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Crynodeb o wybodaeth | Summary of information

Lleoliad Repository:	Llyfrgell Genedlaethol Cymru = The National Library of Wales
Teitl Title:	Evan Davies Jones Manuscripts,
Cod cyfeirnod Reference code:	NLW MSS 12389-12395.
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Lleoliad ffisegol Physical location:	ARCH/MSS (GB0210)
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Hanes gweinyddol / Braslun bywgraffyddol | Administrative history | Biographical sketch

Nodyn | Note

Sir Evan Davies Jones, civil engineer and public figure, was born at Pentower, Fishgurd. In his capacity of civil engineer he worked on the Severn Tunnel and the Manchester Ship Canal, eventually becoming managing director of the internationally-renowned Topham, Jones, & Railton firm. Evan Davies Jones

served both his native county and country in numerous capacities. He was elected High Sheriff of Pembrokeshire from 1911 to 1912 and in 1932 was appointed Lord Lieutenant of the county; he also represented Pembrokeshire as Member of Parliament from 1918 to 1922. He served in a governing capacity within the Church in Wales, the University of Wales and the National Library of Wales, the latter institution benefitting from donations from Evan Davies Jones's extensive private library.

Natur a chynnwys | Scope and content

Manuscripts, [1453x1911], from the library of Sir Evan Davies Jones of Pentower, Fishguard. They comprise a fifteenth-century genealogical chronicle of Welsh and English rulers; an album of watercolour drawings of churches and other notable features of north and mid Wales compiled by the artist David Parkes; transcripts of monumental inscriptions in Tenby parish church; a journal of a tour of Wales, 1836; a volume of music, including works by John Parry ('Y Telynor Dall'); a volume of pedigrees transcribed by Edward Stanton Roberts; and seventeenth century Welsh poetry.

Nodiadau | Notes

Nodiadau teitl | Title notes

Ffynhonnell | Immediate source of acquisition

Sotheby's; London; Purchased at auction; 18-19 July 1939

Trefniant | Arrangement

Arranged according to NLW MSS reference numbers: NLW MSS 12389-12395.

Rhestrau cymorth | Finding aids

The descriptions are also available in the Handlist of Manuscripts in the National Library of Wales, Volume IV (Aberystwyth, 1971).

Disgrifiadau deunydd | Related material

Seven deeds from the Library of Evan D. Jones, also purchased from Sotheby's in 1939, are now known as NLW, Evan D. Jones Collection of Cardiganshire and Pembrokeshire Deeds (Sotheby Deeds).

Nodiadau eraill | Other notes

- **Dynodwr sefydliad | Institution identifier:** Llyfrgell Genedlaethol Cymru = The National Library of Wales

Disgrifiad cyfres | Series descriptions

Cod cyfeirnod Reference code	Teitl Title	Dyddiadau Dates	Disgrifiad ffisegol Physical description
NLW MS 12389E. vtls004950558	File - Royal pedigrees, <i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i> A vellum manuscript containing a chronicle and genealogy ('linea Genealogie') [sic] showing the descent of Welsh and English kings and princes from Adam to Brutus ('primum regem Britonum') and thence to Henry VI of England. The genealogy, written in black, red, and blue, comprises 'linea Saxonum', 'linea Saxonum Anglorum & Juthorum', 'linea principum Cambrie', 'linea monarchie britonum', 'linea regulorum Westsaxonum', 'linea regulorum Northumbrorum', 'linea regulorum australium Saxonum', 'linea regulorum orientalium Saxonum', 'linea regulorum Merciorum', 'linea regulorum orientalium Anglorum', 'linea regulorum Deirorum', 'linea regulorum Cancie', 'linea principum Wallie', 'linea principum Venedocie', 'linea principum Demecie', and 'linea ducum Normanie'. The manuscript was completed on 25 January 1453/4. The spine is lettered 'Genealogies of the Kings of England. MS. Temp Henrici VI'. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Title based on contents. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Formerly known as Evan D. Jones 1; Phillipps 3835. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: NLW MS 12389E. <i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	[1453x1454].	Vellum.
NLW MS 12390E. vtls004950601	File - Album of David Parkes, <i>Crëwr / Creator:</i> David Parkes. <i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i> An album containing water-colour drawings, with descriptive notes, compiled by David Parkes, Shrewsbury, during the period 1808- 1831. The subjects include Llandderfel Church, Corwen Church, Plas Newydd [Llangollen], Llangollen Church, Pillar of Eliseg, Valle Crucis Abbey, Castell Dinas Brin, Nerquis Chapel, Nerquis House, and Llandrinio Church. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Title based on contents. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Formerly known as Evan D. Jones 2; Phillipps 11953. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: NLW MS 12390E. <i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	1808-1833 /	Bound in full morocco with gilt and blind tooling.
NLW MS 12391D. vtls004950629	File - Inscriptions in Tenby parish church,	[19 cent.].	

	<p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i></p> <p>A composite manuscript containing transcripts of monumental inscriptions in the chancel and nave of the parish church of Tenby, co. Pembroke.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Formerly known as Evan D. Jones 3.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: NLW MS 12391D.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>
<p>NLW MS 12392B. vtls004950647</p>	<p>File - Journal of a tour, 1836. Bound in pale green calf, with gilt tooling.</p> <p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i></p> <p>A journal of a tour of Wales undertaken between 31 August and 24 September 1836. The itinerary included London, Meriden, Shrewsbury, Llangollen, Capel Curig, Bettws[-y-Coed], Conway, Bangor, Caernarvon, Llanberis, Beddgelert, Tan y Bwlch [Maentwrog], Ffestiniog, Harlech, Dolgelly, Machynlleth, Aberystwith, Devils bridge, Aberaeron, Lampeter, Llandoverly, Newcastle Emlyn, Cardigan, Haverfordwest, Pembroke Carmarthen, Swansea, Neath, Pyle ('where I passed some of the happy days of my childhood') (including Greethill Cottage 'where my father died'), Margam, Pont Neath Vaughan, Merthyr Tydvil ('the town in which my eyes first opened to the light') (including the Talbut Inn 'where I was born'), Abergavenny, Ragland, Ross, and London. The text is illustrated with two coloured maps of North Wales and South Wales, three sepia drawings of Pyle Inn, Greethill Cottage, and Pyle Church, and forty-one engravings, and at the end are particulars of the mileage of each successive daily stage of the tour. The spine is lettered 'Tour in Wales. 1836'.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Formerly known as Evan D. Jones 4.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: NLW MS 12392B.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>
<p>NLW MS 12393D. vtls004950678</p>	<p>File - John Parry ('Y Telynor Dall'), [1742x1911] /</p> <p><i>Crëwr / Creator:</i></p> <p>John Parry and others.</p> <p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i></p> <p>A composite volume containing John Parry ('Y Telynor Dall'): Antient British Music ... (London, 1742), A Collection of Welsh, English & Scotch Airs ... (London [1752]), and British Harmony ... (London, 1781), and a manuscript of John Parry containing arias, minuets, overtures, concertos, Welsh airs, etc., partly with variations by John Parry himself and by Evan Williams [bookseller, London]. Copious manuscript annotations have been added by Nicholas Bennett. Also bound or pasted down in the volume are a note on provenance by E[van] D. J[ones], [19]07; a comment by Carl Engel on Antient British Music ...; an invoice from Bernard Quaritch, London, to N. Bennett, 1888, for Antient British Music ...; a portrait of John Parry; a list by Mary Davies, 1911, of 'Names of tunes written in a copy of Ancient British Music ... 1742 belonging to R. Morris now in British Museum in Addit. MSS. 14939'; critical</p>

	<p>observations by D. Emlyn Evans on individual songs in Antient British Music ...; and holograph letters from D. Emlyn Evans, Cemmes, Mont., to Mr. Lewis [L. W. Lewis, 'Llew Llwyfo'], [19]07, from Lady Llanover, Llanover, Abergavenny, to the Rev. J. Harmer, 1888, and from Joseph Joseph, F.S.A., Brecon, to [], 1888. The spine is lettered 'Vol. I. Antient British Music. J. Parry Rhuabon Blind. 1742'.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Formerly known as Evan D. Jones 5.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: NLW MS 12393D.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>
<p>NLW MS 12394F. vtls004950777</p>	<p>File - Pedigrees, [1910] /</p> <p><i>Crëwr / Creator:</i> E. Stanton Roberts.</p> <p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i> A transcript by Edward Stanton Roberts of N.L.W. MS. 1917E. The volume contains pedigrees originally compiled, and completed on 26 November 1830, by D. Jones Lewis, Gilfach, Llanwrda, co. Carmarthen. The scribe has added one page of notes, dated 22 October 1910, on uncertain readings and other textual features.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Formerly known as Evan D. Jones 6.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: NLW MS 12394F.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>
<p>NLW MS 12395B. vtls004950783</p>	<p>File - Miscellanea, [17 cent.].</p> <p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i> Six manuscript leaves extracted during rebinding from a copy in the Evan D. Jones Library of Henry Perry: Eglvryn Phraethineb . . . (Llundain, 1595). They contain an incomplete 'cywydd marwnad' ('Och frwydyr awch fu rydost . . .') written circa 1662; verses by Llowarch hen; 'Henwav Arglwydd', 'Henwav brwydr', 'Henwav gwayw', 'Henwav arfav am wr', 'Henwav baner', and 'Henwav pob pethav teg'; 'englynion'; and medical recipes.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Formerly known as Evan D. Jones 7.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: NLW MS 12395B.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i></p>

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