of the muniments of the Philipps family of Picton Castle. It comprises:

Nearly 800 deeds relating to properties in the parishes of Amroth, Begelly, Boulston, Camrose, Carew, Clarbeston, Cronwear, Dale, Freystrop, Gumfreston, Haroldston, St. Issells, Hubberston, Jeffreyston, Lambston, Llandisilio, Llandewi Velfrey, Llanfrynach, Llanstadwell, Llanycefn, Llawhaden, Ludchurch, Maenclochog, Manorbier, Marloes, Martletwy, Narberth, Neyland, Nolton, Penally, Prendergast, Robeston Wathen, St Florence, St Issells, St Martin (Haverfordwest), St Mary (Haverfordwest), St Thomas (Haverfordwest), Slebech, Stackpole, Steynton, Uzmaiston, Welwyn's Castle, Williamston, Wiston, and the towns of Haverfordwest, Pembroke and Tenby, co. Pembroke, in the parishes of Kiffig, Laugharn, Llandefeilog, Llandowror, Llanfihangel Abercowyn, Llangain, Llangynog, Llansadwrn, and St Clears, and the town of Carmarthen, co. Carmarthen, and in the parishes of Bettws, Llangynwyd, and St Brides Minor, co. Glamorgan, with a few deeds relating to properties in cos. Derby, Salop and Warwick. The deeds range from 1285 to the end of last century; about 120 date from Elizabethan times or earlier.

Manorial records, including surveys of the manor of Beere (Manorbier), 1601-9; court rolls of the manors of Beere, 1687-97, East and West Pembroke, 1666-98, Coedrath, 1828-51, Manorbier and Penally, 1808-43, and Maenclochog, 1813-21, all in co. Pembroke; a parliamentary survey of the manor of Oysterlowe, co. Carmarthen, 1650; and estreats from the court roll of the manor of Claverly, co. Salop, 1687-1733.

Accounts ranging from the early years of the eighteenth century to the beginning of the present century. They include household accounts, 1717-20; a number of volumes of miscellaneous accounts, 1736-1912; an account of the executors of Sir John Philipps, 1736; an account of the administration of the goods of Catherine Philipps, 1713; legal costs incurred by Lord Milford, 1782-1813; agricultural registers and accounts, 1703, 1799; an account book of Lord Milford, 1816-20; a receipt book, 1799; vouchers, 19th century; bailiffs' accounts, 19th century. These relate mainly to the Philipps family and the Picton Castle estate. A good series of rentals of the Picton Castle estate in co. Carmarthen and Pembroke dating from 1714, the volumes for the second half of the nineteenth century being numerous and almost complete. An account of the fee-farm rents of the manors of Manorbier, Penally and St Florence, 1714; and a rental of tithe corn in the parish of St Issells, 1708.

Accounts relating to coalmining in co. Pembroke:- a letter referring to coal digging, 1684, leases of coal mines in Masterland, Longlake, Williamston, Begelly, Amroth, St Issells, Jeffreyston, Martletwy and Freystrop, 1791-1857; a lawsuit touching coal digging, 18th century; a journal of colliers' turns and pay in Moreton, Begelly and Ridgeway, 1776-7; coal mining in Begelly, 1632; a suit concerning coal mining on Begelly glebe, 1721; an agreement for timber for the coal works at Caremakers Pool, 1713; an account of coal shipped from Wiseman's Bridge, 1789; Begelly colliery profits, 1787; colliery accounts, 1851-7.

Correspondence:- autograph letters from Sir Erasmus Philipps, bart. (d. 1697), 1665, 1683; Elizabeth Lloyd, 1665, 1683; Richard Owen, 1684-5; John Chamberlayne, Westminster, 1699; Sir Hugh Owen, Orielton, 1697; Lady Catherine Philipps, n.d.; Col. John Philipps, 1708; [Dean] H. Maule, Cork, 1723; John Courrey, 1702; Sir John Philipps, bart. (d. 1736), 1713-19; John Philipps, his son, 1715-19; Lady Mary Philipps, 1721/2; William Yate, 1704; John Comyns, 1700; James Bevan, Laugharne, 1732; J. Campbell, 1780; Lord Cawdor, 1816; and a copy of a letter from Alexander Stanhope, 1685. There is a voluminous group of autograph letters which forms the great bulk of these muniments, addressed to Sir Charles Edward Gregg Philipps, bart. (1840-1928). Thousands of these deal with matters of public interest during the second half of the nineteenth century and reflect the interests and influence of their recipient in the life of the county and record the history of local affairs during this period. Interspersed among this mass of correspondence are numerous brochures, programmes, tickets, souvenirs, catalogues, pamphlets and other ephemeral literature, much of it of local interest.

Miscellaneous volumes- six books of memoranda and legal notes by Sir John Philipps, bart., 1700-27; correspondence from the ' serjeants of Hubberston ', W. Barlow and E. Roke, to Richard Gwynne of Taliaris, with press cuttings and pedigrees of the Philipps and Gwynne families, 1727-46; four volumes
of indexes to letters written and received, 1749-60; a diary and record of expenditure [kept by Sir John Philipps, bart. (d. 1764)]; a book of autographs of nobilities and of all the members of parliament in 1741, 1741/2; a copy of a shorthand grammar, 1772; a survey of the Picton Castle estate, 18th century; a diary of Erasmus Philipps, 1724-5; freights and carriages made by the 'Picton Castle', 1776-83; a list of commissioned officers in the Army, c. 1743; two diaries, 1803-39; a valuation of timber on the Picton Castle estate in co. Carmarthen, 1827; Picton Castle chapel book, 1827-8; a list of Haverfordwest burgesses, 1816-18; a catalogue of books, 1864; two game registers, 1889-1906; and appointments of members of the Philipps family to public offices, 18th-19th centuries.

Miscellaneous documents:- an inventory of goods in the [Philipps'] house in Haverfordwest, 18th century; an inventory of the goods of Lady Philipps in her Stretton Street house, [London], 1713; an inventory of the goods of Sir Erasmus Philipps, bart. (d. 1743) in Picton Castle, 1744; an account of seeds sent to Picton Castle, 1735; a valuation of timber on the estate in co. Carmarthen, 1729; papers relating to commons in the parish of St Clears, co. Carmarthen, 1671-1732; a record of encroachment on land in Templeton, 1634; instructions by Sir John Philipps and Lady Philipps, c. 1700; a roll of the kings and queens of England, 18th century; a presentment of the Grand Jury at Quarter Sessions, co. Pembroke, 1683; a roll of the Quarter Sessions, co. Pembroke, 1683; a copy of an assessment of aid for the war against France for the counties of Pembroke and Haverfordwest, 18th century; a petition of Dame Penelope Naunton, daughter of Sir Thomas Perrott, knight, for the manor of Carew, 1642; a book list, 1767; permission from the patrons of the Perrott Charity to erect a clock in St Mary's Church, Haverfordwest, 1886; papers relating to the Pembroke Yeomanry Cavalry, 1886; a record of loans from the Storthes Hall library, 1856; the appointment of a chaplain to Picton Castle chapel, 1848; and a translation of the 'Legend of the Weather Cock'.

Genealogical and heraldic material:- copies of wills, inquisitions, and other records bearing on the history of the Philipps family, 1474-1846; pedigrees and arms of the Philipps family, 18th-19th centuries; the pedigree and achievement of Richard Gwynne of Taliaris, by Joseph Lord, 1739; the pedigree of the Hughes family of Pen y Maes, co. Carmarthen, from the MSS of David Edwards of Rhyd y Gors; grants of arms to members of the Philipps family, 19th century; and sketches for armorial windows.

Maps and plans (Dept of Pictures and Maps):- maps by John Butcher, surveyor, of Wheelers estate in Castlemartin, Middle Hook, Harbranston, Skrinkle in Manorbier, Merchant's Land in the parish of Narberth, Crestborough in the parish of Slebech, Slade in the parish of St Martins, Eliots Hill and West Dunston in the parish of Camros, Hayguard in the parish of Stainton, Kilgetty in the parish of St Issells, Gellyswick in the parish of Hubberston, Comb Land in the parish of Amroth, Uzmaston, Pengigot in the parish of Ludchurch, and Great Tarr in the parish of Penally, all in co. Pembroke, Knw y Bedwen in the parish of Egremont, Pentre in the parish of Llanfihangel Abercowyn, Penylan in the parish of Llandowror, and Bwlch y Domen in the parish of St Clears, all in co. Carmarthen, 1738-64; maps by Henry John, surveyor, of Court in the parish of Penally, Freystrop, Sutton in Lambston and Saundersfoot Farm in the parish of St Issells, all in co. Pembroke, 1762-70; a volume of maps by Thomas Lewis of the Philipps estate in the hundreds of Roose and Dungleddy, co. Pembroke, 1773; maps by J. Goode of Saundersfoot Fold in the parish of St Issells, Sadbury in the parish of Walwyn's Castle, and Bigellymore in the parish of Begelly, co. Pembroke, 1794-1800; a map by H. P. Goode of Picton Castle demesne, 1829; a map of Court y Malle in the parishes of Llanynog and Llangynog, and Llangynog, co. Carmarthen, 19th century; plans of new buildings on the Picton Castle estate, the Picton Castle school improvements at Trelloyn, a new vicarage at Freystrop, the proposed New Town of Neyland, etc., 19th century.

Four portfolios of late nineteenth-century prints, family photographs, and drawings by the Italian artists Giovanni Domenico Campiglia (1692-1762/3) and Joseph Menabuonj (fl. 1740).

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Llandewi Felfre, Walwyn's Castle, Llandyfaelog, Daugleddau.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

RHIWLAS
1949161
Ffynhonnell / Source
Lieut.-Colonel Kennrick J Price, D.S.O., M.C., Rhiwlas, Bala.
Bwydymyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Estate and private muniments of the family of Price of Rhiwlas:

1. Manuscript volumes. Two volumes of pedigrees and arms of the family of Price of Rhiwlas (early 18th cent.); household, medical and cooking recipes (late 18th cent.); a rental of the Rhiwlas settled and trust estates in cos. Merioneth, Caernarvon and Denbigh, 1797-1801; a rental of the Wigfair estate, 1816-19; three sale books of Derwen Rectory, co. Denbigh, 1819; seven invoice books of Richard Watkin Price in respect of clothing material, household utensils, foodstuffs, etc., 1819-34; a disbursement book of Richard Watkin Price, with some rental accounts, 1820-33; a memorandum book of Richard Watkin Price, recording the payment of interest, purchase of properties, etc., 1826-59; a school journal of Richard John Lloyd Price, 1855-6; two volumes of press cuttings, printed leaflets, portraits and a few autograph letters, illustrating principally the local activities and personal interests of R. J. Lloyd Price, 1868-1921; and a battue book of R. J. Lloyd Price, 1880-1915, containing shooting cards, press cuttings and a few autograph letters relating to shooting parties organised principally at Rhiwlas.

   (a) To Richard Watkin Price, with some draft replies, 1797-1849. The principal correspondents are Richard Howard, Bettws and Denbigh, 1817-20; F. Britain, Glanllyn, 1818-19; [Edward] Lloyd, Rhagat, 1817; Rice Owen Anwyl, Bala, 1834; and Isaac Gilbertson, Bala, 1847. Among the subjects discussed are the accounts of the Penlllyn Voluntary Infantry for 1803, in an official letter signed by Henry John Temple, 3rd Viscount Palmerston, Secretary at War, 1813; the purchase of materials by the Indigent Clothing Society at Denbigh, 1818; the sale of timber at Hafodunos, and the rentals of Hafodunos and Wigfair, 1818.
   (c) To Richard Watkin Price from Isaac Gilbertson, Bala, relating to the building accounts of Frongoch Church, Llanfor, 1846-59.
   (d) Original and copy correspondence, 1857, between Richard Watkin Price, Isaac Gilbertson, Bala, John Williams, Gwernhefin, and Hugh Williams, Leamington, relating to the purchase by R. W. Price from Sir Watkin Williams Wynn of lands in Llanfor and Llandderfel.


4. Miscellaneous Documents. Among these are papers (mainly 17th cent.) in suits relating to properties in Llanfor, co. Merioneth, and Llanwddyn, co. Montgomery; bonds by Richard Tavistock Price for the payment of money, and receipts for payments from his estate, 1783-1801; receipts for the payment of modus on Rhiwlas desmesne, 1795-1845; bills and receipts of the Rhiwlas settled and trust estates, 1796-1801; timber sales accounts and rentals of Wigfair and Hafodunos, 1817-18; papers relating to the estate of Thomas Jones (ob. 1819), rector of Derwen, co. Denbigh, 1815-30, including invoices, receipts and letters to his brother-in-law Richard Watkin Price; notes on the pedigrees of the families of Price of Rhiwlas and Lloyd of Rhiwaedog, Katheryn of Berain, Sir William Jones (1566-1640), judge, of Castellmarch, etc.; coloured plans (early 19th cent.) of lands in Rhiwlas and Waen y Bala Common; A List of Eton College . . . 1791-9; and Magistrates and Coroners . . . (1858) by W. Scurfield Grey.

H J RANDALL
1949162
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr H J Randall, LL.B., F.S.A., Bridgend.
Blwyd yn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Twenty-nine deeds and documents (1842-1913) relating to properties in the parish of Llangan, co. Glamorgan.

HENRY ROBERTSON
1949163
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Henry Robertson, Palé, Llandderfel.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
A large group of account books, together with maps, plans and sections (Dept of Pictures and Maps), of several Welsh railway undertakings, accumulated by the depositor's grandfather, Henry Robertson of Palé.
A full report on this important industrial archive will be printed in the next Annual Report.

YNYSFOR
1949164
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major U E B Roche, Ynysfor, Penrhyndeudraeth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Manuscripts of the family of Roche of Tregunter, Talgarth, co. Brecknock. They include an account book of John Webb Roche and Francis William Alexander Roche, 1859-75; an estate rental and accounts, 1879-85; thirty-three diaries of Major John Edward FitzMaurice Hughes Roche, 3rd Dragoon Guards, including an account of his well-known expedition to the Pamirs in 1892-3 with Charles Adolphus Murray, 7th earl of Dunmore; a game book, 1893-6; a volume of notes on the family of de la Roche; two scrapbooks; etc.
A journal of two visits to Wales in the hand of Joseph Harris, brother of Howell Harris, Trevecca, 1746-8; 'Salt Box MS', being a bound collection of verses (e.g. 'A List of the Inhabitants of Dolmelinlyn ', 'To be spoken at Penmorfa Gala '), inscriptions, letters from 'Pepper Box ', 'Grid Iron ', etc., acquired c. 1799-1802 by William Alexander Madocks, Tremadoc, and a journal, 1850, of Eliza Anne Roche (nee Madocks), daughter of W. A. Madocks, including an account of a visit to Tremadoc and a description of a slate quarry at Blaenau Ffestiniog.

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GOGERDDAN
1949165
Ffynhonnell / Source
Sir Pryse Loveden Saunders-Pryse, Bart., Gogerddan, Cardiganshire, and Glanrhydw, Carmarthenshire.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
An extensive group of deeds and papers relating to the Pryse estates in Wales and to the Loveden estate of Buscot Park, Berkshire. The greater part of the Welsh section concerns the Gogerddan estate in North Cardiganshire, while the remainder, brought together through family associations, consists of material relating to lands in the adjoining counties of Merioneth, Montgomery, Brecknock, Pembroke and Carmarthen.
Nearly 300 volumes including:
(i) Rentals of the Gogerddan estate (1741-1922), valuations of the Gogerddan estate (19th century), estate account books (1813-39), farm accounts (1817-22 and 1874), draft leases and agreements (late 19th century), family account books (1822-68), hunting journals (1893-1923), and transcripts of letters from Messrs. Boys and Tweedie, London, solicitors (1864).
(ii) A court leet book of the manor of Emlyn Iscych, co. Pembroke (1832-61 and 1893-1918), an assessment on the inhabitants of lands within the township of Clarach, a list of estrays presented at the court leet of the hundred of Ceulan and Maesmor in the manor of Genau'r Glyn (1852-92), and a poor-rate book of the parish of Trefeurig (1909).


(iv) Account books relating to the Island and Esgair Hir lead mines (1761-70), a scrapbook including returns of ore shipped for Swansea from Cwmsymlog (1754-65), and from Island and Esgair Hir (1754-69), a cash book giving running expenses of lead mines in North Cardiganshire (1795-1805), and ledgers which provide details of ore sold and of royalties paid by various mining companies, including East Darren (1876-97), Cwmbrwyno (1778-84), Bryn-yr-afraf (1880-91 and 1898-1907), Cambrian (1880-87), Blaencaelan (1880-1900), Grogwynion (1880-90), South Darren (1880-91), Ystrad Emion (1880-90), Neuaddwyd (1881-3), Talybont (1881-91), Bryn Dyfi (1882-1900), Cefngwirion (1882-6), Great Darren (1884-9), Elgar (1887-9 and 1896-7), Esgair Hir (1889-1907), Hafan and Henfwlch (1889-98), Penpompen-ucha (1903-7), Loveden (1901-7), Vaughan (1908-10) and Scottish Cardigan (1909-10).

(v) A volume of homilies (1675), and a journal and ' copie Booke of Letters ' by Andrew King ' for my voyiage into Spaine with the Lord Ambassador Fanshaw in the yeare 1663'.


Apart from the volumes already mentioned, the archive contains a good deal of material relating to silver-lead mining activities in North Cardiganshire from the seventeenth century down to 1914, including tack-notes or licences granted to prospectors, leases of mines, company prospectuses, reports and royalty returns.

A few papers relating to the Moreton Colliery, co. Pembroke.

Manorial papers, consisting of court leet presentments and constables' returns for Llanfihangel Genau'r Glyn, Cardigan, and Lampeter during the seventeenth, eighteenth and nineteenth centuries.

The practical interest of the Gogerddan family in agriculture is revealed in letters and papers relating to estate farm competitions, and of particular topical interest are those which deal with the formation of the Welsh National Agricultural Society in 1903-4, of which Sir Lewes T. Loveden Pryse, bart., was the first Secretary and General Manager.

The history of the construction of the railway to Aberystwyth from the north by the brothers Thomas and John Savin and of the narrow gauge line connecting Llandre with Hafan Quarry (via Talybont) is told in a series of letters dating from 1860.

There remains a formidable group of letters and vouchers still to be sorted, a perusal of which suggests that - apart from general estate matters - they contain much valuable information concerning silver-lead mining, Parliamentary elections, and social activities in Cardiganshire during the past three hundred years.

The following pamphlets:


A large group of maps and plans relating mainly to the Gogerddan estate and consisting of:

A volume containing maps, by John Withy, of properties in the counties of Brecknock and Gloucester [with a copy on a smaller scale made by L. P.]; these are dated 1737 and 1738 and include the parishes of Llangorse and Llanfihangel Nant Bran, co. Brecknock, and Painswick and Pitchcomb, co. Gloucester (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Several volumes of farm plans, made by Thomas Lewis between 1778 and 1790, of lands in the parishes of Llanfihangel-genau'r-glyn, Llanbadarn-fawr, Penbryn, Troedyraur, Llangunllo, Pant-y-Bettws, Cardigan and Mount, co. Cardigan; Machynlleth, co. Montgomery; and St Issels and Begelly, co. Pembroke (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Further examples of Thomas Lewis's work are contained in a group of large-scale plans of the Gogerddan estates, Lodge Park, Forest, Rhoscellan, and other farms in North Cardiganshire, 1764-90, a feature of these being the artistic cartouches and ornaments with which they are decorated (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Another land-surveyor, Richard Davis, of Lewknor, Oxfordshire, is represented by four large-scale plans numbered 1, 3, 4, & 5, from a set of six; the farms mapped are in the parishes of Llanbadarn-fawr and Llanfihangel-genau'r-glyn, co. Cardigan, and the plans are dated 1787 and 1788. In the accompanying book of reference particulars of acreages, utilization, etc., are given for eighty-six farms on the six plans (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

About eighty further items are plans of farms and other properties in North Cardiganshire; they are mainly of nineteenth century date, but include some of lands in the parish of Machynlleth in the county of Montgomery dated 1723, the work of John Pratchett, lands in the parishes of Llanbadarn-fawr and Llanfihangel-genau'r-glyn, in the county of Cardigan, 1780, lands in the parish of Llanfihangel Nant Bran in the county of Brecknock, by J. Williams, 1780, and lands in the county of Gloucester, c. 1800, and in the county of Leicester, 1740 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

A number of plans and tracings of the townships of Ceulan-y-Maesmawr and Elerch and the manors of Geneu'r-glyn and Nantyrarian, and one of Perfedd by Lewis Morris (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Inclosure maps of Ysgubor-y-Coed, and Ceulan-y-Maesmawr and maps and copies of a large area including the liberties of Bwlech-y-Garreg, Dolryddlan, Nantynod and Ffosfudr showing the freehold lands, the lord's waste, roads, mines, quarries, etc. (Dept of Pictures and Maps)

Material relating to Aberystwyth includes a map of the borough with farms and lands in the parish of Llanbadarn-fawr, c. 1800; plans of the mill leet; and plans of building sites in North Road, Queen's Road, Caradog Road, and Penglais, c. 1880 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Over fifty plans and drawings of the following mines in North Cardiganshire (Dept of Pictures and Maps):

- Allt y Crib, Bryndyfi, Bryn yr Afr, Cefn Erglodd, Cefn gwinion, Cwmbrwyno, Cwmsebon, Cwmsymlog, Darren (East and South mines), Esqair Hir, Grogwinion, Llywernog, Loveden Mynydd Gorddu, South Cambrian Vaughan and Ystrad Einion. The plans are of late nineteenth century date with the exception of two of the Grogwinion mine dated 1741.

A collection of nearly 100 sheets of the Ordnance Survey maps for North Cardiganshire on the twenty-five inch, six inch, and one inch scales, some of which supplement the set in the Library. Some plans and sections of the Cambrian Railway and of the railway of the Hafan Mining Company (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Amongst a small group of miscellaneous prints are copies of the Oxford Almanack for 1790 and 1797. The Buscot Park section includes upwards of eighty volumes consisting of account books, inventories of plate, housekeeping books, farm account books, a catalogue of books and over 1,000 deeds relating to lands in Berkshire.

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Approximately 480 deeds and documents relating to the estates of the Colby family. The oldest deed is dated 1441 but the main sequence commences in 1588 and extends to the end of the nineteenth century. Lands referred to are in the parishes of Amroth, Bletherston, Bridell, Cilgerran, Cilrhedyn, Clydew, Fishguard, Hasguard, Haverfordwest, Jordanston, Lampeter Velfrey, Llandilo, Llanddewi Velfrey, Llanfair Nant Gwyn, Llanfihangel Penbedw, Llanfrynach, Llangolman, Llanllawer, Llanwnda, Llawhaden, Maenclochog, Manorbier, Manordeifi, Meline, Mynachlogddu, Narberth, Nevern, Newport, Penrith, Puncheston, Robeston Wathen, Rudbaxton, St David's, St Dogmael's, St Ishmael's, St Nicholas's, Trefgarn, Whitechurch, and Wiston, co. Pembroke, Cenarth, Llandisilio, Llanfihangel, Llanwinio, Penbrey, Penboy'r and the rectory of Newchurch, co. Carmarthen, Bangor, Blaenporth, Cardigan, Llandygwydd, Llandyfriog, and Llandysul, co. Cardigan, and Hanbury, co. Worce ster.

Papers and documents dealing with particular branches or individuals of the family have been grouped together. They include bundles of papers relating to the following persons and subjects: Colonel Colby of Ffynone, 1786-1823, and his widow; Anne Ferrier (1770- ), a ward of John Colby of Ffynone; the building of Ffynone mansion, begun in 1792 by Colonel John Colby; the Pembrokeshire Militia, late 18th and early 19th cent.; the appointment of John Colby as receiver of accounts of the estate of his nephew, Sir Hugh Owen (6th bart.), the latter having been a ward in Chancery; an action brought by one of the executors of the will of Sir Hugh Owen (5th bart.) against the said John Colby; proceedings concerning the will of Sir Hugh Owen and the discharging of John Colby as executor; the Owens of Ori enton; appointments, etc., of John Vaughan Colby (1855-1919); the children of John Colby of Ffynone and Cordelia Maria his wife, and the Vaughans; papers and two specimen rentals, 1788 and 1800, of Sir Hugh Owen's property in Carmarthenshire; the estates of Sir Hugh Owen (6th bart.) in North Wales; the death and will of Lady Owen (1823), widow of the fifth baronet; the sale of estates in Anglesey and Caernarvonshire, 1808; John Colby of Ffynone (1751-1823); the 'Colbys of Bletherston before Colonel Colby's time'; and miscellaneous papers.

Forty-five volumes consisting of rent and account books of the Colby estates and collieries, domestic account books and diaries, 1776-1914.

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Miscellaneous manuscripts and papers, including account-books, diaries, note-books, and other papers chiefly of a personal nature.

Autograph letters covering the greater part of the eighteenth century. They deal in general with personal matters, domestic accounts, financial affairs, etc., but one group, covering the middle decades of the century, casts light on the trading enterprises of Sir Thomas Stepney, the seventh holder of the baronetcy. There are letters from the masters of the ships owned by Sir Thomas, from other business
firms, and from his agents in the main seaports of Wales and England as well as at continental centres of trade, such as Brest and Lisbon.

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Llandyfaelog, Llangyndeyrn, Llandybie, Llanfihangel Aberbythych, Ceri, Llanelli.

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COURTFIELD
1949168
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major Joseph H Vaughan, Courtfield, Ross-on-Wye.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
An extensive group of muniments of the family of Vaughan of Courtfield, Welsh Bicknor, co. Hereford, and of some associated families, such as Vaughan of Ruardean, co. Gloucester, Berington of Crowne, co. Hereford, Weld of Lulworth, co. Dorset, etc.

1. Deeds and Documents.
They include acquittances to Joan Vaughan of Ruardean, a Catholic recusant, for the payment of fines, 1620-44, and papers relating to her prosecution in 1641 for harbouring a priest; a household and estate account roll of Lady Mary Cholke of Over Ross, 1637-47; licences to John Vaughan of Courtfield to hunt in the Forest of Dean 1712/13-41; an order, 1731, of the Free Miners of the Forest of Dean granting John Vaughan free coal for use at Courtfield; an account book of John Vaughan of Courtfield, 1749-71; and papal licences and instruments of possession of Cardinal Herbert Vaughan (of Courtfield), Archbishop of Westminster, 1893.
The manorial records include court rolls, estreats, perambulations, etc., of Abenhall, 1581-1640; Blacknorle, 1629; Goodrich, 1581-1792; Magor and Redwick, 1675; Ruardean, 1454-1715; Welsh Bicknor, 1463-1792; Wilton on Wye, 1639; and Wormlow, 1569-1604.
A catalogue of 807 documents in this group was compiled by John Hobson Matthews during the period 1905-11, but a few of those described by him are wanting.

II. Autograph Letters.
(a) Fifteen, 1780-6, to William Vaughan the elder of Courtfield, from William Prichard, Graig; Michael Turner, Putney; Nathaniel Turner; Jane Jones, Llanarth; and Robert Berkeley, Spetchley.
(b) Over 500 (first half of 19th cent.) to William Vaughan the younger, relating to estate, personal and Roman Catholic affairs. The writers include Montagu Bertie, 5th Earl of Abingdon; C. Bodenham, Rotherwas; Leonard Brooke, Lulworth; William John Charlton, London; Peter Bernardine Collingridge, bishop of Thespiae; C. J. Corbe, Rotherwas; Sir G. Cornwall, Moccas Court; Thomas Embry, Monmouth; Apollonia Jones (aft. Berkeley), Llanarth; William Jones, Clytha; James Knight, Courtfield; Henry Mostyn, solicitor, Usk; Sir Robert Peel, Mary Pilkington, Wonastow; Charles Plowden, rector of Stonyhurst College; James Powles, solicitor, Monmouth; J. Endell Powles, Monmouth; John Seager, rector of Welsh Bicknor; Henry Charles Somerset, 6th Duke of Beaufort; the Hon. William Stourton, Holne; William Vaughan, bishop of Plymouth; Henry Williams, vicar of Goodrich; Robert Williams, solicitor, Monmouth; etc., etc.
(c) About 200, 1855-80, of a similar nature to John Francis Vaughan, with several draft replies. The writers include Stephen Allaway, Pencair Court; Thomas Joseph Brown, bishop of Newport and Menevia; J. Clive, Ballina; E. Machen, Coleford; Catherine Marriot, Weston-super-Mare; Henry Marriot, Ross; Andrew Martin, Goodrchen; Charles Plowden; J. Endell Powles; Henry Charles FitzRoy Somerset, 8th Duke of Beaufort; Francis Baynham Vaughan, Courtfield; Herbert Vaughan, Archbishop of Westminster; Joseph Vaughan, Courtfield; Walter Weld, Liverpool; etc., etc.

(d) Twenty, 1837-78, to John Francis Vaughan and others from Sister Mary Frances Angela Vaughan, Bristol; Sister May Vaughan, St Augustine's, Newton Abbot; Sister Clare Magdalen Vaughan, Newton Abbot; and Sister J. C. G. Vaughan, Boulogne.

(e) Thirty-four miscellaneous, to Elizabeth Vaughan, Courtfield, 1728; John Vaughan, Courtfield, 1740-68; Francis Baynham Vaughan, 1874-1905; Charles Jerome Vaughan, 1906; etc.

III. Miscellaneous Documents.

These include a group of papers of Joan Vaughan of Ruardean, a Catholic recusant, containing a licence to travel, 1626, and accounts relating to the sequestration of her estate, 1646/7-8; extracts from parish registers relating to the families of Vaughan, Rolls of Bermondsey, etc., 1697-1880; depositions relating to the chapel adjoining the chancel of Clyro parish church, 1704; rentals and annual accounts of the Courtfield estate, 1792-1920; a large number of vouchers (18th-19th cent.) of the family of Vaughan of Courtfield, with some early ones of the family of Berington of Crowarne, in respect of household requirements, estate repairs, property and land taxes, poor rates, etc.; papers relating to the lease of a quarry in Welsh Bikkońr to the Ross Turnpike Trust, 1807-16; passports, 1876-88; minutes, accounts, correspondence, etc., relating to railways, including the Severn and Wye Railway and Canal, 1820-72, the Hereford, Ross and Gloucester Railway, 1852-63, the Ross and Monmouth Railway, 1864-1923, the Gloucester and Dean Forest Railway, 1865, the Ross, Lydbrook and Forest of Dean Railway (undated), etc.; valuations of timber on the Courtfield estate, 1829-73, memoranda, and autograph letters of John Cuthbert Hedley, bishop of Newport and Menevia, relating to the Courtfield Roman Catholic Mission, 1875-6; several inventories, including one of books and goods at Courtfield, 1876; pedigrees of the families of Vaughan of Courtfield and Baynham of Clowerwall, co. Gloucester; etc.

IV. Plans.

Fifteen plans (19th cent.), mainly of properties on the Courtfield estate.

V. Printed Material.

This group includes minutes, etc., of the Proprietors of the Rivers Wye and Lugg Navigation and Horse Towing Path, 1809; notices relating to the Monmouth Dispensary, 1828; minutes and accounts of the Wye Preservation Society, 1865; and Byelaws of the Wye Fishery District, 1874-1905.

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Llangatwg Feibion Afel, Llandeilo Gresynni, Llandeilo Bertholau, Llanfihangel Rhydeithon, Nodiadau
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Disgrifiad / Description
A further selection of papers from Plas Nantglyn. They include deeds and documents, 1527-1817, relating to properties in Nanclyn Canon, Nanclyn Sanctorum, Cadair, Gwytherin, Garthmelioig and Gwaynynog, co. Denbigh; papers relating to the partition of the estate in 1745; a schedule of deeds, 1758; a list and valuation of trees on the estate; a list of books with prices, early 19th cent.; a plan of the river near Nantglyn, 1773; and correspondence, 19th century, and papers relating to the genealogy and heraldry of the Plas Nantglyn family.

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YALE
1949171
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs E Yale, Llanbedrog.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
Disgrifiad / Description
Letters addressed to Rev Roger Edwards, Mold, 1864-86, and to Rev Ellis Edwards, Bala, 1871-1915; journals of tours by Thomas Lewis, Bangor, in Italy, America, 1874, and Khasia, 1882; a certificate of the residence of Love Parry at Trinity College, Dublin, 1737-41; and miscellaneous papers.

YNYSFOR
1949172
Ffynhonnell / Source
'The Ynysfor Family ', Ynysfor, Llanfrothen.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1948-49
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Estate muniments of the family of Jones of Ynysfor. They consist of a journal of the Ynysfor Hunt, 1859-62; a volume of Dr Haigton's lectures on midwifery delivered at Guy's Hospital., 1815, in the hand of Robert Pughe; over 100 deeds, abstracts of title, wills, etc., 1607-1871, relating to properties in Llandecwyn, Llanfihangel-y-pennant, Llanfihangely-traethau, Llanfrothen, Maes Trevenant, Pennal, and Towyn, co. Merioneth, Llanfihangel-y-pennant, co. Caernarvon, Derwen, Holt otherwise Lyons, and Ruthin, co. Denbigh, Bodwelwyddan, Caerwys, Nannerch, Pengwern, Rhelofnyd, Vaynol, Whitford, and Ysceifiog, co. Flint, and Burgfield, Berks., a few autograph letters, including some from Edward Corbet and Anne Corbet, Ynysmaengwyn, 1813-15, to Rev Richard Pughe, Llanfrothen, generally in verse, with similar draft replies a number of miscellaneous documents, including the certificate of collation of Rev Richard Pughe to the rectory of Llanfrothen, 1813, a list of the churchwardens of Llanfrothen, 1813-20, and the pedigree of John Pugh of Bodglan (Bodylan, Llanfihangel-y-pennant, co. Merioneth) gent., copied from the writings of Gruffudd Hiraethog, herald at arms, William Llyn, herald, and Lewis Dwnn, deputy herald, and since continued, collected, and drawn by John Prichard Prys, 1714; twenty-five deeds and abstracts of title, 1739-1868, relating to Glyn Polva and other properties in the parish of Derwen, co. Denbigh, and to properties in Mwrog Street, Ruthin, co. Denbigh, and in Harlech, co. Merioneth, with two autograph letters of Robt. Jones, Derwen, 1830, and Messrs. Tucker and Lake, Lincoln's Inn, 1883; a copy probate of the will of Humphrey Maysmor of Glyn Polva, 1783; and a manuscript map of properties in Holt, co. Denbigh, surveyed by Richd. Williamson, 1767.

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Llanfihangel-y-traethau, Tywyn, Rhuthun, Trelawnyd, Faenol.
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Original journal of the Ynysfor Hunt 1859-62 returned to Depositor. Xerox copy available.

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Through the kindness of Captain J. Hext Lewes, OBE (RN), Llanllyr, Cardiganshire, who temporarily deposited the original in the Library, it was possible to make a photocopy for preservation in the Library of a volume of field plans and schedules of properties of the estate of Price Lewes, Gwastod, near Abermeurig, in the parishes of Bettws Lleucu, Gartheli, Nantcwnlle and Trefilan, Cardiganshire, 1813 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

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There is only one item to be recorded as having been added to the above during the year, viz.:
PAROCHIAL RECORDS
Knighton churchwardens' accounts, 1664-1827 (NLW MS 16134E).