

## **ADRODDIAD BLYNYDDOL / ANNUAL REPORT 1941-42**

### **MALAGASY BIBLE AND DICTIONARY**

1942001

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late the Reverend Robert Griffith, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A Malagasy Bible translated mainly by David Jones and David Griffiths, printed in Madagascar, buried there by the missionaries during the persecution in 1836, and afterwards recovered (NLW MS 14641B).

A Malagasy-English Dictionary by D. Johns. Printed in Madagascar, 1835 (NLW MS 14644B).

A memorial by Edward Baker to the Directors of the London Missionary Society against the recall of David Griffiths from the mission in 1832, with original documents including letters of tribute to D. Griffiths in Malagasy (NLW MS 14643E), and a few proof sheets of the first Malagasy Bible with corrections in the hands of D. Johns, D. Griffiths, E. Baker, T. Atkinson and others (NLW MS 14642C).

Mynegai

Llundain, Africa, Yr Affrig.

### **PALM LEAVES**

1942002

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Museum of Welsh Antiquities, U.C.N.W., Bangor, per Mr R Humphrey Davies, C.B.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Two manuscripts on palm leaves in Tamil and Oriya (NLW Rolls 259).

### **WATKIN HEZEKIAH WILLIAMS ('WATCYN WYN')**

1942003

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr T Bassett, Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The original manuscripts of Adgofion and lectures by Watkin Hezekiah Williams ('Walcyn Wyn') (NLW MSS 14120B, 14121A, 14122-3C), and letters (1884-1909) addressed to Edward Woodall (NLW MS 14124B).

### **A TOUR THRO' LONDON**

1942004

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Mayson M Beeton, K.B.E., Walton-on-Thames.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

One copy of an edition limited to 350 copies of A Tour thro' London about the year 1725 . . . by Daniel Defoe. Re-printed from the text of the origin edition (1724-6), and edited by Sir Mayson M. Beeton and E. Beresford Chancellor. London, 1929 (Dept of Printed Books).

### **PRINTED BOOKS**

1942005

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Family of the late Dr James Bonar, per The London School of Economics and Political Science.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Sixty volumes of nineteenth-century works, English and foreign, on a variety of topics (Dept of Printed Books).

#### BRITISH RECORDS ASSOCIATION (BRA)

1942006

Ffynhonnell / Source

The British Records Association.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Over fifty deeds and papers (1603-1794) relating to properties in Llandefriog, Llandissil, co. Cardigan, Penboyr, co. Carmarthen, Estyn, Caergwrle, Kinnerton, and Hope, co. Flint, Burton, co. Denbigh, the estate of John Wogan in co. Pembroke, and Presteigne, Llananno and Colva, co. Radnor; with accounts of the estate of Edward Thelwall, papers (1783-4) relating to the shrievalty of Denbigh, and an undated letter relating to books for a Sunday School in Llanuwchllyn.

Twenty-seven deeds (1621-1740) relating to properties in the parishes of Worthyn and Llanwrin, co. Montgomery.

Mynegai

Llandyfriog, Llandysul, Pen-boyr, Hope, Hawarden, Penarlâg, Llanandras, Prestmede, Colfa, Dinbych, Worthen, Sir Benfro, Sir Ddinbych.

#### THE PELOPONNESIAN WAR OF THUCYDIDES

1942007

Ffynhonnell / Source

His Excellency Monsieur Demetrios Caclamano, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A copy, in two volumes, of the translation of The Peloponnesian War of Thucydides into modern Greek made by the late Eleutherios Venizelos, Prime Minister of Greece, and edited for publication by the donor, 1941. The frontispiece is a reproduction of John Sargent's portrait of Venizelos (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

Groeg, Gwlad Groeg.

#### EPIGRAMMATA

1942008

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R W Chapman, M.A., D.Litt., LL.D., Oxford.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Notes on John Owen's Epigrammata, with an index, by Edward Bensly (NLW MSS 4463-5B).

#### G E CHARLES

1942009

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr G E Charles, Queen's Ferry.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A music manuscript book (1856) and scrapbooks of press cuttings (1861-97) relating to the Brymbo district and to Welsh Wesleyan Methodism, collected by the late Thomas Charles, Brymbo.

Eight volumes, including hymn books and other music of the Wesleyan Methodists, and one or two works on the history of the denomination in Brymbo and district (Dept of Printed Books).

UNDEB Y CYMDEITHASAU CYMRAEG

1942010

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr James Clement, Skewen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Minute books (1913-41) (NLW MSS 17201-4C); account books (1913-41) (NLW MS 17206C); and programmes (1924-40) of the Union of Welsh Societies ('Undeb y Cymdeithasau Cymraeg'), a roll of the names of Welshmen from overseas who attended the national eisteddfod, 1920-39, and a visitors' book of the Welsh Congregational Union, Barry, 1924 (NLW MS 17205C).

Mynegai

Y Barri.

DICTIONNAIRE RAISONNE DE L'ARCHITECTURE

1942011

Ffynhonnell / Source

Colonel and Mrs Spence-Colby, Ledbury.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A copy, in ten quarto volumes, of Dictionnaire raisonné de l'architecture française du XIe au XVIe siècle by Eugene Emmanuel Viollet-Le-Duc, Paris, 1854-68 (Dept of Printed Books).

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF INQUIRY FOR SOUTH WALES

1942012

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major Sir Frederick W B Cripps, D.S.O., Cirencester.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A signed copy of the Report of the Commissioners of Inquiry for South Wales, 1844 (NLW MS 14096E), with the original manuscript of the sections written by William Cripps (NLW MS 14095D).

OWEN GLYNDWR MEMORIAL INSTITUTE

1942013

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Alfred T Davies, K.B.E., C.B., Brighton.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Records of the founding and opening of the Owen Glyndwr Memorial Institute, Glyndyfrdwy, 1931-3 (NLW MS 16214C).

Mynegai

Owain Glyndwr.

PARTICULAR OF LANDS ETC

1942014

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr H T Davies, M.Inst.M. & Cy.E., Towyn.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A particular of lands (1814) in the townships of Llanfair and Rhiewhriarth (NLW MS 14337C), and deeds (1739-1811) relating to lands in the parish of Llanfair, Montgomeryshire (NLW Deeds 137-8).

Mynegai

Rhiwhiriarth, Rhiwhiriaeth, Llanfair Caereinion.

#### SIR LEONARD TWISTON DAVIES

1942015

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Leonard Twiston Davies, K.B.E., F.S.A., Monmouth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A grant of arms and crest (1569) to Thomas Smythe (Credenhill).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

#### LETTERS OF JOHN JONES ('TEGID')

1942016

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr N O Davies, Penarth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Autograph letters (1831-4) of Rev John Jones ('Tegid') (NLW MS 14145C).

#### CORRESPONDENCE DE NAPOLEON

1942017

Ffynhonnell / Source

Brigadier-General Sir James E Edmonds, C.B., C.M.G., D.Litt., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Correspondence de Napoléon 1er. Paris, 1858-70. In twenty-nine volumes (Dept of Printed Books).

Mémoires de M. Bourrienne, Ministre d'état sous Napoléon. Paris (Dept of Printed Books). In ten volumes.

#### WILLIAM THOMAS ('ISLWYN')

1942018

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr. T. Edmonds, Nelson, Glamorgan.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Genealogical memoranda and records (1840-1900) of the family of William Thomas ('Islwyn') (NLW MS 14374E).

#### ENGLISH SERMONS

1942019

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Principal G A Edwards, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

English sermons by some of the best-known authors of the late nineteenth century, being a selection from the libraries of the donor's father, Rev Owen Edwards, B.A., of Caernarvon and of Melbourne, Australia (died 1893), John Meyrick Jones, Dolgellau (died 1911), and the donor.

Mynegai

Caernarfon, Awstralia, Dolgellau.

CHARLES EVANS, HEREFORD

1942020

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Charles Evans, Hereford.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Transcripts of documents relating to St Guthlac's Priory, Hereford.

Mynegai

Henffordd.

POEM ON `ST DAVID'S DAY'

1942021

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D Owen Evans, M.P., Llangrannog.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

The original manuscript of a poem by A. P. Herbert on 'St David's Day,' 1942 (NLW MS 17418A).

Mynegai

Gwyl Dewi Sant.

PRINTED BOOKS

1942022

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Emile T Evans, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Two large folio works, one being C. Louis de Buffon's *Histoire naturelle* in three volumes, with illustrations designed and engraved by Franz Nicolaus Martinet (Dept of Printed Books). The other work is Count de Lacépède's *La Ménagerie du Museum National d'Histoire Naturelle*, with illustrations from paintings by Maréchal and engraved by Simon Charles Miger (Dept of Printed Books).

GRIFFITH EVANS

1942023

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Erie Evans, M.B. (Lond.), Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Original manuscripts and printed material for a biography of the donor's father, the late Griffith Evans (1835-1935), MD, DSc, a pioneer in research into parasitology and discoverer in 1880 of the first pathological trypanosome now known as *trypanosoma evansi*.

The archive includes memoranda of family genealogy; original letters, family correspondence and fragments and transcripts of journals kept by Dr Griffith Evans, 1861-1929; copies of his autobiographical memoir, and his memories and recollections collected by Dr Erie Evans; the diploma of MRCVS (Eng) awarded to him in 1855; a note relating to the purchase of land in 1777 on Lady's Island, Carolina, given to him on the battlefield in Virginia in 1864, and portions of his Canadian journal for that year, with extracts from his other diaries, 1862-95; papers relating to the discovery of the trypanosoma evansi; papers relating to the celebration of his 100th birthday, 1935; correspondence with Lord Adelbert Cecil, 1865, Keshub Chunder Sen, 1880, Professor M. O. Evans, 1890, Principal Owen Prys, 1901, Professor Henry Jones, 1905, and John Drinkwater (concerning his play Abraham Lincoln), 1921; a scrapbook compiled by Dr Griffith Evans and continued by Dr. Erie Evans; and a number of English and Welsh books selected from his library on account of their association value or of annotations made by Dr Griffith Evans in reading the texts.

The value of the material for the biographer is enhanced by many notes and explanations supplied by the donor from her own knowledge and recollection of her father's discussions of the topics involved.

It is of interest to add that through the kindness of their respective children the National Library is privileged with the custody of all the extant biographical material relating to two great Welshmen who were contemporary pioneers in related branches of microscopic research, Griffith Evans (1835-1935), discoverer of the trypanosoma evansi, and Timothy Richards Lewis (1841-86), discoverer of the trypanosoma lewisi (1878) and the filaria sanguinis hominis (1870).

Mynegai

USA, Unol Daleithiau, Canada.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

#### LLANGWM MISCELLANEA

1942024

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Executors of the late Hugh Evans, Bootle.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Poor rate assessments for the parish of Llangwm, Denbighshire (1846) (NLW MS 14409A), receipts and notices concerning property in Llangwm (1815-95) (NLW MSS 14411D, 14413C), and arithmetic, mensuration and writing books of William Barnad (1813) with transcripts of Welsh poetry and memoranda (NLW MSS 14417-8B, 14420-2B).

This donation includes the original material used by Hugh Evans in writing his Cwm Eithin (Liverpool, 1931) (NLW MS 14423C).

Mynegai

Llangwm Dinmael, Lerpwl.

#### SURVEYS OF THE WELSH COMMUNITY IN BIRMINGHAM

1942025

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs J Robert-Evans, Birmingham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscript surveys, by the late Rev J. Roberts-Evans, of the Welsh community in Birmingham, 1800-50, a history of the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist churches in Birmingham, 1855-1919, and a transcript of a history of Welsh religious activity in that city, 1824-72, compiled by Evan Thomas.

#### LETTER OF JACOB JONES

1942026

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J T Evans, Prestatyn.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An autograph letter (1900) of Jacob Jones of the US Navy (d. 1906) (NLW MS 14359B), with a portrait, and particulars of his service by Rear-Admiral Thos. Washington, U.S.N.

Mynegai

USA, Unol Daleithiau.

BACHYMBYD (BAGOT)

1942027

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Foyer, White, Borrett & Blacks, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Charters and other documents (c. 1200-1375) relating to the priory of St. Thomas the Martyr near Stafford, and deeds (1392-1591) relating to properties in cos. Stafford, Lancaster, Salop, Flint and Denbigh; rentals and account books (1682-1784) of the estate of Richard Fitzgerald in cos. Lancaster, Stafford and Flint; deeds (1567-1695) relating to properties in Glamorgan; and records (1567-1741) of the manors of Neath, Cilybebyll, Briton, Kegerwen, and Tir Iarll, co. Glamorgan, and of Brecon.

Mynegai

Sir Fflint, Sir Ddinbych, Sir Forgannwg, Castell-Nedd, Briton Ferry (Llansawel), Gwauncaegurwen (Llan-giwg), Llangynwyd, Aberhonddu.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

'FRIENDS OF THE NATIONAL LIBRARIES'

1942028

Ffynhonnell / Source

'Friends of the National Libraries'.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Three large collections of books, each containing more than 100 volumes, have been received through the 'Friends of the National Libraries' (Dept of Printed Books). One consists chiefly of standard editions of representative German authors of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. The second is a miscellaneous collection from the library of Sir Francis T. Palgrave, mainly of English works, but including a few French, Spanish and Italian. The third is a collection of French works, many sumptuously bound, including a number of books of Napoleonic interest.

PERUSH HAT-TORAH

1942029

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Lazarus Goldschmidt, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two leaves of the Rabbinic-Hebrew work Perush hat-Torah (or commentary on the Pentateuch) by the Spanish-Jewish commentator and poet Moses ben Nachman (Dept of Printed Books). It was the first book to be printed at Lisbon (1489), and these two leaves form the only example of Hebrew incunabula in the National Library.

Mynegai

Portugal, Portiwgal.

G PENAR GRIFFITHS

1942030

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Sons and Daughters of the late the Reverend G Penar Griffiths, per Miss M A Penar Griffiths, Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

The original manuscripts of eisteddfod compositions by G. Penar Griffiths (NLW MSS 14461-518), including essays on Welsh missionaries and Welsh hymnology (NLW MSS 14468A, 14469D, 14470B, 14471A, 14472B, 14473C), selections of nineteenth-century Welsh verse (NLW MSS 14461-2E) and of Welsh prose from the fourteenth century to the nineteenth (NLW MS 14464E), and 'awdlau' and 'prydeustau' (NLW MSS 14478E, 14479B, 14480C, 14481D); manuscripts of lectures and addresses by G. Penar Griffiths; lectures and poems, including a translation of Shakespeare's Measure for Measure by Watkin Hezekiah Williams, 'Walcyn Wyn' (NLW MS 14511B); poems by Daniel Medi Jones (NLW MS 14513B); poems and essays by J. Davies, 'Ap Glandon' (NLW MS 14514C); copies of 'englynion' by John Morris Jones (NLW MS 14515A), 'Ioan Cunllo'; an essay on Brynamman by Enoch Rees (NLW MS 14517B); and an essay on 'Cymeriadau hynod . . . Sir Fflint ' by Isaac Roberts, 'Mynyddwr' (NLW MS 14516C).

A number of Welsh denominational journals, and many pamphlets and leaflets containing for the most part poetry and 'marwnadau' (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

Flintshire, Brynaman.

Y LLENOR

1942031

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor W J Gruffydd, M.A., Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Original manuscripts of contributions to Y Llenor, 1938-41 (NLW MSS 16234-8E).

HEREFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

1942032

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Librarian, Public Library, Hereford.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Deeds and documents (1577-1731) relating to properties in Battle, Brecon, Llanfihangel Nant Bran, Llanynis, Maesmynis and Merthyr, co. Brecknock, Bangor, Caernarvon, Llaneingan, Llandidwen and , Tydweiliog, co. Caernarvon, and Disserth, Llanelwedd and Llechryd, co. Radnor (NLW Deeds 110-36).

Deeds (1664-90) relating to properties in Llanddewi'r Cwm, Llanddety and Llanynis, co. Brecknock, and Disserth, co. Radnor (NLW Deeds 166-84).

Three files of fines (1713-14) acknowledged at the Court of Great Sessions for Carmarthen, Pembroke, and Cardigan (NLW Misc Records 1-3).

Mynegai

Y Batel, Aberhonddu, Llanfihangel Nant Brân, Maesmynys, Caernarfon, Llanengan, Llandudwen, Tudweiliog, Diserth, Llanddety, Llanynys, Sir Gaerfyrddin, Sir Benfro, Sir Aberteifi.

MRS HOPTON, CLYRO

1942033

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Hopton, Clyro, per Mr F C Morgan, Hereford.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A rent book (1690-1700) of the Weaver estate in cos. Montgomery and Salop; accounts (1746) of arrears of rent due to Arthur Weaver from his Montgomeryshire estate; a manuscript book of copies of Edwin and Wyndham wills (1751-72); letters from Thomas Smith to William Wyndham (1693), and John Franklen and C. Edwin and others to John Parsons, Kemerton (1783-94); and fifty deeds and documents (1622-1807) relating to properties in Beaumaris, Anglesey, Ynysyngwryn, co. Merioneth, Llanblethian and other parishes in Glamorgan, Aberhavesp, Abermule, Betws and Tregynon, co. Montgomery, and Brecon.

Mynegai

Sir Drefaldwyn, Biwmares, Towyn, Aberhafesb, Aber-miwl (Llanyrewig), Aberhonddu.

DICTONARIUM DUPLEX AND LLYFR Y RESOLUTION

1942034

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J M Howell, D.L., Aberdovey.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Further volumes of shorthand notes of sermons (1822-5) taken by William Howel, Bont, Llanbryn-mair (NLW MS 5601C).

Two works by Dr John Davies, Mallwyd, namely, Dictionarium Duplex . . . and Llyfr y Resolusion, both published in 1632 (Dept of Printed Books). The former contains the extra leaf preceding signature A.

Mynegai

Llanbryn-mair.

PARLIAMENTARY STANDING ORDERS ETC

1942035

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Rev R LI Langford-James, D.D., B.Mus., Shrewsbury.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Twenty volumes, including Parliamentary Standing Orders (1844) and copies of the first nine Reports of the Commissioners on Woods, Forests and Land Revenues of the Crown (1787-92) (Dept of Printed Books). There are also two early-eighteenth century editions of the decretals and other pronouncements of Pope Clement V and Pope Boniface VIII (Dept of Printed Books).

Printed maps and charts, including some of Welsh interest (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

PRINTED BOOKS

1942036

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr J Travis Jenkins, O.B.E., Preston.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

About thirty volumes, chiefly works of travel, but including also a useful selection of books from Everyman's Library (Dept of Printed Books).

A HISTORY OF LLANDDERFEL

1942037

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D E Jones, Bala.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A history of the parish, farms and notable persons of Llandderfel, by Charles Jones (NLW MS 16666E).

EVANS FAMILY OF OAKFORD

1942038

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Elizabeth Jones, Oakford, Cardiganshire.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts of the Evans family of Oakford, Cardiganshire (NLW MSS 14243-333), including a day book (1832-5) of the drapery and general merchandise business established by Thomas Evans at Pontbrendu; manuscript sermon and lecture notes and biblical expositions by Francis Evans (Congregational minister at Ulverston, Lancashire, d. 1868) (NLW MSS 14256C, 14257B, 14258-60A, 14261-8B, 14269-70A, 14271B); diaries, account books and sermons by Griffith Thomas Evans (Congregational minister at Penygraig, Carmarthenshire, d. 1852) (NLW MSS 14246-51A, 14253-5A); correspondence, accounts and miscellaneous manuscripts of Morgan Evans, Oakford (d. 1915) (NLW MSS 14272-4A, 14280B, 14281A, 14282-5B, 14287B), and of his son Daniel Davies Evans (NLW MS 14282B); diaries and manuscripts of Evan Jones (Congregational minister at Llwyncelyn, d. 1896) (NLW MSS 14325B, 14326-8A); and miscellaneous manuscripts including account books of the ships 'Glenara' (1869-70) (NLW MS 14330A) and 'Sea Queen' (1872-80) (NLW MS 14331C).

A selection from the library of the donor's grandfather, the late Morgan Evans, Oakford (Dept of Printed Books), comprising nearly 200 volumes exclusive of periodicals and newspapers. The latter are Welsh or Welsh-American and fill gaps in several of the Library's files. The books, as a whole, reflect the original owner's interest and activity in the religious, educational and political life of his day, especially prominent being literature advocating the disestablishment of the Church of England in Wales.

Some hundreds of posters, arranged in chronological order, relating to public events in the Aberayron district during 1878-1933 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Derwen-gam, Pen-y-graig, Llannarth, USA, Unol Daleithiau, Aberaeron.

REES JENKIN JONES

1942039

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Goronwy Jones, Swansea,

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Additional material for the Rees Jenkin Jones Collection (NLW MSS 14147-213), including notebooks on historical and biographical subjects connected with Welsh Unitarianism, autograph letters (1856-1908) by Welsh emigrants to the United States of America, letters (1924-7) of Dr A. L. Evans, Miami, etc. (NLW MSS 14158B, 14159D)

Mynegai

USA, Unol Daleithiau.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

TRAWSFYNYDD TEMPERANCE UNION

1942040

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J R Jones, Trawsfynydd.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A minute book (1900-6) of the Trawsfynydd Temperance Union (NLW MS 4808B).  
Mynegai  
Trawsfryn.

J W JONES

1942041

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J W Jones, Blaenau Ffestiniog.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Original manuscripts and press cuttings of poems by 'Ap Alun Mabon'.

Nodiadau

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AUTOGRAPH LETTERS

1942042

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend T R Jones ('Clwydydd'), Bala.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Autograph letters of W. Jenkyn Jones (Brittany), Jenkin Lloyd Jones (Chicago), J. Puleston Jones, David Williams and E. Llywelyn Williams (New York).

Mynegai

Llydaw, USA, Unol Daleithiau.

MEMORIALS TO THE WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES

1942043

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Welsh Council of the League of Nations Union, per Mr D Samways, Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Replicas of the memorials of the Women of Wales to the Women of the United States (1923-4) and of the leaders of Welsh religious bodies to the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America (1925).

Mynegai

USA, Unol Daleithiau.

RATGOED QUARRY COMPANY

1942044

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs W J Lewis, Droitwich.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Account books (1827-1909) of the Ratgoed, Cymmerau and Llwyngwern slate quarries in Merioneth, and minute books of the Abercorris Slate Quarry Company (1893-1909) and the Towyn Company (1893-1903).

Reports of slate companies of North Wales, Reports of the Mines Department and other official papers, as well as a miscellaneous collection of general interest.

Mynegai

Tywyn.

Nodiadau

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ACCOUNT OF FOULK ROBERTS AND LLANRUG CHARACTERS

1942045

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Isaac Lloyd ('Glan Rhyddallt'), Llanrug.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

An account of Foulk Roberts and other characters in Llanrug, 1800-1900 (NLW MS 5391C).

Mynegai

Llanfihangel-yn-Rug, Pant-glas.

J HUMPHREY LLOYD ('PERYDDON')

1942046

Ffynhonnell / Source

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

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A diary (1880) of Rev Evan Peters (NLW MS 17417A); an essay on the history of Pantglas, and notes on old characters at Bala (NLW MS 17802D).

Mynegai

Pant-glas.

TRANSCRIPTS OF WILLS AND LETTERS ON GENEALOGY

1942047

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Lilian Lloyd, Harlech.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Transcripts of Merioneth and Montgomeryshire wills (1570-1759) and letters on genealogy by Richard Bennett (1920-3) (NLW MS 16278D).

Mynegai

Sir Feirionnydd, Sir Drefaldwyn.

CHEMIST'S PRESCRIPTION BOOK

1942048

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr T Alwyn Lloyd, F.R.I.B.A., Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A chemist's prescription book (1849) compiled and used by Daniel Lloyd (1832-52) (NLW MS 14339B).

ECONOMICS AND PUBLIC FINANCE BOOKS

1942049

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Henry George Foundation of Great Britain, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Thirty volumes of recent works on economics and public finance, including ten books by Henry George (Dept of Printed Books).

#### GERMAN AND FRENCH BOOKS

1942050

Ffynhonnell / Source

The London School of Economics and Political Science.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Six works in German and one in French on economics and political science (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

Almaeneg, Ffrangeg.

#### MILLWARD

1942051

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss K L Millward, Abergele.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Forty deeds and documents (1785-1873) relating to properties in Abergele, with accounts of tithe commutation for the parish, 1840, and papers relating to the Chester and Holyhead Railway, 1846.

Mynegai

Caer, Caergybi.

#### BOOKS ON CHINESE ART

1942052

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Evan Morgan, Bristol.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Works on Chinese art selected from the library of her husband, the late Rev Evan Morgan, DD, missionary to China (Dept of Printed Books). Dr Morgan had, during his life-time, presented to the Library copies of his own works including translations from the Chinese.

A photograph of Dr Evan Morgan.

Mynegai

Tseina.

#### GARW VALLEY SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION ETC

1942053

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J J Morgan, Bow Street.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Minute books of the Garw Valley Sunday School Union (1920-1) (NLW MS 14353C) and of the Garw Valley Cymrodorion Society (1926-32) (NLW MS 14354B).

Deeds (1800-76) relating to properties in Cwmergyr, parish of Llanbadarnfawr, Cardiganshire (NLW Deeds 143-54).

Mynegai

Nantgarw, Llanbadarn Fawr, Cwmrheidol.

#### CWMRHEIDOL SCHOOL BOARD

1942054

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Mary Morgan, Ponterwyd.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Correspondence, reports, circulars and miscellaneous papers (1876-92) relating to the Cwmrheidol School Board.

#### CALVINISTIC METHODISM IN EDEYRNION

1942055

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr D R Morris, Corwen.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

An account of the rise of Calvinistic Methodism in Edeyrnion (NLW MS 4359A).

Mynegai

Edeirnion.

#### SERMON NOTES

1942056

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend J Dyfnallt Owen, M.A., Carmarthen.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Sermon notes by Rev Edward Davies ('Derfel Gadarn'), 1838, Rev Hugh Jones ('Cromwel o Went'), 1855, and Rev Rhys J. Huws (NLW Misc Records 383).

#### AUTOGRAPH LETTERS OF THE PEAT FAMILY

1942057

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Iorwerth C Peate, M.A., D.Sc., F.S.A., Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Autograph letters (1865-87) addressed to their relatives in Wales by members of the Peat family of Llanbrynmair who had emigrated to the United States of America (NLW MS 14111D).

Mynegai

USA, Unol Daleithiau.

#### BURMESE HOROSCOPE

1942058

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major Robin Phillips, St. Dogmaels.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A Burmese horoscope on palm leaf (19th cent.) (NLW Rolls 261).

Mynegai

Burma.

#### SERMON NOTES BY SAMUEL JONES

1942059

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Thomas Powel, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscript sermon notes by Rev Samuel Jones (1812-86) (NLW MS 16210B).

#### JACK EDWARDS, ABERYSTWYTH

1942060

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Elizabeth Richards, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A selection from the collections of the late Jack Edwards, bookseller, Aberystwyth (NLW MSS 14741-96), consisting of:

Music notebooks in the autographs of Jack Edwards himself (NLW MSS 14780C, 14781E, 14783D), his father, Edward Edwards ('Pencerdd Ceredigion', d. 1897) (NLW MSS 14760-2A), John Jones (Maeslwad, 1819) (NLW MS 14751A), Thomas Samuel (NLW MSS 14745A, 14746B, 14749A), Lewis Mason (NLW MS 14748A), James Edwards (NLW MS 14750A), David Griffiths (NLW MS 14747B), Daniel Williams (NLW MS 14755A), Morgan Evans (Llanafan) (NLW MS 14752A), John Pierce (Borth) (NLW MS 14753A) and others, and the original manuscript of a translation into Welsh by Jack Edwards of Bach's St Matthew (NLW MSS 14782C, 14784D); account and memoranda books (1854-95) (NLW MSS 14741-4A) relating to the business of bookbinding and bookselling carried on by Edward Edwards ('Pencerdd Ceredigion'); correspondence (1906-36) in, or relating to, Esperanto received by Jack Edwards (NLW MSS 14791-3D, 14794-6A), with the manuscript of an incomplete biography by him of Ludwik Lazarus Zamenhof; correspondence (1881-1936) (NLW MS 20995E) from Welsh men and women in the United States of America, including letters (1881-7) written from Cincinnati by Jack Edwards; and letters addressed to Edward Edwards and his son, Jack Edwards, mainly on literary and musical topics, the correspondents including Robert Bryan (Alexandria), John Jones (Rhydymain), Richard Mills (Llanidloes), M. W. MacCallum, John Owen ('Owain Alaw'), Isaac Pitman, W. J. Rees ('Alaw Ddu'), John Roberts ('Ieuan Gwyllt'), E. Stephen ('Tanymarian'), and John Thomas ('Pencerdd Gwalia').

About 200 printed volumes (books, pamphlets and periodicals) in and about Esperanto, of which language Mr Edwards was an ardent student; a large number of volumes of music; about 100 volumes of Welsh 'Amryw'; and parts of Welsh periodicals (Dept of Printed Books).

Photographs and prints relating to Esperanto conferences and musical events (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Llanafan o'r Trawsgoed, USA, Unol Daleithiau, Rhyd-y-maen.

Nodiadau

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#### REPORTS OF THE HISTORICAL MANUSCRIPTS COMMISSION

1942061

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Richard Arthur Roberts, Orford, Suffolk.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

170 volumes of the Reports of the Historical Manuscripts Commission, together with seventeen Annual Reports of the Deputy Keeper of Public Records and other works (Dept of Printed Books).

#### THEOLOGICAL BOOKS

1942062

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Cathedral and Abbey Church of St. Alban (per The Reverend F Conquest Clare, M.A., Harpenden, Herts.).

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Ten works, mainly of theological interest, including The History of the Abbey of St Alban (1795) by Peter Newcome (Dept of Printed Books).

#### MAJOR SAURIN, PENALLY ABBEY

1942063

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major W M Saurin, Penally.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Fifty-six deeds, documents and papers (1625-1883), including conveyances of property in cos. Carmarthen, Denbigh, Flint and Pembroke, documents relating to the Skerries lighthouse, lists of Pembrokeshire sheriffs, pedigrees and documents relating to the Saurin family.

Mynegai

Sir Gaerfyrddin, Sir Ddinbych, Sir Fflint, Sir Benfro.

#### THE ROCKS OF VALPRE

1942064

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lt.-Col G T Savage, D.S.O., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

The original manuscript of The Rocks of Valpré by Ethel M. Dell (NLW MS 14336E).

#### ENGLISH SERMONS

1942065

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E E Skuce, City Librarian, Oxford.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

English sermons, mostly of the eighteenth century, but including a few of the Civil War and Restoration periods.

Mynegai

Rhyfel Cartref.

#### GRANT OF LANDS

1942066

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J P Smith, City Librarian, Liverpool.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A grant (c. 1250) of lands in Halghton, Flintshire (NLW Deeds 109).

Mynegai

Halchdyn.



#### ARBOUR STEPHENS

1942067

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr G Arbour Stephens, B.S., B.Sc., Swansea.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Sermons and other theological works of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, together with parts of various periodicals.

A syllabus of the lectures on Midwifery delivered at Guy's Hospital, 1799, with manuscript notes by Thomas Gething Williams.

The original manuscript and proof-sheets of the donor's Gemau Ceredigion ar Gân, 1941.

#### A R LLEWELLIN-TAYLOUR

1942068

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr A R Llewellyn-Taylor, M.A., F.R.S.A., London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

About 150 volumes of English law reports, consisting mostly of reports of Chancery cases, from 1680 to 1865 (Dept of Printed Books); a large number of foreign editions of classical, Renaissance and later Latin works, including, in Italian, two works by the Italian poet Jacopo Sannazaro and *Viaggi Orientali*, which is an Italian version, published in Venice in 1670, of the *Itinerarium Orientale* of Philippus a Sanctissima Trinitate or Philip of the Most Holy Trinity, General of the Carmelites, first published in 1649, and a source book of some importance for the history of the Carmelites in the Near East; a file of eighty volumes of the Annual Register from the commencement in 1758 to 1838 (with index volume for 1758-1819) (Dept of Printed Books); 103 volumes of *The Gentleman's Magazine* from the commencement in 1731 to 1833 (with index volume to vols. 1-56) (Dept of Printed Books); and early law works, including *Compendium juris canonici* (Strasburg, 1499), Pufendorf's *De jure naturae et gentium* (Amsterdam, 1588), Lyndewode's *Provinciale* (1505-6), with autograph signatures of sixteenth century owners and marginal notes by them and others in the same century, and Simon Thelwall's *Le Digest des Briefes Originales* (1579); and sixty-two volumes, ranging from 1889 to 1909, of *The Law Journal Reports* (Dept of Printed Books).

#### ILLUMINATED ADDRESSES

1942069

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lady Lleufer Thomas, Cardiff.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Two illuminated addresses presented to the late Sir D. Lleufer Thomas:

The Address of the Joint Board of Legal Education for Wales, 1914.

The Address of the Welsh School of Social Service, 1924

#### H M VAUGHAN

1942070

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr H M Vaughan, M.A., F.S.A., Tenby.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Pedigree of the Lewes family of Trefed, Pembrokeshire; an address of condolence from the Cardigan Board of Guardians to Mrs Sarah Vaughan, Llangoedmore, on the death of her husband, Colonel Herbert Vaughan (1862); and two military bills to Lt Garnet Wolseley (1854), with a note by him. Moko; or Maori Tattooing. By Major-General [H.G.] Robley. With 180 illustrations from drawings by the author and from photographs. London, 1896 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Two autograph letters from the author and several additional photographs taken by him are inserted in the volume.

Mynegai

Aberteifi, Llangoedmor.

#### ARTICLES OF VISITATIONS

1942071

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Most Reverend the Lord Archbishop of Wales, D.D., D.C.L., Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Over thirty pamphlets, mostly articles of visitations and charges by various bishops to their dioceses in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries (Dept of Printed Books). The dioceses and archdeaconries concerned are mostly those on the Welsh border, but two volumes contain the articles of the primary visitations of the diocese of Bangor by Bishop Humphrey Lloyd in 1675 and Bishop Humphrey Humphreys in 1690.

#### ALBUMS OF PRESS CUTTINGS RELATING TO SIR ARTHUR OSMOND WILLIAMS

1942072

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Alice Williams ('Alys Meirion'), London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Four albums of press cuttings and correspondence relating to the political career of Sir Arthur Osmond Williams, MP (NLW MSS 14031-2D, 14033-4E).

#### RUMSEY WILLIAMS

1942073

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Eva Rumsey-Williams and Mrs Bell, London, per Mr P H Lawson, A.R.I.B.A., Chester.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Over 1,000 deeds and documents, draft conveyances, abstracts of title, letters and miscellaneous papers (1634-1840) relating to properties mainly in cos. Anglesey and Caernarvon with some in cos. Denbigh, Flint, Merioneth, and Montgomery. The documents were formerly in the office of Henry Rumsey Williams, solicitor, at Caernarvon, and relate to business transacted through that office. Unfortunately, many of the paper, and some of the parchment, documents have suffered greatly from damp.

Mynegai

Sir Fôn, Sir Gaernarfon, Sir Ddinbych, Sir Fflint, Sir Feirionnydd, Sir Drefaldwyn, Caernarfon.

Nodiadau

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#### Y DDOLEN

1942074

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John Williams, Llandwrog.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A minute book (1925-7) of the committee responsible for the London-Welsh organ, Y Ddolen (NLW MS 16332B).

#### ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HERALDIC NOTES AND SKETCHES

1942075

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr John A A Williams ('Brochmael'), Caernarvon.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Archaeological and heraldic notes and sketches (1890-4) by D. Griffith Davies (NLW MS 14029B).

#### POETRY AND SERMONS

1942076

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr and Mrs William Williams, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A manuscript of Welsh and English poetry and some Welsh prose texts transcribed by Humphrey Jones ('o Gastell Caereinion') (NLW MS 14402B), notes of sermons and addresses at Bala and Denbigh Calvinistic Methodist Associations and 'Cyfarfod Athrawon Llanrwst' (1829) (NLW MS 14403B), and notes, taken by Richard Hobley, of sermons (1865-86) by Dr Owen Thomas, Liverpool (NLW MSS 14404-5B).

Mynegai

Castell Caereinion, Lerpwl.

#### RAILWAY PROSPECTUS AND CORRESPONDENCE

1942077

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W Emyr Williams, LL.B., Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Prospectus and correspondence (1845-6) relating to the Wrexham, Nantwich and Crewe Junction Railway, together with printed broadsides relating to the industrial and business development of Wrexham (NLW MS 14376E).

Mynegai

Wrecsam.

#### W GILBERT WILLIAMS

1942078

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W Gilbert Williams, M.A., Rhostryfan.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

An account of the family of Griffith (Y Tryfan), 1490-1640.

Manuscript elegies upon the deaths of John Williams ('Ab Ithel') and Owen Gruffydd, by 'Elis Wyn o Wyrfai', and an elegy on the last-named by 'Elfyn'.

A minute book (1911-28) of the Llanwnda Nursing Association.

Mynegai

Gwyrfai.

^THE DALE CASTLE BOOK'

1942079

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

'The Dale Castle Book' of pedigrees of Cardiganshire, Carmarthenshire and Pembrokeshire families, in the autograph of Iaco ap Dewi (c. 1709) (NLW MS 14214B).

Mynegai

Sir Aberteifi, Sir Gaerfyrddin, Sir Benfro.

LETTERS TO JAMES LLOYD (MABWS)

1942080

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Letters (1765-1831) addressed mainly to James Lloyd (Mabws) on Cardiganshire political affairs (NLW MS 14215C).

RENTALS AND TITHES

1942081

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Rentals of the Mabws and Ffosybleiddiaid estates (1824-32) (NLW MS 14218E) and of Pembrokeshire tithes (1864-75) (NLW MS 14219E).

Mynegai

Sir Benfro, Lledrod Uchaf, Llanrhystud Anhuniog.

ESSAYS AND AUTOGRAPH LETTERS

1942082

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscript essays by Evan Williams, Caernarvon, on Caernarvonshire folk-lore (1880) (NLW MS 14101E), Edmwnd Prys (1898) (NLW MS 14102E), Flintshire folk-lore (1919) (NLW MS 14103E), and Edward Samuel (1919) (NLW MS 14104E), and autograph letters (1876-85) of L. W. Lewis (Llew Llwyfo) (NLW MS 14109D).

Mynegai

Caernarfon, Sir Gaernarfon, Sir Fflint.

GENEALOGICAL MANUSCRIPTS

1942083

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Genealogical manuscripts compiled by R. D. Roberts, including pedigrees of the Roberts and other families in Llanefydd and Henllan (NLW MS 13897B), summaries of Denbighshire wills (1564-1652) (NLW MS 14008D), a list of Llanefydd wills with summaries (1660-1729) (NLW MS 14009D), and a calendar of Llechryd deeds (1627-1846) (NLW MS 14006D).

Mynegai

Llanefydd, Sir Ddinbych.

LETTERS TO ROBERT OWEN

1942084

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Typescript copies made by William Galpin of letters (1822-51) addressed to Robert Owen (NLW MS 14352C), with a copy of a letter from Owen to Kossuth.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

1942085

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Letters (1806-21) relating to the Baptist Missionary Society, mainly addressed to Dr John Ryland, with autograph manuscripts and letters by Dr Ryland (NLW MS 14348D).

ROYAL WELSH FUSILIERS

1942086

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Recruiting accounts (1747) of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers (NLW MS 14358D).

ACCOUNT BOOKS

1942087

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Account books of Brynmenai (1864-9) (NLW MS 14355D) and Turf Square (1879-83) (NLW MS 14356B) chapels, Caernarvonshire, and a cost book (1877-9) of the Coedmadog slate quarry (NLW MS 14357E).

Mynegai

Sir Gaernarfon.

LEXICON CORNU-BRITANNICUM

1942088

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Lexicon Cornu-Britannicum with manuscript notes by the author, Robert Williams, and letters by Whitley Stokes (1865) (NLW MS 14360C).

DIARY OF SIR HUMPHREY MACKWORTH ETC

1942089

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

The diary (1694-1704) of Sir Humphrey Mackworth (NLW MS 14362E); vouchers (1743-4) of the Mackworth estate (NLW MS 14369E); a bill book (1806-14) of William Gwynn (Neath) (NLW MS 14364E); and an eighteenth-century Welsh interlude by John Edwards (Glyn Ceiriog) (NLW MS 14363A).

Mynegai

Castell-Nedd.

## MARGAM LIBRARY CATALOGUE

1942090

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A catalogue of the Margam library, 1848 (NLW MS 14375E).

## MAP OF KENFIG

1942091

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A manuscript map of Kenfig, undated, but probably made during the second half of the sixteenth century (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

## ENGRAVED PRINTS

1942092

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

Several volumes of engraved prints (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

## BADMINTON

1942093

Ffynhonnell / Source

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

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1941-42

Disgrifiad / Description

A second instalment of manorial and other documents.

This section consists mainly of records relating to Courts Leet and Courts Baron of the seignory of Gower, and includes such records for the seignory itself, Gower Wallicana and Supraboscus, Gower Anglicana and Subboscus, the boroughs and manors of Swansea and Loughor, the manors of Oystermouth, Pennard and Kilvey, the ecclesiastical manors of Bishopston and Priorstone, Llangenith, etc. There is in addition a unique series of records relating to the Courts of Pleas of the borough of Swansea, the manor of Gower (Wallicana and Anglicana), etc., a useful series of surveys of several of the manors with a number of rentals and accounts, and a valuable series of documents relating to the assessment and collection of mises and aids in the seignory and its component parts. The range of dates of this second section extends from the reign of Edward I to the first quarter of the nineteenth century, though the greater number of items cover the eighteenth century.

In addition to the thousands of documents relating to the seignory of Gower there are important though scattered items relating to the manors of Ogmere, Llantwit, Boverton, Michaelston, Wringston, West Orchard, etc., in Glamorgan, and a few additional items relating to the Monmouthshire manors and the lordships of Crickhowell and Tretower covered by the first section. The two sections combined constitute one of the most important and valuable collections of records made available for any part of the country in this century. The total number of items exceeds 5,500.

In addition, the Duke of Beaufort has sent to the Library for scheduling about 2,000 deeds (12th-16th cent.) relating to Monmouthshire.

Mynegai

Gwyr, Gwyr Is Coed, Gwyr Uwch Coed, Abertawe, Casllwchwr, Ystumllwynarth, Cilfái, Llandeilo Ferwallt, Llangennith, Llangynwyd, Llangennydd, Trebefered, Llantwit Major, Wrinston, Wrinstwn, St Athan, Crucywel, Tretwr, Sir Fynwy.

Nodiadau

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## PENRICE AND MARGAM

1942094

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Lady Blythswood, the Honourable Mrs Olive Douglas Methuen-Campbell, and the Trustees of the will of the late Emily Charlotte Talbot of Penrice Castle and Margam Abbey.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Penrice and Margam Muniments - a very extensive corpus of muniments relating to Penrice Castle and Margam Abbey, both in the county of Glamorgan, deposited, as to the Penrice Castle group, by the Lady Blythswood and the Honourable Mrs. Olive Douglas Methuen-Campbell, and, as to the Margam Abbey group, by the Trustees of that estate, and ranking among the largest and most important groups of muniments ever placed on deposit in the National Library of Wales.

The archive consists mainly of deeds from the twelfth century down to the middle of the nineteenth century relating to lands of the Margam Abbey estate, deeds from the thirteenth century relating to the Penrice Castle estate (these latter forming the most important series of early Gower deeds known), manorial documents correspondence, miscellaneous legal documents, industrial and economic records, official records and miscellanea.

It is impossible at this stage to state the exact number of documents contained in the two groups. The late Dr Walter de Gray Birch of the British Museum prepared for the late Miss Emily Talbot, of Penrice Castle and Margam Abbey, a catalogue of approximately two-thirds of the archive, the number of separate catalogue entries which he wrote amounting to 9,357. Of these some 7,000 were printed in his Descriptive Catalogue of the Penrice and Margam Abbey Manuscripts . . . which was privately printed in six volumes, at the charge of Miss Talbot, between 1893 and 1905. Birch's 9,357 entries included, however, some hundreds of bundles which, when submitted to a quick examination, proved to contain several thousand separate documents. Moreover, Birch left undescribed about 1,000 deeds and cognate documents belonging mainly to the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, all but a very few letters - and they number some thousands - and some parcels of literary, legal and manorial documents. Although, as stated, no approximation as to the number of documents contained among these muniments can be reached at present it is obvious that several thousands need to be added to Birch's total of 9,357.

Up to the time when this Annual Report was going to press over 1,500 autograph letters had been catalogued, as had also been one group containing literary and manorial documents. The typing was in progress also of some hundreds of slips written by Birch but not included in his printed Catalogue.

Writing in 1897 Birch said, 'These deeds form probably the most complete original series in existence relating to one monastic establishment'. His reference is to the earliest documents, i.e., to the charters relating to Margam Abbey from its foundation c.1147 to the dissolution of the monastery in the time of Henry VIII. To this original series have been added, in the course of centuries, documents relating to the work and possessions of the Abbey and to the lands acquired by Sir Rice Mansel of Penrice Castle, who purchased the monastery and its lands after the dissolution, and by his successors at both Penrice Castle and Margam Abbey. The thousands of letters which have been preserved serve to throw light upon the activities of the successors of Sir Rice Mansel. In the seventeenth century, for example, Sir Edward Mansel, bart, was probably one of the most prominent men in the affairs of South Wales, holding various positions, one of which was that of Vice Admiral of South Wales, whilst, during the first twenty years of the eighteenth century, his son Thomas, first baron Mansel, the friend of Robert Harley, earl of Oxford, and of Dean Swift, was not only an important figure in Glamorgan but also held several offices under the Crown.

The documents relating to Margam Abbey qua abbey are naturally of prime importance and 'a knowledge of their contents is indispensable to those who are investigating the history of Glamorganshire and the chequered fortunes of that once illustrious Cistercian Abbey'. For various reasons the documents relating to the Abbey estate and to that of Penrice Castle have their value and interest, particularly as, in addition to the very large number of documents of the usual type associated with extensive and old estates, there are in the two groups numerous manorial documents, pedigrees, legal papers, etc. The value of the autograph letters has already been stressed and it remains to add that the literary and miscellaneous groups have considerable interest also, there being in the literary group several poems in Welsh or of Welsh interest which have never been published. It cannot be over-emphasised that the uncatalogued muniments, particularly the autograph letters, throw much new light on the social, political, industrial and economic life of Glamorgan. Nor is their interest confined to

Glamorgan, for there are documents relating to the other South Wales counties and, for reasons which need not be specified here, to certain English counties, particularly Lincolnshire.

Birch's Catalogue extended to six large octavo volumes, and it is anticipated that the National Library's series of catalogues, which will be necessary to supplement his work, will also extend to six volumes. (One volume has already appeared and others are in an advanced state. Later, when conditions return to normal, it is proposed to revise and re-arrange some portions of Birch's Catalogue). This fact in itself serves to give some idea of the extent and the importance of the Penrice and Margam Muniments and of the greatness of the debt which the Welsh nation owes to the Lady Blythswood and the Honourable Mrs Methuen-Campbell on the one part and on the other to the Trustees of the Margam Estate. The Council of the Library gladly and gratefully acknowledges its indebtedness.

Mynegai

Sir Forgannwg, Gwyr, Pen-rhys.

Nodiadau

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#### PUBLIC GENERAL STATUTES

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Rear-Admiral R G Rowley-Conwy, C.M.G., Bodrhyddan.

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A collection of Public General Statutes from 1798 to 1865 (Dept of Printed Books).

#### LLYFR LLANDAF ETC

1942096

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Philip Tatton Davies-Cooke, D.L., Gwysaney, Mold.

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Disgrifiad / Description

The twelfth-century manuscript Liber Landavensis, or the Book of Llandaff, containing transcripts of charters relating to the diocese of Llandaff, papal bulls, lives of Dubricius, Teilo, Oudoceus and other saints and bishops associated with the diocese, a Latin version of the Gospel according to Saint Matthew and miscellaneous matter (NLW MS 17110E).

A revised translation into Welsh, by and in the autograph of Richard Davies (1501-81), bishop of St. Davids, of the pastoral epistles of St Paul (NLW MS 17115E).

A catalogue of books in the Llannerch library, 1778, with a list of manuscripts there in 1740 (NLW MS 17126D).

Over 500 deeds and documents (c. 1300-1626) relating to properties in Bistre, Broncoyd, Caerfallwch, Englefield, Gronant, Gwernafield, Gwersyllt, Gwysaney, Hendregaerwys, Hope, Leeswood, Llewellyd, Llwynegrin, Mold, Nannerch, Nerquis, Northop, Prestatyn, Rhuddlan, Rhydorddwy, Soughton, Trecastell, and Ysceifiog, and elsewhere in Flintshire.

Mynegai

Llandaf, Tyddewi, Croesegob, Broncoed, Northop, Tegeingl, Llanasa, Yr Wyddgrug, Gresford, Gwysanau, Bryngwyn, Caerwys, Yr Hob, Coed-llai, Diserth, Llwynegrin, Nercwis, Llaneurgain, Sychdyn, Ysgeifiog, Sir Fflint, Llyfr Llandaf.

Nodiadau

Deeds transferred to Clwyd RO 23/10/81. NLW MS 17110E restricted access, Facsimile available, 7000E.

#### O GILBERT DAVIES

1942097

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr O Gilbert Davies, Welshpool.

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220 deeds and documents (1657-1874) relating to properties in Aberhavesp, Berriew, Bettws, Buttington, Castle Caereinion, Churchstoke, Garthbeibio, Guilsfield, Llanerfyl, Llanfair Caereinion, Llanfechain, Llanfyllin, Llangurig, Llanrhaeadr, Llansantffraid, Llanwnnog, Manafon, Meifod, Newtown, Penstrowed, and Welshpool, co. Montgomery, Dolgelly, co. Merioneth, and Priest Weston, co. Salop; tithe accounts for Llangurig, Llanidloes and Trefeglwys, 1806; and copies of returns of Montgomeryshire police expenses, 1866-73.

Mynegai

Aberhafesb, Berriw, Aberriw, Betws, Tal-y-bont, Castell Caereinion, Church Stoke, Yr Ystog, Cegidfa, Llanarmon-ym-Mechain, Llanrhaeadr-ym-Mochnant, Llansantffraid Deuddwr, Llanwnnog, Y Drenewydd, Penystrywaid, Y Trallwng, Dolgellau, Sir Drefaldwyn.

Nodiadau

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NEUADD-FAWR

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr I E Campbell-Davys, M A., Neuaddfawr, per Mr G C Porter, Llandilo.

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About 400 deeds (1554-1894) relating to the Neuaddfawr estate in cos. Brecknock, Carmarthen, Cardigan and Radnor; Vale of Towy Railway reports (1863-7); Rowland Price (Cilycwm) Charity papers (1719-1826); and transcripts of entries of baptism at Cilycwm (1898).

Mynegai

Sir Frycheiniog, Sir Gaerfyrddin, Sir Aberteifi, Sir Faesyfed, Cil-y-cwm, Llanfihangel Cil-y-cwm.

Nodiadau

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DERWYDD

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss A A J Stepney-Gulston, M.B.E., Derwydd, Llandebie.

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Over 600 deeds and documents (1514-1828) relating to properties in Llandybie, Llandilo, Llandyfeilog, Llanedy, Llanelly, Llangennech, Llangydeirne, Llannon, Kidwelly, Pembrey, and elsewhere in co. Carmarthen, and to the families of Vaughan, Protheroe, Stepney, Gulston and Bevan (including Bridget Bevan, the patron of Griffith Jones, Llanddowror).

Mynegai

Llandebie, Llandeilo, Llandyfaelog, Llanedi, Llanelli, Llangydeyrn, Llan-non, Cydweli, Pen-bre, Sir Gaerfyrddin, Llandeilo, Llanddyfrwyr.

Nodiadau

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LLANFAIR AND BRYNODOL

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Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend R Ll Langford-James, D.D., B.Mus., Shrewsbury.

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An additional group of over 700 items including deeds, documents, correspondence and miscellaneous papers (1623-1872) relating to the Llanfair, Brynodol and Taltreuddyn estates in cos. Caernarvon,

Merioneth and Anglesey; correspondence and papers relating to the 'North Wales' and 'Bangor and Carnarvon' railway schemes (1845-53); a book of legal precedents (1743) compiled by Hugh Griffith; and an audit account book (1818-19) of the receiver general of land revenue in North Wales and Chester.

See Annual Report, 1941, and The National Library of Wales Journal, Vol. II, pp. 76-8.

Mynegai

Sir Gaernarfon, Sir Feirionnydd, Sir Fôn, Caernarfon, Caer.

Nodiadau

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#### LONGUEVILLE

1942101

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Longueville & Co., Oswestry, per Mr J Iorwerth Williams, M.A., LL.B.

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Rentals and account books (1855-1913) of the Cornwallis West estates of Ruthin Castle and Newlands, cos. Denbigh and Hants, and (1788-1868) of the Kynaston estates of Hardwick, Hardley, Trewern and Plas y Dinas, cos. Salop and Montgomery; a court roll of the manor of Plas y Dinas, 1840; and thousands of drafts and office copies of documents, Welsh railway papers, abstracts of title and miscellaneous papers relating to business transacted by Messrs Longueville and Co.

Mynegai

Rhuthun, Tre-wern.

Nodiadau

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#### NASSAU SENIOR

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs St Loe Strachey, London.

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Papers on poor law and political economy by Nassau William Senior (1790-1864), including memoranda, notes and correspondence relating to the Poor Law Amendment Act of 1834, and notes of lectures delivered by Senior at Oxford (1826-52).

Mynegai

Rhydychen.

Nodiadau

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#### WATKINS & DAVID

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Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Watkins and David, Newtown.

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About 460 deeds and documents (1621-1899), including a large number of wills and administrations, relating to properties in Cemmaes, Hendidley, Kerry, Llanbryn-mair, Llangurig, Llanidloes, Llanllwchaiarn, Machynlleth, Montgomery, Moughtrey, Newtown, and Trefeglwys, co. Montgomery, and Knighton, co. Radnor.

A letter book (1850-1) of Thomas Edmund Marsh, solicitor, Llanidloes, and miscellaneous account books including accounts of the estate of T. E. Marsh (1826-61), an account book of John Dowlin, Cork (1836-40), and a Llanwnog poor rate assessment book (1868).

Mynegai

Cemaes, Cemais, Hendidle, Llanllwchaearn, Ceri, Llanbryn-mair, Trefaldwyn, Mochdre, Y  
Drenewydd, Trefyclo, Trefclawdd, Llanwnnog, Iwerddon, Ireland.

Nodiadau

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