

## ADRODDIAD BLYNYDDOL / ANNUAL REPORT 1928-29

EVAN JONES, LLANWRTYD WELLS

1929001

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late Mr Evan Jones, Tynypant, Llanwrtyd Wells.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Mr Evan Jones who died in February 1928, bequeathed to the Library his collection of archaeological antiquities. Mr Jones made a study for many years of the folk-lore and traditions of Breconshire, and in the course of his investigations collected a large number of objects of agricultural and archaeological interest. These have now been transferred to the Library, but as no provision has been made for the proper preservation and display of antiquities in the Library, some of the more important and valuable of the objects have been placed on permanent deposit in the National Museum of Wales, where they will be carefully preserved.

The collection contains circle-and-cross stones from Llangammarch; a large number of stone weights, ranging from four to forty-nine pounds, some with iron rings; stone querns; a stone mortar; a lipe-work seed-lip; a pair of wooden scales; wool combers; cow ties and other agricultural implements; a large number of coins; examples of domestic utensils; fragments of wood piles from a reputed lake dwelling at Trallwng Farm, Abergwesyn, and many other objects.

Mynegai

Sir Frycheiniog, Amgueddfa Genedlaethol Cymru, Llangamarch, Llanfihangel Abergwesyn.

EDWARD HUGHES ('Y DRYW') ETC

1929002

Ffynhonnell / Source

Anonymous, per the Reverend Chancellor John Fisher, B.D., D.Litt., Cefn Rectory, St. Asaph.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Two copies of a poem- "Llong-ddrylliad", which was successful at Newmarket Eisteddfod, 1829, and was published in Y Gwyliedydd, 1829, p. 127, under the pseudonym of 'Yr Unig Achubawl' (NLW MS 6084C); lines by the Rev. Edward Hughes, MA, 'Y Dryw', Rector of Bodfari, delivered at a dinner given to Dr William Owen Pughe at Denbigh, 1834 (NLW MS 6084C); copies of the inscription on a monument to Rev. Edward Hughes, and his wife (NLW MS 6084C); copy of a press obituary notice of Rev. Edward Hughes (NLW MS 6084C).

Mynegai

Botffari, Dinbych.

TALES IN CORNISH

1929003

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R St V Allin-Collins, 146 Fenchurch Street.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Typescript copy of some Cornish tales by the donor, author of a "Cornish Grammar", and "Some Short Stories in the Cornish Language" (NLW MS 6075C). The tales are translations into Cornish from other languages.

ARCHBISHOP GREEN MSS

1929004

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Bangor.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A number of documents bound in one folio volume, ranging in date from the eighteenth to the twentieth centuries, and relating to the families of Francis Green of Denmark Hill, co. Surrey, and Peter Williams of Gelli Lednais, Llandefeilog, Carmarthenshire (NLW MS 4840E). This volume forms a sequel to two (NLW MSS 4838-9F) presented in 1913.

A collection of books, including a set of the Records of the Convocation of Canterbury from 1913 to 1920, and a complete set of the Llandaff Diocesan Magazine (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

Llandyfaelog, Caergaint, Llandaf.

#### A PETITION TO THE COUNCIL IN THE MARCHES OF WALES

1929005

Ffynhonnell / Source

Birmingham Public Libraries

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Photocopies of three documents of Welsh interest, signed by Richard, Duke of York, who was connected with the history of Wales and the Marches. They are dated 1448 and 1449, and one was signed at Denbigh Castle (NLW MS 6678F).

The mysteryes of Nature and Art: Contained in foure severall Tretises, The First of water Workes, The second of Fyer workes, The third of Drawing . . . The fourth of divers Experiments . . . by J. B. [i.e., John Bate]. Title-page in facsimile. The first edition, 1634; a second edition appeared in 1635 (Dept of Printed Books).

Mynegai

Dinbych.

#### LLANFYLLIN MSS

1929006

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R A Bryan, Llanfyllin.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts, including minute books of the 'Powis Provincial Eisteddfod', 1893-1921 (NLW MSS 6218-23C); transcripts of sermons, and notes on theology (NLW MSS 6224-5B, 6226A); the journals of a Llanfyllin police constable, 1865-71 (NLW MSS 6227-9D); six numbers of the Myllin Lit. & Deb. Society's magazine, 1898-1901 (NLW MSS 6231-2B, 6233-4C); engineer's notebook, bills of work, quantities, and contract, relating to the Cambrian, Vale of Clwyd and Wrexham & Ellesmere Railways, etc. (NLW MSS 6235-7D) The printed books include a few publications relating to the Powis Eisteddfod, 1914 and 1924 (Dept of Printed Books). Also five steel engravings of Welsh interest (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Wreccsam, Powys.

#### D CUNLLO DAVIES

1929007

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend D Cunllo Davies, Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Six volumes of Welsh pamphlets chiefly of a religious character, several miscellaneous pamphlets and parts of Welsh periodicals (Dept of Printed Books).

DAVIES, GREGYNOG

1929008

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Misses Gwendoline and Margaret Davies, Gregynog, Mont.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Library has from time to time received from the Misses Davies copies specially bound at the Gregynog Bindery of the publications of the Press.

The following volumes have been received since the publication of the last Annual Report (Dept of Printed Books):- The Autobiography of Edward, Lord Herbert of Cherbury, with an introduction by C. H. Herford. The Gregynog Press, 1928. pp. xvi, 94, [ii]. No. 282 of 300 copies. Bound in brown levant morocco, dentelles gilt-lined, top edge gilt, with the arms of Lord Herbert on front cover in gold, silver, red and blue.

An account of the convincement, exercises, services and travels of that ancient servant of the Lord, Richard Davies . . . The Gregynog Press, 1928. pp. [ii], xx, [ii], 162,[2]. No. 21 of 175 copies. Bound in blue crushed levant morocco, dentelles gilt lined, t.e.g.

The Life of Saint David. (Text, freely collated by E. Rhys, based upon the Latin life by Rhygyfarch, 1057-1099, and upon the later lives). The Gregynog Press, 1927. pp.[ii], 42, [2]. No. 12 of 175 copies. Bound in red crushed levant morocco, gilt tooled in the pattern of a cross, dentelles gilt-lined, t.e.g.

Mynegai

Rhigyfarch.

T P ELLIS

1929009

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr T P Ellis, M.A., Dolgelly.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Seven volumes of his writings to supplement those already in the Library. A complete set of his works is now available (Dept of Printed Books). Four of the volumes, viz: Monograph on Ivory Carving in the Punjab, A Judge's Note Book (interleaved and much annotated by the author), and the first and second editions of The Law of Pre-emption in the Punjab, are the only copies available, and Mr Ellis reserves the right to recall them if required for his use.

EATON EVANS AND WILLIAMS

1929010

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs Eaton Evans and Williams, Solicitors, Haverfordwest.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Polling Books for the Hundred of Roose, co. Pembroke, for the elections held in May-June, 1807, and October, 1812, 2 vols., the Hundred of Narberth for the election held in October, 1812, 1 vol., and for the Hundred of Castlemartin for the election held in October, 1812.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

JOHN FISHER

1929011

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Chancellor John Fisher, B.D., D.Litt.

Blwyddyn / Year

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A bond, April 3, 1794, in the penalty of £1,800 from John Philipps Laugharne of Orlandon, Pem., to Martha Cornock of Great Hoatton, St. Ishmaels, Pem., and another, Oct. 3, 1816, in the penalty of £1,200 from John Edmund Philipps Laugharne, of Pontvane, Pem., to John Williams of Myrtle Hill, Wiston, Pem.

MANSEL FRANKLEN

1929012

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lady Mansel Franklen, St Hilary, Cowbridge.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Of additions to the Library, the most important and extensive is a donation from Lady Mansel Franklen, widow of the late Sir Thomas Mansel Franklen, (died 1928), of St Hilary, Cowbridge, for many years Clerk to the Glamorgan County Council. The gift consists of manuscripts (NLW MSS 6511-6615), valuable printed books, prints and original drawings.

The larger portion consists of material collected by Rev John Montgomery Traherne, (died 1860), Chancellor of Llandaff 1844-51, a noted antiquary and historian. In 1840, he edited *The Stradling Correspondence: A Series of Letters written in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, with notices of the family of Stradling of St Donat's*. In the same year appeared his *Historical Notices of Sir Matthew Cradock, Knt., of Swansea, in the reigns of Henry VII and Henry VIII*. He was a Fellow of the Royal Society, the Linnean Society, the Geological Society and the Society of Antiquaries. His wife was Charlotte Louisa, third daughter of Thomas Mansel Talbot of Margam. He was on terms of close friendship with Edward Copleston, (died 1849), Bishop of Llandaff, and Dean of St. Paul's, and related by marriage to W. Bruce Knight, Dean of Llandaff. Letters received by Mr. Traherne from these and many other correspondents are among the Franklen Papers.

It is only natural that a man of the tastes and learning of J. M. Traherne should have accumulated a large body of manuscript and other material, much of which related to Glamorgan. Some of this material came to him through his own family and that of his wife, but he was himself an assiduous collector; he purchased the manuscripts of William Davies of Cringell, and acquired those of John Walters of Llandough, whose *Welsh Dictionary*, published in parts, was completed in 1794.

The following is a summary of the principal classes of manuscripts:-

(a) Genealogies of well-known Glamorgan families, heraldry, inscriptions, epitaphs, wills and extracts from parish registers (NLW MSS 6543A, 6544E, 6545F, 6546-7E, 6548B, 6550F). The Stradlings and Sir Matthew Cradock are well represented in this group.

(b) Notes relating to agriculture (including an early broadside, after 1776) by the Glamorgan Agricultural Society, giving (1) A list of the honorary and pecuniary premiums given by the Society since its first institution, and (2) A list of the Society's models and implements of husbandry, which are placed in the Repository at Cowbridge . . . for general inspection, and the cost.

(c) Parliamentary elections in Glamorgan - an interesting and valuable group of broadsides and posters, election songs and squibs - papers relating to eisteddfodau, education, and religion, particularly in the diocese of Llandaff (NLW MSS 6575E, 6576F).

(d) Trade, industries, mines and minerals.

(e) History and topography of Glamorgan, general and local, including:-

1. Original deeds and other documents.

2. Papers relating to the Civil War and Colonel Philip Jones.

3. A number of the manuscripts of William Davies of Cringell, whose projected *History of Glamorgan* was never published. In a previous Report it was stated that Mr Wyndham Damar Clark, of Talygarn, had presented some of the 'lost' MSS of William Davies.

The mystery of the Cringell MSS is now cleared up. They were bought for £100 from the executors of William Davies by John Montgomery Traherne. After the death of Mr Traherne, some were sent by his widow to Mr G. T. Clark of Talygarn; the remainder went to Sir T. M. Franklen after the death of Mrs Traherne, his aunt. The papers have now been re-united in the National Library.

(f) Autograph letters - numerous and important, most of them addressed to J. M. Traherne, but there is one as early as 1704.

(g) Poetry, mainly in Welsh, including:-

1. An important manuscript of poems transcribed by a well-known Glamorgan bard, Llewelyn Sion of Llangewydd, who lived during the latter half of the sixteenth and the beginning of the seventeenth centuries (NLW MS 6511B).

2. Poetry by the Walters family of Llandough, namely, John Walters, rector of Llandough, near Cowbridge, whose English-Welsh Dictionary was printed in 1770-94, and his sons, John Walters, master successively of Cowbridge and Ruthin Schools, author of Poems, with notes, Oxford, 1780, and Translated Specimens of Welsh poetry in English verse ., . London, 1782, and Daniel Walters, assistant master at Cowbridge School. Father and sons were interested in poetry and scholarship.

It is interesting to note that John Walters the elder possessed the original manuscript of William Gambold's unpublished English-Welsh and Welsh-English Dictionary, which eventually went to Mr Traherne with the Walters MSS. Mr Traherne gave it to Connop Thirlwall, Bishop of St David's; it subsequently came into the possession of Sir John Williams, and is now in the National Library (Llanstephan MS. 189).

(h) 145 Deeds, many of which relate to Wales.

(i) Other original documents, including:-

1. Autograph letter from Owen Wynn to Sir John Wynn of Gwydir, the original of No. 1227 in the Calendar of Wynn Papers.

2. Ministers' Accounts for the year ending Michaelmas 1598, of the manors, lands and possessions in Glamorgan of Henry, Earl of Pembroke.

A catalogue of all the papers has been made, and will be printed.

There are many rare and valuable printed books in the collection, but only a general account can be given here (Dept of Printed Books). The books will be fully catalogued and described later, but it may be mentioned that they include thirty-one Civil War Tracts, several of which relate to Wales; locally printed works -histories, directories, and guides-of Cardiff, Neath, Newport, Swansea, and other places in South Wales; a set of off-prints of papers by the late George Thomas Clark, the historian of Glamorgan; an Index to Cartularies privately printed by Sir Thomas Phillipps, 1839; an excellent copy of the scarce Beati Pacifici, 1623, by Sir John Stradling, and a number of early Government publications.

There are also twenty-four portraits, mostly mezzotints, a large selection of topographical views, drawings and prints, in Wales, including a book of twenty-six pencil sketches from nature in South Wales, by James Bourne, and original drawings by Charles Norris of Tenby, several volumes of prints of a miscellaneous character, ordnance survey maps, and the map of Glamorgan made by George Yates of Liverpool, in 1799 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Saint Hilari, Y Bont-faen, Llanfihangel-y-bont-faen, Llandaf, Sir Forgannwg, Llandow, Llandw, Tal-y-garn (Llantrisant), Llangewydd (Laleston), Caerdydd, Castell-Nedd, Casnewydd, Abertawe, Dinbych-y-pysgod, Lerpwl, Rhuthun, Tyddewi.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

MERTHYR TYDFIL BANK

1929013

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr J Gilleland, 'Afallon', Ftostrasol, Llandyssul.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A £1 note issued by the Merthyr Tydfil Bank, April 24, 1819, made payable to Wm. Crawshay, Esq., by Thomas Pierce (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Mynegai

Merthyr Tudful, William Crawshay.

ADDRESS IN URDU

1929014

Ffynhonnell / Source

Deaconess Evelyn Hope, Llangranog, Cardiganshire.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An illuminated and embroidered address in Urdu, with interlinear English translation, written in honour of the Coronation of HM King Emperor George V by a Muhammedan Official at Sitapur, Oudh (NLW Rolls 242). The address is enclosed in a green velvet and gold embroidered case, with an outer wooden case.

Tennyson, Elaine, illustrated by Gustave Doré. London, 1867.

Mynegai

Schedule Available.

PEDIGREE OF THE HYWEL FAMILY, PENYCAIYRE

1929015

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Hugh Lloyd Howel, Aberystwyth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Pedigree in the main line . . . of the Hywel Family, Pencaiyre. (Based on the Golden Grove Manuscript). Printed (Dept of Printed Books).

BOOKPLATES

1929016

Ffynhonnell / Source

Sir Evan D Jones, Bt., D.L., LL.D.

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of Bookplates belonging to persons residing in Wales or the Marches, to people having connection with Welsh life, as well as to families of Welsh descent in England, Ireland and overseas, brought together by the donor during a period of fifteen years (Dept of Pictures and Maps). 1,400 plates, arranged alphabetically according to name of owner, mounted in two large volumes, handsomely bound in dark blue morocco. A Catalogue of the collection, with biographical and descriptive notes, was compiled by Mr Herbert M. Vaughan, FSA, and printed for private circulation, 1920, with a supplementary volume, [1928].

Mynegai

Iwerddon.

REES JENKIN JONES

1929017

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Goronwy Jones, Swansea.

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(a) Manuscripts brought together by his father, the late Rev Rees Jenkin Jones, MA, Aberdare, when compiling a new hymn book for the South Wales Unitarian Association (NLW MS 14147-213). They comprise copies of hymns, an index to the first lines of the hymns, a 'measure' index, a list of the authors of the hymns and correspondence relating to the compilation of the hymn-book.

(b) An account, by Rees Jenkin Jones, of "The Origin & History of 'Hen Dy Cwrdd', Aberdar"; correspondence; notebooks containing English and Welsh poetry, miscellaneous notes in English, Welsh and Latin; sermon notes; extracts from books; biographical notes, and notes on theology and philosophy.

(c) Theological works in English, Welsh and Latin, from the library of Rees Jenkin Jones.

Mynegai

Aberdâr, Aberdare.

NATHANIEL JONES

1929018

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R N Jones, Bryn Melyn, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A manuscript volume by Nathaniel Jones, containing his autobiography and other miscellanea, in Welsh (NLW MS 6191B). Also two letters in his autograph written to his nephew, one dated March 29, 1848, the other undated (NLW MS 6192D).

ROBERT OWEN, NEWTOWN

1929019

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor D Kitano, College of Commerce, Kwansei Gakim, Kobe, Japan.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Great interest has been manifested during recent years in Robert Owen of Newtown, social reformer, and the study of his political and sociological philosophy has extended to most of the countries of the world. Recently the Library received from Professor Kitano a copy of the Life, Thoughts, and Work of Robert Owen, written in Japanese by the donor, and printed at Tokyo (Dept of Printed Books). The volume consists of 434 pages of text in Japanese character, together with fourteen portraits and other illustrations of or relating to Robert Owen. The author presented this autographed copy of his work through the Museum Book Store, London.

Mynegai

Y Drenewydd, Japan, Siapan.

D MORGAN LEWIS

1929020

Ffynhonnell / Source

Professor D Morgan Lewis, M.A., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A collection of books, chiefly theological and philosophical (Dept of Printed Books).

LEWIS, LLANRHYSTUD MSS

1929021

Ffynhonnell / Source

Messrs R Lewis & Co., Felinganol, Llanrhystyd, and the Reverend D Wyre Lewis, Rhos.

Blwyddyn / Year

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1. Notebooks and miscellaneous papers of their father, John Lewis, 'Eos Glan Wyre', of Llanrhystyd, author of several poems and a competitor at local and other eisteddfodau (NLW MSS 8177-277). The pieces, most of which are in Welsh, were composed at various times from 1859 onwards, and include some hymns in Welsh and English.

2. The music manuscripts, papers and books of their uncle, David Lewis, musician, Llanrhystyd (NLW MSS 8177-277).

3. A collection of books, printed music and periodicals, including two imperfect editions of Aleluia; the 2nd, 3rd and 4th editions of Caniadau, and other works of William Williams, Pantycelyn (Dept of Printed Books).

Born in 1828, in Llanrhystyd, David Lewis was one of a small company of Welsh musicians who came to the front forty to fifty years ago; others amongst them were Gwilym Gwent, Dr Joseph Parry and Alaw Ddu. His musical talents were developed in spare time with the help and encouragement of his

father, Lewis Lewis, and of 'Ieuan Gwyllt'. When about fifteen, he became a tutor of music classes in his native village and adjoining parishes, and also began to compose. He took his first prize in 1854; his principal achievements in this sphere were at National Eisteddfodau, held at Aberdare, 1861; Swansea, 1863; Llandudno, 1864; Aberystwyth, 1865; and Cardiff, 1883. He composed hymn-tunes and a number of part-songs and anthems, assisted in editing the Baptist Tune-book, Llywybrau Moliant, and a collection called Emynau y Cysegr a'r Teulu, issued by Thomas Gee, and adjudicated at eisteddfodau throughout Wales. He died on Oct. 6, 1908. The collection contains:-

1. A large number of letters, sent to David Lewis during 1851-1908 (NLW MSS 8265-71C). Amongst the writers are Owain Alaw; Ceiriog; Alaw Ddu; Spinther; Emllyn Evans; Thomas Gee; Silvan Evans; David Jenkins (Aberystwyth); Sir John Rhys; M. O. Jones (Treherbert); Thomas Charles Edwards; Charles Ashton; Daniel Lloyd (Bishop of Bangor); D. O'Brien Owen; Dr W. Edwards (S. Wales Baptist College); Elfed; Ieuan Gwyllt and others.
2. Seventy-nine volumes of manuscript music, and a few miscellaneous note-books, many of them original manuscripts of David Lewis, prepared by him for competitions, etc.
3. Two documents (NLW Misc Documents, Cardiganshire), one, 1774, being the grant of the rectorial tithe of Llanrhystyd to Stephen Morice by Rev. Isaac Williams of Ystrad Teilo; the other, 1853, is the administration of the will of Anne James of Penydre, Llanfihangel y Creuddyn, granted to her father by Connop Thirlwall, Bishop of St David's.
4. Printed items, containing manuscript notes by David Lewis. Amongst these are:- a diary for 1873, with entries by David Lewis; a copy of Llyfr Tonau Cynulleidfaol, Ieuan Gwyllt, 1859; Llawlyfr Moliant . . . at wasanaeth y Bedyddwyr, 1880, given to David Lewis by Spinther, 1881; a copy of 'Y Cambrian'- the Balance Sheet of the Llanrhystyd Philanthropic Society for 1861 and 1862.

Mynegai

Llanrhystud, Aberdâr, Abertawe, Caerdydd, Llanfihangel-y-Creuddyn, Tyddewi.

#### C E LIVESEY

1929022

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss C E Livesey, Southsea.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Miss Livesey has presented to the Library several interesting books (Dept of Printed Books), including A True copy of the Journal of the High Court of Justice for the tryal of King Charles 1. London, 1684; A Ternary of Paradoxes of the Magnetick Cure of Wounds . . . by Joh. Bapt. Van Helmont . . . translated by Walter Charleton, 1650; and some early medical and mathematical works.

#### 'THE HISTORY OF THE NOBLE FAMILY OF THE MANSELS'

1929023

Ffynhonnell / Source

Captain Llewellyn, Court Colman, Bridgend.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Photocopy of "The History of the Noble Family of the Mansels", by, and in the autograph of, John Walters, the elder, of Llandough, near Cowbridge (Dept of Printed Books). A draft of the 'History' came to the Library in the Mansel Franklen collection.

Mynegai

Y Bont-faen, Llanfihangel-y-bont-faen.

#### PRINTED BOOKS

1929024

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Lloyd, Llwyncadfor, Aberystwyth.

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Disgrifiad / Description

Mrs Lloyd has presented her library of upwards of 2,000 volumes. The books consist mainly of theological works, English and Welsh, but there is also a representative collection of eighteenth century literature of general interest (Dept of Printed Books).

CHINA IN SIGN AND SYMBOL

1929025

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr Evan Morgan, Baptist Missionary of Shanghai.

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Disgrifiad / Description

China in sign and symbol, by Louise Crane (Dept of Printed Books). With decorations by Kent Crane. Shanghai: Kelly & Walsh, 1926. pp. xx, 228. 284 x 220 plates (some col.). Copy autographed by the author and illustrator. Bound in full art canvas, gilt lettering, with decorative end papers. Illustrated with 34 coloured plates, 10 reproductions in half-tone, and a coloured panoramic view of a Peking Funeral Procession.

Mynegai

Tseina.

W M MYDDELTON MSS

1929026

Ffynhonnell / Source

The late W M Myddelton, Woodhall Spa.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Thirty-one volumes of Chirk Castle manuscripts, most of which are account books connected with the Chirk Castle estates, kept by the Myddeltons or their agents, during 1647-1761 (NLW MSS 6363-401). Mr Myddelton published:- (1) Chirk Castle Accounts, AD 1605-66. St. Albans: Gibbs & Bamforth, 1908. (Privately printed); and (2) Pedigree of the Family of Myddelton of Gwaynynog, Garthgynan and Llansannan, in the County of Denbigh. Horncastle: W. K. Morton & Sons, Ltd., 1910. (Privately printed) (Dept of Printed Books).

The following is a list of the MSS:-

1. Account of Chief Rents received by Sir Thos. Myddelton of Chirk, during 1647-8, kept by Watkin Kyffin of Glascoed, co. Denbigh (NLW MS 6363E).
2. Chirk Castle accounts for 1657-61 (NLW MS 6372E).
- 3.(a) Tithe accounts for the parishes of Llansannan, Llanarmon Dyffryn Ceiriog, Eastyn in Queene Hope and Hope, 1660-74 (NLW MS 6385B).
- (b) A list of servants at Chirk Castle and their wages for 1707-16 (NLW MS 6385B).

The volume is bound in limp vellum and lettered:- "A Booke of Servants Wages belonging to ... Master Richard Myddelton Bart. . . ."

4. Accounts of Chirk Castle disbursements for 1662-5, including those of Black Parke, cattle, additional buildings at Keven y werne, poor and pensioners, servants, Farne Races, etc. (NLW MS 6386E)

5. A volume, bound in vellum, containing receipts of rents and disbursements, kept by Richard Myddelton, merchant, London, for 1665-76 (NLW MS 6387E).

6. Accounts of rents received by Sir Thomas Myddelton, Bart., during 1667-80 (NLW MS 6368F).

7. Small account book, kept by Robert Myddelton of Chirk Castle (died 1733), for 1669-1715 (NLW MS 6388B).

On a loose sheet is a note by Sir Wm. Myddelton, Bart., of Chirk, relating to the "Manner of Lanckorne".

8. "A true and perfect Rentroll of Dame Mary Myddelton, her Joynture, and lands bought by her . . . for the years 1671 and 1672" (NLW MS 6364E).

9. Account of Receipt of rents and disbursements, kept by Peter Davies for Richard Myddelton, merchant, London, during 1676-99 (NLW MS 6371E).

10. Accounts of rents received for Sir Thomas Myddelton, Bart., during 1680-1717.

- 11.(a) Account of disbursements kept for Sir Richard Myddelton, Bart., by John Williams, during 1685-6 (NLW MS 6367E).
- (b) Account of Receipts kept for Sir Thomas Myddelton by Tho. Prichard, during 1682-6 (NLW MS 6384E).
- (c) Other miscellaneous accounts.
12. Accounts of disbursements, kept for Sir Richard Myddelton, Bart., 1683-7 (NLW MS 6370F).  
On the first page is this note:-". . . upon the third day of August 1687 this booke B was produced by Thomas Prichard, gent. a deponent . . . in cause between dame Charlotte Middleton . . . and others, complainants, and Sir Richard Middleton, Bart., and others, defendants . . . in the high Court of Chauncery".
13. Rent accounts for the lordship of Chirk, giving Tenants' names, amount of annual rents, and accounts of money received, for 1684-6 (NLW MS 6381E).
14. "A Particular of all the Arreares of Rents due att Michaelmas, 1686, from the severall tenants late of Sir Tho. Myddelton, Bart., deceased. Also an account what is received thereof and what remains unpaid on the first day of October 1688" (NLW MS 6365E).
15. Accounts of arrears of rents in the lordship of Chirk for certain years, ending in 1686, and rent rolls of estates in the same lordship for 1686-94, kept by Peter Davies (NLW MS 6366E).
16. Rent accounts for lands in the lordship of Chirk during 1686-99 (NLW MS 6367E).
17. Chirk Castle Stable Accounts for 1690-1738. They include particulars of horses bought and sold, money paid for oats, wages of grooms, etc. (NLW MS 6379E)
18. Accounts of Chirk Castle Receipts and Disbursements for 1694-1704 (NLW MS 6373E).
19. Small note book, containing miscellaneous accounts kept by Tho. Cupper during 1704-6. Loose in the book is "A Note of Arms att the Castle"- Feb. 5, 1682 (NLW MS 6389A).
20. Account of rents received by Tho. Cupper for Sir Richard Myddelton, Bart., during 1705-13 (NLW MSS 6374-5E).
21. Accounts of Rents received by Tho. Cupper for Sir Richard Myddelton, Bart., during 1713-16 (NLW MSS 6374-5).
22. Accounts of disbursements, kept for Robert Myddelton, Esq., by Tho. Cupper, during 1717-23 (NLW MS 6383D).
23. Account book of payments and receipts, kept by John Parry for Robt. Myddelton, Esq., of Chirk Castle, during 1720-7 (NLW MS 6380E).
24. Account book of Benjn and Hen. Hoare, Esqrs. and partners, (solicitors ?), for 1737-9 (NLW MS 6390B).
25. Assessment book of townships in the parishes of Chirk, Llangollen, Llansantffraid, Llanarmon, Llangadwalader, Llanrhaidr in Mochnant, Llangedwin, Llansilin, Wrexham, Bangor, Marchwiel, Gresford, Ruabon, Holt, Erbistock, Llantysillio, Llandegla, Bryneglwys and Llanferres, for 1738-40 (NLW MS 6376E).
- 26.(a) List of Freeholders in the county of Denbigh and particulars of assessments for 1738, 1739 and 1740 (NLW MS 6377E).
- (b)"Account of goods for the use of Richd. Myddelton, Esqr., ... Bot. of Nath. Kynaston", 1747-8.
27. Rent Account book for various properties in co. Denbigh. The properties are arranged alphabetically and divided into Chief rents and Cottage rents. 1760-1 (NLW MS 6391E).
28. A volume lettered 'Coal Book' (NLW MS 6392E). It contains:-
- (a) Coal accounts for the years 1872-9, kept by Peter Davies.
- (b) Extracts from Wrexham Parish Registers (19th century); entries in red ink, relating to Disbursements, made by John Parry, 1720-8. Loose in the volume are, I, a large sheet of paper with conjugations of French verbs. II, a single sheet containing an "Index of Peter Davis's book of Rts. and Ac. of Rich. Myddelton Esquire".
- 29.(a) List of electors in the parishes of Bangor, Erbistock, Gresford, Holt, Ruabon, Wrexham, objected to as not rated. No date (NLW MS 6393E).
- (b) Assessments for the lordship of Chirk, 1738-41 (NLW MS 6376E).
30. Account of Chirk Castle Disbursements, 1745-55 (NLW MS 6378D).
31. Account of Live Stock at Chirk Castle, for 1750-8 (NLW MS 6382E).
- Eight additional volumes have been acquired from another source. These are:-
1. Volume lettered 3 F.R.[p.5.], " Richd Myddelton Esqr. Weekly Account Book begun 29th Sepbr. 1786". It ends on 9, Oct. 1789 (NLW MS 6394D),.
  2. "Goods recd. from Tradesmen from Jany. 1st 1750 to-", ends in 1754 (NLW MS 6395E). Bound in vellum.

3. "Ledger from the 1st of Jany. 1754 to the 3rd of Feby. 1760 ", a continuation of (2) (NLW MS 6395E).
4. Estate accounts. Leases, Rents and Fines, from 1739-52 (NLW MS 6396E). Bound in leather.
5. Coal Book. One side "Coal at Black park", on the other "Coal workd. at a farm" (NLW MS 6397E). Bound in leather.
6. "Money paid in part and Lent (1739) 1740", contains up to June, 1743 (NLW MS 6398E). Bound in vellum.
7. "An Inventory of Household Goods 1741", being an inventory of the possessions of John Myddelton, Esq., at Chirk Castle (NLW MS 6400E).
8. "A weekly Acct of work done by Carpenters Wheelwrights Labours &c from Janry 12th 1750, to Jan 1st. 1754" (NLW MS 6401E). Bound in vellum.

Mynegai

Glasgoed, Llundain, Llangadwaladr, Llanrhaeadr-ym-Mochnant, Llangedwyn, Wrecsam, Llandysilio, Sir Ddinbych.

#### CERRIG Y DRUDION EISTEDDFOD

1929027

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr E Tegid Owen, Cerrig y Drudion.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

An elegy in Welsh on the death of William Jones, Esq., Liverpool, composed for Cerrig y Drudion Eisteddfod, 1876 (NLW MS 6262A). The poem is signed 'Elldeyrn', dated August 9, 1876, and addressed to Mr Tegid Owen.

Mynegai

Lerpwl, Cerrigydrudion (Llanfair Fadlen).

#### MICHAEL JONES, BALA

1929028

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Goronwy Owen, Dolgoed, Bala.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Letters sent to Rev Michael Jones, Bala, by various people during 1841-53 (NLW MS 6416C). One of them was written by William Rees (Gwilym Hiraethog), when he was pastor of Tabernacle, Liverpool, to support the application of a young man from his church to enter Bala College.

Mynegai

Lerpwl.

#### THE PLAYS OF TERENCE

1929029

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss E G Parker, Oxford.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A copy of Terentius, In quem triplex edita est P. Antesignani . . . commentatio Primum, secundum et tertium exemplares. Editio tertii exempl. Lugduni. 1560 (NLW MS 6263B). There are notes in manuscript throughout the volume, many of which are of Welsh interest, and point to the fact that the book may at one time have been in the possession of a person living in or having some connection with Anglesey.

Mynegai

Sir Fôn.

## PEGASUS PRESS

1929030

Ffynhonnell / Source

Pegasus Press

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The following is a list of the volumes acquired by gift or purchase, during the current year (Dept of Printed Books):-

Giovanni Pisano, his life and work, by Adolfo Venturi. Paris, 1928. Pantheon Series. pp. x, 62, [4]. 120 plates. 308 x 225.

The drawings of G. B. Tiepolo, by Detlev Baron von Hadeln. Paris, 1928. Pantheon Series. 2 vols. 307 x 228. plates.

Florentine painting of the Trecenti, by Pietro Toesca, Paris, [1929]. Pantheon Series. pp. xii, [iv], 119 plates. 308 x 223. One of the most important periods in Florentine Art is covered by the author and so far supersedes any work on the subject. Giotto, and the Giottesque cycle is the special study of this volume. Bound in ½ morocco, t.e.g.

German illumination. Vol I. Carolingian Period. Vol. II. Ottonian Period. By Adolph Goldschmidt. Paris, [1929]. Pantheon Series. 2 vols. 307 x 226. plates. The value and interest of these volumes extends further than the specialist in art, for the history of civilisation is traced in the illumination of manuscripts. Professor Goldschmidt reminds us that "one of the most important heritages transmitted by the later antique civilisation, perhaps the most important, was the book". Bound in ½ morocco, t.e.g. North Italian painting of the Cinquecento . . . by Corrado Ricci. Paris, [1929]. Pantheon Series. pp. viii, [iv]. 84 plates. 308 x 225. The author is the curator of antiquities of the kingdom of Italy, and his work deals with the close of the fifteenth and the beginning of the sixteenth centuries . . . when the spirit of the Renaissance challenged Gothic tradition and Classical influence. Leonardo was without rival among his successors, and the particular interest of Professor Ricci's work lies in the ascendancy of Correggio to similar fame. Bound in ½ morocco, t.e.g.

Spanish Romanesque sculpture, by A. Kingsley Porter. Paris, [1929]. Pantheon Series. 2 vols. 308 x 225. plates. Professor Porter proves that Romanesque influence penetrated Spain from France and the North, rather than from the Mediterranean, and that English and Irish crosses figure in its origin. Bound in ½ morocco, t.e.g.

A newly discovered treatise on classic letter design, printed at Parma by Damianus Moyllus, circa 1480. Reproduced in facsimile, with an introd. by Stanley Morison. Paris: 1927. pp. 82,[ii]. 186 x 124. A facsimile of the earliest printed work known showing the formation of Latin letters. One of 350 copies printed at Montagnola on Arches paper.

Andres Brun, Calligrapher of Saragossa: some account of his life and work, by Henry Thomas and Stanley Morison. Paris: 1929. pp. 104. plates (some col.). A facsimile of two almost unknown books (1583 and 1612) of a Spanish writing master of the XVIth century. No. III of 150 copies printed on hand-made paper. The cloth binding is decorated in red with an arabesque border cut after a design made by Andres Brun for the title page of the 1583 edition.

Eustachio Celebrino, da Udene: engraver, calligrapher and writer, by Stanley Morison. Paris: [1929]. pp. 24. illus. No. 41 of 150 copies, containing a facsimile of Celebrino's Manual of learning to write the mercantile hand, 1525.

## BYE-GONES RELATING TO WALES ETC

1929031

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Egerton G B Phillimore, Corris.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Bye-Gones, 1871-82, Editor's Press Cuttings (NLW MSS 6491-3D). With names of writers added by Mr Askew Roberts (first editor) . Presented to Mr Phillimore by Mr. Woodall (second editor).

An Irish English Primer . . . for use of schools. Dublin, 1815 (Dept of Printed Books).

De Gevallen van Telemachus zoone van Ulysses, of vervolg van het Vierde Boek der Odyssea van Homerus, beschreven door den Heere, Francois de Salignac, van Mothe Fenelon . . . Uit het Fransch

vertaald . . . door Isaak Verburg. In 2 volumes. Amsterdam, 1770 (Dept of Printed Books). (With autograph "G. Borrow" on title page of second volume).

#### BIBLE

1929032

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R Lloyd Phillips, Llanuwchllyn.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Y Bibl, 1690. With the exception of the general title page, a good copy of the large folio edition of the Welsh Bible known as Beibl yr Esgob Llwyd (Dept of Printed Books). On the fly-leaf is an inscription: "This Book is the Gift of Dr. Wynn, Chancelor of Hereford to David Roberts &c. Anno Dom.; 1734". The word 'is' has been struck out and 'was' written in, in a later hand.

#### JOHN HUGHES, ARCHDEACON OF CARDIGAN

1929033

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend J P Poole-Hughes, M.A., Llanymynech.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A MS. volume of 457 pages, with the following on the fly-leaf:- "Sylwedd Pregethau gan John Hughes", afterwards the Venerable John Hughes, Archdeacon of Cardigan, grandfather of the donor (NLW MS 6409B).

The sermons in this manuscript are in Welsh throughout, and were written during 1835-9; occasional notes indicate that some were translated into English. The sermons were preached mainly at Aberystwyth and Llanbadarn, during the time when John Hughes was "Vicar of Llanbadarn and Incumbent of Aberystwyth".

John Hughes was born at Llwyn Glas, about eight miles from Aberystwyth, in 1787. He received his early education at the Ystrad Meurig Grammar School. His first curacy was at Llandrillo, 1811. In 1817 he left Wales for England, where he remained until 1827, when he returned to the incumbency of Llanbadarn Fawr, later (1833) becoming Vicar of Aberystwyth as well. He was the last to hold the combined parishes. Early in 1859 he was appointed Archdeacon of Cardigan by Dr. Thirlwall, Bishop of St David's. He died in 1860. Many of his sermons and hymns, in Welsh and English, have been published.

Mynegai

Aberteifi, Tyddewi.

#### RUTHIN (GRAMMAR) SCHOOL

1929034

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Right Honourable the Earl of Powis.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Documents, dated May 1893, relating to Education in Wales (NLW MS 6407E):-

(a) A manifesto relating to The Welsh Intermediate Education Act, 1889, and the Ruthin Grammar School, with a covering letter from Bulkeley O. Jones, Warden of the school.

(b) A letter from A. C. Humphreys-Owen, Glansevern, relating to "Technical Education otherwise than in County Schools".

Mynegai

Rhuthun.

#### CALVINISTIC METHODIST QUARTERLY ASSOCIATIONS

1929035

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend John Pritchard, M.A., B.D., Llanberis.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Agenda, Minutes, Reports and other printed matter of the Calvinistic Methodist Quarterly Associations of North and South Wales, covering 1887 to 1928 (Dept of Printed Books).

THOMAS PRICE ('CARNHUANAWC')

1929036

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend Principal Owen Prys, M.A., D.D., Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Lithographed portrait of Rev Thomas Price, 'Carnhuanawc' (1787-1840), rector of Cwm Du, Brecknockshire, and author of Hanes Cymru, 1842, who was associated with many of the Welsh literary, musical and eisteddfod activities of his period (Dept of Pictures and Maps). It is inscribed 'To the Promoters and Encouragers of the Welch Language, this print of Carnhuanawc, the Revd. T. Price, is most respectfully dedicated by the Author. Drawn from the Life by Charles Lucy, and on Stone by Lowes Dickinson'.

Mynegai

Cwm-du.

SIR JOHN GIBSON

1929037

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr R Read, 'Cambrian News', Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The autograph manuscript, in four volumes, of "Gorwen", a story of Welsh life by the late Sir John Gibson, published in The Cambrian News, c. 1895 (NLW MSS 6197-200C). Also a number of poems (typescript) by the same author, which appeared in the same paper during 1896-1902 (NLW MS 6201C).

An essay concerning humane understanding. In four books, by John Locke. London (Dept of Printed Books): Printed by Eliz. Holt for Thomas Basset, 1690. pp. [xii], 362, [22], 322 x 200. calf. Dedicated to the Rt. Hon. Thomas, Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery, Baron Herbert of Cardiff.

MEN OF HARLECH

1929038

Ffynhonnell / Source

Lieutenant-Colonel W T B Rhodes, Cul-an-Eilan, Inverness.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Volumes 1-8, 1893-1900, of The Men of Harlech (Dept of Printed Books): newspaper for the 2nd Battalion of the Welch Regiment, founded to bring the rank and file of the regiment, at home and abroad, into closer association, and to record the constant changes taking place in the personnel of the regiment. It contains reminiscences of the regimental life of the various battalions in foreign parts, descriptions of shooting expeditions, and notes and accounts of sporting events in which various battalions took part. Complete files of the early volumes of this periodical are very rare.

The volumes presented by Lieutenant-Colonel Rhodes were published in India, the first number at Trimulgherry, Deccan, March 14, 1893, and later volumes at Bellary and Ahmednagar, where the regiment was subsequently stationed. Later volumes of this periodical are already in the Library, but

the volumes for 1900-11 are still required. The courtesy of Major H. A. Wiemers, The Barracks, Cardiff, in making known the wants of the National Library is hereby acknowledged.

Mynegai  
Caerdydd.

#### LLANFYLLIN MSS

1929039

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Idris O Roberts, Llanfyllin.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscripts and miscellanea, including-Diary of William Baxter, The Green, Manafon, Mont., from April 5, 1846, to May 23, 1871 (NLW MS 6211B); a Common-place Book of the same person (NLW MS 6212B); material relating to the history of Wesleyanism in Llansilin (NLW MS 6213A), and papers of the Bagillt Nonconformist Cemetery Company (NLW MS 6214C).

#### PANTLLUDW

1929040

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Ruck, Pantlludw, Machynlleth.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Panton papers. A group of 200 documents, mainly drafts or copies of deeds, covering 1653-1782, and relating to property in the counties of Anglesey, Caernarvon, Merioneth and Montgomery. The Garnons family of Rhiwgoch figures prominently in the documents.

Mynegai

Sir Fôn, Sir Gaernarfon, Sir Feirionnydd, Sir Drefaldwyn.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

#### SCHOOL ATTENDANCE COMMITTEE OF ABERYSTWYTH SCHOOLS

1929041

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr T J Samuel, Town Clerk, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Register of prosecutions made by the School Attendance Committee of the Aberystwyth Schools from June 13, 1894, to July 4, 1922 (NLW MS 15128A).

#### SPURRELL'S DUOGLLOT ALMANAC

1929042

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Walter Spurrell, J.P., Carmarthen.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Spurrell's Duoglott Almanac, 12 issues. 1848-1916 (Dept of Printed Books). In addition to the usual list of fairs and other information relating to rural activities in Wales, these Almanacs record events of general and local interest.

#### THE HOMES OF WALES

1929043

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend A S Thomas, Trefilan, Cardiganshire.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

An English version of Owen M. Edwards's *Cartrefi Cymru* (1896) in the autograph of the translator, Rev Arthur S. Thomas, 'Anellydd', Rector of Trefilan. Translated in 1926 (NLW MS 6195C).

#### LETTERS FROM EMIGRANTS ETC

1929044

Ffynhonnell / Source

Miss Mary Thomas, Llanwenog.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Autograph letters, ranging from 1832 to 1921, photographs of Cardiganshire people, memorial and invitation cards, and miscellanea (NLW MSS 6425C, 6426D). The earliest letter is dated May 2, 1832, from New York, and describes the voyage of Thomas Thomas of Llandyssul, from Liverpool to New York.

Mynegai

Sir Aberteifi, Lerpwl, Efrog Newydd, USA, Unol Daleithiau, Llandysul.

#### CANWYLL Y CYMRY

1929045

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Rowland Thomas, Wrexham.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Canwyll y Cymry. Rhys Prichard (NLW MSS 6207-8B). A copy of the 1770 edition published and printed by Rhys Thomas, Llandovery, used by Rev Rice Rees, Professor of Welsh, St. David's College, Lampeter, in the preparation of a new edition. This copy is interleaved, and has notes in manuscript throughout by Rice Rees.

Mynegai

Llandyfri, Llanymddyfri, Llanbedr Pont Steffan.

#### DAVID WEILL

1929046

Ffynhonnell / Source

M David Weill.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Collection David Weill. Notices par Gabriel Henriot. Tome 3 (in 2). Paris: Des Presses de Braun & Cie, 1928 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

M. David Weill's gift of the first two volumes of this work was reported last year. Volume three consists of reproductions of drawings in pencil, ink, crayon, &c. Especially good are some designs à la sanguine by various artists and some sepia drawings after Fragonard. The volume covers the same period of French art as the two preceding ones, viz., the 18th and early 19th centuries.

#### WELSH NEWSPAPERS

1929047

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Executors of the late Alderman C M Williams.



Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Welsh Newspapers (Dept of Printed Books), including long files of The Aberystwyth Observer, The Montgomery County Times and The Welshman, belonging to the late Alderman Williams, who had made a practice of collecting and filing many of the leading Welsh daily and weekly papers. The Library has had the opportunity of selecting from this collection the issues required to complete the existing files, and many gaps have thus been filled.

Mynegai

Sir Drefaldwyn.

TORIEL WILLIAMS

1929048

Ffynhonnell / Source

The Reverend J Toriel Williams, Seven Sisters.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Autograph copies of poems composed by himself, and various cuttings from local newspapers.

J ELLIS JONES ('ELIDIRFAB')

1929049

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr W T Williams, Pontrhythallt, Llanrug.

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A poem in Welsh on "Hen Feibil Peter Williams" in the autograph of the author, J. Ellis Jones, 'Elidirfab', of Nant Peris, Llanberis, who died c. 1910 (NLW MS 6193B).

FRONDIRION MSS

1929050

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Disgrifiad / Description

Included in a group of manuscripts and papers purchased are (NLW MSS 6154-89):-

1. Letters from Welsh emigrants to the United States of America, chiefly Wisconsin, to relatives in Merioneth, 1847 and onwards (NLW MS 6174E).
2. Papers dealing with religious and educational affairs in West Merioneth during the 19th century, including material relating to the labours of Lewis Williams, Llanfachreth, one of Thomas Charles of Bala's Schoolmasters (NLW MSS 6175C, 6176D, 6177D, 6178C, 6179B); letters from and to Lewis Williams; material giving the history of Calvinistic Methodist churches in Dolgelley, Llanidloes, etc. (NLW MS 6186E)
3. Account books of farmers and tradesmen (NLW MSS 6163D, 6164B, 6165-9A); manuscript book, written c. 1860, giving drawings of the ear-marks of sheep belonging to farmers in the district ranging from Trawsfynydd to Bala (NLW MS 6170A).
4. An essay on the life and work of William Owen (Pughe) (NLW MSS 6183C, 6184D).

Mynegai

USA, Unol Daleithiau, Sir Feirionnydd, Dolgellau.

FFOREST LEGIONIS MSS

1929051

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

From the archive of the late Edmund Jones, "Forest Legionis". (NLW MSS 1125-75) are part of the same collection).

Manuscripts, deeds, prints, etc., including:-

1. A table showing the genealogy of Oliver Cromwell, "copied by Mrs. Edmund Jones from a transcript made by Mr. Glascodine of Swansea from sheets lent him by Mr. Morgan Bransby Williams, October, 1902"(NLW MS 6090F).
2. A Carmarthenshire Undersheriff's Book for 1736-7 (NLW MS 6091B); a volume of 40 pages, bound in limp vellum.
3. A transcript of a Steward's book of the sixteenth century, giving an account of Court proceedings in the Manor of Cadoxton-iuxta-Neath (NLW MS 6092B).
4. Letters and papers relating to South Wales ironworks during 1771 to 1841, and other miscellaneous items, collected by John Lloyd, author of Old South Wales Ironworks (NLW MS 6093E).
5. Engraved and other portraits of L. W. Dillwyn, Huw Tegai, and others, topographical prints, bank notes of old Welsh banks (Dept of Pictures and Maps); autograph letters, Glamorgan election papers, etc. (NLW MS 6094D)

Mynegai

Abertawe, Sir Gaerfyrddin, Cadoxton iuxta Neath, Llangatwg Glyn Nedd, Sir Forgannwg.

#### 'MSS COLLECTIONS RELATING TO WALES'

1929052

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A folio volume bound in half leather, lettered "MSS. Collections relating to Wales", and bearing the bookplate of [The Rev. Canon] "H. Holland Edwards, Pennant Ereithlyn, North Wales" (NLW MS 6209E).

The contents, which are of historical and literary interest, are mainly transcripts, from the manuscripts of John Jones, Gellilyfdy (died 1660), made about 1700 by Iago ab Dewi, Edward Lhuyd and his assistants, David Parry and probably William Jones or Robert Wynne. Among the more important are:-

(a) Extracts from John Jones of Gellilyfdy's "Historia Britannica", with additional marginal notes by Joh. Griffith of Kae Kyriog.

(b) Welsh poems, 'cywyddau' and 'awdlau' by Bedo Brwynllys, D. ap Edmwnnt, Dafydd ap Gwilym, Dafydd Nanmor, Gruffydd Hiraethog, Guto'r Glyn, Gutyn Owain, Hywel Swrdwal, Iolo Goch, Lewis Glyn Cothi, Simwnt Fychan, Sion Phylip, Sion Tudur, Tudur Aled, Tudur Penllyn, Wiliam Cynwal, William Llyn.

(c) An extract from a letter to Mr Rich. Johnson, "minister of Ll. Illtyd near Dolgelleu", from his father-in-law, Rowland Ellis; dated Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 1, 1698. Rowland Ellis settled at Brynmawr, Pa., (see Glenn, Merion in the Welsh Tract).

(d) Transcript of Llyfyr Dwned Iaith Gamberaeg, copied by John Jones, Gellilyfdy, 1606, from a book in the possession of Risiart ap Sion of Llangynhafal, who copied it from Simwnt Vychan's book.

(e) A copy of the oldest charter of Lhanfyllin.

(f) Extracts and a list of unusual words from the Laws of Hywel Dda.

Mynegai

Dolgellau, USA, Unol Daleithiau, Llanfyllin.

#### MISCELLANEA RELATING TO THE QUAKERS

1929053

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

A volume of 356 pages, containing miscellaneous extracts of English prose and verse, relating to the Quakers, transcribed in the early nineteenth century (NLW MS 6415E). Amongst the most interesting items are the following:-

1. An account of the "Remarkable Occurrences of John Crook", one of the earliest & most distinguished ministers of the Quakers; endured persecution in the reign of Charles II.

2. "Some Account of George Fox's Funeral", given in a letter written by Robert Barrow from Birmingham, Nov. 20, 1691.

3. Letters written by Samuel Fothergill, the Quaker minister who visited Wales in 1739.
  4. An epistle from the monthly meeting of Friends held at Merion in the Welsh Tract in Pennsylvania to Friends in Wales, March 11, 1699.
  5. A letter from William Penn to Margt. Fox, 1677.
- Mynegai  
USA, Unol Daleithiau.

ROBERT THOMAS, CLOCHYDD LLANFAIR TALHAIARN  
1929054

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

A volume of miscellanea, mainly manuscript, which belonged to Robert Thomas, sexton, Llanfair Talhaiarn, Denbighshire (NLW MS 6146B). It contains prose and verse in Welsh and English transcribed in the eighteenth century. Amongst the most important items are 'cywyddau', carols, and 'englynion' by Owen Gruffydd, Wiliam Phylip, Edward Morus of Perthi Llwydion, Elis Anwyl, Ifan Tew, Huw Morus and William Llyn, and two printed pieces:- (a) Araith Wgan ar gan, by Richard Parry. 8 pp. (b) Pregeth o achos y Dymmestl Ddinistriol ar y xxvi a'r xxvii o Fis Tachwedd a oregethwyd ar Ddydd Mercher, xix o Ionawr, 1703-4, by Thomas Williams, A. M. Denbigh. Printed for the author by H. Lloyd. London, 1705. 20 pp.

Mynegai

Llanfair Talhaearn.

Y PROFFWYDI BYRION

1929055

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

The autograph manuscript of Y Proffwydi Byrion, an exposition on the minor prophets, by Rev John Davies of Ietwen, Pembrokeshire (NLW MS 6196D). The work was published in 1881. The manuscript is not complete, a few leaves being missing.

SARAH CHARLES

1929056

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Autograph letter from Sarah Charles, wife of Thomas Charles of Bala, to a Mr Edwards, condoling with him and his family in a bereavement (NLW MS 6072C). The letter, which is in English, was written from Bala, March 13, 1810, and is not published in *The Life of the Rev. Thomas Charles of Bala*, by D. E. Jenkins, (1908), where a number of her letters appear.

A RENTROLL OF THE GWYDIR ESTATE

1929057

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

A Rentroll of Lord Willoughby's estates in Wales in the year 1687 (NLW MS 6414D).

On the first page is the following note:- "A True & perfect Rentroll of the right honorable Robert Lord Willoughby's estate in the severall Counties of Carnarvon Denbigh & Merionith as well ye Inheritance Estate of Gwyder as my Lady Grace Wynn's purchas't estate, (my Lady Willoughby's 5001p. annum Pinn money estate excepted). Ano. 1687".

A large proportion of the estate appears to have been in co. Caernarvon; the following places are mentioned:- Parke yr isgog; King's meadow in the parish of Trefriw; Trewyder Township; parish of Llanrychwin; Bettws y Coed; parishes of Llanbeder, Caerhûn, Gyffin, Dolwyddelan, Penmachno,

Llandidno, Weeg, Dwygyfylche, comott of Isaph. The Denbighshire portion was in the parishes of Llanroost, Ereithlin alias Eglwys vach, Llanddogett, Llanrhayader in Kinmerch, Gwetherine, Llangerniw, Llanelian, Llansantffraid and Llanvihangell, while the Merionethshire estates were in Llandrillo, Gweddelwerne, Llanfawr and Llanddervel. 71 folios; bound in limp vellum.

Mynegai

Sir Gaernarfon, Sir Ddinbych, Sir Feirionnydd, Betws-y-coed (Llawrybetws), Llanbedr, Caerhun, Y Gyffin, Llandudno, Dwygyfylchi (Llanyddwygyfylchi), Llanrwst, Erethlyn, Pennant Erethlyn, Eglwys-fach, Llanddoged, Llanrhaeadr-yng-Nghinmeirch, Gwytherin, Llangernyw, Llaneilian-yn-Rhos, Llansantffraid, Llandrillo-yn-Edeirnion, Gwyddelwern, Llanfor, Llanderfel.

## RUTHIN

1929058

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

The Ruthin Records deposited in the Library in 1920 by Major G. Cornwallis West have now been purchased from him. They comprise:- 1. 1,222 deeds relating to land, dating from the fifteenth century to the nineteenth. 2. Ruthin Court Records and papers. 3. Court Leet Records. 4. Seventy-six bound volumes, containing rentals, accounts, etc.

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Rhuthun.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

## OWEN JONES

1929059

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Several works by Owen Jones, the architect and ornamental designer, and the son of Owen Jones, the Welsh antiquary, have been acquired (Dept of Printed Books). They include:-

The Grammar of Ornament, illustrated by examples from various styles of ornament. London, 1856.

Plans, elevations, sections and details of the Alhambra, 2 vols. London, 1845.

Examples of Chinese ornament, selected from objects in the South Kensington Museum and other collections. London, 1867.

1,001 initial letters, designed and illuminated by Owen Jones. London, 1864.

Jones's forte was interior decoration. He had much fertility of invention, and by his example, and by the publication of "Grammar of Ornament" and other works exercised a considerable influence on the designs of English wall-papers, carpets and furniture.

## THE BESTIARY

1929060

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

The Roxburghe Club publications.

The Bestiary: being a reproduction in full of the MS. ii, 4, 26, in the University Library, Cambridge . . . ed. by Montague Rhodes James. Oxford: The Roxburghe Club, 1928 (Dept of Printed Books).

pp. x, 60. 314 x 226. facs.

The bestiary is a moralized natural history, illustrated with curious pictures, and may be reckoned as one of the leading picture-books of the XIIth and XIIIth centuries in this country. This volume contains facsimiles from several manuscripts of English origin.

Two East Anglian Psalters at the Bodleian Library, Oxford. The Ormesby Psalter, MS. Douce 366, described by Sydney Carlyle Cockerell. The Bromholm Psalter, MS. Ashmole 1523, described by Montague Rhodes James. Oxford: for the Roxburghe Club, 1926.

pp. viii, 46. 408 x 272. front., plates (facs., some col.), map.

The Ormesby Psalter, named after Robert of Ormesby, monk of the Benedictine Cathedral, Priory of Norwich, is one of the earliest of the folio Psalters produced in England late in the XIIIth and during the first half of the XIVth centuries. The Bromholm Psalter also dates from the early years of the XIVth century and is one of the group of East Anglian Psalters.

Mynegai

Caergrawnt, Rhydychen.

#### THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

1929061

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

The Smithsonian Institution (Dept of Printed Books).

The Smithsonian Institution, Washington, was founded with the bequest of an Englishman, John Smithson, a son of the Duke of Northumberland, and a descendant of King Henry VII. On his death in 1829, he bequeathed his fortune to the United States to found "an establishment for the increase and diffusion of knowledge among men". The Institution has prepared this Series as a Memorial to the founder, and to serve as a guide to its various activities. The edition is limited to 875 sets and will be in 12 volumes, bound in full Levant-grained Morocco, with the seal of the Institution in the centre of the front cover. Each volume is the work of a specialist and scholar of repute and the whole work will make available the vast store of knowledge and material gathered together in the various Museums, Galleries and Government Bureaus administered by the Institution.

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#### HERMANN WIRTH-DER AUFANG DER MENSCHHEIT

1929062

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Hermann Wirth-Der Anfang der Menschheit: Untersuchungen zur Geschichte der Religion Symbolik und Schrift der Atlantisch-nordischen Rasse. Jena: E. Diederich, 1928. pp. 632. illus. 39 plates. Quarto (Dept of Printed Books).

An attempt to solve the meaning of prehistoric signs and pictographs as found incised or painted on the remains of the Stone Age on the Atlantic coast. The author holds that even palaeolithic man had developed a linear script. Other symbols provide evidence for prehistoric religion. The results of recent ethnological study are used to support the author's contention that the origin of this culture can be placed with certainty in Greenland and North America. The general trend of the book is a protest against the tendency to trace the origins of prehistoric culture to the East.

#### CORPUS SCRIPTORUM ECCLESIASTICORUM LATINORUM

1929063

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Corpus Scriptorum Ecclesiarum Latinorum, editum consilio et impensis Academiae Litterarum Caesariae Vindobonensis. 65. vols Vindobonae, 1866-1926 (Dept of Printed Books).

This work was planned more than forty years ago, and the undertaking was preceded by an exhaustive inventory of the MS. contents of the libraries of Europe, which resulted in valuable reports, such as, e.g., that of Halm on the libraries of Switzerland, in 1865, and of Reifferscheid on those of Italy, in 1870-1. The volumes cover the writings of the Latin Fathers down to the seventh century, are based on a thorough collation of MSS, and are edited with great accuracy. They have already provided valuable material for early Christian history and for the study of post-classical Latin.

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Y Swistir, Yr Eidal.

#### HOLZMANN

1929064

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Holzmann, M. and Bohatta, Hans. Deutsches Aonymen-Lexicon. Aus den Quellen bearbeitet von M. H. and H. B. 7 vols. Weimar: Gesellschaft der Bibliophilen. 1902-28 (Dept of Printed Books).

This work supplies a long-felt want in German bibliography. Since the works of Vincentius Placcius, J. C. Mylius and P. Dahlmann in the 18th century, no dictionary of anonymous and pseudonymous literature had appeared in Germany. The work was planned in four volumes, to cover 1501-1850, but in 1909, 1911 and 1928 there appeared supplementary volumes, so that the work now covers German literature from 1501 to 1926. The entries are arranged in alphabetical order of the catchword of the title. If no substantive of the title happens to be in the nominative case, it is entered under the first word. Words of common occurrence like *Dissertatio* and *Programma* are used only as catchwords when the succeeding words are grammatically dependent on them. An index of the sources is given.

#### CHRISTOPHER SAINT GERMAN

1929065

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

The dialogues in English between a Doctor of Divinitie, and a Student in the lawes of Englande. Londini: in aedibus Richardi Tottelli, Anno, 1575 (Dept of Printed Books).

These dialogues were written by Christopher Saint German (? 1460-1540); the first edition in Latin was issued in 1523, under the title '*Dialogus de Fundamentis Legum et de Conscientia*'.

#### ENCICLOPEDIA ITALIANA DI SCIENZE

1929066

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Enciclopedia Italiana di scienze, lettere ed arti. Pubblicata sotto l'alto patronato di S. M. il Re d'Italia. Vols. 1 and 2. Milano: Istituto Giovanni Treccani. 1929 (Dept of Printed Books).

The first part of the programme of the Istituto Giovanni Treccani, founded by the Senator of that name for the promotion of Italian learning and for the spreading abroad of Italy's contribution to knowledge. The contributors are, therefore, mostly Italian, but difficult subjects peculiar to individual countries are dealt with by foreign experts. The work is planned in thirty-six volumes, to be completed in 1937.

Mynegai

Yr Eidal.

#### HERMES

1929067

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Hermes. Zeitschrift für classische Philologie. Unter Mitwirkung von R. Hercher, A. Kirchhoff and Th. Mommsen, hrsg. von E. Hübner. Berlin: Weidman, 1866-1927. 44 vols (Dept of Printed Books).

Future volumes will be received regularly by subscription.

#### THE MAMMALS OF AUSTRALIA

1929068

Blwyddyn / Year

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#### Disgrifiad / Description

The Mammals of Australia, by John Gould. 3 volumes. 1863 (Dept of Printed Books).

This and the companion work "The Birds of Australia" were largely the result of a voyage which Mr. and Mrs Gould undertook in 1838-40, with an assistant, John Gilbert. Gould visited and explored many parts of the continent and adjacent islands, and acquired a vast store of material. The accounts which he gave of the habits of some of the species were of remarkable interest. His collection of skins, numbering more than 5,000 was secured for the British Museum of Natural History (South Kensington). The superb coloured illustrations of the work were drawn upon stone by H. C. Richter from sketches by Gould, and coloured by hand with remarkable care, the animals being depicted in their natural haunts.

#### MIDDELNEDERLANDSCH WOORDENBOEK

1929069

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Middelnederlandsch Woordenboek. 9 volumes. The Hague, M. Nijhoff, 1882-1929 (Dept of Printed Books).

This Dictionary of Mediaeval Dutch, by the late E. Verwijs and J. Verdam, is now completed. It contains all the words in Dutch with their various meanings used from about 1200 to the end of the 16th century, and is the standard work on the subject. A supplementary volume, edited by Professor W. de Vreese, formerly of Ghent, is in course of preparation and will form an Index to the contents of numerous manuscripts, books, periodicals, etc., all containing texts in the Dutch language of the period.

#### MONUMENTA GERMANIAE HISTORICA

1929070

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Monumenta Germaniae Historica inde ab anno Christi quingentesimo usque ad annum millesimum et quingentesimum. Edidit Societas Aperiendis Fontibus Rerum Germanicarum Medii Aevi. Lipsiae, etc., 1838-1929 (Dept of Printed Books).

Folio and quarto series. Leges, Sectiones I-V (in 16 vols.). Diplomata, Tomus I.

The first part of a purchase whereby it is intended to complete the Library set of this work. The inception of the "Monumenta" practically dates back to 1815, when Karl von Stein, leaving the Congress of Vienna and finding politics no longer congenial to him, turned his attention to German mediaeval history. His energy and enthusiasm led to the founding of the "Gesellschaft für ältere deutsche Geschichtskunde". This society, after much careful deliberation, planned the publication of the "Monumenta" as a comprehensive collection of the sources for German mediaeval history. The progress of the undertaking from the start to the present day is fully told by H. Bresslau in *Geschichte der Monumenta Germaniae Historica*, a volume of over 700 pages also recently purchased.

#### L'OEUVRE GRAVE' DE REMBRANDT

1929071

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

L'oeuvre gravé de Rembrandt (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

2 portfolio volumes, with a Catalogue Raisonné by Dimitri Rovinski. Reprint of the Saint Petersburg edition of 1890. Vienna, 1923. The work contains 1,000 phototype reproductions of all the known stages of Rembrandt's engravings, mounted on pasteboard, and arranged in two half-bound portfolio volumes. Rovinski, the compiler of the Catalogue Raisonné which accompanies the work, was the Curator of Engravings at the Hermitage Palace, Saint Petersburg, and having at his service probably the finest Rembrandt Collection in the world, he supervised the reproduction of the engravings and listed them in a minutely detailed catalogue. The original edition of the work appeared in 1890, and

was very soon out of print, and for nearly 30 years scarcely a single copy has come on the market. The Reprint is in a limited edition and is now very scarce.

#### IVEAGH BEQUEST

1929072

Blwyddyn / Year

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Disgrifiad / Description

Pictures from the Iveagh Bequest and Collections, with an introduction and catalogue by Sir Charles Holmes. London. 1929 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

Issued by the Trustees of the will of the late Earl of Iveagh as a monument to the man whose generosity, by his bequest of Kenwood and its collection, added one of the most delightful art galleries to the treasure-houses of the nation. It contains reproductions of a selection of the important paintings he had acquired, including the Kenwood pictures. Limited edition, 100 copies.

#### THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNOR AND ASSEMBLY OF JAMAICA

1929073

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

The Proceedings of the Governor and Assembly of Jamaica in regard to the Maroon Negroes . . . to which is prefixed, An introductory account, containing observations on the disposition, character, manners, and habits of life of the Maroons . . . London: John Stockdale, 1796.

pp.iv, xc,[ii],110. 203 x 124. Calf (Dept of Printed Books).

The proceedings were first published by authority in Jamaica and were later published in England, together with the preface, by Bryan Edwards to vindicate the Government of Jamaica from the charge of unjust treatment towards the Maroon natives.

#### JABERG, K AND JUD, J - SPRACH-UND SACHATLAS ITALIENS UND DER SUDSCHWEIX

1929074

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Jaberg, K. and Jud, J.- Sprach-und Sachatlas Italiens und der Südschweix. Die Mundartaufnahmen . . . von P. Scheuermeier, G. Rohlf's and M. L. Wagner. 8 vols. Zoffingen (Switzerland): Ringier, 1928 (Dept of Pictures and Maps).

On much the same lines as the Atlas Linguistique de la France by J. Gillieron, but wider in scope, giving copious data for the complex ethnographical and cultural history of Italy, as well as for its languages and dialects. The volumes are classified according to the various aspects of man's life in nature and in society. The method is to present on the same map the variants of any one name in the different districts, each of which is numbered for purposes of reference. There are many illustrations.

Mynegai

Yr Eidal.

#### DON QUIXOTE OF THE MANCHA

1929075

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

The second part of the History of the valorous and witty knight errant Don Quixote of the Mancha, written in Spanish by Michael Cervantes and translated into English by Thomas Shelton, 1920 (Dept of Printed Books). Ashendene Press, 1928.

#### COPY OF THE CHARTER OF NORTH WALES



1929076

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Ifan ab Owen Edwards, Llanuwchllyn, and Mrs D Hughes Parry, London.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

A small quarto manuscript of the eighteenth century, containing (1) Copy of the Charter of North Wales, granted by King Henry VII. Latin. 'From a MS. of the revd. Mr. Evan Evans Curate of Llanvair Talhaiarn 1763'. (2) 'De Bardis Britannicis Dissertatio. Ab Evano Evans Cler Cereticensi Coll: Mert. apud Oxon Al: A.D. 1760', with this note: 'The following Latin Translation of Evan Evans's Dissertation on the Welsh Bards was made by John Thomas, M.A., of Jes. Coll. Oxford - and this is the Original in Thomas' own hand writing-'. (3) 'Extracts out of some Letters . . . between Lewis-Morris of Penbryn . . . Dr. Philips of Blaenpant, Mr. Edward Richard . . . Ystrad Meyric, & the Revd. Mr. Samuel Pegge . . . 1759 & 1760, in relation to Antiquities &c.' (See Cambrian Register). (4) 'An Account of the Family of Gwedyr in Caernarvonshire Written by Sir John Wynne of Gwydir Knt. & Bart'. (5) 'The Pedigree of the Families mentioned in the preceding History from a MS. in the Possession of the revd. Mr. Lewis Owen of Llanllechid in Caernarvonshire, 1764'.

Mynegai

Llanfair Talhaearn, Gwydir, Sir Gaernarfon, Ystrad Meurig.

#### GRIFFITH OF CAE CYRIOG MSS

1929077

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr M C L Griffith, Upper Deal, Kent.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

1. A large folio manuscript containing a transcript (by Thos. Taylor Griffith, made in 1867) of parts of Llyfr Sion Gruffydd- a Book of Pedigrees collected by John Gruffydd of Cae Cyriog, circa 1697 (deposited previously in the National Library by Mr Griffith) (NLW MS 7009E).

2. A small quarto manuscript bound in green leather, gilt tooled and bearing the label: ARMORIAL BEARINGS OF THE SURROUNDING GENTRY PAINTED BY THE LATE MRS. HUGHES OF ACTON HOUSE. Inside, on a fly leaf, is the following (NLW MS 7010C):-

Mary Morris  
this book  
The gift of Mrs. Hughes  
Acton House  
Thos. Taylor Griffith.  
Wrexham.

There are numerous coats of arms, coloured, many belonging to Welsh families, an alphabetical index to the arms belonging to Westminster Abbey, and an index of 601 coats of arms contained in the volume.

3. Peter Roberts, Sketch of the early history of the Cymry . . . London, E. Williams, 1803. Octavo; boards (Dept of Printed Books). Bookplate of Thomas Taylor Griffith (Dept of Pictures and Maps) and autograph of T. Griffith, Surgeon .

Mynegai

Wreccsam.

#### PETERWELL

1929078

Ffynhonnell / Source

Major J C Harford, D.L., J.P., Falcondale, Lampeter.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

About 200 documents relating to property in Cardiganshire, Carmarthenshire, Pembrokeshire, and some English counties, but mainly concerning the Peterwell estate, Lampeter. They consist of leases

and releases, grants, marriage settlements, etc., and cover a period of about 200 years (from 1696 to 1871). With the documents relating to the land are the following:-

(a) Copies and translations of grants and charters, 1285-1836, concerning the tolls of the yearly fair and weekly markets of the borough of Lampeter, and papers relating to the law-suit, 1836, John Scandrett Harford v. David Davies, occasioned by the refusal of certain buyers of "horses, cattle, and pigs" to pay to the owners of the Peterwell estate "a certain toll on each animal purchased as has been accustomed beyond the time of memory".

(b) Copy of Letters Patent of Edward I, 1291, granting to Lewelin ap Oweyn and his heirs the right to have "a Market every week on Wednesday at his manor of Llandussil", co. Cardigan, and a Fair there every year, on the vigil, and day and morrow of the nativity of the blessed Mary".

Mynegai

Sir Aberteifi, Sir Gaerfyrddin, Sir Benfro, Llanbedr Pont Steffan, Llandysul.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

E R G SALISBURY

1929079

Ffynhonnell / Source

The University College of Wales, Aberystwyth.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Papers, manuscript and printed, presented by Miss W. K. Salisbury, 7 Princes Road, Liverpool, being a collection prepared by E. R. Gibbon Salisbury (1819-90), who accumulated at Glan Aber, Chester, a large library, particularly rich in the literature of the border counties, now in the University College, Cardiff.

The papers deposited include:- (a) Manuscripts in the autograph of Mr Salisbury. (b) Press cuttings, off-prints, lists of Border Counties literature and of Salopian authors. (c) Autograph letters, photographs, pamphlets, speeches and addresses and miscellanea.

Mynegai

Caer, Caerdydd, Lerpwl, Swydd Amwythig.

PLAS GWYN (VIVIAN)

1929080

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mr Cyril Panton Vivian, Treffos, Menai Bridge, Anglesey.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

A group of letters and family papers of the Pantons of Plasgwyn, Anglesey, during the latter part of the 18th century and the early years of the 19th. Most of the letters were written by Paul Panton, junior, barrister-at-law, to his sisters, Jane and Elizabeth Maria Panton. The collection also includes letters from their mother to a friend, written before her marriage, from their stepmother, Martha Panton, and from several relatives and friends. They relate mainly to family and local affairs, but several of those written by Paul Panton give interesting information about places visited and persons met by him. Accounts, receipts, and other papers relating to the financial affairs of the Pantons are in the collection, which also includes a portfolio of landscape sketches drawn by Paul Panton during 1790-2, and his Journal, containing a record of all the more important events of his life from 1765, when he was only seven years old, to the end of November 1821, less than one year before his death.

Nodiadau

Schedule Available

HOLLY BUSH

1929081

Ffynhonnell / Source

Mrs Wayte, Stratford on Avon.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Twelve deeds relating to Holly Bush, in the parish of Llanrythan, co. Pembroke. The first is dated 1809, and the last 1864 (NLW Minor Deposits, Holly Bush).

Nodiadau

Schedule Available, Miscellaneous IV.

E ROLAND WILLIAMS

1929082

Ffynhonnell / Source

Dr E Roland Williams, MA, Maenclochog, Pem.

Blwyddyn / Year

Adroddiad Blynnyddol / Annual Report 1928-29

Disgrifiad / Description

Manuscript of a thesis in English by E. Roland Williams on Welsh Seamen, Navigators, Colonizers, - Elizabethan and Jacobean, together with some history of Welsh Maritime and Colonizing Activity during the Period. Much of the material was incorporated by the donor in his work, Some Studies of Elizabethan Wales, published by the Welsh Outlook Press, Newtown, 1924 (NLW Minor Deposits 349A).