ARThUR EVErSON DAVID
1950001
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Arthur Everson David, Pembroke Dock.
Bwlyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Eighty-seven volumes of music, chiefly English hymn books of the nineteenth century (Dept of Printed Books).

Mr David, who died on 7 November 1949, was a son of the owner of the foundry at Wisemans Bridge, near Saundersfoot. He was trained for the teaching profession at Carmarthen Training College and was subsequently appointed to various schools in Pembrokeshire, including the East End School, Pembroke, and the Coronation School, Pembroke Dock. He was a member of Trinity United Congregational Church, Pembroke Dock, for many years. He had an extensive collection of hymn books, Welsh and English, and his executor allowed the Librarian to select all those works of which copies were not already in the National Library.

CARDIFF LAND TAX, ELECTORS AND BURGESSES
1950002
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr C V Appleton, Cardiff.
Bwlyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Typescript copies of Land Tax Assessment books for the parishes of St John and St Mary, Cardiff, 1788-1806, a Poor Rate Assessment for St. Mary, 1798, a poll book for Kibbor and Cardiff, 1820; and a register of burgesses for Cardiff, 1825/6 (NLW MS 17796D).

THE HOLY QURAN
1950003
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr M A Bajwa, Imam, The London Mosque.
Bwlyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description

This work, which is to be completed in three volumes, has been published by the Moslem society known as Sadr-Anjuman-i-Ahmadiyah, one of the two societies of the Ahmadiyah movement founded in 1889 by Mirza Ghutam Ahmad, who claimed to be the Promised Messiah of Islamic theology. The English and Arabic are printed side by side in two columns to the page. Generally each page has one or two verses, the rest being occupied by the notes, linguistic notes coming first, followed by a commentary on the subject matter. There is a general introduction of 276 pages by Mirza Bashir Ud-Din Mahmud Ahmad, 'Second Successor of the Promised Messiah'.

SIR H IDRIS BELL
1950004
Ffynhonnell / Source
Sir H Idris Bell, CB, OBE, DLitt, FBA, Aberystwyth.
Bwlyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The Der-Balizeh Papyrus containing fragments of a sixth-century liturgical text from Christian Egypt was first published about forty years ago, and came to be regarded as a highly important text for the early history of Christian liturgy. But it was not until recently that, quite accidentally, Mr C H Roberts, Reader in Papyrology at Oxford, and one of the authors of the above monograph, discovered that the papyrus, which is preserved in the Bodleian, contains some thirty or forty fragments, large and small, additional to the three incomplete leaves already published. A new edition was therefore necessary, and this is supplied in the present monograph, in which Mr Roberts is responsible for the text and textual notes and Dom B. Capelle for the commentary which discusses the liturgical significance of the fragments.
A number of volumes of ‘Skrifter utgitt ad Det Norske Vedenskaps. Akademi i Oslo’, 1946-8 (Dept of Printed Books).

WYESIDE BOWMEN
1950005
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr G W Bright, FALPA, Leominster.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A minute book, 1875-93, of the Wyeside Bowmen (NLW MS 15511D).
Seven views 'illustrating the County of Radnor from drawings taken on the spot and lithographed by Joseph Murray Ince' (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

HESTER LYNCHPIOZZI
1950006
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr G R Brigstocke, Ryde, Isle of Wight.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A facsimile of the miniature of Mrs Hester Lynch Piozzi painted at Bath in 1817 by S T Roche, from the original in the possession of Mr O Butler Fellowes, a descendant of Sir James Fellowes, Mrs Piozzi's friend and executor (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

BRITISH MISSION MICROFILMS
1950007
Ffynhonnell / Source
The British Mission of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Dewsbury.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A further gift of 309 rolls of positive microfilms of genealogical records in the National Library of Wales.

SST
JOHN HUGHES, ARCHDEACON OF CARDIGAN
1950008
Letters of ordination and collation of John Hughes, archdeacon of Cardigan, to be deacon (Jan. 1811), to be priest (July 1811), to the chapel of St. Michael's, Aberystwyth (1827), to the fifth Cursal Prebend of the Cathedral Church of St Davids (1852), and to the archdeaconry of Cardigan (1859), of his son Richard Hughes to be priest (1850) and to the rectory of Southam, co. Warwick (1880), and of his grandson John Cecil Hughes to be priest (1888), together with a pedigree table of Archdeacon John Hughes compiled by the donor (NLW Misc Records 67-74).


Original manuscripts and press cuttings of poems and dramas by the late James Clement, 'Alarch Ogwy'; reports of the Amalgamated Association of Miners (Neath, Swansea and Llanelly District), 1889-91; and correspondence.

Original manuscripts and press cuttings of poems and dramas by the late James Clement, 'Alarch Ogwy'; reports of the Amalgamated Association of Miners (Neath, Swansea and Llanelly District), 1889-91; and correspondence.

DR JOSEPH PARRY
1950013
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr H Cyril David, Llandaff.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Balance sheets of accounts relating to performances in Cardiff of Cefn Ydfa, 1903-5, and other musical compositions by Dr Joseph Parry, with letters from Dr Parry to T W David, 1902-3 (NLW MS 17412D).

DAVIES, PORTMADOC
1950014
Ffynhonnell / Source
Messrs Davies Brothers, Porthmadog.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Records relating to the following slate quarries, mainly in the counties of Merioneth and Caernarfon:
1. The Wrsgan Slate Quarry Co. Ltd (parish of Ffestiniog, co. Merioneth). Leases, 1859 and 1872, of portions of Tanygrisiau Farm, parish of Ffestiniog, whereon the Wrsgan Quarry was situated; two minute books, 1884-1902, 1902-18; a cash book, 1874-1918; a ledger containing separate individual accounts, 1892-1917; three registers of holdings and transfer of shares, 1892-1912; Memorandum and Articles of Association of the above company, 1891; and particulars of sale, 1912.
3. The Bugail Slate Co. Ltd (parish of Penmachno, co. Caernarvon). A minute book, 1875-92; a register containing balance sheets, reports, and estimates, 1880-8; and a plan and section, 1887.
4. A register containing details of stocks and sales of the Alexandra Slate Co. Ltd. Caernarvon, the Goodman Slate Quarry, Llanberis, the Cefn-du Slate Quarry Co., Waenfawr, and the Caermeinciau Slate Co., Waenfawr (all in co. Caernarvon), including details of shipments of slates from Portmadoc, Caernarvon, and other ports, 1877-1915.
5. A record, 1896-1906, of the number and value of the slates produced at the Whitland Abbey Slate Quarries on the borders of Carmarthenshire and Pembrokeshire, and a parcel of pay sheets of the Precelly Slate Co. for their quarry at Gilfach in the same district for 1934-9.
A large bundle of Portmadoc Trust Papers, 1913-15. Documents and plans relating to the Ffestiniog, Penrhyneddraeth, and Tanygarth Railways, and to the Portmadoc, Beddgelert, and Rhyd-ddu Light Railway, 1867-1905. Miscellaneous papers. They include a file containing orders and invoices of slates delivered by Messrs Davies Bros, of Slate Wharf, Portmadoc, under the direction of the Department of Building Materials Supply, the Ministry of Munitions, 1919-20; a file containing terms of contracts under the Ministry of Munitions of War, comments on the condition of the slate industry after the First World War, and a list of the quarries worked in North Wales during the thirty years ending 1919; rates for the conveyance of slates on the Cambrian Railways and on the Manchester Ship Canal; sale catalogues of the Croesor estate (1892), the Cwmorthin Slate Quarries at Tanygrisiau, Ffestiniog (1900), the Tremadoc and Portmadoc estates (1892), and the rights of the Llangollen Slab and Slate Quarry in various freehold and leasehold properties in the parishes of Llantysilio and Llangollen.
A collection of annual reports of the Madoc Memorial Hospital and of chapels and religious organisations in the Portmadoc district.
Certificates signed by Bala College professors on behalf of students travelling to their Sunday preaching engagements to enable them to qualify for the special fares allowed to preachers by the Cambrian Railways.

Over forty deeds and documents (1676-1874) relating to properties in Llandinam, Llanidloes, Mochdre and Trefeglwys, co. Montgomery, and to affairs of local government and Turnpike Trusts. Many of the documents were at one time the property of Evan Woosnam, Bodaioch, Trefeglwys (NLW Misc Documents, Montgomeryshire).

Two political cartoons based on Welsh parliamentary questions and featuring Ellis Jones Griffith, H H Asquith, D Lloyd George, and J E Redmond (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

A journal of a voyage to Australia, 1865-6, by J Davies, Blaenafon, Twrgwyn, Cardiganshire, and his sister Elizabeth Davies (NLW MS 15078B).
An essay by the donor on ‘Hanes Rhymi a'r cylch’, 1902 (NLW Misc Volumes 60-1); a minute book (1918-26) of Ebenezer CM Chapel, Twyncarno, Rhymney; a minute book (1918-22), correspondence (1916-18), and balance sheets (1916-23) of the Rhymney and Abertysswg Trades and Labour Council; collecting books (1927-43) of the British and Foreign Bible Society; a minute book (1907-8) of the Rhymney Dairymen's Association; an ode entitled 'Yr Awen' and miscellaneous poems; an essay on 'Anghenion Cymru'; election cards and miscellaneous correspondence, 1914-22.

DAVID EVAN DAVIES, LLITHFAEN
1950020
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Vida Davies, Cardiff.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A notebook of Rev David Evan Davies, Llithfaen, 1867, containing sermon notes and minutes relating to the establishment of a day school there (NLW MS 16477A).

TRECEFEL
1950021
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr W R Davies and the Trustee of Anne Jenkins, deceased, on behalf of the Trecefel Family, Tregaron.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Diaries, 1839, 1845, 1849-62, 1864-5, 1868, and poetry, 1870-2, written by Joseph Jenkins, Trecefel; diaries, 1886-1940, 1942-4, 1946-7, kept by Anne Jenkins, containing details of farm life during the period.
The chair known as 'Cadair Iolo Morganwg' which had been acquired by the Jenkins family at a sale at Hafod, and an 'englyn' by John Lewis ('Ioan Mynyw') framed as a warning over the 'Iolo Morganwg' chair (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
A portrait of 'Iolo Morganwg' (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

H GILES DIXEY
1950022
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr H Giles Dixey, Oxford.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of eleven books and booklets of recent date, most of which were printed by the donor (Dept of Printed Books); in six instances they are numbered copies. The donor is also the author or compiler of eight of these books and the translator of the ninth, which is a version in Esperanto hexameters of the tenth book of Homer's Odyssey. The group includes collections of verse, essays, tales, an account of travels in India, and other books on divers subjects. They are particularly interesting as examples of contemporary private printing in England.

THE LIFE AND WORKS OF LE GONIDEC
1950023
Ffynhonnell / Source
Dr L Dujardin, Saint-Renan, Finistere, Britanny.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The donor, a Breton country doctor, has presented a copy of his recently published work, La Vie et les œuvres de Jean-François-Marie-Maurice-Agathe le Gonidec, grammairien et lexicographe breton, 1775-1838 (Brest: Imprimerie Commerciale et Administrative, 1949) (Dept of Printed Books). It is a large volume of 376 well-documented pages into which the author has collected all the information which he has been able to find after many years' research bearing on le Gonidec, his work, and the circles in which he moved.

The subject of this research was the leading Breton scholar of the early nineteenth century, a grammarian and lexicographer whose contributions placed the study and use of Breton on a new footing, and a translator of the Bible into his native language. Dr Dujardin deals at length with le Gonidec's Welsh contacts, which were particularly with 'Carnhuanawc' and other members of Lady Llanover's circle. A great deal is recounted in the book of the arrangements for the visit of the Breton delegation to the Abergavenny Eisteddfod of 1838, which was the high-water mark of Cambro-Breton relationships in the first half of the nineteenth century. In the appendix are included several letters and descriptions of Brittany written by Welshmen while visiting that country in le Gonidec's day. Acknowledgement is made by the author of the assistance received by him from the National Library of Wales, and his inscription on the presentation copy is worthy of note: Ra gresko, diwar al levr-man, etre Kembreez ha Bretoned, ar mignonaij hadet gant ar Gonidec, David Jones hag ar Rev. Price. Y Gwir yn erbyn y byd. (May this book cause to grow between Welshmen and Bretons the friendship which was sown by le Gonidec, David Jones and Rev. Price [i.e. 'Carnhuanawc'].)

GRIFFITH EDWARDS, BONTDDU
1950024
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Griffith Edwards, Bontddu.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Two collections of hymn-tunes and anthems, 19th cent (NLW MS 16387A).

G A EDWARDS, OSWESTRY
1950025
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend G A Edwards, MA, DD, Oswestry.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Notes of lectures taken by the donor at the University College of Wales, 1901-2, and at Jesus College, Oxford, 1903-7; university club programmes and correspondence, 1902-7; original manuscripts of Hanes Gwareiddiad (NLW MS 16939B), Llyfr y Misoedd (NLW MS 16940B), and Y Beibl Heddiw (NLW MS 16941B); and notes by Edward Williams, afterwards of Sandycroft and Machynlleth, of lectures delivered by Principal T Charles Edwards on Christian Dogmatics at Bala, 1894. A copy of the will (1839-52) of Morgan Williams, London, with annotations by the donor (NLW Deeds 1184); and other documents (NLW Deeds 718).

ODDFELLOWS
1950026
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr R J Ellis, Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Local records of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, Manchester Unity, Friendly Society, consisting of resolution books of the Aberystwyth District Committee, 1886-1915, resolution and cash books of the Gwalia District Committee (amalgamation of the Aberystwyth and Dolgellau districts), 1916-28, and minute books of the Dolgellau District Committee, 1908-15; and resolution books, 1866-1926, and cash books, 1839-1926, of the St Davids Lodge, minute books, 1906-44, of the Temple of Love Lodge,

NEUADDLWYD AND ABERAERON
1950027
Ffynhonnel / Source
The Misses Evans, Aberaeron.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Registers of baptisms, 1791-1896, at Neuaddlwyd and Aberaeron by Dr Thomas Phillips and William Evans (NLW MSS 19154-5C); an album of press cuttings and original letters and documents relating to Neuaddlwyd and other Congregational churches, 1793-1893, including autograph letters of John Roberts, Llanbrynmair, 1815-24, David Rees, Llanelly, 1844, Robert Thomas, Bangor, 1866-7, William Ambrose, Portmadoc, 1878, William Rees, Liverpool, 1870, John Davies, Glandwr, 1829, Azariah Shadrach, 1834, and John Saunders, 1871, both of Aberystwyth and others (NLW MS 19156C); papers relating to the conferment of the degree of D.D. upon Thomas Phillips (NLW MS 19157E); letters written from Madagascar by James Hastie, British Agent, and David Griffiths, David Jones and David Johns, missionaries, 1821-32; the 'call' to William Evans to become assistant pastor to Dr Phillips at Neuaddlwyd, and the certificate of his ordination, 1835; and over forty deeds and documents, 1545-1848, relating to properties in the parishes of Henfynyw and Llanarth (NLW Deeds 433-73).

Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

IFOR L EVANS
1950028
Ffynhonnel / Source
Principal Ifor L Evans, MA, DLitt, Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A selection of the works of Serafino M Zarb, Professor of Dogmatic Theology, Royal University, Malta (Dept of Printed Books), including Chronologia operum S. Augustini, Rome, 1934, De Historia Canonis Utriusque Testamenti, Rome, 1934, Biblical lectures upon the meaning and the making of the Canon of the Bible, Rome and Malta, 1938, Chronologia enarrationum S. Augustini in Psalmos, Malta, 1948, etc., together with a copy of Un Dramma della Passione del Secolo XII, by D M Ingueanez, 2nd edition, 1939.

An extensive selection of classical music (Dept of Printed Books), including works by Beethoven, Berlioz, Chopin, Dvorak, Handel, Mozart, and Schubert, and a number of choruses and songs by modern English composers including Bantock, Coleridge-Taylor, Elgar and Edward German. The collection also contains numerous cantatas, anthems, and songs by most of the leading Welsh composers of the present century and some by Dr Joseph Parry and others of his period.

A collection of forty-two works mainly in German and Roumanian (Dept of Printed Books). The German books, which are well produced, include works of fiction, among which are historical novels by Dmitri Mereschkowski (translated from Russian) and other translations from Stendhal, Conrad, Giono, Hamsun, Jerome K Jerome, Selma Lagerlof, and Oscar Wilde; works of literary criticism; a collection of heroic tales; a biography of Brahms in eight volumes; works of German history and economics, including Max Weber's Wirtschaftsgeschichte, Walterhausen's Deutsche Wirtschaftsgeschichte, 1815-1914, and a large four-volume work on German economy edited by F Stegeman, 1901-4; the complete works of E T H Hoffmann in eleven volumes, 1924; and collections of the letters of von Humboldt, von Marez, von Menzel, Clara Schumann, and Brahms. Among the German books is also a volume of poetry translated from Flemish.

The Rumanian books, which are mainly in wrappers, include collections of prose writings by various authors, an historical work, a collection of folk-tales, and another of popular songs set to music. From the point of view of scholarship it would appear, however, that the outstanding Rumanian work in the...
collection is a fine copy of Puscariu's beautifully-illustrated book on the history of early Rumanian literature.

Apart from the above-mentioned books the collection also contains the large two-volume work by Emile Levasseur entitled Histoire des classes ouvrières et de l'industrie en France de 1789 a 1870 and a critical edition by a Maltese scholar named Hannibal P Scicluna of The Book of deliverations of the venerable tongue of England, 1523-1567 (Dept of Printed Books).

In addition to the foreign books the donor has also presented a copy of Charles Dickens: a gossip about his life, works and characters, by Thomas Archer, with eighteen full-face character sketches, reproduced in photogravure by Frederick Barnard and other artists, [1894 ?], a folio-sized collection divided into six divisions, each bound separately, in boards (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

D J AFAN THOMAS
1950029
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend William Evans, BA, 'Wil Ifan', Bridgend.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Manuscript music by D J Thomas ('Afan'); the original manuscript of Afan: a Welsh Music-maker, by the donor (Cardiff, 1944); poetry by the donor and others; letters to the donor from 'Afan', mostly undated; letters to 'Afan' from various correspondents, 1911-28; material relating to 'Afan', such as adjudications, lists of his works, etc.; volumes relating to Y Celt, consisting of the share ledger of the company, 1881-4, a register of members, and the names and addresses of correspondents to Y Celt; and a financial account book of the Congregational chapel, Glandwr, 1825-31.

A small collection of books, mainly of religious and literary interest, in English and Welsh, ranging from the seventeenth to the nineteenth century, together with a bundle of sheet music, singing festival programmes (Dept of Printed Books), and press cuttings relating mainly to the late D J Thomas ('Afan'). Several of the books are of association interest, including a few which were at one time in the possession of 'Ieuan Gwynedd' and two which had belonged to 'Sion Gymro', one of the latter being the 1827 edition of The Comprehensive Bible.

A group of photographs and drawings relating to 'Afan', some of which were used to illustrate the donor's work Afan: a Welsh Music-maker (1944), and two plans of Moriah Congregational chapel, Llanwinio, 1883 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

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Schedule Available.

W A EVANS, DENBIGH
1950030
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr W A Evans, MC, MA, MSc, Denbigh.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A scrapbook of Rev Humphrey Humphreys, rector of Henllan, Denbighshire.

THE WORLD BOOK ENCYCLOPEDIA
1950031
Ffynhonnell / Source
Field Enterprises, Inc., Chicago, per Mr J Morris Jones, BA.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
An alphabetical encyclopedia, with an extensive system of cross references, coloured illustrations and maps, photographs and rare prints, diagrams, and graphs and maps in black and white. More than 1,000 contributors have co-operated in the compilation of the work and most of the articles are signed. Mr J Morris Jones is a son of Mr and the late Mrs Morris William Jones, of Marian House, Llanfarian, Cardiganshire. Owing to a breakdown in health he was induced to emigrate to the United States. In 1925 he entered a publishing business at Nebraska and later joined the staff of The Quarrie Corporation, Chicago. Towards the end of 1949 he was appointed a Vice-President of Field Enterprises, Inc., Chicago, now the publishers of The World Book Encyclopedia, of which Mr Morris Jones is managing editor.

NEUADDLWYD AND PENIEL CHAPELS, ABERAERON
1950032
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr S V Galloway, Aberystwyth.
Blywydyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Registers, c. 1850, of the Neuaddlwyd (NLW MS 16974E) and Peniel Independent churches, Aberaeron (NLW MS 16793E).

MEGAN GLYN, SIMON PETER
1950033
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Megan Glyn, Amlwch.
Blywydyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of the novel Simon Peter, by the donor, set in moon type, five volumes, for the blind (Dept of Printed Books).

JOHN GRIFFITHS
1950034
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs H M Groves, Yetminster, Sherborne, Dorset.
Blywydyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A very valuable work. The fresco paintings in the Buddhist cave-temples or monasteries at Ajanta, in the territory of the Nizam of Hyderabad, are among the most important monuments of Buddhist art in India, and range in date from the second century B.C. to the seventh or eighth century A.D. The two large folio volumes between them contain 159 full-page plates, six in chromo-lithography and the rest in collotype. The plates in Volume I illustrate personalities and scenes in early Buddhist history and mythology, while those in Volume II illustrate points of decorative detail. The illustrations in the preliminary text of Volume I provide interesting evidence, culled from the paintings themselves, for the arts and crafts and mode of life generally of the early Buddhists.

(The author, John Griffiths, was the donor's father. He was a native of Llanfair Caereinion, where he was born in 1837. Through the good offices of Sir James Clarke, in whose family his widowed mother was housekeeper, he was trained at what is now the Royal College of Art. After seeing some service at the South Kensington Museum, he became Professor of Art and later Principal at the Bombay School of Art. Aided by a grant from the Government of India, he set a number of his students the task of making copies of the Ajanta frescoes. These copies were subsequently deposited at the South Kensington Museum. They were published by order of the India Office in 1896-7. John Griffiths died on 1 December 1918.)
Also LETTERS AND PAPERS OF JOHN GRIFFITHS (NLW MS 15331C):
Letters to John Griffiths from Evelyn Baring, Thomas George Baring, first Earl of Northbrook, Sir George Birdwood, Thomas Brassey, first Earl Brassey, Sir James Clark, John Collier, Arthur Ellis, Sir B H Ellis, Sir James Fergusson, H B E Frere, William Gill, Sir A E Hardinge, George James Howard, ninth Earl of Carlisle, Donald James Mackay, elev enth Baron Reay, Daniel Maclise, George Porter, archbishop of Bombay, Samatous Parmanandas, Dewan of Bhaunagar, V C Prinsep, Sir John Scott, Sir R Temple, G F Watts, and others; miscellaneous papers, including an account of a tiger shoot, 1883; and medals, including a decoration awarded to John Griffiths in acknowledgement of his services in connection with the Delhi Durbar of 1877, 'the Mayo Prize', and medals commemorating the Bombay Exhibition, 1873, the Bombay Fine Art Exhibition, 1879, the Calcutta International Exhibition, 1883-4, and the Antwerp Universal Exhibition, 1885.

BROGYNTYN
1950035
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Right Hon Lord Harlech, KG, PC, GCMG, LLD, DCL, FSA, Brogyntyn.
Bwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A fragment of ministers' accounts for the lordship of Oswestry, 14th cent.; an account of a mortality among cattle in Merioneth, 1692-3, and of mysterious fires there, c. 1700; the appointment of the Right Hon. William Richard, Lord Harlech, to be Provincial Grand Master for North Wales, 1885; a return of game killed at Glyn, 1885-6; Test Act certificates of Sir Robert Owen, 1680; correspondence, 1878-88; particulars of the Porkington estate, 1835; and the original copper plate of the book-plate of the second Baron Harlech.
A manuscript miscellany of English poetry and letters, 18th cent. Vox Uraniae... 1676, with genealogical memoranda of the family of Corbett and notes of cordwood and grain delivered.
A miscellaneous collection of pamphlets, some relating to the history and topography of Shropshire and in particular to Oswestry.
Sheet 36 of a map published by John Cary, 1830 (scale 2m.=1"), on which are marked the projected Oswestry-Newtown and Shrewsbury-Hereford railways (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

`GARDD O GERDDI' BY THOMAS EDWARDS
1950036
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr R R Herbert, London.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of Thomas Edwards: Gardd o Gerddi, 1790, with `englynion' by the author to Thomas Evans, postmaster at Rhayader, and an `englyn i bont Rhaidr' written on the fly-leaves (NLW MS 15189A).

JOHN L HOBBS
1950037
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr John L Hobbs, FLA, Shrewsbury.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Correspondence, reports, accounts, and copies of deeds and documents, 1686-1812, relating to the Dongray estate and other properties in Bangor and Worthenbury, co. Flint (NLW MSS 15096-9B, 15100E).
Schedules of deeds relating to the estate of Rev Pierce Thomas of Hendre, co. Merioneth, 1642-1779, the estate of Arthur Jones in Churchstoke and Kerry, co. Montgomery, 1623-1776, the estate of Miss

DR STANLEY OWEN (’HOFFNANT’)
1950038
Ffôn honnell / Source
Mr John Hooson, London.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Holograph manuscripts of poems in Welsh and English by Dr Stanley Owen (’Hoffnant’) (NLW MSS 15118-9C, 15120-1B, 15122D).

I D HOOSON
1950039
Ffôn honnell / Source
The Reverend James Humphreys, MA, BD, Rhosllannerchrugog.
Bwyddyn / Year
A droddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Holograph notes on the lyric, by the late I D Hooson (NLW MS 15066B).

HARLECH MEMORIAL HALL
1950040
Ffôn honnell / Source
Mr William Humphreys, Harlech.
Bwyddyn / Year
A droddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A minute book, 1921-45, of the Harlech Memorial Hall Committee (NLW MS 15127C).

DAFYDD JENKINS, ’THE LAWS OF HYWEL DDA’
1950041
Ffôn honnell / Source
Mr Dafydd Jenkins, MA, LLM, Aberystwyth.
Bwyddyn / Year
A droddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A typescript of the donor's dissertation entitled 'The Laws of Hywel Dda. A study of a family of manuscripts, with particular reference to the lost "Llanforda manuscript" ' (NLW MS 15081C).

ACCOUNT BOOKS OF COUNTRY SHOPS AND A COOPER
1950042
Ffôn honnell / Source
Mr T W Jenkins, Leigh-on-Sea, Essex.
Bwyddyn / Year
A droddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Account books of country shops at Gartheli and Bwlchllan, Cardiganshire, 1827-78 (NLW MSS 16705-6A, 16708D) ; and an account book of David Davies, cooper, Pantsych, Bwlchllan, 1864-83 (NLW MS 16707D).

RUTHIN CORVISERS
CANTATAS BY D W JONES AND STEPHEN JONES
1950044
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr D W Jones, FTSC, Treorchy, and Rev Stephen Jones, Llansawel.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The original manuscripts of three cantatas composed by the donors (NLW MSS 15141B, 15142C, 15143E).

RICHARD BAXTER, THE REFORMED PASTOR
1950045
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs E G Jones, Tywyn, per Rev H Jones Griffith.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description

T GWYNN JONES, `GWAITH TUDUR ALED'
1950046
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Eluned Wynn Jones, London.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The author's manuscript of Gwaith Tudur Aled by the late Thomas Gwynn Jones, CBE, DLitt (NLW MSS 15129C, 15130B).

AR C'HEMBRAEG HEB POAN
1950047
Ffynhonnell / Source
Dr Iorwerth Hughes Jones, Swansea.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A photocopied translation of Welsh Made Easy (Caradar) into Breton - Ar C'hembraeg heb poan troet diwar saozneg levr Caradar... gant P Loazel (NLW MS 15155C).

J W JONES
1950048
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J W Jones, Blaenau Ffestiniog.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A holograph manuscript of `Gwlad y Bryniau' by Thomas Gwynn Jones (NLW MS 16132A); correspondence relating to the Morgan Llwyd Memorial, 1944-9, and to the publication of Rolant Wyn: Dwr y Ffynnon, 1949; press cuttings of `Nodion Rhedynfab’ printed in Tarian y Gweithiwr; volumes of sermon notes; and papers relating to Garregddu Sunday School, 1913.
A minute book, 1923-44, of the Trefeini Sunday School.

Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

RICHARD JONES, `CHRISTIANITY AND THE NEW HUMANISM'
1950049
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Richard Jones, Llandinam, per Rev G A Edwards, MA, DD, Oswestry.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Notes by Rev Dr Richard Jones, Llandinam, for his Davies Lecture on `Christianity and the New Humanism', 1937, with the script of the lecture as delivered at the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Wales at Ammanford (NLW MS 16131C).

LIVERPOOL WOMEN'S HOSPITAL
1950050
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Rowland O Jones and Mrs H Iorwerth Hughes, Liverpool.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Records of the Welsh Appeal Committee of the Women's Hospital, Liverpool, consisting of minutes, 1933-48, minutes of the executive committee, 1933-40, and a scrapbook of press cuttings, programmes and photographs.

NATIONAL EISTEDDFOD OF WALES
1950051
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Thomas Jones, Dolgellau.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Minutes of committees of the National Eisteddfod held at Dolgellau in 1949.

SWEENEY HALL
1950052
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major B E Parker Leighton, DL, Sweeney Hall, Oswestry.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Printed books, chiefly historical and topographical works relating to England and Wales (Dept of Printed Books), including a copy of Rambling sketches from the old churches in the diocese of Llandaff, by Charles B Fowler, 1896, The Parish registers of Broseley, Shropshire, 1570-1700, edited by Alfred I C C Langley, 1889, etc.
Periodicals, as follows (Dept of Printed Books):- The Illustrated Historic Times, Vols. 1-3, 1849-50; John Bull, Vol. 6, 1826; Salopian Journal, 1814-15; and The Literary Gazette and Journal, 1828-9, 1831-3. Bound with the last-named are a number of issues of The Court Journal, 1830.
LLANYCHAIARN AND DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION
1950053
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J D Lewis, Blaenplwyf.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description

HISTORY OF PENCARREG
1950054
Ffynhonnell / Source
Messrs J D Lewis and Sons, Gwasg Gomer, Llandysul.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A manuscript history of the parish of Pencarreg, co. Carmarthen (NLW MS 15329B).

TITHE WAR IN WEST WALES
1950055
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend Robert Lewis, Pendine.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A holograph account of the donor's experiences in the Tithe War in West Wales, 1888-9 (NLW MS 15321D), and two volumes of press cuttings on the same subject (NLW MSS 15322F, 15323D).

D MIALL EDWARDS
1950056
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend Principal-Emeritus Thomas Lewis, MA, BD, Brecon.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Original manuscripts of publications and notes by the late Dr D Miall Edwards, proof sheets and reviews, and correspondence relating thereto.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS CATALOG
1950057
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Library of Congress, Washington, DC, USA, per The Librarian.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Thanks to the good offices of Dr Thomas Jones, CH, the Librarian of Congress has kindly arranged for copies of the *Cumulative Catalog of the Library of Congress* to be deposited in the National Library of Wales (Dept of Printed Books). The annual cumulation for 1948, in three bound volumes, has been received, together with three quarterly unbound cumulations for 1949, and the first of the unbound cumulations for 1950. All three sets will be received periodically as they appear. The regular subscription rate for this important bibliographical tool is $100 a year, and its usefulness as a work of reference need hardly be stressed.
On the occasion of the recent celebration by the Library of Congress of its 150th anniversary, a message of greeting from the Officers and the Librarian of the National Library of Wales was sent to that institution. In appreciation of this message Mr Luther H Evans, the Librarian of Congress, presented to the National Library of Wales a numbered copy of the folio-sized study of the fourteenth-century Latin manuscript Bible of Demeter Nekcsei-Lipocz, Count of Bacs in Hungary, which was published in May 1949 in an edition of 600 copies by the Rare Books Division of the Library of Congress. This study is the work of Meta Harrsen, of the Pierpont Morgan library. It contains as frontispiece a magnificent coloured reproduction of an illustrated page of the manuscript; there are also twenty full-page uncoloured plates and many other figure illustrations.

The original manuscript has been described as the finest in the possession of the Library of Congress. Miss Harrsen does not confine her researches to an examination of the manuscript itself, but takes a very wide field. Her interesting and valuable study includes a discussion of the Bolognese school of miniature painting in Hungary in the fourteenth century, with reference to the native scriptoria and some of their products, including the Nekcsei-Lipocz Bible and kindred manuscripts, their palaeography, iconography, heraldry, style, colours, and border ornaments, the locale of the atelier in which the manuscripts were produced, evidence for dating, and the destined recipient. A comparative study follows of the manuscript with others to which it is closely related, and which are now respectively in the Pierpont Morgan Library, in the Vatican Library, and in Paris.

The Library is fortunate to be the recipient of this magnificent production, which was presented, to quote the Librarian of Congress, 'as a token of our common purpose'.

LLEWELLIN-TAYLOUR
1950058
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr A R Llewellyn-Taylour, MA, FRSA, London.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection which includes twenty-three books printed in the sixteenth century, five of them within the first two decades (Dept of Printed Books). Thirteen were published in Paris, including five volumes of Roman Catholic Canon Law (1518 and 1549), and seven works of Aristotle, in Latin, which appeared 'ex officina Gabriellis Buon ' in 1573. The other Parisian book is an incomplete copy of an annotated edition of De Sphera, by Joannes de Sacro Bosco, issued for the use of students possibly as early as 1500. Four of the remaining sixteenth-century books were published at Venice, two of them in 1517, namely, the works of Oppian in Greek and an Italian translation of Caesar's Commentaries by 'Agostino Vrtica della Porta Genovese'. The other Venetian books are Orlando Furioso (1551) and the 1560 edition of Petrarch's poetry, 'con l'espositione d'Alessandro Vellutello'.

The other sixteenth-century publications are (a) a collection of Sermones by St Augustine, printed in Cologne in 1504, (b) an Italian translation of two works attributed to St Thomas Aquinas, printed in Perugia in 1510, (c) an incomplete copy of the 1526 edition of the Bible in Latin, printed at Lyons, containing only the New Testament and the 'Interpretationes nominum hebraicorum', (d) an English translation of Thucydides by Thomas Nicolls, published in London in 1550, (e) the chronicles of the reign of Ferdinand and Isabella, in Spanish, dated 1565, and (f) a history of Italy, in Latin, by Carlo Sigonio, printed in Basle in 1575.

The collection also includes two seventeenth-century books - Histoire de Lovys XII (Paris, 1615) and a volume of engravings illustrative of quotations from Horace, published in Antwerp by Phillip Isisart in 1612 (Dept of Printed Books).

The volume of Oppian is bound in red leather with gilt tooling by P Lefebure. The collection of Aristotelian texts was fully bound with gold ornament and corner blocks in Persian style, with the name RASCASSIVS in the oval of the centre block. It would appear from this that the volume once formed part of the library of Pierre-Antoine Rascas de Bagarris, Keeper of Medals to King Henry IV of France. The binding, unfortunately, is broken, and wants the spine.

Complete sets of the twenty parts of the first editions of Dickens's Dombey and Son (1846-8), with the well-known illustrations by 'Phiz', and Our Mutual Friend (1864-5). Each of these works is enclosed in a leather case.

A miscellaneous collection of printed books (Dept of Printed Books), including the 1840 edition of Letters of Horace Walpole in six volumes, and eleven volumes of the works of Charles Lever, with illustrations by 'Phiz', all published by Chapman & Hall towards the middle of the last century. Both
these sets bear the bookplate of Alfred Robert Taylour. Most of the remaining books and booklets consist of popular and humorous literature of the last quarter of the nineteenth and of the beginning of the present century, and are representative of their type. They include twelve volumes of translations of Jules Verne published by Sampson Low in the 1880s; a collection, bound in two volumes, of South African books by George Griffith, which appeared about the turn of the century; and over fifty other books and booklets. Among these are tales of adventure and historical romance by Fergus Hume, H Rider Haggard, and others; humour by Charles H Ross; booklets on Gordon and the Sudan; light works of travel in Africa; and a few other popular books on important contemporary events from the accession of Cyprus and the Armenian massacres to the loss of the Titanic. Of a different nature are the two text-books (dated 1892 and 1913 respectively) of military French and German, and a bound copy of the eighth volume of *The Journal of the Commons, Open Spaces and Footpaths Preservation Society*.

NORTH CARDIGANSHIRE ARCHERY, CROQUET AND LAWN TENNIS CLUB
1950059
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs M L Loxdale, Llanilar.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
An account book, 1894-1918, of the North Cardiganshire Archery, Croquet and Lawn Tennis Club (NLW MS 15230C).

MATHER-JACKSON
1950060
Ffynhonnell / Source
Sir Edward Arthur Mather-Jackson, Bart., Abergavenny.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A note-book of Mathew Powell, 1732-3 (NLW MS 15079A); a typescript copy of the diary of Walter Powell, 1603-54 (NLW MS 15080D); manuscript copies of Powell correspondence, and original letters by William Powell, 1692, and Phillip Powell, 1677; and articles of a Society of Women at Llantilio Crossenny, 1810 (NLW Misc Records 37).

AMALGAMATED ASSOCIATION OF MINERS
1950061
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss A Bronwen Morgan, Skewen.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Minutes, 1890-1901, of the monthly meeting of the Amalgamated Association of Miners of the Anthracite Districts (NLW MSS 15067-8D). The minutes are written in Welsh.

HARLECH HOSPITAL LEAGUE
1950062
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Eleanor Morris, Harlech.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Records of the Harlech Hospital League, 1926-48 (NLW MSS 15123D, 15124-5B, 15126D).
WORDS WORTH VARIANTS
1950063
Ffynhonnell / Source
Sir Owen Morshead, KCVO, DSO, The Library, Windsor Castle, Berks.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy of the volume Some variants in Wordsworth's text in the volumes of 1836-7 in the King's library, edited by Helen Darbishire (Oxford, 1949), presented by the donor to members of the Roxburghe Club, 1949 (Dept of Printed Books).

MORTIMER-THOMAS
1950064
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Mortimer-Thomas, Llandrindod Wells.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Four deeds (1626-59) relating to properties in Llanvallteg and Egremond, co. Carmarthen (NLW Deeds 429-32).

W HARVEY HOOPER
1950065
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Tom Norton, Llandrindod Wells.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A contemporary copy of a long letter by W Harvey Hooper, purser of HMS Fury, 1823 (NLW MS 17411D), notes on Montgomeryshire pedigrees, and proof sheets of Lewis Dwnn: Heraldic Visitations of Wales (ed. S. R. Meyrick) (NLW Amryw 33/7).

PERIODICALS
1950066
Ffynhonnell / Source
Oldham Public Library, per The Director, Miss T Simpson.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Periodicals, all of which were required to complete the files in the National Library (Dept of Printed Books), including The Bookman, 1905-11; The Cornhill Magazine, 1896-1911; The Journal of the Iron and Steel Institute, 1880-1900; The Millgate Monthly, 1909-12; Nature Notes, 1890-9; Reports of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, 1833-80; Transactions of the Manchester Geological Society, 1878-82; and Transactions of the Zoological Society of London, 1835-79.

ANCIENT NATIONAL AIRS OF GWENT AND MORGANNWG
1950067
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr John Owen, OBE, Abergavenny.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of 'Ancient National Airs of Gwent and Morgannwg' by Maria Jane Williams, Aberpergwm, awarded the prize at the fifth anniversary of the Abergavenny Cymreigyddion, October 1838 (NLW MS 16386B).

J DYFNALLT OWEN
1950068
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Autograph letters of Thomas Williams, Merthyr Tydfil, 1869, B Williams, Swansea, 1870, D Rowlands, Carmarthen, 1871, and Robert Thomas, Landore, 1884 (NLW MS 16343E).
Mynegai
Merthyr Tudful

MYSEVIN
1950069
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr W Churchill Owen, Mysevin, Denbigh.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A quarto volume of the correspondence of Dr William Owen [-Pughe] for 1809-10 and 1823-5 (NLW MS 13263C). The volume supplements the Mysevin Collection acquired by the Library in 1940.

PAYNE
1950070
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr C Payne, Johannesburg.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Two deeds, 1584-7, relating to properties in Llanelidan, co. Denbigh (NLW Deeds 427-8).

COMEDIES OF TERENCE
1950071
Ffynhonnell / Source
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description

ARCHBISHOP PROSSER
1950072
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs M F Prosser, Abergwili.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Illuminated addresses presented to Rev David Lewis Prosser upon leaving Holy Trinity Church, Aberystwyth, 1896, and Christ Church, Swansea, 1906; and notes and statistics relating to the diocese of St. Davids.
About 100 volumes of English works on church history, biography and religious education (Dept of Printed Books).
A miscellaneous collection of engraved prints, portraits and maps (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

JOHN EVANS ('I D FFRAID')
1950073
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J T Prytherch, Conwy.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Sermons, addresses, verse compositions, etc., of John Evans ('I D Ffraid'), 1814-75 (NLW MSS 15092B, 15093A, 15095C); and 'Llyfr Cymdeithas Gymreigyddol Llansantffraid Glan Conwy', 1835-6 (NLW MS 15094C).

MERTHYR TYDFIL MEMORANDA
1950074
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr D W Rees, Penydarren, Merthyr Tydfil.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
An account and memorandum book, 1856-74, containing references to eisteddfodau in the Merthyr Tydfil district, poetry of local interest, biographical memoranda and accounts (NLW MS 15180A).

J T REES
1950075
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr T Ifor Rees, CMG, LLD, Bow Street, Cardiganshire.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Original manuscripts of the following musical works by the late John Thomas Rees, MusBac, the donor's father: 'Operetta-Madog'; 'Cantawd Genhadol'; an instrumental quintet; 'Cantawd-Cofio'r Plant'; the anthems 'Mawr yw yr Arglwydd' and 'Dwu sydd Noddfa'; 'Christos I & II'; 'Y Trwbadwr'; and an overture written for a concert held during the National Eisteddfod held at Pontypridd, 1893.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

PUMSAINT FORGE
1950076
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Thomas Rees, Yr Efail, Pumsaint.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Account books of the Pumsaint forge, 1827-9 (NLW MS 16486D), 1869-72 (NLW MS 16487A).

NATIONAL EISTEDDFOD OF WALES
1950077
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Ernest Roberts, Bangor.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Minutes of the Executive Committee of the National Eisteddfod Council, 1948-9 and 1949-50.

NEDDFERCH AND MARY OWEN
1950078
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Reverend Gomer M Roberts, MA, Pontrhydyfen.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Holograph elegies and other poems (and correspondence relating thereto) by Mrs L Evans ('Neddferch') (NLW MS 15077E); and material relating to Mary Owen, hymnist, and an elegy written by her daughter Mary Ann Davies (NLW MS 15076D).

MOSES ROBERTS
1950079
Ffynhonnell / Source
Messrs G Carey Roberts, Wallasey, and E Haddon Roberts, MBE, MA, MSc, Machynlleth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Sermon notes, addresses and diaries, 1887-1909, by Rev Moses Roberts (d. 1909).

BULL, DEFENSIO FIDEI NICAENAE
1950080
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr G V Roberts, Tenby.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description

J E HUGHES ROBERTS, EDERN
1950081
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J E Hughes Roberts and Miss Olwen Hughes Roberts, Edeyrn.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Manuscripts and papers relating to work carried out by G Hughes Roberts on behalf of the Land Enquiry Committee, 1912-13; a notebook relating to military tribunal exemptions, 1915; a photocopy of the certificate of the registration of Capel Penybryn, 21 October 1801; miscellaneous letters, including one by Robert Parry ('Robin Ddu Eryri'), 1866, and a letter from the Charity Commission relating to Ty'n y capel, Ceidio, 1895; a copy of The Cambrian Register, 1796, with notes by Peter Bayly Williams; and a photograph of members of the Executive Committee of the National Eisteddfod held at Bangor, 1902.

BROADSIDES ETC
1950082
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr W J Roberts, Llandudno.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of nineteenth century printed material including broadsides, leaflets, etc., relating to Bangor, Caernarfon and Beaumaris (Dept of Printed Books).

LEWIS RODERICK
1950083
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Misses Roderick, Cilycwm.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A 'pryddest ' on ' Dyngarwch' composed by Lewis Roderick (NLW MS 16799D).

ESGAIR AND PANTPERTHOG
1950084
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr A D Ruck, Chislehurst.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection of about forty works, of which over a third are Russian (Dept of Printed Books). This is the most considerable gift of Russian literature, in the original language, ever received by the Library. It includes editions of the works of Boborykin, the Empress Catherine II, Dostoevsky, Gogol, Goncharov, Gribyoevod, Grigorovich, Rozlov and Turgenev, some of them in as many as twelve volumes. They are all authoritative editions, being mostly the first issue in book form of works which originally appeared in parts in the Russian literary journal Neva. A copy of this journal for 1893 is included in the collection. These Russian books are very finely printed and are in a remarkably good state of preservation. The remainder of this collection consists of interesting nineteenth century works of art, travel and literature.
Two volumes of sketches by Colonel Tainton, 1833 and 1840 (Dept of Pictures and Maps); an album of photographs of famous works of art in Italy; etc. (Dept of Pictures and Maps)

CHIRK NURSERY HOSPITAL
1950085
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs C B C Storey, Glyn Ceiriog.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
An account book, 1905-16, of Miss Moyra Hill Trevor's Nursery Hospital, Chirk (NLW MS 15069B).

CHEMIST'S PRESCRIPTION BOOK
1950086
Ffynhonnell / Source
Messrs D Thomas, Chemists (Cardiff) Ltd., Cardiff.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The first prescription book, 1892-9, of the firm of D Thomas, Chemists, Cardiff (NLW MS 16837D).

JOHN THOMAS ('PENCERDD GWALIA')
1950087
Ffynhonnell / Source
Holograph manuscripts of original musical compositions and essays on Welsh music by John Thomas ('Pencerdd Gwalia'), and arrangements and accompaniments by him, copies of other music with harp-part by John Thomas, and printed music (NLW MSS 19118-47E).

Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

SALE CATALOGUES
1950089
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs M Townley-Grindrod, Machynlleth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Sale catalogues of properties in Merioneth, Montgomeryshire, Cardiganshire and Shropshire, including the sale of the Gregynog estate, 1913 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

THE VETERINARIAN
1950090
Ffynhonnell / Source
University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, Animal Health Department, per The Librarian.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The Veterinarian; or, Monthly Journal of Veterinary Science, 1836-69. 30 volumes (Dept of Printed Books).

HUGH VIVIAN
1950091
Ffynhonnell / Source
Captain Hugh Vivian, Swansea.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Manuscript notebooks containing records of copper ore purchased by the Llangyfelach and Forest Copper Works, 1728-80 (NLW MSS 15101-2A, 15103-9B, 15110D) ; a description and records of the
Hafod Copper Works, 1811-73 (NLW MSS 15111B, 15113B, 15114C, 15115-6A) ; a description of Pendwlad Copper Works, 1811 (NLW MS 15112C), and notes on the Cwmavon Copper Mill, 1846 (NLW MS 15117A) ; and an original letter relating to the French invasion at Fishguard, 1797 (NLW MS 16704E).

O B WALLIS
1950092
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr O B Wallis, M.A., LL.B., Notary Public, Knighton.
Bwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Documents relating to witnesses' expenses in proceedings at Radnorshire Quarter Sessions, 1848 (NLW MS 16627D); and a form of notice to attend Petty Sessions at Knighton.

J B WILLANS
1950093
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr J B Willans, F.S.A., Kerry.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
In two folio volumes. The first, which is of the third edition, contains sixty pages of illustrated text followed by 100 coloured lithographic plates of over 2,000 designs. The second volume contains a further 120 plates followed by an index of subjects. The designs in both volumes range from ancient times to the nineteenth century and are taken from paintings, illuminated manuscripts, ceramics, tapestries, etc. A notable feature of the plates is the excellent reproduction of the colours of the original subjects.
Both volumes are uniformly bound in red leather, the covers being profusely decorated in gold and black.
A copy of a journal of a journey made from Newcastle-under-Lyme through Bristol and South Wales to Shrewsbury, 1790, and of letters by William Shepherd to his wife, 1803-13, relating to Hafod, with a copy of a letter written by Thomas Johnes after the death of his daughter, Mariamne, in 1811 (NLW MS 15190C).

E I WILLIAMS, NEWBRIDGE
1950094
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr E I Williams, Newbridge, Mon.
Bwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
A group of miscellaneous documents, including notes of Privy Council proceedings, 8-33 Henry VI, notes on Jerome's commentaries, an autograph letter by Edward Cutler, 1661 (NLW MS 15164E), an affidavit by John Herbert of Tynlon, 1741 (NLW MS 15164E), an account (copied by David Jones, Wallington) of the removal of Napoleon's remains from St. Helena, a 'call' to Edward Roberts to become minister of Carmel Baptist church at Pontypridd, 1858, and notes of a sermon by Edward Roberts, 1882 (NLW MS 15164E).
A book of English sermon notes, 1795-6, including a sermon preached at the ordination of Joseph Jones (NLW MS 15165A).
A book of Welsh sermon notes by John Rowlands, c. 1820 (NLW MS 15166B).
A register of births of the Cefnbychan and Pen-y-cae Baptist church, 1802-21 (NLW MS 15167B).
A collection of Welsh folk-tunes transcribed by Miss Jane Williams, Aberpergwm, from the Llanover library (NLW MS 15168D).
G B WILLIAMS, PONTYPRIDD  
1950095  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr G B Williams, Pontypridd.  
Bwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50  
Disgrifiad / Description  
An interesting but incomplete essay, in Welsh, on house construction (NLW MS 15090B); four leases (1838-48) of plots of land in Ynysangharad Park, Pontypridd, Glamorgan (Dept of Pictures and Maps).  

J PRICE WILLIAMS  
1950096  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
The Reverend J Price Williams, M.A., Oswestry.  
Bwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50  
Disgrifiad / Description  
A typescript essay by the donor on the contribution of Anglesey to Welsh literature (' Cyfraniad Môn i Lenyddiaeth Cymru ') (NLW MS 15512E).  

DOWLAIS AND PENYDARREN NURSING ASSOCIATION  
1950097  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr J Ronald Williams, Merthyr Tydfil.  
Bwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50  
Disgrifiad / Description  
Minute books, 1931-49, and miscellaneous papers of the Dowlais and Penydarren Nursing Association (NLW MSS 16945B, 16946-7C, 16948E).  

J TORIEL WILLIAMS  
1950098  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
The Reverend J Toriel Williams, Seven Sisters.  
Bwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50  
Disgrifiad / Description  
Holograph manuscripts of lyrics and hymns by the donor.  

LEAD MINE RECORDS  
1950099  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mrs M Williams, Goginan.  
Bwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50  
Disgrifiad / Description  

W GILBERT WILLIAMS  
1950100  
Ffynhonnell / Source
Excerpts from the Glynllifon papers and other sources relating to the history of Llanwnda and Llandwrog, co. Caernarvon (16-19 cent.).

THOMAS JONES ('TALIESIN O EIFION')
1950101
Source
Mr William Wiseman, Leamington Spa.

THOMAS PENNANT
1950102

THOMAS PENNANT
1950103
Miscellaneous papers relating to local history and antiquities, mainly addressed to Thomas Pennant. They include papers on Mold, Mostyn, Hope, Dundee, Durham, Raby, Southwark, Whittington, other places in England and Scotland, St Collen, Owen Glendower, religious houses at Perth, Llanerchymor, Pentrobin and Gadlis smelting works, and a list of books at Mostyn and of plate at Downing.
DANIEL OWEN
1950104
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The original manuscript of Daniel Owen's novel Enoc Hughes, in five exercise books (NLW MSS 15324-6B).

CORBETT
1950105
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Deeds and documents relating to the Corbett estates in Montgomeryshire and Staffordshire, 1549-1762 (Montgomeryshire Corbett Deeds); and a commonplace book bound in eighteenth-century English red morocco, elaborately tooled, containing poetry and a catalogue of deeds found at Longnor Hall, by Joseph Corbett, 1812 (NLW MS 15154B).

A DICTIONARY OF NEW ZEALAND BIOGRAPHY
1950106
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
This work, in two substantial volumes, is based upon previous biographical literature of New Zealand, but a great deal of research has been undertaken by the editor to verify the facts and correct the errors of earlier works. The model on which the work has been planned is the English Dictionary of National Biography. New Zealand has a history of only about 100 years, and consequently in this work the proportion of articles to the total present and past population is twice as large as in the case of the English Dictionary and fourteen times as great as in the Dictionary of American Biography. Maori men and women are included in the work, but the editor is of the opinion that Maori history is distorted and vitiated by the highly-developed tribalism of the natives. He only claims that the Maori biographies in this work represent a considerable advance on any collected Maori biography hitherto published.
The compilation of The Dictionary of New Zealand Biography was originally started as a private venture, but when the National Historical Committee came into existence the Dictionary was made one of the official centennial publications, and is now published by the Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

TARTU UNIVERSITY
1950107
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Following the establishment of an Estonian State in 1919 the old university of Dorpat, originally founded in 1632 by Gustavus Adolphus, was re-established as the Estonian national university of Tartu. Many of the professors and junior members of the teaching staff of this university fled the country on the occupation of Estonia by the Soviet Union. It was decided by the Estonian Learned Society in Sweden to publish a commemorative volume to mark the thirtieth anniversary of the re-establishment of Tartu University in 1919. The chairman of this Society is Archbishop Johan Kopp who was the Rector Magnificus of Tartu University. The volume has an Estonian and a Latin title-page, the latter reading Apophoreta Tartuensia: acta Universitati Tartuensi: ad diem restitutionis Kal. Dec. MCMXIX nunc tricesimum celebrandum a professoribus discipulisque eorum in exilio dedicata. The imprint reads - Holmia: Societas Litterarum Estonica in Svecia, MCMXLIX (Dept of Printed Books).
The book, which is strongly bound, is excellently printed on 472 fairly large-sized pages, and contains interesting illustrations. It includes over fifty contributions, divided into six sections, namely, (i) Humanities and Theology, (ii) Jurisprudence, (iii) Economics and Sociology, (iv) Agriculture and Forestry, (v) Medicine, (vi) Natural Sciences. Many of these studies throw much light on various aspects of the life and culture of Estonia and the Baltic region, whereas others are of more general interest. The book is a tribute to the wide extent and the vigour of the scholarship which was nurtured at Tartu, and which is being maintained by eminent exiles from that seat of learning.

JOHN MILTON’S ‘PARADISE REGAINED’
1950108
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A copy, in good condition, of the first edition of John Milton's Paradise Regained (Dept of Printed Books), with the following title-page:
The Samson Agonistes has a separate title-page and pagination, but the register is continuous. Although it is actually dated 1671 it is possible that the work appeared in 1670, as it was licensed as early as 2 July of that year.

ABERPERGWYM
1950109
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Trustees of the Aberpergwm Estate, Neath.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Fourteen volumes (1791-1870) of rentals and general account books, the majority referring to the Aberpergwm estate, a few to the collieries; and one letter book, 1879-84. Thirty-five documents- balance sheets of estate and colliery accounts, 1862-1900; 132 envelopes containing consolidated fortnightly pay sheets for the estate and collieries, 1904-9; and one small bundle of documents relating to the Treferig Valley Railway, 1874-84.

Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

BRITISH RECORDS ASSOCIATION
1950110
Ffynhonnell / Source
The British Records Association.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Records of the following battalions of the Home Guard, 1940-5:- 3rd Pembrokeshire (ADEF Company Rolls); 1st Carmarthenshire (Transfer Register), and 5th Carmarthenshire (Company Rolls) (Home Guard Records).
Deeds relating to properties in Hawarden, co. Flint, 1649, and Llanbadarnfawr, 1811-36, and the Cilgwyn estate, co. Cardigan, 1829-33. (BRA 754, 771.)

BUTE
1950111
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Most Honourable the Marquess of Bute.
An extensive archive of records of Glamorgan manors forming part of the Bute estates.
A full report on the contents of this archive, which was only received at the close of the year under review, will appear in the next Annual Report.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available.

CELYNIN DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION
1950112
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Celynin District Nursing Association, per Miss M Davies, Fairbourne.


Nodiadau

Transferred to Gwynedd RO, Dolgellau.

CORBET BOOK OF WELSH PEDIGREES
1950113
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major O G S Croft, Hephill.

The Corbet book of Welsh pedigrees, a collection of genealogical charts, mainly of Powys families, transcribed c. 1625 from pedigree rolls compiled by Thomas Jones of Fountain Gate between 1586 and 1600, with later extensions to the date of the transcript, and additional descents entered later in different hands, including autograph entries by Humphrey Humphreys, bishop of Bangor and afterwards of Hereford (NLW Minor Deposits 138B).

The manuscript was interleaved and bound in vellum in the nineteenth century. There are additional notes on the interleaves together with coloured copies of the coats of arms attributed to Welsh counties, royal tribes, and Roman, British and Saxon kings, taken from a manuscript at Dolforgan.

The manuscript came from the Croft Castle library and belonged at one time to the present owner's father, the late Sir Herbert Croft, 9th bart. He inherited it from his mother, Julia Garstin, whose first husband was Athelstan Corbet of Ynysmaengwyn, and her second, Sir Archer Croft, 8th bart.

This is the manuscript to which reference was made by Angharad Llwyd on the first page of NLW MS 1602, which contains pedigrees of Carmarthenshire families based on collections by Thomas Jones. Angharad Llwyd wrote ' Mr. Corbet of Ynys y Maengwyn has got the other volume alluded to in this Book '.

Mynegai

Twm Sion Cati

A HISTORY OF THE FAMILY OF DENNIS
1950114
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major Pat Dennis, Patrick's Well, co. Limerick.

A history of the family of Dennis in cos. Cornwall, Devon, and Denbigh, compiled in 1865 by Fred. W. P. Jago, MB, Plymouth (NLW Minor Deposits 95A).
DIXON
1950115
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Alice M Dixon, Abergavenny.
Blwydyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Over 140 deeds, 1447-1828, relating mainly to properties in the parishes of Bedwellty, Trevethin, Aberystruth, and Mynyddislwyn, co. Monmouth, and forty-eight pocket books (c. 1797-1848) of David Davies of Penyvan, Mynyddislwyn, with diary entries and memoranda.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

CARDIGANSHIRE COUNTY RECORDS
1950116
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Ivor Evans, M.A., Aberystwyth.
Blwydyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Cardiganshire County Records:
Plans and sections and a Book of Reference for Aberystwyth Corporation Waterworks, 1937-8, Aberystwyth Rural District Council, 1936-7; East and West Wales Railway, 1899; and plans and sections of Birmingham Corporation Waterworks (Elan Valley), 1939, and a Book of Reference for London Water, Welsh Reservoirs and Works, 1899.
Plans of Inclosures (with awards attached):- Cardigan Commons (St Mary's Parish), 1855; Cellan Common, 1856; Mynydd Bach Twrgwyn (parish of Nantcwnlle), 1857; Llanfair Mountain (parish of Llanfair Clydogau) and Llangeitho, 1859; Mynydd Bach Blaenpennal, 1864; Upper Llanfihangel and Gwnnws, 1865; Ceulanyaesmawr and Llangynfelin, and Scyborycoed, 1872; and Llanddewi Breffi Mountain, 1888; and a volume containing the Geneu'r glyn Inclosure Award, 1847, with two maps showing rivers, embankments, allotments, etc.
Estate rentals:
The Gibb estates in Cardiganshire, 1849-80; the Vaughan estates in Llangoedmore, Tremain, Blaenporth, Llanybyther, and Llanfihangel-ar-Arth, 1822-5; Aberystwyth ground rents (Pugh), 1890-1910; and the Llanaeron estate, 1882-96.
A plan of the Hafod estate (offered for sale by Daniel Smith, Son, & Oakley), 1870, and plans and particulars of sale of portions of the Nanteos estate at Aberystwyth, 1892, offered for sale by Owen Daniell.
Tithe collection records:
Twenty-two plans, including eight of various parts of the parish of Caron, plans of Lledrod parish (with a later tracing), two plans of Llanafan parish, one each of Llanilar (with a later tracing referred to as Rhostie Parish), Upper Gwnnws, Lower Gwnnws and Upper Llanfihangel parishes.
Two plans of part of Yspytty Ystwyth parish (referred to as Yspytty Ystrad Meurig Parish), surveyed in 1843 by George Pugh, Aberystwyth.
A volume containing particulars and conditions of sale of Improper Tithe Rent Charges issuing from various parishes (between Aberystwyth and Machynlleth) offered for sale by auction at Aberystwyth, 1883.

A grant of arms to Howell Powell Edwards, 1894.

Mynegai
Llanybydder, Llanbadarn Trefeglwys, Llanfair Clydogau, Nancwnlle.

BROOM HALL
1950117
Ffynhonnell / Source
Brigadier J Meredyth J Evans, M.C., Wishanger, Surrey, per Mr George Yale, Llanbedrog.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Forty-two volumes relating to the Broom Hall estate. They consist of six rentals, 1908-42; six ledgers (arranged under various heads,- Estate, Buildings, Woods, Game, Rates, Taxes), 1907-28 and 1933-7; eight cash books, 1907-46; a buildings expenditure book, 1907-25; ten Farmers' Account Books with entries concerning livestock, crops, etc.), 1936-46; and eleven books of wages sheets (counterfoils), 1936-46. Also in the group are a rental and a cash-book of the Bodegroes estate, both for the period 1928-39; copies of tithe apportionments of the parishes of Llanarmon and Abererch; a typescript inventory and valuation made by Brown's of Chester, 21 June 1940, of the furniture and other household equipment of Broom Hall, which was requisitioned by the Admiralty, and a schedule of dilapidations, 13 August 1946.
Mynegai
Cricieth
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

CHARLES GRIFFIN
1950118
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Charles Griffin, Monmouth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Over 100 deeds, 1635-1869, relating to properties in Dixton, Llangattock Viban Avell, and St. Maughans, co. Monmouth, Gannerow, Goodrich, Llangarren, St Waynards, Welsh Newton, and Whitchurch, co. Hereford, and Carisbrooke and Mottistone, Isle of Wight.
Mynegai
Llangatwg Feibion Afel
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

MARY C HILL
1950119
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Mary C Hill, Shrewsbury.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description

Mynegai
Mochdre

TRENEWYDD
1950120
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs Georgiana Margaret Johns, Trenewydd, Goodwick.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Nodiadau
Schedule Available. Group II.

H FRANCIS JONES
1950121
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mrs H Francis Jones, Old Colwyn.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Papers of the late H. Francis Jones, consisting mainly of a large number of lecture notes and drafts of articles, essays, etc., on various aspects of Welsh history, literature, topography and political movements, and on Welsh gypsies, together with reminiscences of Bala and Merioneth over fifty years ago.
Also included is an extensive collection of press cuttings of Mr Francis Jones's articles entitled 'Welsh Causerie' which he contributed to the North Wales Weekly News over a number of years.

SWEENEY HALL
1950122
Ffynhonnell / Source
Major B E Parker Leighton, D.L., Sweeney Hall, Oswestry.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Manuscripts of Sir Henry Watkin Williams Wynn, KGCH, KCB, minister plenipotentiary at Copenhagen, consisting of three private copy letter books containing copies of his letters to Lord Palmerston, Lord Cowley, and others, 1831-7 and 1849-50, and two volumes of draft despatches to the Foreign Office for 1849 and 1851.
A sketch-book containing sketches, plans, and details of measurements, mainly relating to Llanyblodwel church, by John Parker, c. 1843-9 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

CROSSWOOD
1950123
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Right Hon the Earl of Lisburne, per Mr Ivor Evans, M.A., Aberystwyth.
Blwyddyn / Year
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Disgrifiad / Description
Records of the Crosswood Estate:
Rentals, 1870, 1880, 1890, 1900, 1914-44; cash books, 1899-1938; garden, stables and garage accounts, 1927-38; fee-farm rents, 1870-81; and saw-mill accounts, 1917-46.
Four maps of the Crosswood Estate; plans of Crosswood Park and Lodge Farm, and of a proposed golf course at Crosswood; plans and elevations of a loggia to be built at Crosswood, a portico of Bath stone, a proposed conservatory, porters' lodges, an entrance lodge, a proposed motor house, balustrading and steps, and various additions to chimneys.
A parcel of miscellaneous plans in connection with the proposed leasing of woods to the Crown; plans of lands divided between the Earl of Lisburne and Sarah Williams, 1832; plans of a proposed shelter and of a plantation near Crosswood; plans of two farms in the parish of Llanfihangel; plans and sections of the River Ystwyth Embankment, 1875; and miscellaneous sheets, on various scales, of Crosswood and district. Teify river fishing permits, 1896-1930; applications for fishing permits, 1925-30; returned fishing permits, 1919-30; correspondence for the 1921 season; and correspondence concerning the Tregaron peat bog.
Lead-mining records:
Leases of minerals at Llwynllywd, 1861, 1871, a lease to the Lisburne Mines Company, 1880, leases of Cwmnewidion, 1890, Esgairmwyn water, 1907, and Frongoch mine, 1898, a lease to The Lisburne Development Syndicate, 1907, and a lease to The Cambrian Lead and Zinc Company, Ltd, 1912.
A copy of Map of Cardiganshire Mines, by Absalom Francis, with a sketch showing Lisburne mines, four maps of ' Lisburne Mines Settlement ', and a ' Crosswood Minerals ' plan, with an insurance plan of the ' Cambrian Electrolytic Zinc Co. ' (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
Forty-three plans and sections, most of them dated 1860-80, with a few early twentieth-century plans. They include ten of Gwaith Coch, with plans and sections of machinery in the lead mill, 1918, elevations, longitudinal sections, profiles, and a flow sheet for 1920; eight of Glogfawr, with surface and underground plans, longitudinal and transverse sections, 1861, plans of workings on various lodes, and plans and elevations of mill buildings, 1909 : five plans and sections of workings at Glogfach, 1861, and East Glogfach; four of Frongoch, with surface and underground plans, sections, and plan of dumps; three plans and sections of East and West Logaulas. Other plans and sections include the mines of Cwmawr, 1870, Esgairmwyn, Grogwynion, Level Fawr, 1865, Maenarthur Wood, Penlanfach, Penygist, and Red Rock. Miscellaneous plans include ' Alternative Arrangement of Bracing for Trestles ', plans and side views of ' Mine Ships ', an arrangement of ' Endless Rope Haulage Gear ', and sections of various shafts and levels.
Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

VICAR AND CHURCHWARDENS, LLANBADARN FAWR
1950124
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Vicar and Churchwardens, Llanbadarnfawr, Cardiganshire.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A group of letters, 1842-55, from Llanbadarnfawr parish chest, relating mainly to church appointments.

LLANDOVERY COLLEGE
1950125
Ffynhonnell / Source
Llandovery College, per The Warden, The Reverend Canon G O Williams, M.A.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A collection consisting of approximately ninety volumes, including one manuscript and nine atlases.
The printed books include several folios and large quartos with coloured illustrations, engravings, and/or etchings on various subjects (Dept of Printed Books). Among these are a copy of William Bradford: War in the Peninsula (1813), Dolvyn: The Costume of Indostan (London, 1804) and A Collection of 250 coloured etchings . . . of the manners, customs, and dresses of the Hindoos (Calcutta, 1799), Allom: Character and Costume in Turkey and Italy (London, 1839), and Hodges: Select Views in India (London, 1786). Books on travel, topography, botany, costume, classical antiquity and the fine arts form a considerable part of the collection, but it is, nevertheless, very varied and includes a large Danish-English dictionary by E. Wolff (1799), the 1814 edition of the dictionary of the French Academy, and a large collection of Railway Acts of mid-nineteenth century date bound in one volume.

The atlases are mainly of eighteenth and early nineteenth century date, and between them they cover most parts of the world and range from maps of classical antiquity to geology (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

The manuscript volume is of seventeenth century date and is entitled The Genealogy of Jesus Christ . . . also Onomasticon, or A Dictionary Historical . . . of all such persons as are mentioned in Scripture, by William Spenser (NLW Minor Deposits 137B).

E R LUKE
1950126
Ffynhonnell / Source
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Four deeds and documents, 1541-66, relating to properties in Ruthin and Dyffryn Clwyd, co. Denbigh, including a grant of an annuity to Katherine of Berain, 1566 (NLW Misc Documents, Denbighshire).
Mynegai
Rhuthun

TREDEGAR
1950127
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Honourable John Morgan, Tredegar Park, Monmouthshire.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A first instalment of a deposit of manuscript volumes, deeds, and documents, forming part of the muniments of the Tredegar estate, and printed books, etc., from the library at Tredegar Park.
Manuscript Volumes:
1. A German manuscript entitled ‘Chronicles of the most memorable Histories and Acts of the City of Strasbourg from the flood to the year 1330’. The text consists of 958 pages of finely written German script, richly illuminated throughout with portraits of German and Roman emperors and armorials of bishops, princes and other dignitaries. The title-page is ornamented with four historical scenes, and on the page facing it are the arms of the city. There is also an engraving of the city of Strasbourg, dated 1597. On the fly-leaves at the back are representations of scenes and people, depicting different phases of Strasbourg life.
2. A volume of transcripts of leases and court rolls of the manors of Bassaleg and Ebboth, 1540-84.
4. Inventories of furniture and plate in Tredegar House, 1688-98.
5. Miscellanies relating to the Service, 25 March 1732, being lists of army officers, scales of pay, establishments at garrisons, etc.
6. A memorandum book giving valuable information about the mining and smelting of iron ore, with costs of production, etc., in Monmouthshire, about 1750.
7. A notebook containing orders issued by General James Wolfe, 30 April - 12 Sept. 1759, in the campaign leading up to the taking of Quebec; his orders to meet a threatened French invasion of 1755; the orders of the Duke of Marlborough for the landing off Cherbourg in 1758; and the orders issued by the Marquis of Granby and Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick in 1760.
8. Accounts, expenses and minutes of proceedings in the Judge Advocate's Office during the time that Thomas Morgan held the appointment, 1734-69.
10. A Journal of Canvass of Monmouthshire, June 1841.
11. Game books.

Deeds, Documents, and Correspondence:
Over 1,400 deeds, documents, correspondence and other papers, including ministers' accounts for the lordship of Newport, 1446-7 and 1497-8; an English translation of the accounts for 1435-6, with notes by Thomas Wakeman; transcripts of the accounts for 1447-8, 1456-7, 1503-4, 1521-2, and 1537-8; a transcript of a valuation of the Buckingham lands for 1447-8; a Sessions Roll for the county of Monmouth, recording the proceedings of the Sessions of Peace and Gaol Delivery, 2 Oct. 1576 - 11 July 1577; documents concerning the appointment of members of the Morgan family to public offices and honours; correspondence and papers relating to the Monmouthshire Volunteers, 1798 and 1803-5; a list of gentlemen of Brecknockshire recommended to be deputy lieutenants, 1715; lists of land-tax commissioners and of gentlemen to be included in the Commission of the Peace for Brecknockshire in 1768; lists of bailiffs, recorders, and aldermen of Brecon, 1556-1790; a list of sheriffs and deputy sheriffs for Glamorgan, 1542-1774; papers relating to Monmouthshire elections, including nearly 200 letters concerning a threatened election, in 1846, consequent upon the repeal of the corn laws; papers concerning the erection of bridges at Newport and Caerleon, 1789-92, and a bridge over the Ebbw, 1812; accounts and assessments of taxes in Mynyddislywn, 1695, St Woolos, 1646, and Bassaleg, 1699 and 1712; surveys of the manor of St Brides, 1611, 1686, and 1710; abstracts of surveys of the manors of Caldicott Westend, Rogiatt, Undy, and Lanvihanell, touching the right of common on Caldicott Moor; papers concerning the estates of the Morgan family, including a rent-roll of the estates of John Morgan of Ruperra, 1712; particulars of the estates of Thomas Morgan of Tredegar, 1680-90; abstracts from Tredegar rentals, 1652-1729; an account of fines due to William Morgan of Tredegar in his several manors, 1734; an account of chief rents for the lordship of Newport, 1791; papers relating to the collection of mises in the manors of Wentloge, Usk, Abercarn, and Machen, 1670-95; particulars of various estates in the county of Monmouth; papers concerning the promotion of a bill to charge the Tredegar estates with the amount of monies laid out in building wharfs and other improvements, 1802; a petition of the inhabitants of fifteen Brecknockshire parishes against the enclosure of commons or pasture in the lordship of Dinas, 18th cent.; papers relating to Christmas festivities at Tredegar Park, 1810-46; letters from Capt. Godfrey Charles Morgan (aft. 2nd Baron Tredegar) and his brother, Frederic Courtenay Morgan, written to their mother from the Crimea, 1854-5; documents relating to the ordination and institution of Augustus Morgan to his various benefices, 1821-57; a parchment roll showing arms, motto, names of Warden, Sub-Warden, Usher, Fellows, and Scholars of Winchester College, together with a list of electors of New College, 6 Sept. 1748; a parchment scroll, written in Gooz, the ancient language of Ethiopia (the text of a charm or spell, consisting mainly of the secret names of the Deity, against sickness, the devil, witchcraft, and the evil eye); miscellaneous deeds relating to the territory covered by the lordship of Newport, particularly the Machen, Bedwellty, and Mynyddislywn area from 1409 down to the 19th cent.; and files of notes relating to Octavius Morgan's historical and antiquarian researches.

Printed Books (Dept of Printed Books):
A collection of over fifty printed books, mostly in English, of which more than thirty are of eighteenth century date, ten of the others being seventeenth century books and nine nineteenth century. Three others are earlier than the above-mentioned, namely, two copies of the 1493 edition of the Nuremberg Chronicle and a Pontifical of Pope Paul III, dated 1543. One copy of the Chronicle is complete and is bound in boards covered in leather. The other copy is incomplete. The Chronicle is probably the best known of the early books printed by the most important printer of the fifteenth century, Anton Koberger, and it is also one of the earliest attempts to portray actual persons, places and scenes described in the text; it contains 2,000 engravings by Wolgemuth, the master of Albrecht Durer. The Pontifical is in very good condition and contains interesting woodcuts. Most of the seventeenth-century publications deal with the political and religious controversies of the time and include Civil War Tracts, two of which are of particular Welsh interest. Sir Thomas Herbert's account of his travels Into Afrique and the greater Asia (1634) is of a different class. The seventeenth-century books also include a very fine vellum-bound copy, printed in Nuremberg in 1688, of J. J. Fugger's Spiegel der Ehren des Erzhauses Oesterreich, with many excellent engravings. Among the eighteenth and nineteenth century books are many of historical and topographical interest, including books relating to Monmouthshire, and also accounts of travels in various parts of the world. Acts and Bills and several other Government publications are to be found in the collection, together
with a few books on military science, including the French work by Viollet-le-Duc entitled Essai sur l'Architecture militaire au moyen age (1854). There is a fine vellum-bound copy of a book, written in German and printed in Frankfurt-am-Main in 1712, giving an account of the election and crowning of Charles VI, Emperor of Germany, and containing a number of elaborate engravings. Many of the books in this collection are well bound in leather.

Maps and Plans (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
A small collection of printed maps of the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries, including plans of canals and railways in South Wales; a photocopy of the ancient Mappa Mundi in Hereford Cathedral, published in 1872; and two manuscript plans of the Tredegar Park Estate dated 1765 and 1857 respectively.

Nodiadau
Schedule Available.

NATIONAL COAL BOARD
1950128
Ffynhonnell / Source
The National Coal Board, per Mr O V Reynolds, Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50

Disgrifiad / Description
Five files of press cuttings, 1946-8, relating to the coal industry.

MARGARET T OWEN
1950129
Ffynhonnell / Source
Miss Margaret T Owen, Manchester.

Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50

Disgrifiad / Description
A set of nine manuscript maps together with a key, the work of the depositor, showing the distribution of industries throughout Wales in 1947 (Dept of Pictures and Maps). The maps were awarded first place by Professor A. H. Dodd, Bangor, in a competition at the National Eisteddfod of Wales at Colwyn Bay in 1947.

PORTER AND GLASBROOK
1950130
Ffynhonnell / Source
Messrs Porter and Glasbrook, Solicitors, Llandilo.

Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50

Disgrifiad / Description
Four documents, 1791-1806, relating to Brynyrddil in Llandilo Rural, co. Carmarthen.

GUNLEY
1950131
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr George Pryce, Yarmouth, I.O.W.

Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50

Disgrifiad / Description
About 150 deeds, dating from 1578 to the middle of the nineteenth century, relating to properties in the parishes of Bettws, Churchstoke, Forden, Kerry, Llandyssil, Llanllwchaiarn, and Tregynon, co. Montgomery, and Chirbury, Melverley, Midleton, Stockton, and Worthen, co. Salop.

Letters to and from members of the Pryce and Campbell families and from other correspondents, 1791-1923. The following are some of the correspondents:- Fanny Andrews, J. J. Blackie, Anne Boston
Material for the pedigree of the Pryce of Gunley family. It includes copies of wills and marriage settlements dating from the first half of the seventeenth century; excerpts from parish registers, 1842; biographical notes on Captain Robert Campbell; correspondence and papers relating to the connection between the Saltonstall and Pryce families, 1823; material for the pedigree collected by Edward Stisted Mostyn Pryce; the pedigree of William Lloyd of Llansantffraid; emblazoned arms of the Pryce family; the pedigree of the Edwards family of Pentre alias Castle-Fryth, co. Montgomery, 1764; notes on the Campbell children, 1830-43; a pedigree chart of Richard Pryce of Gunley by Lewys Dwnn, 1609; the pedigree (with emblazoned arms) of the Pryce family, seventeenth century.

Manuscripts of Eliza Constantia Campbell (later Morrison), including diaries and journals, 1820-51, a memorandum book, 1832, sketching books and journals, 1841-53, a manuscript entitled 'The Little Pilgrims of Nature', 1840, and school books and note books. A journal of an excursion in North Wales, 1818; a diary of E. S. M. Pryce, 1867-8; a journal of a tour on the continent, nineteenth century; journals of tours in North Wales and the Isle of Wight, 1819; a journal of a tour in Europe, 1802.

Rents of the Gunley estate, 1722-1886, and a rental of chief rents due to Henry, Lord Herbert, baron of Chirbury, 1682. A map of Tir Coch and Cae Glas in the parishes of Betws and Llanllwchaiarn, co. Montgomery, 1796, a map of a tenantment in the parish of Worthen and Chirbury, co. Salop, 1805, a map of lands in Mouchtrey, 1806, a map of the Gunley estate, 1850, reference to a map of the Gunley estate, 1868, a map of Stockton, parish of Chirbury, co. Salop, nineteenth century, a plan of Gunley Hall, 1808, and a chart of Ascension Island by Robert Campbell and another, 1820 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Miscellaneous items, including proceedings in Exchequer suits concerning lands in the parishes of Llandysil, Newtown, Kerry and Berriew, co. Montgomery, Venington, co. Salop, and Llandewi Ystradenny, co. Radnor, 1671-99; Scottish Scenery: Sketches from Nature by E. C. C[ampbell] (published ? 1836); drawings and silhouettes of members of the Campbell and Pryce families, nineteenth century; a manuscript of an article entitled 'Forden Tithes' by E. S. Mostyn Pryce; an agreement for the enclosure of Kingswood Common, co. Montgomery, 1807-9; documents concerning the tithes of Forden, 1611-99; a particular of the tithes of the townships of Ackley and Llettygunfarch, 1805; papers concerning the Lewis Charity, Chirbury parish; an order for the repair of the bridge over the Heath Brook, Forden parish, 1743; a game book (hares and 'pidgeons'), 1723-89; a book of legal notes by Edmond Pryce, 1719; a book of sermons of Richard Pryce, 1677-1735; sermons by Rev R. H. Mostyn Pryce (died 1858); and recollections of his sea life by Robert Campbell (died c. 1832).

Mynegai
Mochdre, Llanddewi Ystradenny

LLWYN-Y-BRAIN
1950132
Ffynhonnell / Source
Captain G C Pryse-Rice, Holme Lacy.
Blywyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Over 150 deeds dating from 1592 to the twentieth century and mainly relating to the Llwynybrain estate in the parishes of Cilycwm, Conwil Gaio, Laugharne, Llandilo Fawr, Llandingat (and the town of Llandovery), Llanddeusant, Llanfairarybryn, Llangain, Llansadwrn, Llanwrda, Myddfai, and St

Miscellaneous records and papers. These include copies of wills, 1639-1923; rentals of the Llwynybrain estate in cos. Carmarthen, Cardigan, and Brecknock, 1865-1919; records of the suits Lady Greenwich v. Howarth relating to land in Glasbury, co. Radnor, 1777, Rice v. Powell, 1863, Rice v. the Vale of Towy Railway, 1857-64, Pritchard and Phillips v. H. Ll. Harries relating to the tithes of Llandingat and Llanfairarybryn, and a dispute about a seat in the church of Llandingat, 1850; sheriff's papers and accounts, 1856-7; correspondence mainly concerning estate and business matters with a small quantity of family letters and three letter books, 1832-1920; papers and booklets relating to the Llwynybrain herd of pedigree Jersey cattle, including a herd book, 1898-1918, 'Mrs Pryse Rice's Harriers', 1900-19, the Gogerddan foxhounds, 1909-10, and the North Norfolk Harriers, 1908-9; printed notices, tickets, etc., relating to sporting events, 1895-6, and stud horses at Llwynybrain, 1819-36; an inventory of the contents of Llwynybrain mansion, 1838; documents, accounts and notices relating to the collection of tithe rent-charge in the parishes of Llandingat and Llandovery, co. Carmarthen, and Bettws, Brongwyn, and Penbryn, co. Cardigan, 1840-83; tenancy agreements, 1833-94; accounts and vouchers, insurance and income tax papers, nineteenth century; diaries, 1874-80; particulars of the sale of parts of the Llwynybrain estate, 1897-1906; and documents relating to the sale of timber on the estate, 1837-68.

A collection of eighteenth and nineteenth century manuscript plans and maps of the Llwynybrain estate in Carmarthenshire and Brecknockshire, a few sheets of the 25" O.S. maps for the same area, etc. (Dept of Pictures and Maps)

H J RANDALL
1950133
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr H J Randall, LL.B., F.S.A., Bridgend.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Twelve deeds (1800-46) relating to the 'Old House', Llangynwyd, Glamorgan.

ESGAIR AND PANTPERTHOG
1950134
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr A D Ruck, Chislehurst.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A volume of medical and other recipes, written in several hands.
An account book containing entries mainly for 1706 and 1749-53. There are a few personal memoranda including: 'My deare wife departed this life 30th of November 1749 being St. Andrew's day'.
An account book, 1746-8; arithmetic and geometry books of Oliver Morris, 1776-7.
An account book of ? Richard Jones at Cape Coast, 1820-2; a manuscript music book written late in the eighteenth century and containing words and music of songs, duets and choruses; 'The Account
between Mary Matthews and her Son Oliver Morris Matthews [1824]-[32]; a framed pedigree of Griffith Llwyd ab Elise and his descendants to the children of Morys Oliver, compiled late in the seventeenth century; and a recent pedigree of the descendants of Baron Lewis Owen of Dolgelley. Letters and papers, 1856-7, relating to the Newtown and Machynlleth Railway; a volume of 'Genealogies collected by Edwd Jones in 1818 & 1819'; a notebook containing receipts to Oliver Morris and various other memoranda, 1728-46; and a volume originally intended to serve as a Latin vocabulary, but containing also a list of 'Church Wardens in the Lowar & Upar partt of pennalle', 1704-58, and catalogues of Welsh and English books in the possession of Morys Oliver, 1711. A commonplace book containing medical recipes, miscellaneous verses, a note of books lent, etc. It bears the name 'William Lloyd: 1668'. 'A Survey of the Estate of Mr Oliver Morris in the Parish of Pennal . . . 1789'. An incomplete copy of The Book of Common Prayer, with the Metrical Psalms of Sternhold and Hopkins. Welsh 'englynion' have been written into the margins of pp. 143 and 145. Letters and papers of Paul Panton the younger of Plasgwyn (d. 1822), relating to such matters as his shrievalty, 1807, his Anglesey, Merioneth and Denbighshire estates, and his trusteeship of the estate of Catherine Pennant. They include letters, 1811-22, from Lewis Roberts, Derwen; 'Reports of Artificers at Plasgwyn', 1803-22; and receipts (property tax, glazing and plumbing, etc.), 1799-1821. Also in the group are articles of agreement before the marriage of Paul Panton the antiquary and Jane Jones, heiress of Plasgwyn, 1756; a copy of the marriage settlement of Paul Panton and Martha Kirks, 1770; letters, receipts, etc., 1754-88, relating to the shares of John Mostyn, of Segrwyd, esq., and Elizabeth Mostyn, his sister, in various lead mines including Talargoch, Rhymwyn, and Milwr mines; miscellaneous relating to the estate of Edward Pennant of Bagillt, who died at Marseilles in 1778; more papers relating to the Mostyn family of Segrwyd, 1790 and 1795; a copy of the will of Owen Hughes of Beaumaris, 1707; copies of opinions on cases, 1767-85, by Lloyd Kenyon (afterwards Lord Kenyon) and others; notes of 'Professor Robinson's Lectures', 1775; copies of Parliamentary and other speeches, 1768 and 1780; a copy, with translation, of the charter, 20 Sept. 1360, granted by the Black Prince to the burgesses of Flint; a printed Memorial against Lord Bulkeley, 21 March 1708/9; and a copy (mutilated) of [The Sev]eral Informations of John MacNamarra, Maurice Fitzgerald, and James Nash: Gent. Relating to the Horrid Popish Plot in Ireland . . . (London, 1680). About eighty deeds and documents, 1568-1863, relating to properties in the parish of Pennal, co. Merioneth, and in the town of Machynlleth and the parishes of Darowen, Llanwrin, and Penegoes, co. Montgomery. A further group of 270 deeds and documents, 1509-1898, relating to properties in the parishes of Pennal, Talyllyn and Towy, co. Merioneth, Llanbadarn Fawr, co. Cardigan, the town of Machynlleth and the parishes of Llanwrin and Llangurig, co. Montgomery, and Stockbury and Newington, co. Kent. Mynegai Dolgellau Nodiadau Schedule Available.

SOUTH WALES UNITARIAN ASSOCIATION
1950135
Ffynhonnell / Source
The South Wales Unitarian Association, per The Reverend S E Bowen, Altyblaca.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A lease of Capel-y-Graig Unitarian Meeting House, parish of St Clears, co. Carmarthen, 1832, and a deed of appointment of new trustees, 1881 (NLW Minor Deposits 647A).

SWANSEA PUBLIC LIBRARIES
1950136
Ffynhonnell / Source
The Librarian, Swansea Public Libraries, Swansea.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Three Welsh manuscripts:
1. \textquoteleft Y Piser Hir \textquoteright, a collection of Welsh poetry transcribed by Rev David Ellis, Criccieth (NLW Minor Deposits 55B).
2. \textquoteleft Llyfr Margaret Davies \textquoteright, a collection of Welsh poetry transcribed by Margaret Davies of Coedcaedu (NLW Minor Deposits 56B).
3. \textquoteleft Llyfr Hugh Cadwaladr \textquoteright, 1770, a collection of Welsh poetry (NLW Minor Deposits 57B).

Mynegai
Cricieth

M P WATKINS
1950137
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr M P Watkins (Messrs. Vizard & Son), Monmouth.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A large archive of deeds and miscellaneous documents from the offices of Messrs Vizard and Son, solicitors, Monmouth. The activities of this firm, which enjoys a continuous existence since the eighteenth century, extended far beyond the confines of the town and county of Monmouth, and, in accordance with the wishes of Mr M. P. Watkins, the present principal, documents relating to Gloucestershire, Herefordshire and other non-Welsh counties have been set aside to be despatched to the appropriate depositories.

The Welsh material, comprising more than half the total bulk, consists of:
Deeds, drafts of deeds, copies of wills, probate papers, cases for counsel\textquoteleft s opinion, abstracts of title, conditions of sale of properties, posters, bankruptcy papers, settlement and poor law papers, documents concerning tithes and ecclesiastical causes, correspondence and miscellaneous practice papers, mostly of the late eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, relating to properties and persons in Abercarn, Abergavenny, Aberystwyth, Bassaleg, Bryngwyn, Caldicot, Chapel Hill, Chepstow, Clytha, Cwmcarfan, Dingestow, Dixton, Glascod, Grosmont, Gwernessey, Kemeys Inferior, Langstone, Llanarth, Llanbadock, Llandenny, Llandogo, Llanfihangel-Ystern-Llewen, Llanfrechfa, Llangattock-Lingoed, Llangattock-Vibon-Avel, Llangowych, Llangwm Isha, Llanishen, Llanllowell, Llanosy, Llantilio Crossenny, Llantilio-Pertholey, Llantrisant, Llanvapley, Llanvetherine, Llanwenarth, Llanwern, Machen, Mitchel-Troy, Monmouth, Overmonnow, Penallt, Penrose, Pontypool, Raglan, Redbrook, Rockfield, St. Maugham\textquoteright s, Skenfrith, Tredunnock, Tregare, Trellech, Trevethin, Usk, Wonastow and Wyesham, co. Monmouth; Aberllyfn i, Aberyskir, Alltmawr, Brecon, Cathedine, Cwmdu, Llandefalle, Llandilo\textquoteright s fan, Llanelly, Llanfihangel Nantrban, Llangenni, Llangynidr, Llanigon, Llywel, Talgarth, Vaynor, and Ystradgynlais, co. Brecon; Bettws Disserth, Bryngwyn, Cefnllys, Clyro, Glascwm, Llanbedr Painscastle, Llanfihangel Rhydיתhon, and Llansaintffraid-in-Elvel, co. Radnor; and Cardiff, Merthyr, Pentyrch and Swansea, co. Glamorgan. There is also a small number of deeds of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, the earliest of which is dated 1577.

A terrier of the manor of Parklettice Llanover (c. 1640), giving particulars of lands in Trevethin, Mamhilad, Goytre, Llanover, Llanellen, Llangattock iuxta Usk and Llanarth.
Tithe rent-charge account books and papers for the parishes of St. Maugham\textquoteright s, Grosmont, Llangattock Vibon Avel, Wonastow, Dixton, Skenfrith, Monmouth, Llandogo and Rockfield, ranging from 1860 to 1917.
Records of the Monmouthshire Turnpike Trust, including two minute books of the Trust, 1841-58 and 1859-79, deeds poll, mortgages of tolls, leases of turnpike gates, estimates of expenses for the construction and repair of roads, plans of roads, manual and team labour sheets, orders for contributions from parishes, lists of names of surveyors, certificates for election of way wardens, printed copies of Acts of Parliament relating to the Trust, cases for counsel\textquoteleft s opinion, accounts and correspondence, etc., ranging from 1755 till the termination of the Trust in 1879.
This archive, as would be expected, contains many interesting items relating to the town of Monmouth, including:
The Monmouth town assessment for land tax, 1705; letters addressed to the overseers of the poor, settlement and miscellaneous poor law papers, 1812-14; an interesting letter from James Powles to Robert Williams, dated 7 Oct. 1823, concerning a disputed election of a mayor of Monmouth; papers relating to the work of the Commissioners for paving and lighting the town of Monmouth, 1823-31; papers concerning the provision by public subscription of a nightly watch in the town of Monmouth,
1829; papers and a printed list of rules, 1837-43, relating to the Monmouth Dispensary for providing free medical attention for the poor; papers concerning the Barley Mow Female Friendly Society, 1848, and the Boar's Head Female Friendly Society, 1853; papers, bills, and letters relating to the Monmouthshire Cattle Plague Mutual Assurance Association, 1865-6; draft deeds, 1807 and 1815, conveying premises for the use of the Monmouth National School; papers, plans, and correspondence concerning the building of National Schools at Overmonnow, 1859-66; papers relating to proposed improvements to St Mary's churchyard, subscription lists, etc., 1834-5; cases for counsel's opinion, 1848, respecting a dispute about the jurisdiction of the vicar of Monmouth over the district attached to St Thomas Chapel, the right of the curate of the chapel to solemnize marriages and receive fees, etc.; a draft grant of a perpetual rent-charge for the maintenance of the curate of St Thomas Chapel, 1833; a case for counsel's opinion concerning the validity of the institution of the vicar of Monmouth by the bishop of Llandaff in 1846; a case for counsel's opinion, 1877, concerning the appointment and payment of an organist in St Mary's church; draft deeds and letters, 1843, concerning the sale of the Old Methodist Chapel in Wear Head Street, Monmouth, to the Board of Guardians for additional workhouse premises, title deeds of the premises, 1796 and 1820, and an abstract of the deed of 1802, founding the chapel; a lease of the Monmouth Forges from the Duke of Beaufort to Benjamin Whitehouse and a contract for a sale of cordwood, 1825, and a deed of co-partnership between Sarah Whitehouse and her sons, Edwin and Alfred Whitehouse, for carrying on the business of iron and tin plate manufacturers at Monmouth and Lower Redbrook, 1842.

Other interesting documents in this archive include:

Articles of partnership of the Chepstow Bank, 1791; articles of partnership of the banking firm of Jones, Jones and Davies at Monmouth and Abergavenny, 1829; particulars and conditions for the letting of divers ironworks and collieries called the Blaendale Works, Pontypool, and the Waenfellon and Caleb Evans Collieries, 1800; a copy of a case for counsel's opinion concerning the mode of assessing Messrs Crawshay and George for poor-rate in respect of the Cyfarthfa iron-works with details concerning production and profits; an account of a levy for the support of Greenwich Hospital on all seamen serving on any ship or vessel belonging to the subjects of Great Britain collected at various ports, including Carmarthen, Carnarvon, Chepstow, Conway, Holyhead and Neath, 1764; papers concerning the vesting of charities in the parishes of Raglan and Llandenny in trustees appointed by the Charity Commission, 1861; a case for counsel's opinion concerning the advowson of Skenfrith; a case for counsel's opinion concerning the validity of a licence granted at Llandaff for a marriage in Dixon Church in 1846; and a case for counsel's opinion concerning the glebe lands of Dixon, 1821.

Mynegai
Gwernesni, Llantilio Pertholau, Llanfable, Caernarvon, Llanfihangel Nant Bran.

JOHN G WILLIAMS, LLANVAPLEY
1950138
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr John G Williams, Llanvapley.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Mynegai
Llantilio Pertholau, Llanfable, Llanfihangel Nant Bran.
Nodiadau
Returned to Depositor 18/2/59.

R T P WILLIAMS & SONS
1950139
Ffynhonnell / Source
Messrs R T P Williams & Sons, Haverfordwest.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Court rolls and minute books of the manors of Manorbier, Lamphey and Penally, co. Pembroke, 1822-1932 (NLW Minor Deposits 709-19B).

CYNWYL GAEO
1950140
Ffynhonnell / Source
Mr Rhys Dafys Williams, Llansadwrn, by consent of Captain R F Armitage.
Bwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description

Accounts, including vouchers, receipts, counterfoils and bank books, relating to the Dolaucothi estate, 1822-1938, and the Gileston estate, co. Glamorgan, 1882; an account book of John Johnes and E. Johnes, 1806-51; other account books of the Johnes family, 1826-75; an account of compositions for tithes on the Dolaucothi estate, 1823-64; an account book of John Johnes's travelling expenses and salary as Assistant Tithe Commissioner, 1836-48; a record of personal expenditure of Lady Elizabeth Hills-Johnes, 1871-84; an account at Pumpsaint shop, 1896-1911; an account of money due to Morgan Herbert, Hafodychtryd, co. Cardigan, 1624; and an account of Thomas Jones of Llanver, 1712.

A voluminous group of correspondence to and from members of the Johnes family of Dolaucothi, 1781-1938, including the letter books (1821-76) of John Johnes (d. 1815) and Judge John Jones (d. 1876). Most of the letters are addressed to General Sir James Hills-Johnes, Lady Elizabeth Hills-Johnes, and her sister C. A. M. Johnes, and belong to 1850-1920. The correspondents include Captain Jack Loch, C. Malcolm Gordon, C. L. Methuen (Bristol), Lord Roberts, Violet Ramsay, N. MacColl, Sir Hugh Gough, General Macfarlan, Sir Charles Nairne, Lady Llanover, Dr Glyn Jones, Sir Arthur Herbert, J. T. Evans (Stow-on-the-Wold), Sir Owen M. Edwards, Alwyne Compton, bishop of Ely, Griffith Jones (editor of Y Llan), D. Lloyd George, Sir John Rhys, Sir James Drummond, Lord Llangattock, Ernest F. Marilier, D. Lleufer Thomas, Lord Aberdare, E. E. Allen (Porthkerr Rectory), John S. Allen (Basingstoke), Lady Catharine Allen, James Allen (St Davids), Lord Tredegar, Lord Mount Stephen, Lord Plymouth, Sir H. Brackenbury, General Beauchamp Duff, Sir Evelyn Wood, E. Tyrrell Green, Professor T. F. Tout, Lord Cawdor, Sir Gardner Wilkinson, F. F. Edwards, and W. B. T. Jones, bishop of St. Davids. There are numerous letters from correspondents in South Africa and India and from men serving overseas in the 1914-18 War. There are also files of letters (and other papers) relating to the Dolaucothi and Gileston estates, applications for commissions in the army (1914-18), the Boy Scouts and Boys' Brigade movements, the British Red Cross, Freemasons, VAD, and the Territorial Force.

Legal papers, including a suit between Rees Williams, Elenor George of Llandilo, co. Radnor, and Marmaduke Lloyd, 1656; suit Gillett v. Gwynn, 1675-6; suits between the Powell families of Cwm Elan and Nanneth, co. Radnor, 1687-18th century; a bill of complaint concerning land in Llan santffraid Cwmndaudwr, co. Radnor, 1711; a suit between Herbert Croft, knight, and John Thomas and others concerning trespass in the grange of Comdoythor, co. Radnor, 1609; a bill of complaint of Sir Charles Lloyd of Maesylvelin, co. Cardigan, 1704; a suit between Lewis Price and Marmaduke Lloyd, 1734; a suit between Marmaduke Lloyd and Owen Bowen, c. 1724; counsel's opinion on commons, 1696; and a dispute relating to Masellanourtholl lands, parish of Cynwyl-gaeo, co. Carmarthen.
A valuable group of records kept by John Johnes, junior, as Assistant Tithe Commissioner, 1837-48, including minute books of evidence taken before the Commission for the Commutation of Tithes and draft reports by John Johnes to the Tithe Commissioners of meetings held by him in the parishes. The records are for parishes in the counties of Brecknock, Cardigan, Carmarthen, Glamorgan, Hereford, Monmouth, Pembroke and Radnor, with some for the counties of Dorset, Somerset and Wiltshire.

Genealogical material for the pedigree of the Johnes family, including extracts from deeds and wills, notes from parish registers, and correspondence with the College of Heralds, c. 1870-1913; the pedigree of Elizabeth, daughter of John Johnes, nineteenth century; a grant of arms to Herbert Thomas Lloyd-Johnes, 1928.

Election papers comprising addresses, broadsides, squibs and posters, in English and Welsh, relating to Parliamentary elections for the county of Carmarthen and Carmarthen Borough elections, 1803-37, and the County Council election, 1898.

A small collection of posters, programmes, and reports of eisteddfodau in co. Carmarthen and of the National Eisteddfod, 1853-1903.

Papers and correspondence and geological surveys in connection with the Gogofau Gold Mine at Pumpsaint, 1898-1940.

Books of musical scores, some in manuscript, for voice, piano and harp, used by Lady Hills Johnes and her sister, nineteenth century. Odd numbers of magazines and journals, nineteenth century. Press cuttings.

A large quantity of miscellaneous documents and records touching such matters as the following: insurance policies; the memorial fountain in Chelsea to Sir Donald Stuart, 1902; diaries of game keepers, 1901-13; a farming diary, 1863; a marriage settlement of Thomas Johnes, Havod, 1779; copies of the wills of David Lloyd of Llanvechan, co. Cardigan, 1666, Ann Johnes of Llanfairclydoge, 1700, and Thomas Johnes of Dolaucothy, 1749; the Commission of the Peace, cos. Carmarthen and Cardigan, 1727-65; the guardianship of Roger Jones of Buckland, co. Brecknock, 1711; the repair of Pumpsaint bridge, co. Carmarthen, 1740; notes on agriculture, late eighteenth century; the Society of Chairmen of Quarter Sessions, 1867-76; game records, 1911; the living of Gileston, co. Glamorgan, 1882-3; a memorandum book of Sir James Hills-Johnes, 1882-97; continental tours, 1861-99; an inventory of furniture at Brunant, 1904; the proposed removal of St David's College, Lampeter, to Brecon, 1854; the University of Wales, 1897-9; Lord Roberts's Memorial Fund, 1915; the Welsh National Memorial; the Church Defence Movement, 1895; and railway projects (Mynyddmawr, etc.), 1867.

The archive also includes a number of portraits of members of the Johnes family (Dept of Pictures and Maps), including a portrait in oils by Carey Morris (from a photograph) of John Johnes, 1800-78, and photographs and group-photographs of Johnes family interest.

Among the maps are a manuscript map of the manor and parish of Gileston, Glamorgan, 1773, a manuscript map of the Great Forest of Brecon, 1819, three manuscript maps of lands paying priory tithes in the parish of St. Michael, Cwmdu, Brecknockshire, c. 1835, a number of manuscript farm maps relating to property in the parishes of Cynwyl Guo and Pencarreg, 1778-1800, thirty nineteenth-century maps of the Indian Provinces, and a map of the siege of Delhi, 1857, bearing the autograph of Field-Marshal Earl Roberts (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

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Llanrhystud, Llanfechan, Llanfair Clydogau, First World War.

BODFEAN
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Ffynhonnell / Source
Colonel R Vaughan Wynn, D.L., Bodfean.
Blywyd / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
Three charters granted to the abbey of Ystrad Marchell by Maredith son of Howel lord of Edeyrnion, 1176, Elisse son of Madoc, 1198, and Madoc son of Gruffudd, undated.

YNYSFOR
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Ffynhonnell / Source
The Ynysfor Family', Ynysfor, Penrhyndeudraeth.
Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
A supplementary group of records, consisting of (a) a few papers, 1800-12, of Richard Pugh, incumbent of Llanegryn, including correspondence with the Commissioners of the Navy relating to the loss of seamen; (b) The Death of Abel . . . attempted from the German of Mr Gessner (London, 1762), inscribed with the names of members of the Pugh family, 1733-84; and (c) Elliot: The Medical Pocket-Book (London, 1800), with manuscript annotations in Latin, English, and Welsh.

THE RECORDS OF THE CHURCH IN WALES
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Blwyddyn / Year
Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1949-50
Disgrifiad / Description
The following items were added to the above during the year:
DIOCESE OF LLANDAFF
Papers relating to arrangements for the Induction and Installation of Right Rev Father in God John Morgan, Bishop of Llandaff, into the Archbishopric of Wales on the Feast of Saint Matthew, 1949.

PAROCHIAL RECORDS
A parish register of Pendoylan, 1569-1672.