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Crynodeb o wybodaeth | Summary of information

Lleoliad Repository:	Llyfrgell Genedlaethol Cymru = The National Library of Wales
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Dyddiad Date:	[1960s]-1982 (dyddiad creu date of creation)
Disgrifiad ffisegol Physical description:	7 volumes.
Iaith Language:	Welsh
Dyddiadau creu, golygu a dileu Dates of creation, revision and deletion:	February 2005 and July 2009.
Nodyn Note [sourcesDescription]:	The following sources were used in the compilation of this description: Handlist of Manuscripts in the National Library of Wales, Volume VIII (Aberystwyth, 1999); Cydymaith i Lenyddiaeth Cymru (Llandysul, 1986).
Nodyn Note [generalNote]:	Title based on contents of fonds.

Hanes gweinyddol / Braslun bywgraffyddol | Administrative history | Biographical sketch

Nodyn | Note

Yr oedd David James Jones ('Gwenallt', 1899-1968) yn fardd ac ysgolhaig. Ganwyd ef yn Alltwen, Pontardawe, Morgannwg, ar 18 Mai 1899. Addysgwyd ef ym Mhontardawe ac Ysgol y Sir Ystalyfera. Treuliodd y cyfnod Mehefin 1917 hyd Mai 1919 yng ngharchar fel gwrthwynebydd cydwybodol. Ar ôl cael ei ryddhau, aeth i astudio yng Ngholeg Prifysgol Cymru, Aberystwyth, gan raddio mewn Cymraeg a Saesneg. Yma cyfarfu ag Idwal Jones (1895-1937), y dramodydd a diddanwr. Bu'n athro Cymraeg yn y Bari cyn dychwelyd i Aberystwyth yn 1927 yn ddarlithydd yn Adran y Gymraeg, gan dod yn ddarlithydd h#n ac yna'n ddarllenydd. Enillodd radd M.A. yn 1929. Ymysg ei diddordebau ymchwil yr oedd bywyd

y saint, ysgol farddol diwedd yr oesoedd canol, a barddoniaeth y ddeunawfed ganrif, ond ei brif waith oedd ar hanes llenyddiaeth yn y bedwaredd ganrif ar bymtheg. Ymysg ei weithiau ysgolheigaidd mae Yr Areithiau Pros (Caerdydd, 1934), Blodeugerdd o'r Ddeunawfed Ganrif (Caerdydd, 1936, Y Ficer Pritchard a 'Cannwyll y Cymry' (Caernarfon, Cwmni'r Llan, 1946) a chofiant Idwal Jones (Aberystwyth, 1958). Ymddeolodd yn 1966. Fel bardd cafodd gryn lwyddiant yn yr Eisteddfod Genedlaethol, yn ennill y Gadair yn 1926 ar 'Y Mynach' ac yn 1931 ar 'Breuddwyd y Bardd'. Cyhoeddodd sawl gyfrol o farddoniaeth: Ysgubau'r Awen (Llandysul: Gomer, 1939), Cnoi Cil (Aberystwyth, 1942), Eples (Llandysul: Gomer, 1951), Gwreiddiau (Aberystwyth, 1959) a Coed (Llandysul: Gomer, 1969).

Hanes gweinyddol / Braslun bywgraffyddol | Administrative history | Biographical sketch

Nodyn | Note

David James Jones (Gwenallt), poet and writer, was born and brought up in the Swansea Valley. The industrial environment of his early childhood informed Gwenallt's unfinished autobiographical novel Ffwrneisiau, published posthumously in 1982.

Natur a chynnwys | Scope and content

Papers, [1960s]-1982, of David James Jones (Gwenallt), comprising autograph and typescript drafts of Ffwrneisiau - Cronicl Blynyddoedd Mebyd (Llandysul, 1982), with some related material.

Nodiadau | Notes

Nodiadau teitl | Title notes

Ffynhonnell | Immediate source of acquisition

Mrs Nel Gwenallt, widow of Gwenallt; Aberystwyth; Purchase; 1984.

Trefniant | Arrangement

Arranged according to NLW MSS reference numbers: NLW MSS 22054-22060.

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Rhestrau cymorth | Finding aids

The descriptions are also available, together with a detailed list of contents, in Handlist of Manuscripts in the National Library of Wales, Volume VIII (Aberystwyth, 1999).

Disgrifiadau deunydd | Related material

Photocopies, typescript and proof copies included in this purchase are now NLW ex 702; see also NLW, Papurau Gwenallt.

Nodiadau eraill | Other notes

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

Pwyntiau mynediad | Access points

- Gwenallt, 1899-1968 -- Archives (pwnc) | (subject)

Disgrifiad cyfres | Series descriptions

Cod cyfeirnod Reference code	Teitl Title	Dyddiadau Dates	Disgrifiad ffisegol Physical description
NLW MSS 22054-55C. vtls004264817 (WIAbNL)0000264817	File - Ffwrneisiau <i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i> An early autograph draft, [1960s], of Ffwrneisiau by Gwenallt. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Title based on contents. <i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: NLW MSS 22054-55C. <i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)	[1960s]	375 ff. (following original foliation, ff. 26, 218-20, 319 wanting) ; 230 x 180 mm.Guarded and filed as two volumes.
NLW MS 22056D. vtls004264823 (WIAbNL)0000264823	File - Ffwrneisiau	[1960s]	248 ff. (following original foliation, ff. 45-6, 55 wanting) ; 295 x 210 mm. and less.Guarded and filed.

	<p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i></p> <p>A typescript draft, [1960s], of chapters I-VII of Ffwrneisiau by Gwenallt, with manuscript revision and substantial excision by the author.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: NLW MS 22056D.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>		
NLW MS 22057D. vtls004264823 (WIAbNL)0000264823	File - Ffwrneisiau	[1960s]-1982	304 ff. (following original foliation; ff. 249-304 previously foliated 321-375) ; 295 x 210 mm. and less.Guarded and filed.
	<p><i>Crëwr / Creator:</i></p> <p>Williams, J. E. Caerwyn (John Ellis Caerwyn)Gwenallt, Nel</p> <p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i></p> <p>A complete typescript draft, [1960s], of Ffwrneisiau by Gwenallt, bearing manuscript corrections, [1969]-[1982], by J. E. Caerwyn Williams and Nel Gwenallt.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: NLW MS 22057D.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>		
NLW MSS 22058-59C. vtls004264845 (WIAbNL)0000264845	File - Ffwrneisiau	[1960s]	NLW MS 22058C: ii, 261 ff. ; 250 x 200 mm. and less.NLW MS 22059C: i, 163 ff. ; 250 x 200 mm. and less.Guarded and filed.
	<p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i></p> <p>Fragments of autograph drafts, 1960s, of Ffwrneisiau by Gwenallt, including sections not included in the published work, and one typescript fragment with author's corrections.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i></p> <p>Preferred citation: NLW MSS 22058-59C.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i></p> <p>ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>		
NLW MS 22060D. vtls004264851 (WIAbNL)0000264851	File - Ffwrneisiau	[1960s]-1982	i, 89 ff. ; 325 x 200 mm. and less.Guarded and filed.
	<p><i>Natur a chynnwys / Scope and content:</i></p> <p>Fragments of autograph drafts, [1960s], of Ffwrneisiau by Gwenallt, and the author's preparatory notes and ideas for the volume; together with related papers, 1982, concerning publication. Also included are two apparently unpublished typescript poems, 'Alltudiaeth' and 'Yr Awen', and notes by Gwenallt (ff. 85-89).</p>		

	<p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Title based on contents.</p> <p><i>Nodyn / Note [generalNote]:</i> Preferred citation: NLW MS 22060D.</p> <p><i>Lleoliad ffisegol / Physical location:</i> ARCH/MSS (GB0210)</p>
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