

## ADRODDIAD BLYNYDDOL / ANNUAL REPORT 1912-13

OWEN GRUFFYDD, LLANYSTUMDWY

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Mr Ernest Rhys

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Disgrifiad / Description

MS from the collection of Owen Gruffydd of Llanystumdwy, which was afterwards in the possession of W Elias, Plas y Glyn, and of Thomas Elias, Llanrwst (NLW MS 7892B). A volume of over 150 pages, containing poems written between 1360 and 1620 by the following poets:- Sion Kent, Sion Tudur, Gruffydd Gryg, Meredydd ap Rhys, Wiliam ap Sion ap Dafydd, Gruffydd Hiraethog, Huw Arwystl, Dafydd ab Edmwnd, Dafydd ap Gwilym, Robert Leiaf, Rhys Goch Eryri, Ieuan Tew, "Mastr Harri", Sion Phylip, Roger Kyffin, Ieuan Fychan, Syr Dafydd Trevor, Tudur Penllyn, Rowland Vaughan, Tomos Prys, Evan Tudur Owen, Ieuan Brydydd Hir, Tudur Aled, Gruffydd ab Ieuan, Rhys Pennardd, Bedo Aerddrem, Bedo Brwynllys, Iolo Goch, Hywel ap Dafydd, Dafydd Ddu Hiraddug, Lewis Glyn Cothi and Hywel ab Ieuan. The book also contains about twenty poems by Owen Gruffydd, in his own handwriting, together with a collection of Welsh and Latin englynion and proverbial sayings. Deposited by Mr Ernest Rhys.

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GWILYM PUE

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Rev Paul Hook, Holywell

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MS. of Gwilym Pue, 1676. Pue was a member of the ancient family of Pugh of Penrhyn, Carnarvonshire, and a writer of religious pieces in prose and verse (NLW MS 4710B). He is described as a Benedictive lay brother, a poet, surgeon and soldier. His work was chiefly in Monmouthshire. During the Civil War and the years following, he took an active part as a Catholic Missionary in that county. The MS. is nicely written, and has pen and ink decorations, etc. (See illustration of Harp). Deposited by Rev. Paul Hook, Holywell.

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HENRY TAYLOR FLINTSHIRE HISTORICAL COLLECTION

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Mr Henry Taylor

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A short account of the above collection appears in the Council's Report on the progress of the National Library from April 1909, to Sept. 1910. Subsequently Mr Henry Taylor, F.S.A., the donor, has sent further valuable additions to the collection (NLW MSS 6267-331).

The collection, representing, as it does, part of the life-long activities of a careful historian and eminent antiquarian, forms an admirable nucleus of a collection of materials for a county history of Flintshire. The entire collection, as now constituted, comprises seven large boxes of manuscripts, documents and pamphlets, together with several printed volumes - all dealing with Flintshire matters. There is also a valuable set of casts of the Seals of Chester and N. Wales.

The general character and importance of the collection is briefly indicated in the following schedule of its contents:-

### Original Documents

1. Ancient Deeds. (a) Seven ancient deeds relating to the conveyance of land, etc., in the borough of Flint during the 13th and 14th centuries; (b) Five indentures effecting the transfer of certain property in the following places at the dates specified. Bagillt (1622); Colehill Fawr (1747), Llygan y Wern (1742), Holywell (1703), and the borough of Flint (1832); (c) Three documents touching certain premises in Midle Street in the town of Flint (1652-4), these incidentally include the signature of Thomas Salusbury of Leadbrook, and the seal signatures of Sir Roger Mostyn.
2. The Taylor Correspondence, comprising upwards of 400 letters written to the donor from time to time, mainly upon matters connected with the history and antiquities of Flintshire. Among other correspondents the following appear: Bishop Stubbs, the famous English historian, Professor Haverfield, Professor Tout, Professor Tait, Messrs Peter Turner and Walford D Selby of the Public Record Office, Mr J H Wylie, the well-known author of the History of Henry IV, Sir John Rhys, Messrs Edward Breese, Llewelyn Turner, Morris Charles Jones and other antiquaries, Lord Mostyn, the Duke of Westminster, etc. Several of the letters relate to the addresses of loyalty and congratulation presented to members of the Royal Family by the inhabitants of Flint from time to time. Among the interesting autograph signatures occurs that of Henry Irving, the celebrated English actor. A large number of important autograph signatures also appear on the returned order forms in connection with the publication of the donor's Historic Notices of Flint.
3. Diary of Mr W T Ellis of Cornist Hall, Flint, whilst at Brasenose College, Oxford, 1826 (NLW MS 6290B). The author was High Sheriff of Flintshire, 1833-4. Full of quaint, curious and interesting entries bearing upon College life; one of the abnormal entries records the expenses of a visit to Llandrindod Wells.
4. Minute Book of the Court of Great Sessions for the County of Flint from 1705-56, together with Memoranda of the Chester Great Session Courts from 1714 to 1756 (NLW MS 6298D). Invaluable for legal, economic and social history.
5. Original Draft of a Resolution passed by the Municipal Corporation of Flint upon the occasion of the publication of the Historic Notices of the Borough and County Town of Flint.
6. MS. History of the Town and Castle of Flint gan "Haneswr (Cymro a anwyd yn Sir Flint)". 1851.
7. Old Abstracts of Title and Particulars of Sale of lands in Flintshire during the last 100 years.

### Transcripts, Translations and Abstracts of Original Documents.

Taken mainly from MS. sources preserved at the Public Record Office; the British Museum; Mostyn Hall; the Friars, Chester; Gwysanney; and the town of Flint. The more important of the documents included are:- Extracts from the Minute Books of the Corporation of Flint from 12 March, 1883, to 28 October 1888; Transcripts and facsimiles of three 16th century deeds relating to the Goodman family; Facsimile of the Grant from Ranulph, 6th Earl of Chester, to the Monks of Puston; Extracts from the Flint Parish Registers, 1611-1763; copies of Letters of Flintshire interest (extending to 56 foolscap pages and especially valuable for religious history) taken from the original Privy Council Orders and Returns preserved at Mostyn Hall; copies and abstracts of documents and letters relating to Flintshire gleaned from the Harleian MSS., more particularly Nos 1968, 1970, 2040, 2061, 2099 and 2131; Abstracts of a Flint bailiff's account temp Henry VI, preserved at Gwysanney; copies of the Municipal Charters of Flint, Rhuddlan and Hope; copies of various documents relating to Flintshire at the Public Record Office, taken mainly from the Patent, Welsh, and Plea Rolls, and the Exchequer K.R. works accounts; copy of Resolutions passed by the Burgesses and Inhabitants of the town of Flint, 23 January 1837, touching the improvements of the borough, etc.

### Miscellaneous Notes

Dealing mainly with matters relating to Flintshire, including a commonplace Book in red cover, Edward Lhuyd's notes on Flint in the handwriting to Mr Alfred Neobard Palmer, the Pedigree of Sir John Galafre. Flintshire Men whose names appear on the Rolls of the Freemen of the City of Chester, A.D. 1392-1805 (extracted by the donor); together with a MS. list of the Sheriffs of Flintshire.

### Printed Sources - Books, Pamphlets, Etc (Dept of Printed Books).

1. A large paper copy of the Historic Notes of Flint, 1883.
2. Another copy of (1) above interleaved, with valuable notes by the author, and several newspaper cuttings.
3. Another copy of (1) above arranged page for page on separate foolscap sheets, with additional notes, and memoranda recently added relating to the supplementary evidence contained in the present collection.
4. A volume entitled "The Salusburies of Lleweni, Some Account of the Ancient Family of Salusbury." By Henry Cotton Salusbury and Stephen Gibbon Salusbury. Privately printed.

5. A Scrap Book containing all in the donor's possession relating to the performance of Shakespeare's play of King Richard II at Flint by Mr Benson and his company, August 1899. (See Nat. Lib. 2nd Report, pp. 26-7). Preserved in a vellum portfolio.
  6. A volume entitled Literary Scraps, relating mostly to Flintshire. Collected and arranged by the donor.
  - 7-8. Two volumes of News Cuttings consisting of Literary Scraps relating to Wales in general and to Flintshire in particular, with MS index compiled by the donor.
  9. Printed Copies of all the papers contributed from time to time by the donor to the Transactions of various Learned Societies, etc.
  10. Year Books of the Borough of Flint for some years.
  11. A Guide to Flint Castle, by the donor.
  12. The Flintshire sections of the Municipal Corporations Commission, and of the Boundary Commission Reports.
  13. Printed Sections from the Archaeologia relating (1) to Edward I's expenses at Rhuddlan, and (2) to Richard II at Flint Castle.
  14. Various other works and pamphlets dealing with the history and topography of Chester and Flintshire.
- Maps, Plans and Portraits (Dept of Pictures and Maps).
- Miscellaneous - View of the Castles of Flint, Disserth and Rhuddlan, the Abbey of Basingwerk, the Old Parish Church of Flint, Speed's Plan of Flint Castle and Town, the Arms of Flintshire, MS. Plan of Deganwy Castle, Plan of the Cornits Hall Estate, Facsimile of the Congratulatory Address presented by the Borough of Flint to Queen Victoria, 1897, Map showing Commons in Holywell Parish, several postcards and portraits of local interest, etc.
- Seals (mounted and framed)
- A collection of casts of judicial and other seals (11 seals, 22 pieces) of North Wales and Chester, viz: Henry IV (4), Edward IV, Edward VI, Elizabeth, James I, Charles Prince of Wales, Commonwealth, Anne.
- A collection of casts of judicial seals of Wales (7 seals, 14 pieces). Denbigh, Montgomery and Flint, viz:- Edward VI (2), Elizabeth, James I, Charles I, Charles II. Carmarthen, Cardigan and Pembroke, viz:- Elizabeth.
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#### SIR JOHN WILLIAMS

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Sir John Williams, Bart, G.C.V.O.

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The President, (Sir John Williams, Bart, GCVO) has added considerably to his collection already in the Library. The following notes describe only a small number of his gifts.

Autograph Letters of Richard Lloyd, author of Beaumaris Bay; Miss Jane Williams of Aberpergwm; Miss Angharad Llwyd; Protheroe the Herald; Sir Stephen Glynne, Aneurin Owen and others.

A Bundle of early Deeds, 16th and 17th cent., relating to Carnarvonshire.

Ballads and Wedding Verses by Thomas Thomas, Troedyrhiw, Llandoverly, and others.

A long Letter from John Thomson, dated St Petersburg, 30th Aug., 1770.

A Bundle of Deeds relating to Wales and Cornwall in a box. Amongst them is the Probate of the Will of Daniel Lloyd of Wrexham, proved by his wife, Rose Lloyd on May 16th, 1656. There is a bequest in the will of the 40s a year to Morgan Lloyd, 'Minister of Wrexham Church', and a direction to his wife that she will see "my Corpes interred decently as a member of Christ my Lord in some parcell of my owne Ground and not in any Church or Churchyard as hath beene and still is used by most of this nation". His request was carried out, and his tombstone may still be seen in a field on the farm of Penybryn, in Abenbury, with the inscription "Here is asleep Daniel Lloyd, Servant of Jesus Christ, interred November 19th, 1655." (Palmer, Older Nonconformity of Wrexham, p.31).

A Bundle of Papers containing a letter relative to Milford Dock and the attack made on the establishment at Pater by Admiral Markham.

A contemporary Copy of the Charter of the Borough of Carmarthen, Oct. 24th, 1609, signed by the Mayor and 14 burgesses.

A Letter addressed to the Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Carmarthen by the Earl of Bridgewater, 22 April 1633.

A Letter from Rev. Edward Picton, brother to General Sir Thomas Picton, addressed to the magistrates of Carmarthenshire asking them to accept a full length portrait of his brother.

A list of the Subscribers towards the erection of the Picton Monument.

A Petition of the Grand Jury, etc., of Cardiganshire to Parliament, with reference to the practice of issuing writs of Certiorari out of Westminster for the removal of causes to be tried in London. This is signed by a large number of magistrates.

A Catalogue of the Sheriffs of Cardigan written about 1700 and continued by another writer to 1772. Also similar lists for Carmarthenshire and Pembrokeshire.

A Collection of Squibs relating to Carmarthenshire.

Letters addressed to John Jones of Ystrad, relative to his parliamentary candidature.

A Warrant summoning witnesses to the hearing of a cause between Gerrard Bromely and Thomas Vaughan at Kidwelly in 1611.

A Collection of Letters of the Wynn family of Gwydir written in the 16th and 17th centuries.

Volume of Letters, etc., addressed to the Secretary and other officers of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge - mostly with reference to the supply of copies of the Scriptures and other publications for distribution in parishes in England and Wales. Among the letters from Wales are the following:- Philip Evans, Vicar, Llangeler, 1753; John Edwards, Vicar, Llanbadarn Fawr, recommending Rev. Joshua Thomas, Vicar of Merthyr as a corresponding member, 1745; Thomas Vaughan, Llandyrnog, 1749; James Vincent, Beaumaris, 1749; J. Brooks, Noyadd, Llanarth, Card., 1754; Oak. Rees, Llanarthney, 1753; William Skinner, Llangattock, Brecon, 1750; Edward Yardley, Archdeacon of Cardigan, 1757; Thos. Williams, Vicar of Brecon, 1749; J. Worthington and J. Roberts recommending John Jones, Rector of Llaniesty, William Owen, M.A., of Nevin, and John Griffiths, Esq., of Cefnamwlch, as members, 1769; B. Gwynne, Llandovery, 1749; Wm. Griffith, Amlwch, 1753; John Ellis, Amlwch, 1749; Thos. Williams, Carmarthen, 1749; Thos. Walters, Rector of Penmaen, Gower, 1749; Thos. Williams, Vicar of Llanegwad, 1754; J. Worthington, Llanrhaidadr, near Oswestry, 1749-54; Will Samuel, Vicar of Nantglyn, Denbighshire, 1749; Wm. Thomas, Chancellor of Llandaff, 1778, and Vicar of Baglan, 1783; W. Wynn, Llangynhaval, 1756; J. Rogers, Carmarthen, 1782; John Thomas, Monmouth, 1752; Howell Howell, Kilkennin, 1749.

The Gold and Silver of Windsor Castle, by E. Alfred Jones, Printed at the Arden Press, Letchworth, in the coronation year of Their Majesties King George V and Queen Mary, 1911. 1 vol., folio. One of the thirty-five copies on Japanese vellum.

The Ancient Rites and Monuments of the Monastical, and Cathedral Church of Durham ... Published by J[ohn] D[avies] of Kidwelly. London: M.DC.LXXII.

The Examination of Tilenus before the Triers; Laurence Womock or Womack (1612-86), Bishop of St. Davids. London, 1658.

Aron-binnucha; or An Antidote to Cure the Calamities of their Trembling for fear of the Ark. Laurence Womock of Womack (1612-86) Bishop of St. Davids. London, 1662.

Catechism yr Eglwys wedi ei dorri yn Holiadau Byrrion. Llundain, 1751.

Church Lands not to be sold, . . . 1648.

The Heart and its Right Sovereigne, ... by T[homas] J[ones], of Oswestry, 1678.

[The Scripture Genealogy beginning at Noah, and to which is added the Genealogy of the Caesars. And also a Display of Heraldry of the particular Coat of Armours now in use in the Six Counties of North Wales ... John Reynolds, Oswestry. Chester, R. Adams, 1739]. Title page wanting, also 8 leaves at end.

Adnodau ar rai Lleodd, cableddus a sarhaus o lyfrau a osodwyd allan yn ddiweddar, ar Fedydd Plant, gan Mr Fowler Walker. Llundain, 1732.

Barn y Dydd Mawr wedi ei osod allan gan yr Awdwr ai gyfieithu er lles a gwasanaeth y Cymru; yn enwedig ei gyd-wladwyr yn Neheubarth ... Title page imperfect - a unique copy.

Reasons for Unitarianism; or, The Primitive Christian Doctrine. Addressed to ... the inhabitants of the Diocese of St Davids ... By a Welsh Freeholder [David Jones]. London, J. Johnson, 1792. On title-page: "Rev. Mr. Belsham from the Author".

The Life and Reign of King Henry the Eighth, written by the Right Honourable Edward Lord Herbert of Chisbury. London, 1683. A very fine copy.

A number of Books from the library of the late Mr Nathaniel Williams, some with notes by Rev. D. Williams, Blaen Llynant, and one with an inscription, "Mrs Annie Dalton, her book, given her by the Revd. Mr Griffith Jones, Anno Domini, 1735."

MSS Collections relating to Rev. John Blackwell (Alun), 1797-1840.

(1). Part of the preface written by Rev. G. Edwards of the printed volume of Blackwell's work - Ceinion Alun (NLW Add MS 358B).

(2). Proofs of Ceinion Alun together with extracts from newspapers and magazines relative to Blackwell.

(3). Letters and notes from Carn Inqli, Rev. G. Edwards, Glan Alun, H.B. Ker, Esq., with reference to Blackwell and a MS. Sermon by him.

A Translation or paraphrase of Gray's Bard in Welsh by John Jones Tal-haiarn, written for the Carmarthen Eisteddfod 1867 (NLW Add MS 192B). Tahaiarn's autograph.

An Interlude composed by Ellis Roberts (Elis y Cowper), and written by Hugh Davies in 1771 (NLW Add MS 351B). The chief characters are Pleser, Ifiengctyd, Cybydd, Mari Filen ei ferch Ffwl, etc.

A MS. written in the 18th century by Rowland Huw, Graienyn, or some other Bala writer, containing a collection of Merlin's prophecies and extracts, with Translations of poems attributed to Taliesin (NLW Add MS 355B).

A Collection of over 1100 Englynyon written by John Davies of Pentrefoelas, in 1747-8 (NLW Add MS 356B). John Davies was the teacher of Twm o'r Nant, and a celebrated genealogist.

Madog's supposed discovery of America (NLW Add MS 439B). MS. copy, Extract of a letter from a gentleman in America to a friend in Wales. Kingsburg, June 15, 1773.

Twm o'r Nant MSS

The Poetical works of John Jones, Schoolmaster at Llanddeiniolen, Carnarvonshire (NLW Add MS 346B). This consists of 160 pp. It was written by the author himself between 1770 and 1800. The MS. came into the possession of Thomas Edwards (Twm o'r Nant), who added a large number of his own poems and bound it up with two other MSS of poetry written by contemporary poets.

A MS. of Poetry written mostly by Twm o'r Nant, in the poet's autograph (NLW Add MS 347B).

A MS. of 12 pp. consisting of portions of two carols written by Twm o'r Nant in the poet's autograph (NLW Add MS 349B).

A Volume of Poetry written by Twm o'r Nant about 1760 (NLW Add MS 348B).

A small quarto Volume of Poetry written by Twm o'r Nant. This also includes a letter written by Twm to Owen Jones (Myfyr), dated Oct. 24, 1799 (NLW Add MS 350B).

A Volume of Poetry containing a few poems by Welsh bards of the 16th century, and also poems by Twm o'r Nant, Edward Jones and others (NLW Add MS 354B). Partly written by Twm o'r Nant. At the end of the book Twm has copied "Can Ddehenbartheg i'r Tobacco a'r bib", with the following note "Ysgrifennwyd o ben Elisa Bedler mewn Tafarn yn Heol y dwfr Ynghaerfyddin, 1785".

A small portfolio containing among other things letters written to Twm o'r Nant by John Jones, Glanygors, and Dr D Samuel (NLW Add MS 353D).

An Interlude in the writing of Twm o'r Nant (NLW Add MS 352A). The characters are Y Brenin, Mr Cybydd-dod, Modryb Crintachrwydd, Sion Dlawd, Cecryn y Ffwl, Theologus, a Refformation, &c. Imperfect at the beginning and end.

Presented by Lady Williams

Collection of Welsh Airs, by N Bennett. Vols I and II. Newtown, Phillips and Son, 1896 (Dept of Printed Books).

Harp Music. A collection of pieces - bound. Folio. "With J. Deffett Francis's kind regards to Mrs John Williams, August 15, 1877 (Dept of Printed Books).

Antigone, by Felix Mendelssohn. Part Songs, 5 vols, folio (Dept of Printed Books).

Louis Spohr's Celebrated Violin School, folio (Dept of Printed Books).

A Collection of 87 pieces for the Harp, composed, arranged, or edited by John Thomas. (Printed).

194 pieces of Music (printed) (Dept of Printed Books), and 2 pieces in MS.

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DR HENRY HICKS

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Mrs Knethell Green, St Davids, and Mrs Richardson, Letterston, Pembs

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Mrs Knethell Green, St. Davids, and Mrs Richardson, Letterston, Pembs., have presented a selection of Books, Pamphlets and Scientific Periodicals from the library to their father, the late Dr Henry Hicks, F.R.S., sometime President of the Geological Society (Dept of Printed Books). The total number of publications included in the gift is 1724, and forms a valuable addition to this section of the library.

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PLAS, DINAS MAWDDWY

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The Council desiring to purchase a small collection of Liturgical MSS, etc., from the library of Sir Edmund Buckley, of Plas, Dinas Mawddwy, and the funds at their disposal being insufficient, the President kindly agreed to advance the sum required, and they were accordingly purchased. The following is a brief description of the collection:-

Horae. MS. Hours of the Virgin, Calendar in French, services in Latin, written on vellum, 4¾ by 63/8 ins, judging from the handwriting and the illumination the book dates from about 1485 to 1490 (NLW MS 493A). The Calendar points to the use of Paris or Orleans, but is certainly a Paris Calendar. Following the Calendar are the Lord's Prayer, Ave Maria, and Credo, and Prayer from the Breviary in a good but rather later hand. A miniature of St John Baptist and the Magdalene suggests that the volume is a composite one, as two folios are on different vellum and in a different hand from what follows. Folio 80 begins the Office of the Dead, Part I. Placebo, with initial illuminated and a really good miniature of Parisian art, and a high class but hastily executed border.

Hours of the Virgin. MS. written in a Netherlandish Gothic character and language (NLW MS 494A). Strongly and handsomely bound in brown stamped Morocco, with emblems of the Passion embossed in gilt on both covers - gilt clasps (one missing), gilt edges, 4½ by 6¼ ins.

Begins with Calendar preceded by three folios of Tables and Figures connected with it. From the Saints' names which are rubricated we may infer its connection with Maestricht, or Utrecht, or perhaps Liege.

At the commencement of the services is a large and very beautifully executed initial H. Facing this, folio 16b, is a well executed miniature of the Annunciation with the old-fashioned background of embroidered tapestry. The various following Horae each start with similar initials and miniatures, the initials being especially fine throughout - the quality of the miniature work is not so well sustained. The letter initials, and penwork, are good throughout the volume. Date about 1475-1500.

Praemonstratensian Breviary (NLW MS 495B). MS. on thin vellum, 5¼ by 72/3 ins, not paged, but a thick volume, bound in red stamped Morocco, red edges. Large initial B, early 15th century, Italian, with pen work in red down inner margin. Smaller initials passim red and blue.

Volume lettered "Devotae Orationes de Vitus" (sic Vita Christi, etc.) MS, in very good stamped binding, leaves gilt, 55/8 by 4 ins, on paper (NLW MS 496A).

Calendar in red and black.

The volume consists of Prayers on subjects connected with the life of Christ and the Liturgy. Part of the volume, perhaps the whole, was written (see Colophon) by Brother Peter Dunym of Utrecht - a priest of that house (what house is not stated), but presumably Utrecht.

The variations in the writing may possibly be owing to its being written at intervals and in different states of health. The best of it dates about 1460-70.

Horae Beatae Mariae Virginis (NLW MS 497A). A Dutch MS. on vellum, 4½ by 61/8 ins, circa 1450. Begins with Calendar, rubricated. The Tables, etc., follow the Calendar - an initial H contains a drawing of the Madonna and Child, with a border. The initials and penwork are characteristic, the text a good and well-written pen-hand.

Offices of the Blessed Virgin Mary (NLW MS 498A). MS. in a Dutch dialect, on vellum, illuminated, 3½ by 51/8 ins. Well and strongly bound in brown stamped Morocco. Lettered Gety Book, intended for GETIJ BOCK, i.e., Breviary. The lettering, however is wrong, as this is not a Breviary, but a book of Hours of the Virgin.

It begins with the Prayer of St Bernard, then follows the Calendar, and the seven Hours of the Virgin with large initial and borders; next the Hours of the Holy Spirit, etc., etc.

A Dutch Book of Hours (NLW MS 499A). From the Calendar it would seem to have been written for someone in the vicinity of Maastricht. The Rubric to the first page opens with the words *Domine labia mea*, of the use of Rome.

The Book contains the Hours of the Blessed Virgin, ending with the Office of the Dead, written on vellum in Netherlandish Gothic, with illuminated initials and borders of the style common in N.W. France and Belgium and further north in the later 16th century.

The handwriting is clear and good.

*Officium Beatae Mariae Virginis*, 4 by 9¼ ins, not paged. Printed on vellum. Further description on title page as "Hours of the divine Virgin Mary according to the use of the Romans with many other matters noted on the following sheet, with figures of the Apocalypse and the Destruction of Jerusalem and with many figures of the Bible inserted." Most of the page is occupied by a painted figure title, consisting of a bushy tree, in front of which is a white shield with the words, "*Officium Beatae Mariae Virginis*", in gold, held by two naked children, who stand one on each side of the tree on the grassy mound. The background of the picture is red with gold embroidery. All within a red outlined gold frame, in 16th century French style, as in the MSS of Francis I and Henry II of France. At end (in Latin) "Here ends the Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary according to the Roman use, with the Mass of the same, and 7 penitential Psalms - the Office of the Dead of the Holy Cross and Holy Spirit, together with the Hours of the Conception of the blessed Virgin Mary and of St. Barbara with the Prayers of St. Gregory and suffrages of other Saints. Paris, newly printed. The work of Germazin Hardouin, dwelling before the Palace at the sign of St Marguerite." N.D. [1521?].

These hours of Germain Hardouin were usually printed by Guillm. Anabat; see Brunet, etc. Illuminated throughout in French style, but late and coarse. Large pictures before the chief subjects and initials illuminated before the memoirs. The usual Almanac and Calendar give information as to date and usage. The whole text is in Latin. The *Horae* of the Hardouins (Gillet and Germain), though inferior in many respects to those of Vostre and Kerver, are yet very interesting and valuable.

*Heures Gothiques*. Achieved (he does not say printed) by Thielmann Kerver, 3¾ by 6 ins, but much cut down by the binder, printed on vellum, according to the Almanac (fol. iv), in 1506, but at the end we are told that it was finished on December 23rd, 1511. Title-page, as usual, with his printer's mark, the well-known monogram shield hung on a tree and supported by two unicorns - his name below in Roman Gothic capitals and a note below.

T. Kerver began publishing Books of Hours in 1497; at first from the printing press of Jean Philippe, but even in the same year he set up a press of his own. He was then living in Paris on the Port St Michel at the sign of the Unicorn. In 1500 he gave up his shop and sign to Gillet Remach, bookseller, for whom he printed "*Heures*" in 1500-2 and 3.

In 1506 we find him in the Rue St Jacques ad Intersignum Craticulo, where he died in 1522. He was succeeded by his widow the same year, who resumed his old sign of the Unicorn (*Licorne* in French). She continued the business until September 1552, or perhaps somewhat later, as a publisher of Liturgical books of all sizes. Although, of course, the books issued by the Kervers are not so richly adorned or so exquisitely engraved as those of Vostre, yet they are much sought after by collectors, one reason being that Vostre's books were more frequently printed on vellum. Another thing to notice is that the Kervers seldom called in the aid of the colourist.

This volume, it will be seen, begins "*Heures a l'usage de Romme*". The marginal illustrations of the first 34 pp. are the *Dance Macabre*. The other marginal pictures are very interesting, also the full page pictures, which are typical of this class of book illustration. The little pictures towards the end of the book are each deserving of recognition and description. The picture to the Hours of the Conception is one of the best of its kind and subject, and altogether the book is both rare and curious. It was issued from his office in the Rue St Jacques, when he was printer to the University of Paris. It is strongly and beautifully bound in stamped and gilt morocco.

*Meditations on the Life of Christ*. In Latin throughout. 3½ by 5¼ ins, bound in stamped morocco with gilt clasp. Emblems of Passion in gilt on both covers, pp. 112. No place or printer's name or date. No miniatures, but initials in colour, red and blue. Though the author's name does not appear in or on this tiny volume, it is, no doubt, one of the several editions of the "*Med. vitae dominici*", by Bonaventura, published during the 15th century. It would be needless labour to try to distinguish this one, as all are equally rare, and *recherches*.

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Disgrifiad / Description

1. Llefr o'r Eglwys C'rhistnogedd. Yr hwn Lefr o wnaed trwy Rowland Puleston, Anno 1583 (NLW MS 716B).

This is a work of about 400 pages, quarto, and is an interesting specimen of the Welsh of the latter end of the 16th century. It was prepared for the Press but never printed. It treats of the state of religion under the Law and the Gospel, with an account of the Church down to the time of Elizabeth. It is written from the Protestant point of view.

2. A Printed copy of the Index to Welsh Poetry made by Rev Moses Williams, of which only 25 copies were printed in 1726 (NLW MS 717B). This copy is interleaved, and a former possessor has made a very large number of additions to the list of poems. At the other end of the book is an interleaved copy of "Cofrestr o'r holl Lyfrau Printjedig", published by Moses Williams in 1717. This copy is also interleaved and contains a few additions to Moses Williams's list of books.

3. An English-Welsh Dictionary written in the 17th century (NLW MS 718B). Formerly in the possession of John Roderick, who published his English-Welsh Dictionary in 1725.

4. A Volume of Cywyddau by Welsh Poets of the 16th century (NLW MS 719B). The book was probably written in the beginning of the 17th century and contains over 200 pages, quarto size.

5. A Manuscript written in the second half of the 17th century on the respective claims to seniority of the three sons of Roderick the Great (NLW MS 720B).

6. This is a miscellaneous Manuscript written in the 18th century, and contains among other material, a long list of names of Welsh Parishes, Towns and Houses (NLW MS 721C). It also contains a Grammar in Latin of the rudiments of Hebrew.

7. An imperfect Manuscript, octavo, of Welsh Poetry, written in the 16th century (NLW MS 722B). This book is in rather a bad condition.

8. An interleaved copy of Bibliotheca Legum, a list of Law Books printed in 1732 (NLW MS 723A). This copy contains a large number of additions to the printed list inserted on the blank leaves.

9. A small volume containing collections for a Welsh Dictionary, written in the 18th century by the Reverend Mr Lloyd (NLW MS 724A). The Book also contains some Italian and Hebrew sentences.

10. A small book bound in vellum, which contains an imperfect Latin Treatise, a list of Shires and Hundreds and Townships of Merioneth, Montgomery and Pembroke, and an account of the King's Rent in North Wales, with a list of Townships in North Wales, Rental of the Several Manors of Rhiwabon, Esclusham, Morton, Dynynlle, Eglwysegl, Minera, Pickyll, Bedwal, Seswick, Fabrorum and Coedcrionydd for the year 1715, also contributions made in 1701 by the various Hundreds and Townships in Anglesey, Carnarvon, Flintshire and Denbighshire, at the rate of 4s. in the £ (NLW MS 725A).

11. An account of the Proceedings of the House of Commons from 3rd February 1620 to the end of the year, with the speeches of various Members (NLW MS 726D). 195 pages, folio.

12. A folio Collection of Welsh Poetry, written towards the end of the 17th century, about 270 pages (NLW MS 727D).

13. A Collection of Welsh Poetry written towards the end of the 17th century in a large bold hand, loose sheets, folio (NLW MS 728D).

14. A Collection of North Wales Pedigrees of over 500 pages, folio (NLW MS 729D). Originally written in the 16th century with large additions made up to the middle of the 18th century. It appears to be a very valuable collection.

15. (1). A composite Manuscript containing a collection of genealogical material in loose sheets, written in a large bold hand in the middle of the 17th century (NLW MS 730D).

(2). A Book of dyvers accounting and Reckynygs from 23 Henry VIII onwards. An account relating to rentals of land in Flintshire and Montgomery, written in the 16th century.

16. A Welsh translation of Disce Mori by Christopher Sutton (NLW MS 731B). This work was translated into Welsh by David Rowlands of Anglesey in the year 1633, and this appears to be the author's manuscript.

17. A Genealogy of the Founders of the 15 Tribes of North Wales, which belonged in 1676 to Peter Davies of Eglwysig, as is testified by William Morris of Cefnybraich (NLW MS 732B). The Manuscript was probably written in the 16th century, but there are many additions of a later date. There is an interesting drawing on page 120.



18. Piers Plowman. MS. of an early XVth cent. on vellum, well written, rubricated throughout (NLW MS 733B). A mixed version of the text, including "Do wel, Do bet" section. Imperfect, begins Passus I, line 76, ends B Passus XIX, line 455 = CXXII, 460.

19. The Compound of Alchemie, by George Ripley [died 1490?], 17th cent. transcript, large folio, beautifully written, rubricated, and with drawings in pen and ink on the margins, etc. (NLW MS 734F). At end in other hands (a) "The explication of Nicholas Flavell Scrivener of Paris in ffrance upon his hieroglyphicke figure gathre'd fourth in breefe by J.M." with pen and ink drawing.

20. MS on vellum (NLW MS 735C). 47 folios. Oak boards, covered with leather. Blind tooling.

Fol. 1a-2b. Acrostical hexameters (312) on ten Virtues and ten Vices. At end: explicit de VIII [sic.? virtutibus et] viciis principalibus.

Fol. 3a. Versus Prisciani de est et non. A diagram of the summum bonum, &c.

Fol. 3b and 4a. Astronomical pictures.

Fol. 4b and 5a. Ditto with explanatory verses.

Fol. 5b-7a. Controversia Ciceronis in Salustium.

Fol. 7a-7b. Salustii in Ciceronem.

Fol. 7b. Prisciani Grammatici versus de XII sideribus.

Fol. 7a-9b. Samnium Scipionis. M Tulli Ciceronis excerptum ex libro VI de Re Publica.

Fol. 9b. Beginning of Book II of the Somnium Scipionis.

Fol. 10. Blank. Fol. 10b. Astronomical picture.

Fol. 11a. Blank.

Fol. 11b-24b. T. Claudii Caesaris Arati Phoenomena; Text and Scholia in a form closely resembling that in the Basel MS. (Orelli and Breysig A, Eysenhardt's B) with the same omissions.

Fol. 25a. Astronomical diagram.

Fol. 25b. Blank.

Fol. 26. Blank.

Fol. 27-47. Hyginus, Poetica Astronomica.

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#### PENNANT COLLECTION

1913008

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

By the courtesy of the Earl and Countess of Denbigh, the Council were able to purchase a number of MSS, Autograph Letters, Drawings and Printed Books, selected from the library at Downing Hall, Flintshire, formerly the home of the eminent topographer and naturalist Thomas Pennant (NLW MSS 2521-9B, 2530-1A, 2532-7B, 2538A, 2539C, 2540-53B, 2554E, 2555D, 2556E, 2557C, 2558D, 2559-62B, 2563-4D, 2565-7C, 2568E, 2569C, 2570B, 2571C, 2572-3F, 2574E, 2575-84B, 2585A, 2586-7D, 2588E, 2589B, 2590-4E, 2595C, 2596E, 2597-8C).

The collection includes many of Thomas Pennant's Notebooks of travels in Wales, Great Britain, and abroad, notes on Natural History, Botany, etc.; Papers relating to the Flintshire Militia; the building of Bagillt Church; and papers, prints and drawings relating to other counties of Wales. Also a MS. (folio) copy of Risdon's Survey of Devonshire, a work which was circulated in MS. long before it was printed (NLW MS 2572F).

These form an interesting record of the life and labours of the famous Welsh Topographer.

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#### PERSIAN MSS ETC

1913009

Ffynhonnell / Source

Herbert M Vaughan, Esq., Plas Llangoedmore

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

We have received from Herbert M. Vaughan, Esq., of Plas Llangoedmore, near Cardigan, a small but valuable collection of Persian Manuscripts and printed books, which belonged to his great-grandfather, Archdeacon Benjamin Millingchamp, D.D., of Plas Llangoedmore. Archdeacon Millingchamp was the son of Benjamin Millingchamp, of Cardigan, by his wife, Anne Gambold. He was born at Cardigan in 1756 and was educated at Ystradmeurig School (under Rev. John Williams), and afterwards at Queens' and Merton Colleges at Oxford, where he graduated, and later took the degree of Doctor of Divinity. He was ordained in 1777 by Bishop Yorke at Abergwili, and shortly afterwards went out to the East Indies as chaplain on board the flag-ship of Admiral Sir Edward Hughes, K.B. Quitting the Navy, he became chaplain of Fort St George, Madras, a post he retained for nearly twenty years. During his residence at Madras, he studied Persian and wrote various interesting accounts of Indian scenes and places. Returning from Madras a comparatively wealthy man in 1797, he bought the house and estate of Plas Llangoedmore, near Cardigan, where he died in January 1829. He was Rector of Rushall in Wiltshire, prebendary of St. Davids, and Archdeacon of Carmarthen. A monument to himself and his wife (who survived him till 1869) is to be seen in Llangoedmore Church. His only child, Sara, was married in 1825 to Colonel Herbert Vaughan, of the 90th (Perthshire) Light Infantry, second son of John Vaughan-Lloyd of Brynog, Greengrove and Tyllwyd in Cardiganshire.

Some account of Archdeacon Millingchamp is to be found in "A Naval Chaplain of the Eighteenth Century", (United Service Magazine, January 1903); and in "An Indian Chaplain of the Eighteenth Century", in East and West, c. 1905). He was a Persian scholar, and made various translations from Persian literature, all of them being unpublished, with the exception of a small selection from the work of Sadi.

The MSS in Persian are ten in number, and in English seven, the latter including Archdeacon Millingchamp's translations from the Persian (NLW MSS 4391C, 4392D, 4393C, 4394D, 4395B, 4396-7C, 4398B, 4399-400C, 4401D, 4402-3C, 4404B, 4405E, 4406D, 4407C, 4408-9A, 4410B, 4411D, 4412E). The MSS include the works of eminent Persian writers. A Catalogue of them, together with a few other Oriental MSS in the Library prepared by Dr Ethe, will shortly be printed.

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Schedule Available.

#### ELIZA CARMARTHEN

1913010

Ffynhonnell / Source

Rev T Johns, Highbury Hall, Weston-super-Mare

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

The Manuscript Book of "Eliza Carmarthen", late wife of Rev. Thomas Johns, ex-Rector of Llanrug (NLW MS 1234C). The book contains short essays and thoughts on Scriptural and other subjects, two short stories entitled "I wish to be happy", and "The Dying Student"; and a large number of hymns and poems, mostly in English; two poems in English, with a Welsh translation of one of them, by John Williams, the father of "Eliza Carmarthen", and Silhouettes by the late Miss Aldrit, Highbury Hall, Weston-super-Mare, and Mrs Johns.

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#### SOUTH WALES PEDIGREES ETC

1913011

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

A folio MS. containing notes on the arms and pedigrees mostly of Monmouthshire families, and a transcript of the Charter of the town of Usk (NLW MS 1472D). The notes on arms and pedigrees are described as having been transcribed from "a copy of an old MS. supposed to have been written by Piercie Enderbie, author of Cambria Triumphans". Purchased.

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WILLIAM BRITON OR BRETON : VOCABULARIUM BIBLIAE

1913012

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Vocabula Fratris Gulilmi Britonis super totam Bibliam (NLW MS 1478C). Beautifully written on vellum in double columns, on 394 pages, with capitals rubricated, 8vo, oak boards, covered with leather. No fact is known of the author's life, but Bale claims him for a Welshman. His fame rests upon this work. This MS. is contemporary with the author, and was probably written between 1260 and 1300. Purchased.

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Nodiadau

See also NLW MS 3090C.

MISCELLANEOUS LETTERS

1913013

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Wm Williams, of Drim, Fishguard

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

A small group of interesting letters, including an autograph letter which the Countess of Huntingdon wrote to Howel Harris, on the death of his wife, dated April 9th, 1770, a letter from Ebenezer Richard of Tregaron, dated 3rd June 1816 a letter from Thomas Charles of Bala, dated September 12th, 1809, a letter from David Jones, Llangan, 18th July 1804 (NLW MS 1086C); also an original copy of the plan illustrating the invasion of Fishguard in 1797, and a medal struck on the celebration of the centenary of the invasion.

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JAMES HUGHES ('IAGO TRICHRUG')

1913014

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Williams, Brighton House, Aberystwyth

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Letter of Rev. James Hughes, "Iago Trichrug", dated from Deptford, June 1826, and addressed to Mr John Williams, draper, Aberystwyth (NLW MS 3292E). Referring to a proposed visit to "Sasiwn Llangeitho", the writer says, "Pa ffordd i ddyfod, nis gwn. Y ffordd rataf o lawer fyddai dyfod drwy Gaerodor (Bristol), a llefaru ychydig hyd y wlad oddiyno i Langeitho, ond nid oes gennyf fi neb yn y wlad honno drefnu cyhoeddiad, a minnau yn rhy ddieithr i'w drefnu fy hun."

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DIPLOMA OF DOCTOR OF THEOLOGY

1913015

Ffynhonnell / Source

W Fingland, Esq., L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., Liverpool

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Diploma of Doctor in Theology in the University of Pisa, presented to Matthew de Goris, written on four small quarto sheets of vellum, and signed by the Chancellor Franciscus Fallonius, dated November 13, 1648 (NLW MS 774B). An interesting document beautifully written in black, with gold capitals, etc., and the arms of the University emblazoned. Newly bound in calf, gilt.  
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#### BATTAK OR BATTAM MS

1913016

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Joseph Davies, Dynas Powis

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

MS Book in Battak or Batta, the language of Sumatra, probably dealing with magic formulas and ceremonial (NLW MS 10912A). No date, but possibly two centuries old. Written on bark, folded to open lengthwise, with a few small drawings of ornaments, one of which is said to be a charm against the evil eye.

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#### JOHN GIBSON LETTER ETC

1913017

Ffynhonnell / Source

Charles E Breese, Esq., Morfa Lodge, Portmadoc

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Two Letters, in the autograph of John Gibson, the Sculptor, addressed to Mr W A Maddocks of Tremadoc, together with a letter from Mr Gell to Mr Maddocks, relating to the subject of the correspondence (NLW MS 3292E). A copy is included, in Gibson's hand, of a letter written to him from Naples in 1827 by Mr Maddocks (NLW MS 3292E). In this letter, Mr Maddocks gives an account of the foundation of Tremadoc, and says "I am very ambitious of having some marine subject from the chisel of a Welsh Sculptor, and one so eminent as you ... Whatever you design to meet my views ... I shall be happy to give an order for ... Let me inflame your patriotism and do something for Wales and a Welsh Sculptor". Gibson's letters deal enthusiastically with the suggestion, mentioning the erection of a Greek temple, with a statue of Neptune. Mr Gell, whose opinion was recommended by Gibson, writes to Mr Maddocks on the subject of temples. The correspondence was published in the Oswestry Advertiser, February 2, 1881, by the late Mr Edward Breese, who adds - "Mr Maddocks, who was a great patron of Art, and especially of Welsh Art and Artists, did not live to see his great commission executed by John Gibson, for he died in Paris, in 1828, and Gibson presumably never went on with the work. Gibson survived Mr Maddocks nearly forty years, and died at Rome, 27 January, 1866". The value of these letters, so interesting in themselves, is enhanced by the fact that there are such scanty literary remains of the great Welsh sculptor.

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#### A COMMENTARY ON THE QUR'AN

1913018

Ffynhonnell / Source

Present by Emile Andrews, Esq., Cardiff

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Persian MS. "An excellent and highly artistic copy of Husain bin Alf al Awig alkashifi's famous Persian commentary on the auran, styled "Mawahib-i-aliyyah", or "Tafsor-i-Husain", composed

between A.H. 897 and 899 (A.D. 1492-4) (NLW MS 1208D). This copy is dated the 10th of Rabi, c. II, A.H. 989 (A.D. 1581, May 14).

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#### LLANGUNNOR REGISTER

1913019

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Register of Baptisms solemnized with water in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost by Ministers of a Congregation of Dissenting Protestants [Congregationalists] in the Parish of Llangunnor in the County of Carmarthen, 1819-65 (NLW MS 1212E).

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#### CARDIGAN PRINTERS' FILES

1913020

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs M & W R Thomas of the Tivyside Advertiser Office, Cardigan

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Messrs M & W R Thomas of the Tivyside Advertiser Office, Cardigan, have presented the old printer's files of that office for the years 1825-65 (Dept of Printed Books). A printing office is obliged by law to keep a copy of everything printed for a specified time. This is usually done by inserting on a long wire file the MS. copy together with a print when the job is completed.

Unfortunately the practice of periodically destroying the contents of the files is resorted to, as the storage space is usually limited, and after a few years have elapsed there appears to be no further use for the files. The value of portions of the contents of these files as illustrations of the changing conditions of the life of a people cannot be over-estimated, and is well shown by the documents extracted from these Cardigan files.

These include:-

64 Broadside, dealing with the Rebecca Riots, the introduction of the electric telegraph into the district and many other subjects.

69 Bidding Notices. A custom formerly common in connection with weddings in the counties of Carmarthen, Cardigan and Pembroke, but now almost obsolete.

Begging Petitions, (14), setting out the causes which had suddenly reduced the petitioner to a state of distress, and vouched by clergy, ministers, magistrates, etc.

Recantations, (7), withdrawing slanders for the utterance of which actions had been commenced in the Ecclesiastical Court, or in the Court of Great Sessions. These are documents drawn by a lawyer and attested by witnesses.

Election literature, addresses, ballads, etc., for the elections of 1835, 1841, & 1847.

Calendars of prisoners in the House of Correction, 1830-65.

Lists of Persons to serve on Juries for the years 1830-65.

Pynciau, or Catechisms for Sunday Schools, (120) in many cases with the original MSS.

Public notices of Events in Cardigan and district.

Notices of Sales of ships, and Posters of Property Sales.

List of Persons elected as Guardians of the Poor.

Ballads, Marwnadau, etc., etc.

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#### JOSIAH THOMAS JONES MSS

1913021

Ffynhonnell / Source

Aberdare Printers' Files, etc.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The accession of the Cardigan files led to the subsequent acquisition of a somewhat similar, but larger, collection from the printing office of the Aberdare Times. This was secured by a member of the staff, the late Ben Morus, whose premature death is sincerely to be regretted.

The former printer of the Aberdare Times, Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, was well-known as a Minister, author, journalist and printer, who carried on business at Carnarvon, Carmarthen, Cowbridge, and subsequently at Aberdare, where he died in 1873.

The documents, etc., were purchased from his daughter, who has also since died, and include a large number of autograph letters from well-known Welsh literary men and others.

The following is a summary of the collection (NLW MSS 3301-77).

Autograph Letters to Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, from Elijah Waring, Cardiff, May 27, 1839; Rev T E James (T. ab Ieuan), editor of *Christmasia*, &c.; Rev W Rowlands, Vicar of Fishguard; Rev Jason Jenkyns, Vicar of Dursley, co. Gloucester; Rev William Williams (Caledfryn), poet and author; R O Rees, Dolgelley, biographer of "Ieuan Gwynedd", Robert Williams (Trebor Mai), the famous Welsh Englynwr; The very Rev. Ll. Llewelin, LL.D., first principal of St David's College, Lampeter; Rev. D. Lloyd Isaac (Llwyd o Langathen); Rev. Samuel Roberts, (S.R.), Llanbryn-mair, author, critic, and reformer; John Jones (Humilis), Wesleyan minister and author; Henry Richard, M.P.; Richard Fothergill, M.P.; Rev. Evan Jones (Ieuan Gwynedd); Rev. John Davies (Hywel); Vicar of Llandeloy, co. Pembroke, author and editor; H. P. Bowen, Brentwood, Essex, antiquary, and author of the *Religious Annals of Brentwood*, (1st ed., 1862; 2nd ed., 1864), &c; Rev. Wm. Thomas, Whitland, antiquary and author; Rev David Parry, Llywel; William Ellis Jones (Cawrdaf), artist, poet and editor; Rev. Hugh Hughes (Tegai), Aberdare; Rev. Benjamin Williams (Gwynionydd), antiquary and poet; Rev. Lewis Powell, Cardiff; David Johnsua (Caerwynson), a prolific writer, and author of various tracts; Rev. John Davies, Mynydd Bach, Swansea, author and a capable theologian, Rev. Thomas Davis, Llanelly, editor of *Y Diwygiwr*; Sir Wm. Knollys; Sir Hugh Owen; John Coke Fowler, The Gnoll, Neath, author, for several years Stipendiary magistrate of Merthyr district, and afterwards of Swansea; Lady Charlotte Guest; John James, The Welsh Charity School, London, editor of *Y Cymro*; James Davies (Dewi ab Iago), a bard of merit and author of 3 books; Rev. Thomas Rees, D.D., Swansea; Rev. J. Lewis, Henllan, a famous tract-writer; Rev. John Roberts (J.R.) Ruthin, author, hymnologist, &c.; The Right Rev. Alfred Ollivant, D.D., Bishop of Llandaff; Rev. Richard Foulkes-Edwards (Risiart Ddu o Wynedd).

From Rev. Benjamin Jones, Pwllheli (1757-1823), to his cousin, Rev. John Griffiths, of Abergavenny. Mr Jones was author of various works, a capable Greek scholar; and, it is said, while preaching at Llanfyllin, he converted Anne Griffiths, the famous hymn-writer.

MS., containing original englynion and essays in Welsh, written by John Jones (Gwalch), Aberdare (NLW MS 3301C).

MS., containing ballads, hymns, in Welsh and English. Transcribed by Sarah Roberts, circa 1763 (NLW MS 3302A).

MSS, Original Elegies, songs and englynion by leading Aberdare poets, - Rev. D. Onllwyn Brace; [Thomas John Jones] (Cynonwyson); [William Morgan] (Gwilym Gellideg); [Noah Morgan Jones] (Cymro Gwyllt); [William Morgan Williams] (Gwilym Medi); Thomas Evans (Telynog); Howel Williams (Hywel Ddu); Lewis Egryn; [Rev. Wm. Williams] (M. Glan Taf); [William Thomas] (Morfab), &c.

The South Wales Reporter and General Advertiser, a weekly newspaper printed by Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, at Merthyr Tydfil, in 1837 (Dept of Printed Books). (1) Notice of meeting of the Directors (bearing their original signatures). (2) Account of expenditure for printing. Owing to the inconstancy of one of the staff, only 13 numbers were published; the last appeared 27 May, 1837.

Newspaper Prospectuses (Dept of Printed Books). (1) "Carnarvon Heralds"; (2) "Carmarthen Weekly Reporter"; (3) "Y Gweithiwr"; (4) "Y Gwron Cymreig"; (5) "Llanelly Telegraph"; (6) "Merthyr and Cardiff Chronicle"; (7) "Merthyr Telegraph"; (8) "The Aberdare Times"; (9) "Milford Haven and Cardiganshire Times"; (10) Pembroke, Pembroke-Dock, and Milford Haven Times"; (with original

copy and a letter from the proprietor); (11) "Y Twr"; (12) "The Taff Vale Gazette"; (13) "Neath Gazette".

Y Wawr-ddydd (Dept of Printed Books). A Welsh monthly periodical published by Peter Evans, Caernarvon. Only seven numbers appeared, January-July, 1830. Another monthly bearing the same title was issued by Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones at Carmarthen from Jan., 1850 to Dec., 1851.

The Restorer (Dept of Printed Books). A magazine published by the re-organized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, edited by J. W. Briggs, Merthyr Tydfil; and printed at Aberdare by Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, March, 1864 to October 1865.

Memorandum of an Agreement between Rev. Thomas W. Jenkyn, D.D., (1794-1858), Cong. minister at Wem, and afterwards at Rochester, and the Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, for printing "On the Extent of the Atonement, &c.," dated June 26th, 1833". The work was subsequently printed by Mr Jones at Carnarvon in 1833.

Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones. (1) His preaching licence, dated "11th May, 1822"; (2) Official Call (bearing original signatures of elder, deacon, and four members) from the Congregational Church at Keston, co. Pembroke, dated 27th Nov., 1827. (3) A transcript of his ordination certificate, signed by 14 North Wales ministers, and dated 6 August 1828; (4) "Death of the Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones". Re-printed from the Aberdare Times, 1 Feb. 1873, (with original memorial stanzas by "Cynonwyson".

MS. About 200 sermons in English and Welsh, written by Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones.

A Journey from Buckinghamshire to Carnarvon. [Written by "Rebecca Lines", afterwards the wife of Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones]. Re-printed from The Aberdare Times, 29 October 1892. Also a letter from Mr Dan Rhys, Carnarvon, relating to the original document.

A Note Book, containing autographs of the foremost Congregational ministers of North and South Wales during the first half of the last century.

An Agreement (on a sheet of note paper, see illustration), for printing "Adventures of Twm Shon Catti" signed by T. J. Llewelyn Prichard (author), Josiah Thomas Jones (printer), and Edward Williams [Iolo Fardd Glas] as witness. Dated at Cowbridge, 24th April 1839.

Almanacs and Diaries, published in various forms, by Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, at Cowbridge, Carmarthen and Aberdare, 1839-70. A few wanting.

William Ellis Jones (Cawrdaf). - Four interesting and unique songs, &c., on broadsides. (1) "Llanblethian Ghost"; (2) "To the Noble the Marquis of Bute on the Opening of Bute Dock, October 9th, 1839"; (3) "To the Memory of Selina Martha, daughter of the Rev. J. T. Jones, ... who died 28 May, 1837, ..."; "Coffadwriaeth Mrs Anne Price, ... Caerfyrddin, yr hon a fu farw ... Ionawr 5, 1847." The above are not included in the collection of Cawrdaf's works (1851).

100 Ballads, printed by Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, and appertaining to South Wales.

"Gwahoddiad i Adferiad Gwylmabsant Bangor, yr hwn a gyfhelir (sic) gyda Races Mulod, Hela Moch, ac amrywiol Grist'nogol Gampau, o dan noddod Uchel Offeiriadau yn nyddiau Nadolig ... 1841." A picturesque ballad, with wood-cut.

Collection of Broad-sides, including ballads, and matters of political interest, &c.

A Record Book of all volumes, pamphlets, &c., printed by Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, from 1832-62. It is carefully kept, and throws light on many obscure points in bibliographical topics.

An Account Book of "The Merthyr and Cardiff Reporter." It includes (a) autographs of the Shareholders (35 in number); and (b) a list of subscribers &c.  
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## LLEWELYN EDWARDS

1913022

Ffynhonnell / Source

Llewelyn Edwards's Bequest

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The late Rev. Llewelyn Edwards, M.A., who died at Ardwyn, Ruthin, October 1910, bequeathed to the National Library the Welsh portion of his library. Mr Edwards, who was born at Bala, in June 1843, was a son of Principal Lewis Edwards, D.D., and a brother of Rev. Thomas Charles Edwards, D.D., first Principal of the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, (now the County School), was a member of the Committee formed to promote the establishment of the National Library, and took an active part in collecting subscriptions in London and elsewhere towards the Building Fund.

The bequest included 391 volumes making 416 separate publications, and includes many rare and valuable books in Welsh or relating to Wales (Dept of Printed Books). The most important are a copy of the first Welsh New Testament 1567, the Book of Homilies in Welsh 1606, complete copies of the two exceedingly rare Welsh tracts issued in 1630 and 1631 respectively under the title *Carwr y Cymry*; though having the same title the two tracts are different.

Mynegai

## WILLIAMS-WYNN MEMORIAL

1913023

Ffynhonnell / Source

A W Williams Wynn, Esq., D.L., J.P., Coedymaen

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A selection from the library of the late Right Honourable C.W. Williams Wynn, M.P. for Montgomeryshire, 1799-1850. Presented by A. W. Williams Wynn, Esq., D.L., J.P., Coedymaen, Montgomeryshire, 6 June 1911 (Dept of Printed Books).

This collection was presented by Mr A. W. Williams Wynn as a memorial to his grandfather, the Right Hon. C. W. Williams Wynn, second son of Sir Watkin Williams Wynn, fourth baronet of Wynnstay. Born in 1775, he graduated M.A. of Oxford in 1798, and was made D.C.L. in 1810, during the first year of his uncle, Lord Grenville's Chancellorship of the University. Called to the bar in 1798, he was selected a bencher of his Inn in 1835. He was returned to Parliament for Old Sarum in 1797, but resigned to stand for Montgomeryshire, which he represented from 1799 until his death in 1850. He was Under-Secretary of State for the Home Department, 1806-7; president of the Board of Control, with a seat in the Cabinet, 1822-8; sworn of the Privy Council, 1822; Secretary at War in Lord Grey's Administration, 1830-1; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster in the Peel Ministry, 1834-5; and appointed a commissioner to inquire into the state of the dioceses in England and Wales in 1835. He was the first President of the Royal Asiatic Society, and was elected F.S.A. in 1800. He made his friend Southey an allowance of £160 per annum, from 1796 to 1807, when the poet through his influence, obtained a Government pension. Southey's "Madoc" is dedicated to him.

The collection includes some valuable editions of the Chronicles, among them being:-

The Chronicles of Matthew Paris, folio, London, 1684-3-2.

Hollinshed's Chronicles, 2 vols., folio, London, 1587, a fine copy, bound in Russia, with gilt edges.

The Chronicle of Fabian, London, 1559. Handsomely bound in calf, with blind tooling and gilt panel doublures.

Grafton's Chronicle, London, 1569. Bound in calf, elegantly tooled.

Chroniques de Monstrellet, 1572, Paris, 2 volumes in one. A fine copy in crimson morocco, at one time the property of Count Hoym, whose arms are embossed on each cover.

L'Histoire et Chronique de Froissart, 2 vols., Lyons, 1559. A fine copy splendidly bound in bright crimson morocco, elaborately tooled in gold; from the Library of the Marquis de Vieuville, of whom the following note is written inside the book, "The Marquis de Vieuville was attached to the suite of the Cte. d'Harcourt, the Ambassador from the Court of France to Charles 1st. He fought on the King's



side at the battle of Auburne Chase, and was killed there, Sept., 1643. His picture by Vandyk was at Stowe, and was purchased there at the sale in 1848 by the Marquis of Breadalbane".

Polydore Vergil, Basle, 1534. A fine copy in Russia, with gold tooled geometrical design on the cover.

Camden's Britannia, 1603, bound in crimson morocco, with heraldic design.

Edward Halle's Union of the Two Noble and illustre families of Lancaster and York, &c., printed by Richard Grafton, London, 1550; title supplied in facsimile but containing at the end the woodcut of Henry VIII, seated upon the throne surrounded by his Council.

Milton's Paradise Lost, Bentley's edition, London, 1732.

Original Letters [i.e. Paston letters], Ed. Fenn, London, 1787, 5 vols.

Urry's Works of Geoffrey Chaucer, &c., folio, London, 1721.

Meyricks' Critical Inquiry into Antient Armour, &c., By Joseph Skelton, F.S.A., 2 vols, London, 1830.

Selections of the Antient Costume of Great Britain and Ireland, from the seventh to sixteenth century, &c. By Charles Hamilton Smith, London, 1814.

The Costume of the original Inhabitants of the British Islands, &c. By Sir Samuel Rush Meyrick and Charles Hamilton Smith. London, 1821.

Choix de Costumes civils et militaires des Peuples de l'Antiquite, &c. By N. H. Willemin, folio, 2 vols in one, Paris, 1798.

Among other books included in the 103 volumes forming the collection are the following:-

Life of Robert, Lord Clive, by Sir John Malcolm, 3 vols, 1836. A copy presented to the Right Hon. C.W. Williams-Wynn "with Lord Powis's compliments".

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#### A COLLECTION OF BALLADS

1913024

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J D Lewis' Collection of Ballads

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

A Collection of Ballads, etc., made by Mr J. D. Lewis, Llandyssul, awarded the prize at the Carmarthen Eisteddfod, 1911 (Dept of Printed Books). Presented by the Eisteddfod Committee with the consent of Mr J. D. Lewis, bound in ¼ vol., containing 729 Ballads, Broad-sides and Elegies, including Ballads by the following:- David Jones, Llanybyther (40); "Ywain Meirion" (19); Richard Williams, "Bardd Gwagedd" (19); Levi Gibbon (17); David Davies, "Dai'r Cantwr" (9); Stephen Jones, Llanfairyw (8); Abel Jones, "Bardd Crwst" (6); "Ellis y Cowper", "Twm o'r Nant", Rhys Jones "Ammon"; "Carl Morganwg", Ifan Dafydd o'r Llan Newydd; J. Jones "Glanygors"; Evan Powell, Llanfyrnach; Cymro bach Cilgerran, "Daniel Ddu o Geredigion"; "Cerngoch", etc.

Different editions of well-known ballads, viz.:- "Can y Blotyn Du", 9; "Can y Bachgen Main", 6; "Can y Mochyn Du", 6; "Myfyrdod ar y Cloc yn taro", 7; "Can Morgan Bach yn myn'd i Awstralia", 7; "Can Morgan Bach yn dychwelyd o Awstralia", 6; "Hen wlad fy Nhadau", 7; "Yr Eneth ga'dd ei gwrthod", 6; "Y Bachgen a foddodd yn ymyl y lan", 4; "Sospan Fach", 2.

The Ballads were printed in 30 different towns throughout Wales by 45 different printers. The following is a rough subject-classification:- Accidents and Explosions, 28; Elegies, 64; Love Songs, 102; Murders, 64; Religious, 96; War Songs, 12; General, 363.

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#### NEW TESTAMENT AND EDMUND PRYS'S PSALMS IN WELSH

1913025

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

One of the most interesting purchases is a hitherto unrecorded edition of the New Testament and Edmund Prys's Psalms in Welsh (Dept of Printed Books). The description of this volume is as follows: Testament Newydd ein Harglwydd a'n Hiachawdr Jesu Grist. Rhvf. 1. 16. Nid oes arnaf gywilydd o Efengyl Christ, oblegid gallu Duw yw hi, er Iechydwriaeth i bob un a'r sydd yn credu. Woodcut - [

Rose, thistle, fleur-de-lis, and harp, each crowned]. Printiedig yn Llundain gan Matthew Symmons yml y llew Goreurog yn heol Alders-gat. 1646.

Collation:-Title [a1] verso blank, Text N.T. a2, a to kk in 12s. pp. [2] 820 = 822. pp. 533-56 wanting. 150 x 80 mm.

Separate title. Llyfr y Psalmau, wedi ev Cyfiethu, a'i cyfansoddi ar fesur cerdd, yn Gymraeg. Drwy waith Edmund Prys, Archdiacon Meirionnydd. [Woodcut - ornament] a'i Printio yn Llundain, 1648.

Collation: Title [a 1] verso blank, Y Llythyrenuau, etc., a 2. At y Darlleydd ystyriol, a 3. Te deum and other canticles, a 4-9. Text of Psalms a 9 verso to m 8. Tabl, m 9-11 recto, verso and m 12 blank. Folios 8 + 134 + 4 = 292 pp., folios a 7-8 wanting. 150 x 80 mm.

A 7 verso is paged 1, then follows 2-134 in folios, some incorrectly numbered but total correct.

The discovery of this little volume throws some fresh light upon the bibliography of the early editions of the scriptures in Welsh.

Two issues of a Welsh Testament dated 1647, corresponding in most respects to this were known, but that the same N.T. was issued with a title-page bearing date 1646 was hitherto not known.

There is fairly sound evidence of a further issue of the same N.T. in 1654 with Prys's Psalms at the end, but so far no copy has come to light in recent years, though one was seen and described many years ago.

The copy now being described has the Psalms at the end, but with the date 1648, two years later than the N.T. with which it is bound. This copy is in the original binding, and there are other evidences that the Psalms was intended to accompany this edition of the N.T. No other copy of this issue of the Psalms is known.

The facts which are revealed may be briefly summarised, viz.:

The N.T. of 1647 was also issued bearing the date 1646 with Prys's Psalms, dated 1648.

The statement that the lost 1654 N.T. contained Prys's Psalms at the end is confirmed, and also the surmise (see Bible in Wales, p. 32) that it corresponded with the N.T. of 1647.

The pagination of the N.T. as given in Revue Celtique, vol. 1, p. 377, for both the N.T. and the Psalms corresponds with the copy now under notice, except that the collation as there given omits the un-numbered leaves, and the Psalms is given as 134 pp. instead of 134 folios = 268 pp.

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#### JOHN WILLIAMS, STOCKTON ON TEES

1913026

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Thomas Williams of Hartlepool, and Mr Lucas Williams, of Brentford

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Mr Thomas Williams of Hartlepool, and Mr Lucas Williams, of Brentford, have presented the Welsh Books from the library of their late father, Mr John Williams of Stockton on Tees, 110 volumes, all in a splendid condition and most of them handsomely bound (Dept of Printed Books). The books are presented to the National Library on the suggestion of Mr Edward Jenkins, J.P., of Llandrindod Wells. They are a valuable addition to the library.

Mynegai

#### R KENRICK

1913027

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R Kenrick, Aberystwyth

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Mr R Kenrick, of Aberystwyth, has made further gifts, selected from his library by a member of the National Library staff (NLW MSS 8102-10). The total of his gifts is about 450 vols.

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MISS LLOYD, ABERYSTWYTH

1913028

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Lloyd, Victoria House, Aberystwyth

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Miss Lloyd, Victoria House, Aberystwyth has given 71 vols.

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MRS LEWIS, ABERYSTWYTH

1913029

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Lewis, Aberystwyth

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Mrs Lewis, Hazlewood, Trinity Road, Aberystwyth, - 56 vols.

Mynegai

MR & MRS T JONES, Y BARRI

1913030

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr and Mrs Thos Jones, Anwylfan, Barry

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Mr and Mrs Thos. Jones, Anwylfan, Barry, - 92 vols.

Mynegai

G EYRE EVANS

1913031

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Rev G Eyre Evans

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Rev. Geo. Eyre Evans, in addition to a large number of individual books, etc. has presented the following sets (Dept of Printed Books). The Inquirer, 1842-1911, 68 vols. The Unitarian Herald, 1861-77, 16 vols. The Monthly Repository, 29 vols. The Christian Reformer, 49 vols. The Hibbert Lectures, 13 vols. Mr Evans has also made several contributions to the Prints and Drawings department, including a collection of brass rubbings (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

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BIBLIA POLYGLOTTA WALTONI

1913032

Ffynhonnell / Source

E P Jelf - Revely, Esq., Bryn y Gwin, Dolgelley

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Biblia Polyglotta Waltoni, 6 vols, London, 1657 (Dept of Printed Books). A perfect copy in fine condition, which formerly belonged to the Douay College, having been presented by the celebrated Jesuit, Dr George Leybourne, in 1668.

Mynegai

UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

1913033

Ffynhonnell / Source

The American Department of the Interior

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

The American Department of the Interior has granted a set of all available publications of the United States Geological Survey, including Annual Reports, Bulletins, Monographs, Professional Papers and Water Supply Papers, comprising over 380 publications (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

PIERPONT MORGAN

1913034

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Pierpont Morgan through Dr Williamson

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Catalogue of Miniatures in the collection of the late Mr J. Pierpont Morgan, 4 vols, folio, and Catalogue of Jewels, in the same collection, 1 vol., folio, both catalogues compiled by Dr G C Williamson (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

'CHRISTIANITY IN EARLY BRITAIN'

1913035

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Hugh Williams

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Christianity in Early Britain, by the late Professor Hugh Williams, M.A., D.D. "Presented to the National Library of Wales in Memory of the Author, Bala, 4 July 1912" (NLW MSS 1301-2D). Professor Hugh Williams was a member of the first Court of Governors of the National Library.

Mynegai

LORD MERTHYR

1913036

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lord Merthyr

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Historical Notes of the City of Cardiff and other places of interest visited by Their Majesties King George V and Queen Mary, June 1912 (Dept of Printed Books). Privately printed for the use of Their Majesties.  
Mynegai

LORD MERTHYR

1913037

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lord Merthyr

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

'Notes relating to some places included in the Royal Visit to Cardiff of Their Majesties King George V and Queen Mary, 27 June, 1912.' (Dept of Printed Books). Privately printed for the use of Their Majesties.

Mynegai

ROXBURGHE CLUB

1913038

Ffynhonnell / Source

His Grace the Duke of Devonshire

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

The Benedictional of St Aethelwold, Bishop of Winchester, 963-84, reproduced in facsimile from the MS. in the library of the Duke of Devonshire at Chatsworth, and edited with text and introduction by Sir George Frederick Warner, D.Litt., etc, and Henry Austin Wilson, M.A., Oxford (Dept of Printed Books). Privately printed for presentation to members of the Roxburghe Club, 1910.

Mynegai

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ROYAL MEDICAL SOCIETY

1913039

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Y W Macalister

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

A complete set to date of the Proceedings of the Royal Medical Society, from the Secretary, Mr J.Y.W. MacAlister, F.S.A. (Dept of Printed Books)

Mynegai

NOVA LYRA CHORALES ALIAS MANUALE....

1913040

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Hon Mrs Bulkeley-Owen

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Nova Lyra Choraes alias Manuale, etc., Venice, 1665. Italian binding of ribbed silk covered with elaborate needlework decorations worked in coloured silks, silver wire, etc. Presented by the Hon. Mrs Bulkeley-Owen, who purchased it at Taormina, 1913.

Mynegai

JOSSELYN (JOHN), NEW ENGLAND'S RARITIES DISCOVERED

1913041

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Trafford Owen, Blackburn

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Josselyn (John), New England's Rarities discovered, in Birds, Beasts, Fishes, Serpents and Plants of that Country, 1672 (Dept of Pictures and Maps). 12mo, woodcuts, in original Sheep binding.

Mynegai

WOOD'S ROYAL ALMANAC

1913042

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Conway Davies, Llanelly

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Wood's Royal Almanac, 1846, possibly the smallest book ever printed (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

PEMBROKESHIRE FOXHOUNDS

1913043

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr F D Phillips, Haverfordwest

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

General disbursement account of the Pembrokeshire Foxhounds 1816-19, and Freights on different classes of goods sent to Haverfordwest from Bristol and elsewhere by ship, an interesting record of freights immediately preceding the railway era.

Mynegai

SAMUEL JONES, ABERYSTWYTH

1913044

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Coffadwriaeth y cyfawn, neu Farwnad a gyfansoddwyd ar yr achlysur o farwolaeth y Parch. William Jones, yn diweddar Gweinidog yr Eglwys; Independiadd yn pen y stryd Trawsfynydd, a Maentwrog. Yr hwn a fu farw Hydref 31st, 1820, yn 60th, flwyddyn o'oedran. "A'r doethion a ddysgleiriant fel y geirdeb y ffurfafen; a'r hai a droant lawer gyfiawnder a fy ddant fel y ser byth yn dragywydd." Gan Samuel Jones Aberystwyth (Dept of Printed Books). Argraphwyd gan G Careswell, (Gwreth Ceiniog). Purchased.

Mynegai

ENGRAVED MAPS

1913045

Ffynhonnell / Source

Joseph Davies, Esq., Dynas Powis

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

A Series of Engraved Maps, "The Road from the New Port of Milford to the New Passage of the Severn, and Gloucester. Survey'd in the year 1790, by C. Hassall of Eastwood, Pembrokeshire, and J. Williams, of Margam, Glamorganshire, by order of the South Wales Association for the improvement of roads, and published for them by J. Cary, engraver and mapseller, Strand, London, 1st Oct., 1792." (Dept of Pictures and Maps)

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ELLIS WYNN : GWELEDIGAETHEU Y BARDD CWSC

1913046

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Ellis Wynn. Gweledigaethu y Bardd Cwsc. Y Rhan Cyntaf (Dept of Printed Books). [Woodcut]. Argraphwyd yn y Flwyddyn 1728, 144 pp., duodecimo. Hitherto unrecorded, 2nd edition of Part I. (first issue, London, E. Powell, 1703), without place or name of printer. Wanting 3 11., pp. 59-62 and 143-4. Purchased.

Mynegai

YCHYDIG YMHOLIADEU YNGHYLCH CREDU....

1913047

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Ychydig Ymholiadeu ynghylch Credu a'r Petheu sydd iw Credu. Gan Ewyllyssiwr Da i bob Enaid Dyn ... Printiedig yng Nghaerfyrddin: Gan John Breden (Dept of Printed Books). (see illustration).: pp. 40, one leaf pp. 37-8, wanting. Hitherto unrecorded, and so far the only recorded example with the imprint of John Breden. No date, but probably between 1725-30. A note at the end states that this Catechism is on sale by Nicholas Thomas at Carmarthen. Purchased.

Mynegai

LLYTHYR ODDIWRTH GYMMANFA O WEINIDOGION.....

1913048

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Llythyr oddiwrth Gymmanfa o Weinidogion a gyfarfuant yn y Bala, ... Mai 29 a'r 30, 1793. At Eglwys yr Ymneilltuwyr Protestanaidd yn Nghynmru, ... Independiaid. Trefecca ... 1793 (Dept of Printed Books). Purchased

Mynegai

ARFOGAETH Y GWIR GRISTION....

1913049

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Arfogaeth y Gwir Gristion ... Trefecca ... 1794 (Dept of Printed Books). Purchased.  
Mynegai

SYLWADAU AR BREGETHAU, CANU ETC...

1913050

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Sylwadau ar Bregethu, Canu, etc. Aberystwyth, ... Samuel Williams, 1813 (Dept of Printed Books). 12 pp. Purchased.

Mynegai

RHAI HYMNAU NEWYDDION AR FESURAU NEWYDDION....

1913051

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Rhai Hymnau newyddion ar fesurau newyddion: A Gyfansoddwyd ar Gais Cynlleiddfaoedd Sir Aberteifi a Sir Gaerfyrddin (Dept of Printed Books). Gan W Williams. [At end] Argraphwyd yn Aberhonddu, gan E. Evans, 1781. 12 pages. Purchased.

Mynegai

LLYTHYR O ANNERCH AT IEUENGCTYD CYMRU

1913052

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Llythyr o annerch at Ieuengctyd Cymru ... gan Ioan Thomas: ... Trefecca. 1777 (Dept of Printed Books). Purchased.

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MARWNAD NEU DDUWIOL GOFFADWRIAETH....

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1913053

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Marwnad neu Dduwiol Goffadwriaeth am y Parchedig Edmund Jones, ... gan Rees Lloyd ... ynghyd â Phregeth o eiddo y Parch. E Jones, yn dangos Mawr fudd Duwioldeb. Trefecca ... 1794 (Dept of Printed Books). 12 pp. Purchased.

Mynegai

LLYTHYR YNGHYLCH GWRANDO PREGETHAU

1913054

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Llythyr ynghylch gwrando pregethau. A Scrifenwyd yn Saesonaeg, gan Omicron, ac y nawr a Gyfieuthwyd ir Gymraeg. At ba un y Chwanegwyd ychydig Hymnau, gan W Jones. Abertawe,



Argaphwyd gan Dan Evans (Dept of Printed Books). N.D. 22 pp. pp. 17-18 and ? 23-4 wanting.  
Purchased.  
Mynegai

ELEGIA, NEU FYFYRDODAU.....

1913055

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Elegia, neu Fyfyrdodau, ar Farwolaeth Mary Thomas o Dre Castell yn Sir Forganwg. Yr hon a orphennodd ei Gyrfa y 27 Ragfyr, 1784, yn y 33 o'i hoedran. Gan Thomas William ... Trefecca: 1785 (Dept of Printed Books). 12 pp. Purchased.

Mynegai

SYLWAD BYRR AR Y POPYRUN....

1913056

Ffynhonnell / Source

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Sylwiad byrr ar y Popyrun a ddaeth allan yn ddiweddar, dan yr Enw Un-geiniog-werth o wirionedd; mewn annerchiad gan Tomas ap Siencyn i'w frawd Sion. Amcan a diben pa un ydoedd, Ceisio drwg-liwio'r Ymneillduwyr yngolwg y Werin anwybodus, 1793 (Dept of Printed Books). No place or printer's name. pp. 8 (2 blank). Purchased. (see illustration).

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DARLUNIAD GRAS, A SERCHIADAU NATUR;....

1913057

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Darluniad Gras, a Serchiadau Natur; ... galar a hiraeth ... Mrs Margaret Lloyd, gwraig Mr William Lloyd, Pregethwr yr Efengyl, ... at ba un y chwanegwyd, rhai gwersi ar Farwolaeth John Evans, Pregethwr yr Efengyl, ... a rhai gwersi ar Farwolaeth William John, o Llywele-Mawr, Pregethwr yr Efengyl, ... Gan William Williams. Aberhonddu: ... Wm. a Geo. North ... Yr ail argarffiad. [1785] (Dept of Printed Books). 12 pp. Purchased.

Mynegai

CORON GOGONIAN TTAG'WYDDOL....

1913058

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Coron Gogoniant traggwyddol i'w dewis o flaen Holl olud y byd hwn ... Pregeth angladd ... Selina Countess of Huntingdon, ... Gan y Parchedig T[imothy] Priestley, ... a gyhoeddwyd gan ddymuniad, ac a gyfieithwyd gan Edward Barnes ... Machynlleth, 1791 (Dept of Printed Books). Purchased.

Mynegai

HANES BYRRO FASNACH Y CAETHGLUD YN AFRICA....

1913059

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Hanes Byrro fasnach y Caethglud yn Africa, neu'r Slave Trade ... Cyfieithiwyd gan Edward Barnes. Gwrecsam, argraphwyd gan A. Hughes (Dept of Printed Books). N.D. 1793 circa. pp. 16. Purchased. Mynegai

#### SIR JOHN FROISSART'S CHRONICLES

1913060

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Sir John Froissart's Chronicles .. newly translated ... by Thomas Johnes . At the Hafod Press, by James Henderson, 1803-5 (Dept of Printed Books), 4 volumes, folio, large paper, with duplicate set of the plates coloured. Green morocco. Supplement to volume IV, (dated 1810). "Memoirs of the Life of Sir John Froissart, etc."; Additions and corrections; Index. Purchased. Mynegai

#### THE CHRONICLES OF ENGUERRAND DE MONSTRELLET

1913061

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Chronicles of Enguerrand de Monstrellet ... translated by Thomas Johnes ... At the Hafod Press, by James Henderson, 1809 (Dept of Printed Books), 4 volumes, folio, large paper, with the plates coloured. Half green morocco, with Supplement to Vol. IV (Index.) Purchased. Mynegai

#### L'OFFICE ET AUCTHORITE DE IUSTICES DE PEACE....

1913062

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

L' Office et auctorite de Iustices de peace, in part collect per le iades tres reuerend Judge Monsieur A Fitzherbert, etc. .... 1583 (Dept of Printed Books). Imprinted at London by Richarde Tottill. This copy belonged to Geo. Owen of Henllys, the Pembrokeshire historian. In addition to his autograph written at the foot of the title-page, there are marginal notes in his hand, and a rhymed summary of "The Eight pointes of the othe of a justice of the peace in verse", in Geo. Owen's beautiful penmanship. The initials G.O. are embossed on each cover. A very interesting example. Purchased. Mynegai

#### PEMBROKESHIRE MAPS ETC

1913063

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Pembrokeshire Maps, etc. (Dept of Pictures and Maps). About 140 plans of houses, farms, parishes, etc., and 52 volumes, containing measurements, valuations, surveys, tithes apportionments of Pembrokeshire parishes 1826-40, Court Leet Rolls of the manor of Caerston, 1739-1830, and of the manor of Catellbeg of Brith 1784-1824, etc. Purchased.

Mynegai

#### MISCELLANEOUS LETTERS

1913064

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John Thomas, Dr Bonsall and Mr Jack Edwards

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

MS. Letters of notable Welsh poetical and other writers, historians, divines, etc. (NLW MSS 3291-4E). Several hundreds from various sources in addition to those otherwise enumerated in this report, including letters of Daniel Owen, the novelist, (presented by Mr John Thomas, Great Darkgate Street); John Gibson, the sculptor (purchased); two of Robert Owen, social reformer (purchased); J Milo Griffith, the sculptor (purchased); Rev Thomas Charles (purchased); Bishop Burgess (purchased); Joseph Hughes, Sec. of the British and Foreign Bible Society (purchased); nearly 100 letters of Rev. J. Kilsby Jones (purchased); Dr William Davies of the Frood Vale Academy (purchased); two of Elijah Waring relating to Iolo Morganwg (purchased); Rev. H Hughes, Rector of Llanfairfechan, 1749, to the SPCK asking for Bibles (purchased); Sir Astley Cooper to Richard Williams, Surgeon, Aberystwyth (presented by Dr Bonsall); John Frost the Monmouthshire Chartist, dated Bristol, 1862 (purchased); and many others including gifts from Mr Jack Edwards, Aberystwyth, the late Mr D M Richards, Aberdare, Rev Geo. Eyre Evans, Aberystwyth, and others.

Mynegai

#### BROADSIDE

1913065

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Jones-Parry, Ty-Llwyd, Beulah

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Broadside with coloured illustration, printed at Cardigan, "Dammeg y Gwr Goludog a Lazarus y Cardottyn" (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

#### REBECCA LETTERS

1913066

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Jones-Parry, Ty Llwyd, Beulah, Cardiganshire

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Rebecca Letters. Original letter (in Welsh signed "Rebecca" to Rev. Mr Hughes, Vicar of Penbryn, Cardiganshire, dated from "Penyrherber", Mehefin 16, 1843, relating to tithe and other matters, and bearing the post marks Newcastle Emlyn and Cardigan, June 22, 1843 (NLW MS 3294E) (see illustration).

Mynegai

#### LETTER TO CHARLES MORGAN, HAVODNEATHIN

1913067

Ffynhonnell / Source

Rev C A H Green, D.D., Aberdare

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Transcript of a Letter (in English) to Charles Morgan, Esq., "Havodneathin", Carmarthenshire, dated from "Rebecca's Cottage", Nov. 7th, 1843, relating to dealings in timber (NLW MS 3294E).

Mynegai

ARCHBISHOP GREEN MSS

1913068

Ffynhonnell / Source

C A H Green

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Documents relating to the family of Richard Thomas Howell, Bryncaerau, Llanelly (NLW MSS 4838-9F).

Mynegai

ARCHBISHOP GREEN MSS

1913069

Ffynhonnell / Source

Rev C A H Green, M.A., D.D., Aberdare

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Documents relating to the families of George Wade Green, Court Henry, and Richard Thomas Howell, Bryncaerau, Llanelly (NLW MSS 4840E, 4841C).

Mynegai

SERMON BY JOHN ELIAS

1913070

Ffynhonnell / Source

Right Hon J Herbert Lewis, M.P.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

MS Notes of Sermon by Rev. John Elias, Hebrews XII, 14, dated Gorphenaf 8, 1835 (NLW MS 771A).

Mynegai

JOHN M MACDONALD

1913071

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John M Macdonald, Farnham

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Set of the Economic Journal, 22 vols, The Library Association Record, 14 vols, The Library, 10 vols, Library Association Year Books for 1891 to 1893, 1895, 1899 to 1905, 1907 and 1909 (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

DAVID EVAN, PEMBROKE DOCK

1913072

Ffynhonnell / Source

Rev Wm Evans, M.A., Pembroke Dock

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume, formerly the property of David Evan, great grandfather of Rev. Wm. Evans, M.A., of Pembroke Dock, containing:

1. Aurora Borealis, etc., gan William Williams. Aberhonddu, 1774. 24 pp.
2. Diferyn Dewisol o fel o'r Graig Crist. Pontypool, 1740. ii, 32 pp.
3. Y Gyfraith a roddwyd allan o Zion, etc., gan Elisha Beadles. Mwythig: T Durston, N.D. [1715]. 20 pp.
4. Llais y Durtur ... Pregeth a bregethwyd yn Llanddewi, Tach. 1, 1761, gan ... D. Rowland ... Argraphwyd yn Nghaerfyrddin tros T Davies, gan Rhys Tomas, yn Heol Awst, 1762. 20 pp.
5. Hymnau Newyddion, nad oedd yn un o'r ddau argraphiad cyntaf. Caerfyrddin, J. Ross. 12 pp. [157-68]. Part of Wm. Williams's "Caniadau, y rhai sydd ar y Mor o Wydr".
6. Casgliad o Hymnau ... gan Morgan Rhys ... Caerfyrddin ... Rhys Tomas. 1760. 24 pp.
7. Golwg y Ffyddlonjaid ar Degwch a Gogoniant Jesu Grist ... gan Dafydd William ... Caerfyrddin ... Rhys Tomas. 1756. 8 pp.
8. Aleluia, etc. Gan Wm. Williams. Part II. Bristol, F. Farley. 1745.
9. Aleluia. Gan Wm. Williams. Part III. Bristol, F. Farley. 1745.
10. Hymnau Duwiol, etc., gan Daniel Rowland [and others]. Bristol, F. Farley, 1744. Wants title and after p. 68.
11. Cynhwysiad byr o Feddyliau'r Eglwys a ymgorpholodd dan y drefn hon yn Sir Fonwy ... Bala, John Rowland. [1756]. 16 pp.
12. Nodau'r Enedigaeth newydd. Pregeth ... gan Geo. Whitefield ... Bristol, S & F. Farley. 1739. 24 pp.
13. Anghenrheidrwydd a natur o'n Genedigaeth Newydd yng Nghrist Jesu, ... Pregeth ... gan Geo. Whitefield. Bristol, S & F. Farley. 1739. 30 pp.
14. Atteb y Parchedig Mr Whitefield i Lythyr Bugeiliaidd diweddaf Esgob Llundain. Pontypool ... 1740. 24 pp.

Mynegai

COLLECTION OF POETRY

1913073

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Collection of poetry by Edward Morris o'r Perthi Llwydion; Thos Prys; Owen Gwynedd; Sion Tydur; John ap Richard; Richard Myddleton; William Llyn; Edmund Prys; Ellis Rowland; Morus ap Robert; Shon Philip; Edward Samwel; John Rhydderch; Ellis Cadwalader; Dafydd Jones o Drefriw, etc., mostly North Wales bards and written by [or for] Gabriel Salusbury, the date 1736 occurs in one place (NLW MS 783B). Purchased.

Mynegai

TYTHES OF EFENECHTYD

1913074

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Tythes of Efenechtyd, 1800. Contains also some sermons in Welsh. Preached at Efenechtyd by the Vicar, Sept. 7, 1817, and at Llangynhafal, 1822 (NLW MS 871B). Purchased.  
Mynegai

#### GLEBE LANDS OF THE RECTORY OF PETERSTONE

1913075

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Glebe Lands of the Rectory of Peterstone and the tithes of corn and grain in the Parishes of Peterstone, Marshfield, St Mellons and Rumney, also Chief Rents payable to the Rectorial Manor of Peterstone (NLW MS 792B). N.D. Purchased.

Mynegai

#### CYWYDD Y DRINDOD

1913076

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Cywydd y Drindod, by Dd. Richards, "Dafydd Ionawr", 1793, annotated and corrected by him for the 2nd edition (NLW MSS 2728C, 2729-31B, 2732C, 2733B, 2734E). Purchased.

Mynegai

#### DAVID SAUNDERS

1913077

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

MS Poetry, by David Saunders, Baptist Minister, Undergrove, Lampeter, afterwards Merthyr (NLW MS 3260B). Purchased.

Mynegai

#### CARMARTHENSHIRE DOCUMENTS

1913078

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Deeds relating to purchase of Lands in the Parish of Llanfihangel Rhos y corn, co. Carmarthen, and property in Dame Street in the town of Carmarthen (Miscellaneous Deeds, Carmarthenshire). Some of the Deeds are interesting as they are signed by Erasmus Lewis, Abercothi, 1722 - a friend of Pope, Swift, Arbuthnot, etc., and others signed by Robert Dyer, of Abergavenny, the father of John Dyer, the poet; copies of Wills of Carmarthenshire people, and other materials for local history, and a bundle of papers dealing with the lighting and paving of Carmarthen Town, 1820-40. Purchased.

Mynegai

Nodiadau

Schedule Available, Miscellaneous 1.

#### POLITICAL WORK OF LORD RENDEL

1913079

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr F E Hamer, Manchester  
Blwyddyn / Year  
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Disgrifiad / Description  
Lord Rendel Papers (NLW MS 1336D). Letters and notes by the late Lord Rendel, dealing with education in Wales and similar subjects.  
Mynegai

MERIONETHSHIRE REFORM ASSOCIATION  
1913080  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr R Foulkes Jones, Llwyngwritl  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13  
Disgrifiad / Description  
Minute Book of the Merioneth Reform Association, 1859 (NLW MS 787B).  
Mynegai

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE JUBILEE FUND  
1913081  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Mr Edward Owen, F.S.A.  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13  
Disgrifiad / Description  
The Imperial Institute Fund 1887 (NLW MS 881B). Jubilee subscription list for the county and borough of Brecon.  
Mynegai

LEMUEL HOPKIN JAMES  
1913082  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Rev Lemuel Hopkin James, M.A., Ystrad Mynach  
Blwyddyn / Year  
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Disgrifiad / Description  
MS. Materials for "Hen Gwndidau"; and about 160 books and pamphlets (Dept of Printed Books).  
Mynegai

LLANGWM CHURCH BOOK  
1913083  
Ffynhonnell / Source  
Dr Jones, Llanrhaiadr  
Blwyddyn / Year  
Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13  
Disgrifiad / Description  
Church Book of Llangwm, Merionethshire (NLW MS 882A).  
Mynegai

DARWINISM

1913084

Ffynhonnell / Source

Frau von Hartmann, Berlin.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

MS. Wahrheit und Irrthum im Darwinismus von Eduard von Hartmann (NLW MS 762B).

Mynegai

MERLINI COCAII POETAE ETC

1913085

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Ernest Rhys

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Merlini Cocaii Poetae, poems with original sonnets by Helen Maria Williams, Howell's Medulla Historiae Anglicanae, London, 1681, Modern Poems, Foulis Press, 1776, and Poems, moral, elegant and pathetic, London, 1796 (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

JOHN DAVIES MSS

1913086

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John Davies, National Library

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

MS Transcripts of Parish Registers - Lampeter 1695-1745, Cellan 1773-1812, Llanddewibrefi 1770-1812 (NLW MSS 704-7B). MS Barddoniaeth - Evan Lewis, 1798-1840 (NLW MS 709B). MS. Barddoniaeth - John Jones, Penrhywliod, 1830-50. MS. Bibliography of James Owen (NLW MS 710E). MS. Bidding Account, Llandyssul, 1803 (NLW MS 703A). MS. Preachers at Rhydybont from Jan. 6, 1833 to Aug. 21 1836.

Mynegai

MARWNADAU

1913087

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Marwnadau gan Mary Owen, Llanwnda, Pencaer Llangloffan, swydd Benfro.

(1) I'r diweddar Barch. Simon James, 1827. J. Evans, Caerfyrddin. 4 pp.

(2) I James Meyler, Gweinidog yr Efengyl. 1825. E. Jones, Cardigan. 4 pp.

(3) I'r Parch. Henry Dafydd, Gweinidog Llangloffan. E. Jones, Cardigan. 8 pp. Purchased.

Mynegai

EARLY HAVERFORDWEST BOOK

1913088

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Early Haverfordwest Book. Coffadwriaeth y Cyfiawn sef Marwnad ar Farwolaeth y Parch Titus Lewis, o Gaerfyrddin, yr hwn a hyunodd yn yr Arglwydd, Ebrill 30, 1811. Gan Joseph James ... Hwlffordd: Argraphwyd gan James Thomas. 1811 (Dept of Printed Books). 8 pp. Purchased.  
Mynegai

MALLUM AND INGLE

1913089

Ffynhonnell / Source

Rev. Geo. Eyre Evans, Ty Tringad

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Mallum and Ingle MSS, 1754-1836. A series of Letters and other documents relating to the family of "Mallum", Cyder Makers, of the parish of Speen, Berkshire, and Ingle, Carpenter, Joiner and Undertaker, Southwark, London (NLW MS 1217E). Several letters from Newtown, Mont.

Mynegai

ST CLEARS

1913090

Ffynhonnell / Source

Rev George Eyre Evans, Ty Tringad

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Reference to the Map of the Manor, Town, Borough and Liberty of Saint Clears, in the county of Carmarthen, 1810 (NLW MS 1218E). Gives the names of all the householders and tenants in that year, with names of the farms and their acreage and rents.

Mynegai

CLARACH ASSESSMENT BOOK & LLANFIHANGEL GENAU'R-GLYN RATE BOOK

1913091

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Williams, Pantmawr

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Assessment book of Clarach, 1826-35 (NLW MS 4435B). Rate Book of Llanfihangel Genau'r Glyn, 1829-37 (NLW MS 1225D).

Mynegai

DISBURSEMENTS OF BRYN DINAS MINES

1913092

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Disbursements of Bryn Dinas Mines, 1752-62 (NLW MS 1224D). Gives an account of labour and wages in 1752; also some account of moneys paid to carpenters, blacksmiths, etc. for work done - miners 1s. 2d. per day, labourers 9d. per day, 7 doz. candles £1 2s. Purchased.

Mynegai

#### ALTHORP MEMOIRS

1913093

Ffynhonnell / Source

Right Hon Earl Spencer

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Althorp Memoirs, printed for private circulation, 1869, containing an account of Lucy Walter or Barlow, the mother of the Duke of Monmouth, and the pretended wife of Charles II (Dept of Printed Books). Lucy Walter was born at Roch Castle, near Haverfordwest, about 1630.

Mynegai

#### NELSON'S FAMILY BIBLE

1913094

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Gobert, Bridge Street, Aberystwyth

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Nelson's Family Bible, London, 1758, folio, with manuscript entries pertaining to a Cardiganshire family named Morgan, 1786-1820 on fly-leaf. Book of Common Prayer, &c., London, 1751, folio, with name of Thomas Jones, Abermaide, on cover.

Mynegai

#### POEMS BY THE BLIND POETESS

1913095

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr D C Lloyd Owen, Birmingham

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Poems by the Blind Poetess, Mrs E. Crebar. Aberystwyth: R & H. Slater, 1821 (Dept of Printed Books). A copy of this "second edition, corrected and improved". Elizabeth Crebar was the daughter of Lewis Morris, and was born at Galltvadog, 17 July 1759. It is surmised that she married a son of the William Crebar who was Mayor of Aberystwyth in 1761. She received parish relief from 1816 to 1820, and was alive in 1824. Many of her poems are addressed to residents of Aberystwyth and district.

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#### MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS

1913096

Ffynhonnell / Source

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Sets of Publications, Proceedings, Transactions, etc. have been presented by the following Institutions, Societies, etc. (Dept of Printed Books)

The South Wales Institute of Engineers.

The Field Columbian Museum, Chicago.

The Royal Irish Academy.

The Board of Trinity College, Dublin - "Hermathena".

The British Museum.  
The London Library, St James's Square.  
The Bath and Southern Counties [Agricultural] Society.  
The United States Geological Survey.  
Dr Williams's Library, London.  
Mynegai

#### SIR JOHN WILLIAMS

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1913097

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir John Williams et al

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Prints and Drawings.

The department has received some interesting additions, and is steadily increasing in number and value . Sir John Williams has made further gifts to his collections in this department, including original drawings, and artist's sketch books (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

#### PORTRAIT OF HUMPHREY LLWYD

1913098

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major General Sir Francis Lloyd, K.C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Major General Sir Francis Lloyd, K.C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O., has given a portrait of Humphrey Llwyd, 1527-68, the celebrated Welsh historian and antiquary, reproduced from the original portrait in his possession at Aston (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

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#### MISCELLANEOUS PORTRAITS AND A BUST

1913099

Ffynhonnell / Source

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Other portraits presented include (Dept of Pictures and Maps):-

"Ceiriog", presented by his daughter, Mrs D. Ceiriog Evans.

Rev. Wm. Harris, Aberdare, presented by his daughter, Mrs Phillips.

Rev. Josiah Thomas Jones, presented by his daughter, Miss T. G. Jones.

Rev. Thos. Price, M.A., Aberdare, presented by his daughter, Miss Emily Price.

Edward Humphrey Owen F.S.A., presented by Miss Owen, Ty Coch, Carnarvon.

Dr Joseph Parry, presented by Miss Lloyd, Victoria House, Aberystwyth.

Lay Reade, nee Maria Conway Griffith, of Carreglwyd, Anglesey, from the painting by Thos Brigstocke - a fine specimen of lithography drawn on the stone by Richd. T. Lane, A.R.A.

Rev. Roger Edwards, D.D., of Mold, presented by his son, Dr David Edwards, Mold.

Daniel Owen, the novelist, presented by Principal Ellis Edwards, M.A., D.D., Bala.

T. E. Ellis, M.P., bust (in plaster) by Sir W. Goscombe John, R.A., presented by Mrs Ellis.

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WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS OF NORTH WALES

1913100

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Water-colour drawings of North Wales, folio, 1836 (Dept of Pictures and Maps). The drawings include pictures of Denbigh Castle, and the "Goblin Well", Conway (3 views), Bangor, Menai Bridge, Carnarvon Castle, Harlech, The Pass of Llanberis, Cader Idris, Vanner Abbey, near Dolgelley, Brecon, Aberystwyth, Raglan (2 views), Dolgelley, Devil's Bridge, Pont Aberglaslyn, Parson's Bridge, near Hafod, etc., together with some charming sketches of women and children in Welsh costume. Purchased.

Mynegai

WATER-COLOUR SKETCHES OF NORTH WALES

1913101

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Water-colour sketches of North Wales, very large folio, circa 1850, containing 66 original drawings of views of Carnarvon Castle, the Dee, Glynceiriog, Pont y Glyn, Capel Curig, Bangor, Anglesey, Beaumaris, Summit of Snowdon, Tan y Bwlch, Conway Castle, Llandudno, etc. (Dept of Pictures and Maps) Purchased.

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ALBUM CONNECTED WITH CARMARTHEN NATIONAL EISTEDDFOD

1913102

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

An Album containing forty-four photographs of personages and incidents connected with the National Eisteddfod of 1912, at Carmarthen (Dept of Pictures and Maps). The views of the Gorsedd proceedings, and the groups of Breton and American visitors to the Eisteddfod form a most interesting and successful series. Purchased.

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BUILTH WELLS PAGEANT

1913103

Ffynhonnell / Source

Builth Wells Pageant Committee

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

Album of the Builth Wells Pageant, containing a book of words, programmes of the performances, and photographs of the scenes and the performers (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

EDWARD BELL

1913104

Ffynhonnell / Source

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1912-13

Disgrifiad / Description

A volume of 77 Drawings in sepia, water colour, etc. by Edward Bell (Dept of Pictures and Maps). The Severn from its rise in Plynlymon to Tewkesbury, including, among others, drawings of the first and second bridges over the river - rude, rustic structures of poles, etc., the bridges of Llanidloes, Llandinam Bridge and Church, Newtown, Castell Dolforwyn, Brynderwen Bridge, Caer-Howel Bridge, Buttington, Pool quay, Strawardine Ferry, Shrewsbury ferries, etc., etc. Edward Bell exhibited at the Royal Academy and the British Institution from 1814 to 1847. He is described as of Worcester and later of London. He was one of the group of Norwich artists associated with John Crome and his son, John Bernay Crome.

Mynegai

## EDWARD PRYCE OWEN DRAWINGS

1913105

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A Collection of original drawings of Rev. Edward Pryce Owen, consisting of about 2,338 drawings, neatly mounted and bound in twelve royal folio volumes, full citron morocco - the artist's own collection (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Edward Pryce Owen, born 1788, was the son of Archdeacon Owen, joint author of Owen and Blakeways' History of Shrewsbury. He was educated at Shrewsbury and St John's College, Cambridge, and was Vicar of Wellington, Salop, 1823-40, when he resigned. The rest of his life was devoted to travel and art pursuits. Being possessed of ample means he does not appear to have made any effort to produce pictures for sale. He was the friend of Wm. Etty, R.A., and the purchaser of some of Etty's finest work.

Owen drew the illustrations for Owen and Blakeway's Shrewsbury, and also published (1820-1) a series of etchings of ancient buildings in Shrewsbury, which was continued in a second series in 1826.

He also painted several pictures some of which were exhibited at the British Institution, and the Suffolk Street exhibiton between the years 1839-53. His pictures include:-

Mill, North Wales, Harlech Castle, Haughman Abbey, Salop, Welsh Cottage with Old Woman, Welsh Bridge, Salop, Cardigan Bridge, Interior of Welsh Cottage, Aberystwyth Castle.

The drawings in the collection acquired by the National Library include the original studies for most if not all of the larger pictures, as well as many topographical drawings of considerable merit, the value of many being enhanced by the fact that they are accurate delineations of buildings and scenes which have passed away or changed. The following is a brief summary of the contents of the volumes:-

I, II. Chiefly Wales and the Borders, with a few sketches of England.

III. France, Belgium, Switzerland and Germany.

IV. Barmouth, Aberystwyth, Cambridge, etc., and subject sketches from life.

V. Studies from life, Carnarvon, Mill Llangollen, Corwen, Aberystwyth, Beddgelert, Mill Llanrwst, Wenlock Priory, Lillieshall Abbey, Abbey Pulpit Salop, Glyndwr House - interior, Vicarage - Wellington, Conway - interiors of Welsh cottages (several).

VI. Studies from life made in Rome, etc., St. Mary's and Town Hall Coventry, Warwick Hospital, Mill, Llanbryn-mair, Aberdovey, (Interior) Ty Mawr Tallyllyn.

VII. Sketches in Devonshire, Old Mills, Glastonbury Abbey, Weymouth, Devil's Bridge, Aberystwyth.

VIII. Rye, Hastings, Maxfield, Isle of Wight, Studies from life and still life.

IX. Studies from life, Crowhurst, Windmills, Hastings, Pevensey, Priesthaves, Bodiam Castle, Winchilsea Castle, Camber Castle, Hurstmonceaux, Isle of Wight, Okehampton, Rye.

X. 1845-6-7 - Dover, Rouen, Paris, Ligny, Germany, South Tyrol, Italy. "One of my original sketches of Mars, Venus and the Graces, W. Etty." Studies from life.

XI 1845-6-7 - Rome Ostia, Tivoli, &c. Sketches from life made in Rome, &c. "Winters Tale", (sepia). Studies for pictures.

XII. 1845-6-7 - Water-colour studies, Rome - chiefly costumes, Vietri, Salerno, Naples. &c., Avignon, Arles, Nimes, Genoa, Chillon, Lucerne, and other places in Switzerland. Nant Mill Carnarvonshire (water-colour). Harlech, Chepstow, Monmouth.

XIII. Drawings from life.

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MINIATURE OF DANIEL ROWLAND ETC

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Rev. Arthur James Bowen, B.A., J.P., of Troedyraur, Cardiganshire, has presented miniature paintings of Rev. Daniel Rowland of Llangeitho and Rev. David Griffiths, Vicar of Nevern, the friend and fellow worker of Daniel Rowland (Dept of Pictures and Maps), and an autograph letter written by Selina, Countess of Huntingdon, to David Griffiths, on the death of Daniel Rowland (NLW MS 3481C).

The portrait of Daniel Rowland was painted from life by Robert Bowyer. The story is an interesting one. Both Rowland and Bowyer were friends of the Bowens of Llwyngwair, where they were frequent guests. It was very likely during one of these visits not long before Rowland's death that the miniature was painted for Mr George Bowen, the then Squire of Llwyngwair. It has remained in the family ever since. Rev. Arthur Bowen who has now placed the miniature for safe keeping in the National Library, is the great-grandson of George Bowen.

The portrait of Rev. David Griffiths, also a miniature, was painted by Andrew Robertson. Mr Griffiths was a very eloquent preacher and although a much younger man than Daniel Rowland the two became close friends and were intimately associated in religious work. This miniature has also remained in the custody of the family until now, the donor being a grandson on the maternal side of David Griffiths.

The letter of the Countess of Huntingdon, written to the Vicar of Nevern on the death of Daniel Rowland, is in the following terms:-

Mr dr. kind Friend,

I ever consider myself a much obliged friend to you, and nothing but the most constant suffering life of pain could have prevented my kindest testimony of regard reaching you, but not expecting life for a week together, and immersed in such multiplied business and trials of different kinds I cannot paint my feelings sufficiently, and your kind letter, while it filled my heart with sorrow from dr. Rowlands, and my eyes with tears, your kind attention on the occasion never can be forgot by me. I shall long to hear from you, and if you can spare a few days to open with others the great chapel (they tell me the first place of worship in any nation) happy shall I be, the Lord seems to try my weak and helpless body and soul in sad and bitter furnace of fire seven times heated. I am too low to write more.

But as ever my dr. sir in most faithfull and affect. regard,

Your devoted friend,

S HUNTINGDON

Spa Fields, Oct. 24, 1790.

Love to Mrs Griffiths and most kind compliments to Mr and Mrs Bowen. Mr Jones joins his bitter tears with mine for Wales's loss - four and forty years my friendship has not failed him.

The reference to her bad health are by no means exaggerated, for the Countess died a few months later at the age of 84 after some years suffering. The Mr Jones who "joins his bitter tears with mine" as stated in the postscript of the letter is Rev. David Jones of Llangan, the famous preacher.

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HENRY BLACKWELL

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Mr Henry Blackwell of New York intimated his wish to present to the Library a set of the great work on "The North American Indian" written, illustrated and published by Edward S Curtis (Dept of

Printed Books). Eight volumes of text and 8 portfolios of illustrations have already been delivered. The entire work will extend to twenty volumes and twenty portfolios. Mr Blackwell has had the work specially bound in polished Levant morocco at his own bindery, and incorporated in each volume an extra leaf with the following inscription:-

"Presented to the National Library of Wales, Aberystwyth, by Henry Blackwell, New York, in commemoration of the laying of the foundation stone by his Majesty King George V., July 15th, 1911."

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