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Monumental Inscriptions, Radnorshire

Acc 977

St Bride's, Llansanffraid Cwmteuddwr

1994

Undated but each programme notes that "During an Air Raid the Show will go on..." Include advertisements for shops in Llandrindod Wells. The Regency Players in:

/1	<i>Ladies in Retirement</i> , the following week <i>No time for Comedy</i>	nd
/2	<i>No time for Comedy</i> , the following week <i>Where Truth Lies</i>	nd
/3	<i>Where Truth Lies</i> , the following week <i>Mrs Warren's Profession</i>	nd
/4	<i>On Approval</i> , the following week <i>By Candlelight</i>	nd
/5	<i>By Candlelight</i> , the following week <i>Thou Shalt Not</i>	nd
/6	<i>Thou Shalt Not</i> , the following week <i>Mademoiselle</i>	nd
/7	<i>Mademoiselle</i> , the following week <i>Bird in Hand</i>	nd
/8	<i>Bird in Hand</i> , the following week <i>The Constant Wife</i>	nd
/9	<i>The Constant Wife</i> , the following week <i>Anthony and Anna</i>	nd
/10	<i>Anthony and Anna</i> , the following week <i>Suspect</i>	nd
/11	<i>Suspect</i> , the following week <i>Cat's Cradle</i>	nd
/12	<i>The Cat's Cradle</i> , the following week <i>Tonight at 8.30</i>	nd
/13	<i>Love in a mist</i> , the following week <i>Tonight at 8.30</i>	nd
/14	<i>Tonight at 8.30</i> , <i>Red Peppers</i> , <i>Ways and Means</i>	nd
/15	<i>Love From a Stranger</i> , the following week <i>Other People's Houses</i>	nd
/16	<i>Other People's Houses</i>	nd
/17	<i>French for Love</i> , the following week <i>Goodness, How Sad!</i>	nd
/18	<i>Goodness, How Sad!</i> , the following week <i>While Parents Sleep</i>	nd
/19	<i>The Man of Destiny</i> and <i>Village Wooing</i>	nd
/20	<i>The Queen was in the Parlour</i>	nd

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Photograph donated by Malcolm Scott

Acc 1299

Photograph (un-identified), possibly of a royal celebration
taken by T Roberts, photographer, Llandrindod Wells

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The Smithy, Clyro

Acc 1302

Bundle of papers, title deeds relating to the Smithy,
Clyro

1950s-1980s

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Whitton Millennium Committee

Acc 1309

Whitton Community Millennium map, including
Pilleth, Discoed, Casgob and Litton.

2000

The map, in colour shows parish boundaries, field boundaries, roads, footpaths, habited and uninhabited dwellings. Includes illustrations of the parish churches.

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Donation by Bryan Lawrence

Acc 1326

Register of Daily Attendances for Rhayader or Cwmdauddwr
school

1943-1944

R/X/137 Miscellaneous maps, plans and other items for Acc. 1327
the county of Radnorshire

Llandrindod

/1	Plan for laying out building sites on property of E Middleton Evans, Llandrindod Wells, showing land to the east of railway line	1868
/2	Photocopy of Bailey Einon estate plan in the parishes of Llandrindod Wells and Cefnlllys	1879
/3	Photocopy of Rock House estate, Llandrindod Wells	1880
/4	Plans of Castell Collen Roman Station, Llandrindod Wells	1911
/5	Western mail poster relating to the Famous spa of Llandrindod	1922
/6	Western mail poster relating to Easter, Whitsun and summer holidays in Llandrindod Wells	1923
/7	Contract Drawings relating to Old Peoples Home, Lant Avenue, Llandrindod Wells, by Messers William Powell and Son (Sunset Kington) Ltd	1963
/8	Radnorshire County Council, Civil Defence, group and area accommodation in County Hall, Llandrindod Wells	1963-1964
/9	Radnorshire County Council, architects drawings for Llandrindod Wells County Primary School	1964
/10	Llandrindod UDC, plans and architects drawings relating to proposed Free Library, Llandrindod Wells	nd
/11	Llandrindod Wells Local Board, plans and sections of private streets. Middleton Street and Station Crescent	nd
/12	Poster advertising Llandrindod Wells	nd

Miscellaneous

/13	Copy of Swydd Neithon Enclosure Award, part 4 covering the parishes of Llanddewi, Ystradenni and Llandegley	?1870
/14	Radnor Development plan	1951
/15	Six plans showing distribution of historic houses in Radnorshire, dated houses, longhouses, early hall houses, cruck trusses, timber framing C17 stone houses	nd

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**Black and white postcards of Llandrindod
Wells**

Acc 1064

/1	Temple Street by the Town Hall	nd
/2	Hotel Metropole	nd
/3	Rock Park Bowling Green	nd
/4	Glen Usk Hotel	nd
/5	Middleton Street	nd
/6	Interior of Holy Trinity Church	nd
/7	Morris's Imperial Café	nd

R/X/139	Donation from Radnorshire Museum	Acc 1079
/1	Llandrindod Wells Recreation Ground Medicinal Springs report	1907
/2	Memorandum and Articles of Association of Llandrindod Wells Mineral Waters Ltd	1912

R/X/140 **Visitors Books for Llandrindod (Photocopies** **Acc 1089**
- originals kept in Radnorshire Museum)

/1	Visitor book for the Old Pump Room	1876-1884
/2	Visitor book for the Gwalia Hotel	1901-1910

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Donation by Lloyd Lewis

Acc 1330

Copy of photograph of the members of the Independent Order of Good Templars, Rhayader Lodge (possibly 1873) 2000

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Casgob School

Acc 1335

Copy of photograph of Casgob school pupils c1892

2000

This collection of scrapbooks has been donated by Lt Col Paterson.

Lt Col James Andrew Paterson OBE was a native of Cumberland and a civil engineer, he came to Radnorshire in 1909 when Llanellwedd Quarries were re-opened by Thomas Lant. He was County Surveyor of Radnorshire from 1930 until his retirement in 1952.

A founder member of the Llandrindod Wells branch of the Royal British Legion, he later became its president for many years and eventually its Patron.

In 1939 he was appointed a magistrate and became chairman of the Llandrindod Wells court. He was appointed a Deputy Lieutenant of Radnorshire and High Sheriff of the county in 1949.

<i>/A</i>	<i>Scrap Books</i>	
/1	Scrap Book of Photographs: Algiers, France, Britain etc	1907 - 1919
/2	Scrap Book of Photographs: France, Devon etc	1932 - 1933
/3	Scrap Book of Photographs: Madeira, Azores, Canaries, Wales	1935 - 1937
/4	Scrap Book of Photographs: Casablanca, Italy, Snowdon, on board the 'Montrose'	1938
/5	Scrap Book of Photographs: Dartmouth (Regatta), Wales, Newspaper Cuttings	1950
/6	Scrap Book of Photographs: Cruise on board the SS Orcades, Mediterranean Norwegian and Icelandic ports of call, opening of Claerwen Dam	1952
/7	Scrap Book of Photographs: Cruise on board SS Orcades; Mediterranean ports of call, Wales, England	1953
/8	Scrap Book of Photographs: North Wales, Mid Wales	1954
/9	Scrap Book of Photographs: Cruise on SS Rhodesia Castle; South Africa; cruise on board SS Braemar Castle, Mombasa to London via Suez	1954
/10	Scrap Book of Photographs: Wales	1954
/11	Scrap Book of Photographs: Cruise on board SS Strathmore; India, Australia, New Zealand	1955
/12	Scrap Book of Photographs: Central America, South America, Falkland Islands, Portugal, France	1956
/13	Scrap Book of Photographs: South, Central, North America, Canada, Wales	1957
/14	Scrap Book of Photographs: Wales, England, France, Japan, Egypt	1958 -1962
/15	Scrap Book of Photographs: Middle East, Italy, Greece, Austria, Switzerland	1965
/16	Scrap Book of Photographs: USA, Mexico, Wales	1965
/17	Scrap Book of Photographs: European Countries, Wales	1966
/18	Scrap Book of Photographs: Local Pictures	1967
/19	Scrap Book of Photographs: Italy, Greece, Black Sea	1968
/20	Scrap Book of Photographs: Italy, Spain	1969

/21	Scrap Book of Photographs: Lake District, Scotland, Sicily, Italy, Tunisia, France, Moon Landings, Investiture of Prince Charles	1969
/22	Scrap Book of Photographs: France, Wales, England	1974
/B	<i>Miscellaneous Items</i>	
/1	Statutes of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire	1970
/2	The Chapel of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire by Frederic Hood	1973
/3	Letter of Commission to Colonel James Paterson appointing him Lieutenant in Royal Marines	1917
/4	Letter of Commission to Colonel James Paterson appointing him Major in Territorial Army	1920
/5	Letter of Commission to Colonel James Paterson appointing him Major in Territorial Army	1930
/6	Letter of Commission to Colonel James Paterson from Sir Charles Leyshon Dillwyn Venables-Llewelyn appointing former to be Deputy Lieutenant of the County of Radnor	1943
/7	Masonic Award of the Provincial Grand Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons of England for South Wales (Eastern Division) to Col. James Paterson ; Post of Sojourner	1955

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Donation by Maureen D Edwards

Acc 1363

Items relating to Greenwood, p Llanddewi Ystradenni

- /1 Mortgage for securing £66 and interest 20 Oct 1856
1. John Jones, Greenwood, p Llanddewi Ystradenni, farmer
 2. James Morris, Penllan, p Llanddewi Ystradenni, farmer
- A message called Greenwood, p Llanddewi Ystradenni
- /2 Certificate from the Commissioners of Her Majesty's woods, forests and land revenue to John Jones, Greenwood, p Llanddewi Ystradenni, farmer for parcels of land "being encroachments from common wastes of the Crown's manor of South Ugre". £24 17 1 9 Feb 1857
- /3 Transfer of mortgage for £250 11 Jun 1861
1. James Morris, Penllan, p Llanddewi Ystradenni, farmer
 2. John Jones, Greenwood, p Llanddewi Ystradenni, farmer
 3. Sir John Walsh, Warfield Park, co Berks, bart
 4. William Stephens, Presteigne, gent
- A message called Greenwood, p Llanddewi Ystradenni

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Donation by Bryan Lawrence

Acc 1375

Reports relating to Marcheini Windfarm

/1	Environmental Statement	1992
/2	Environmental Statement Executive Summary	1992
/3	Environmental Statement Supplement	1992
/4	Environmental Statement Landscape Assessment and Visual Studies, Appendices 7 & 8	1992

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Heyop Enclosure Award

Acc 1388

Lordship or Manor and Borough of Knucklas [Cnwclas] and other waste lands in t. Heyop in Lordship or manor of South Ugre [Swydd Buddugre], ps. Heyop, Beguildy [Bugeildy] and Llangunllo [Llangynllo].

1873

AWARD

Map: Part 1 [Bailey Hill, Buck Hall, Windymere, Bryn Square Bank, Dolwilkin, Cuckoo's Nest, Old Racecourse].

Map: Part 2 [Geufron, Llethyr du, Upper Hall Bank, Goitre Hill, Bwlch-y-Plaen, Hobby, Lloiney, Castle Hill, Knucklas Castle].

[Formerly 'No.17].

A copy of this is on microfilm (R/QS/DE/17)

R/X/148	Six photographs of the construction of the Elan Valley dams	Acc 1407
/1	2 Photographs showing building of Caban Coch Dam and Craig yr Allt Dam	End C19
/2	2 Photographs showing building of Craig Goch Bellmouth inlet and Carreg Ddu Dam	End C19
/3	2 photographs showing building of Pen y garreg Dam and storage reservoir	End C19

R/X/149

Donation from Bryan Lawrence

Acc 1421

Minute book of the Rhayader & District Mixed Voice Choral Society 1923 - 1929

R/X/150

Oral History Tapes

Acc 1437

- /1 Miss May Morgan, Cwmbach, Llanelwedd, born 27 Jan 1893 nd
- /2 Mr Tom Morgan, of Cil y bont, Cwmbach, Llanelwedd, born Mar 1899. Mr Morgan is the fourth generation of blacksmiths, all named Tom Morgan nd

R/X/151

Donation from P M Reid

Acc 1447

Sales particulars of The Skreen, Erwood

2003

R/X/152

**Donation from Dolau Community Video
Committee**

Acc 1448

Video: "A Year in the Life of Dolau, 2002"

2002

R/X/154 Donation from Mrs Price, Llanddewi Ystradenny Acc 1482

/1 Enclosure: Lordship and Manor of Ugre [Swydd Buddugre], t. Church Llandewi [Llan], p. Llandewi Ystradenny [Llanddewi Ystradenni]. 1862

Map and Award: [Rhos Biswal; part of the Little Hall, Latch Rhos; Melenydd extending from Llandewy Hall Farm to Warren Bank and Warren Pool north of Heartsease].

/2 25" OS 1st edition map; Radnorshire 16.12 1889

/3 25" OS 1st edition map; Radnorshire 16.15 1889

/4 25" OS 1st edition map; Radnorshire 16.16 1889

R/X/155

Donation from Mr P M Reid

Acc 1487

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Sales particulars for Kinnerton Court, Kinnerton

2003

Lordship of Gladestry & Colva - records relating to the appointment of parish officers at a Court Leet of 1804

(see also R/X/118)

The Crown Manor of Gladestry consisted of the townships of Gladestry, Waun-wen, Hengoed & Colfa. In 1108, the manor was granted to William de Breos by Henry I. Elizabeth I granted lands in the manor, forfeited by Jenn ap Jankyn when he was outlawed for felony, to Hugh and Thomas Lewis. A daughter of Jevan Lewis married Sir Gelli Meyrick, who was later executed for treason.

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| /1 | <p>Presentment of the Court Leet and View of Frankpledge, for the Lordship of Gladestry and Colva, held 'at the usual place within the said manor' before William Lloyd, Gent, deputy steward to the Right Honourable Edward, Earl of Oxford and Earl Mortimer, Chief Steward.</p> <p>Jury and Homage (18 names).</p> <p>Appointment and swearing in of petty constables for the townships of Gladestry, Whayn when & Hengoyd, and Colva.</p> <p>Election of Bailiff from among the freeholders, 'to collect his Majesty's Rents of this Lordship and pay the same at the Audit at Brecknock'. The Bailiff also to gather all estrays [stray animals] in the Lordship, which he can keep as payment for collecting the rents, after a year and a day have passed.</p> <p>Signatures of the jury and the Deputy Steward.</p> | 26 Oct 1804 |
| /2 | List of people summoned to serve on the jury. | 26 Oct 1804 |
| /3 | List of persons fit to serve as petty constable in the townships of Waun-wen and Hengoed, drawn up by Richard Morris; recommending William Waring as his successor. | 20 Oct 1804 |
| /4 | Return of William Harper, petty constable for the township of Colva, recommending James Lovatt as his successor. | 26 Oct 1804 |

R/X/157

Map of Nantmel Parish

Acc 1490

‘Plan of the Roads and the Situations of the Farms and Cottages in the Parishes of Nantmel, Llanyre, Llanfihangel Helygen and Rhayader in the County of Radnor.’

c. 1830

Coloured map, with farms named, and their boundaries shown. Properties in Newbridge-on-Wye are numbered, with a key to occupiers or owners below. The same for a small, unidentified settlement to the west of Newbridge, between the road and the Wye, which does not exist any more. On the top right hand side of the map is a pen and ink drawing of a pavilion style building - possibly a pump house?

R/X/158

**Transfer from Durham County Archives of a
deposit by Mrs D France**

Acc 1493

/1

Assignment of a mortgage:

26 Mar 1709

- 1 William Powell of Lower Perton, alias Parton, co Hereford, weaver; Mary his wife
- 2 Evan Wilson of p Onibery, co Salop, clerk
Humphery Davies of p Discoed, gent
(executors of the will of Anne James, widow, late of Lower Perton, deceased)
- 3 Morgan Davies of p Cascob, yeoman

Property: messuage called Tywyrth gray goven, Cascob

/2

Assignment of a mortgage:

3 Apr 1743

- 1 Michael Clarke of p Cascob, co Hereford, gent
- 2 Thomas Morris of p Cascob, co Radnor, yeoman;
Milborough his wife
- 3 Susanna Chase of the town of Knighton in the county of Radnor, widow

Properties: Messuage or tenement in Ednol, in p Old Radnor. Properties in the p Cascob including a messuage called The Leasow by Vaynes, Tu-wyrth-gray-goven and a parcel called Keven heer.

R/X/159

**Donation from Jannine de Smet & Peter
Badham**

Acc 1538

/1

Copy of "Old Radnor 2000" – a description of all the buildings in the parish, compiled by the people of the parish, who have written about their own houses, and in some cases, families. No 300 of a limited edition of 300.

2000

Closed for 20 years from 2004

R/X/160

Donation from Mr Bryan Lawrence

Acc 1505

/1

Byelaws made by the Rural District Council of Rhayader with respect to new streets and new buildings and certain matters in connection with buildings in the contributory place of Rhayader Gwy.

1907

/2

Programme for Radnorshire County Show, horticultural section; to be held on the show ground, Llandrindod Wells. Folded in with it is a plan by S R Wilkins, for the 1949 Radnorshire Agricultural Society show site at Hay-on-Wye.

19 Aug 1939 -
1949

R/X/161

**Papers and photographs collected by the
late Mr Rupert Bottomley, donated by
Mrs Bottomley**

1512

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| /1 | File of transcriptions of minutes from Radnorshire County Council Committees and newspapers, relating to music in Llandrindod Wells. Includes original programmes, posters, memorandum of agreement for the setting up of an orchestra to play during the day in the Park Pavilion, correspondence, postcard of Fred Melenydd Roberts 'the 6 year old Harpist, Llandrindod Wells' | [1894-1975] |
| /2 | File of notes for an article entitled 'Music In Llandrindod Wells, 1891 - 1955', published in the Transactions of the Radnorshire Society, vol 56, 1986 | [1986] |
| /3 | Photographs and postcards | |
| /a | Copy of a photograph in the collection of the Radnorshire Museum, of the Rock Park Pierrots' band, in front of the Rock Park Pavilion, Llandrindod Wells | [1902] |
| /b | Postcard of the Prince's Pierrots, Rock Park, Llandrindod Wells | [1904] |
| /c | Postcard of Mr W Thomas's Llandrindod Prize Choir, 'as they appeared by command before their Majesties the late King Edward and Queen Alexandra at Elan Valley, July 21 st , 1904' | [1917] |
| /d | Postcard of Ted Hopkins, Royal Pierrots | [1911] |
| /e | Postcard of Llandrindod Wells Park Pump Room | [1912] |
| /f | Postcard of Park Pavilion, Llandrindod Wells | n/d |
| /g | Photograph of quartet of female musicians (piano, violin, cello, drums). Rousham Roberts' stamp on the back | c 1940 |
| /h | Copy of a photograph in the collection of the Radnorshire Museum, of a quartet of female musicians (piano, violins/viola, cello) | c 1940 |
| /i | Photograph of female dance band(?), initials 'TH' on the music stands. Walkers Studios, Scarborough, stamp on the back | c 1940 |

**R/X162 Documents relating to Rhydoldog,
Llansanffraid Cwmteuddwr - donation by
Bryan Lawrence**

Acc 1522

Introduction: Rhydoldog was a Welsh long house, bought by Thomas Oliver in 1761. The Olivers were originally from Lledrod in Cardiganshire; they acquired Penygarrag, in the Elan valley. Thomas Oliver's uncle, Jeremiah, who had made money as a tailor in London, is said to have financed the rebuilding of Rhydoldog house.

Thomas' son John bought the property from the trustees of his father's will, and, being childless, left it to his brothers David and Thomas. Thomas was married to Alice Banks of Kington, and their daughter, Anne, inherited the property from her uncle, David Oliver, on his death in 1858. Anne married her cousin, John Ramsay Sladen, a widower, in 1866. He was a military man, who served in India, and ended his career as a Major General.

After his retirement, Major Gen Sladen was a JP, and served as Deputy Lieutenant and High Sheriff of Radnorshire. He died in 1907. Anne Sladen died in 1920.

John Anne Sladen's children were: David Ramsay, who was also in the army, and ended his career as a Brigadier General. He served in Khartoum and India. He married Isabel Houston from Northern Ireland; Thomas Oliver Ramsay, who became a Captain in the army, then worked as a civilian in the Transvaal; Alice Amelia, and Mary Dorothea. .

For more information on the Oliver and Sladen families see: Williams, Jonathan, *The History of Radnorshire*, 2nd ed., 1905, pp 403-4; *The Radnorshire Transactions*, vol 56 pp 35-51 and vol 57, pp 34-48, and the text of a talk by Mr Sid Meredith [in the depositor file]

/O *Oliver family*

/1 Agreement: 18 Jan 1814

1. Mr James Davies, on behalf of Thomas Grove the younger, esq of Cwmelan
2. John Oliver, esq of Rhydoldog

For purchase of LLANERCH LLYN, ALLTGOCH
AND HAFOD VACH, in p Llansanffraid Cwmteuddwr,
for £2,700

- /2 Account from Messrs Davies & Banks to John Oliver, 1814-1816
esq in respect of legal services for the purchase of ALLT
GOCH and LLANERCH LINE [LLYN]
- /3 Certified copy, by Rev James Evans, of an entry in the 9 Dec 1822
parish registers of Llansanffraid Cwmteuddwr, for the
baptism of Catherine, daughter of Thomas and Mary
Oliver in 1782
- /4 Schedule of deeds, deposited for a mortgage: 18 April 1839
1. Thomas Bywater, of Tynycwm p St Harmon
 2. Thomas Oliver, of Kington, co Hereford
- For securing a sum of £400 and interest, on premises
belonging to Thomas Bywater
- /5 Letter: 10 Jun 1842
1. Josiah Castree & John Iveson of Llandrindod
 2. Thomas Oliver of Kington co Hereford
1. will be at the Severn Arms, Penybont on 6 Jul 1842 to
receive purchase monies for encroachments under the
Enclosure Act for ps St Harmon, Nantmel, Llanyre and
Llanfihangel Helygen. The sum of £5 5s 6d is due for a
plantation of 3 roods and 26 perches
- The following: R/X/162/O/6 – 8, are documents relating
to the purchase of TROEDRHIWFELEN by T Lewis
Lloyd from John Williams, for £125*
- /6 Account of the monies paid and those outstanding; note 14 Nov 1851
from D Oliver to the effect that he holds the note of hand
of T Lewis Lloyd as security
- /7 Promissory note: 14 Nov 1851
1. T Lewis Lloyd, of Nantgwillt
 2. John Williams, of Troedrhiwfelen, labourer
 3. David Oliver, of Rhydoldog
1. promises to pay 2. on demand the sum of £99, with
interest of £5 per annum. Witnessed by David Oliver

- /8 Note from D Oliver, to the effect that he holds the promissory note of T Lewis Lloyd as security for John Williams 14 Nov 1851
- /9 Account, addressed to the Devises of D Oliver, Esquire, by Messrs Banks. [1858]
For the drawing up deeds to effect the exchange, with Mr T Lewis Lloyd, of BLAENCOEL for TROEDWHIWDRAIN and KILLETH, in 1857 & 1858
- /10 Inland Revenue account of succession duty on real property inherited by Anne Oliver of Rhydoldog from David Oliver, who died on 12 January 1858 23 Feb 1859
- /11 Schedule of property referred to in R/X/162/O/10 above [pinned to R/X/162/O/10] [1859]
- /12 Claim by Anne Oliver for allotments under the enclosure of Ywchoed 2 Feb 1864
- /13 Claim by Anne Oliver for allotments under the enclosure of Rhysllyn 2 Feb 1864
- /14 Estimate for improvements at Rhydoldog, for Mr Oliver, with sketch of front elevation. [This drawing is of the part of the house which was the servants' quarters] n/d
- /S *Sladen Family***
- /1 Schedule of estates belonging to General Sladen in the parishes of Nantmel, St Harmon and Llansanffraid Cwmteuddwr, with acreages on which union valuation and tithe commutation apply. n/d [c 1870]
- /2 Letter 6 Sep 1873
1. Hugh P Davies of London, Solicitor
2. Major General Sladen of Rhydoldog
Regarding the possible purchase of BRYNTIRION p Nantmel by 2.
- /3 Valuation of General Sladen's property in the parishes of Llansanffraid Cwmteuddwr, St Harmon, Nantmel and Rhayader, by S W Williams 22 Sep 1874
Gives names of farms, with tenants, acreages and rentals, also proposed increases in rents

	Dorse: 'Acreages and allotments of my land, Anne Sladen. Also [-] proposed Stephen Williams valuation'	
/4	Plan of the property of General Sladen in p Nantmel, drawn by S W Williams, of Rhayader	Sep 1874
/5	Schedule of tithe rent charges on farms in St Harmon and Nantmel, belonging to General Sladen of Rhydoldog	1 Dec 1890
/6	Report: 1. The Rhydoldog Estate of Mrs Anne Sladen 2. The Birmingham Corporation Water Bill 1892 Report as to the interference with the property by the proposed works [the Elan Valley Dams], by J P Sturge and Sons, Surveyors of Bristol The Rhydoldog estate owned 5 farms and their respective sheepwalks, a total of about 2,500 acres, in the areas both of the proposed dams and in the catchment area, which was also to be compulsorily purchased. Having considered all the options open to Mrs Sladen, the report concludes against a petition to parliament.	19 Feb 1892
/7	Hand drawn map of area to be covered by Pen-y-Garreg reservoir, showing field numbers [very fragile]	n/d [c1892]
/8	Bank book from Messrs Cox and Co, belonging to T [O] R Sladen, Esquire	1898-1902
/9	Receipted account from H P Davies, The Strand, London, to Mrs Sladen, for legal services <i>[R/X/162/S/9 & /10 in envelope marked 'Receipts H P Davies']</i>	1899-1900
/10	Receipted account from H P Davies, The Strand, London, to Mrs Sladen, for legal services	1900
/11	Agreement form, for the letting of property on the Rhydoldog estate [blank]	c1900
/12	Letter: 1. J G Sprague of the Kington and Radnorshire Bank 2. General Sladen, of Rhydoldog Returning Thomas Lloyd's rent account book	25 May 1904

- /13 Slip from the Temple Press Cutting Offices, with obituary of Major General J R Sladen from the South Wales News 12 Feb 1907
- /14 Slip from the Temple Press Cutting Offices, with obituary of Major General J R Sladen from the Western Mail 15 Feb 1907
- /15 Income tax return for Mrs Sladen, which lists the properties she owned at the time, also her investments 1907-1908
- /16 Copy of a letter: 16 Sep 1910
1. A Sladen, of Rhydoldog
 2. Saint [St Barbe Russell Sladen]
- Regarding the disentailing of Rhydoldog estate, and the settlement to be made on David Sladen and his heirs
- /17 Letter: 31 Oct 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Enclosing R/X/162/S/16
- /18 Letter: 1 Nov 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing, London
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Regarding [marriage] settlement for David Sladen, and succession duty
- /19 Letter: 4 Nov 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing, London
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Regarding Tom [Thomas Sladen] acting as trustee to the settlement
- /20 Letter: 9 Nov 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Enclosing R/X/162/S/23

- /21 Letter: 11 Nov 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Regarding David Sladen's marriage settlement with Isabel Houston
- /22 Letter: 15 Nov 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Regarding the marriage settlement of Major David Sladen and Isabel Houston
- /23 Copy of a letter: Nov 1910
1. John Blakiston Houston, of Grangefield, Belfast
 2. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing
- Regarding the marriage settlement of Mr Houston's daughter, on her marriage to Major Sladen
- /24 Letter: 17 Dec 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing, London
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Enclosing: disentailing deed, personalty settlement, realty settlement, Stephen William's valuation of 22 Sep 1874, his report, plans [the valuation and plans are R/X/162/S/3 and /4; the other documents are not among this collection]; paragraphs in the letter explaining conditions of the disentailing deed, personalty and realty settlements
- /25 Letter: 20 Dec 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing, London
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Regarding funds in consoles, and the marriage settlement of David Sladen
- /26 Letter: 23 Dec 1910
1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing,

London

2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog

Regarding tenancy for life and entails

/27 Envelope which contained items R/X/162/S/18, /19, /24- 31 Oct 1910
/26, marked ' St Barbe's letters mainly about David's [postmark]
marriage settlement, 1910'

/28 Letter: 7 Dec 1911

1. St Barbe Russell Sladen, of St Barbe Sladen & Wing,
London
2. Mrs J R Sladen, of Rhydoldog

Regarding proxy voting at a meeting of the Bartholomay
Brewery Co Ltd; also David's settlement

/29 Letter: 10 Jun 1911

1. Hopgood & Dowsons, London
2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog

Regarding the deeds of GREAT VAENOR [Faenor]
farm

/30 Account from Messrs Hopgood & Dowsons to Mrs 12 May 1911-29
Sladen, for legal services during 1911, regarding the Oct 1913
valuation of houses in NOYNA ROAD [?Balham], and
the deeds of GREAT VAENOR [Faenor] farm.
Received 1913

/31 Letter: 29 Oct 1913

1. Hopgood & Dowsons, London
2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog

Enclosing R/X/162/S/30

/32 Envelope which contained R/X/162/S/29 - /31, marked 29 Oct 1913
'receipt Hopgood and Dowsons £1 1s 0d, Oct 29th 1913. [postmark]
Useful to Tom or [Rose]'

/33 Copy of a plan of TYNBYBERTH p Cwmttydyr [post 1914]
[Llansanffraid Cwmteuddwr], the property of Morgan
John Evans esq., a minor. Surveyed by C Cheese Inn in
1810. Note in top margin [by Anne Sladen] to the effect
that the plan has been copied from an old map, and that
Morgan John Evans sold Tynyberth, now part of
Ryddoldog, to 'my uncle' Mr David Oliver. Note in

bottom margin: 'The land of Mr Joneses surrounding the patch belonging to our [current] Tynyberth should never have been [enclosed] as it is open land'

- /34 Agreement: 1915
1. Mrs A Sladen, of Rhydoldog
 2. Thomas Price and John Price
- Agreement for letting SHETTINGAW [Shettingau] p St Harmon
- /35 Income tax demand, made out to Mrs Sladen, Rhydoldog 1915-1916
- /36 Receipt from the Railway Passengers Assurance Company, made out to Major D R Sladen 20 Oct 1916
- /37 Return for income tax assessment under schedule D, made out to Mrs A Sladen, but not filled in 1916-1917
- /38 Statement of account of 2,000 trout put into CILL LLWYN lake 23 Apr 1917
- /39 Letter: 12 Nov 1917
1. James Grant, of Llanidloes, land agent
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Enclosing the agreement for TREFLYN for signature
- /40 Account from James Grant for letting TREFLYN AND COEDTEW for Mrs Sladen, from May 1917 to Lady Day 1918 3 May 1918
- /41 Letter: 3 Jul 1918
1. James Grant of Llanidloes, land agent
 2. Mrs Sladen of Rhydoldog
- Enclosing maps plans and other papers, also income tax demand for TREFLYN farm
- /42 Account of Vicarial Tithe rent charges due by Mrs Sladen, for lands in the parish of St Harmon 13 Oct 1919
- Gives names of properties and their occupiers*
- /43 Valuation of the Rhydoldog estate, including the growing timber, by James Grant of Llanidloes: £32,017 8 Nov 1921

- /44 Letter: 25 Feb 1922
1. James Grant of Llanidloes, land agent
 2. General [David] Sladen of Rhydoldog
- Regarding valuation of the timber on the estate, apparently for the probate of Mrs Sladen's will. Also mention of the tenancy agreement for NOYADD-FACH farm
- /45 Letter: n/d
1. Miss Venables, Llysdinam, Newbridge-on-Wye
 2. Mrs Sladen, of Rhydoldog
- Acceptance of invitation to the marriage of Mrs Salden's daughter.
Inside the folded sheet are notes on the reference numbers of the Ordnance Survey maps which cover certain properties, including WERN, NOYADDFACH and GREAT VAYNOR [Faenor]
- /46 Another copy of the 1810 plan of TYNYBERTH, [R/X/162/S/33] this one not coloured or annotated n/d
- /B** ***Bush Farm Brilley***
- Owned by the Sladens; see R/X/162/S/15*
- /1 Receipted account from George Price, Newchurch, to Mr Lloyd, Bush, Brilley 1893
- /2 Receipts made out to Mr A H Lloyd, of Bush, Brilley, pinned together: 1901-1902
Receipt for income tax, house duty and land tax, 1902;
Receipted account from the Radnorshire Coal, Lime & General Supply Co Ltd, 1901
Receipted account from Alfred Mound for mason work, 1902
- /3 Receipted accounts for work done, and receipt for income and land taxes for Mr Lloyd, Bush Farm, Brilley [pinned together] 1902-1903
- /R** ***Related Material***
- The Powell, Evans and Stephens families were previous owners of Rhydoldog, in the C17th and C18th. Treflyn and Vainor [Faenor] were part of the estate*

- /1 Deed of administration: 12 May 1808
1. Thomas, Bishop of St Davids
 2. Evan Powell of Liverpool, gent
- Evan Powell appointed administrator of the estate of Catherine Powell, of Llanbadarn Fawr, widow, who died intestate
- /2 Agreement: Dec 1808
1. Mr Evan Powell, late of Ustrad p Llanwrthwl, now of Liverpool co Lancaster, gent
 2. Mr Richard Evans of Trevling Vach p Nantmel
- Agreement for 1. to let TREVLING VACH [Treflyn Fach] p Nantmel to 2. for a period of 11 years, for £23 2s per annum. With conditions as to repairs of buildings, as well as hedges and ditches; also stipulations about rotation of crops, liming of fields, etc
- /3 Letter: 24 Dec 1819
1. W Powell, Vicar of Abergavenny
 2. Thomas Wilson of Burton Crescent, London
- Letter containing of certified copies of the marriage (21 February 1773) and burial (6 January 1787) of Thomas Wilson and the baptism (21 October 1773) of his son Thomas, all in Abergavenny.
- /4 Account from Messrs Davies and Banks to Mrs Stephens, Garth, in respect of legal services for the purchase of VAINOR [Faenor] 1819-1821

**R/X/163 Donations from Bryan Lawrence Accs 1522, 1534,
1741, 1756**

Historic Records

/1	Account book of David Griffiths	1816
/2	Rule Book for the New Club Friendly Society, established at Presteigne 1805	1874
/3	Charity Commission deed of trust for the Market Hall and Cock Field Charities	27 Aug 1909
/4	Notice and agenda for the Radnorshire Epiphany Quarter Sessions, to be held on 10 January 1929	27 Dec 1928

Programmes for Plays and Concerts

/5	Eisteddfodau programmes, 1935, 1936, 1996	1935-1996
/6	Programmes of WI plays, 1953 & 1988	1953-1988
/7	Programmes for Male Voice Choir concerts and festivals	1975-2004
/8	Programmes for school concerts, and fundraising events [some undated]	1980-2004
/9	Programmes for Theatr Powys productions	1982-1988
/10	Assorted bundle of programmes for plays and concerts, held at Rhayader Leisure Centre	1983-2005
/11	Programmes for Rhayader Players productions [many undated]	1986-2006
/12	Programmes for Cantorion Concerts [some undated]	1998
/13	Programmes for Carad productions	2000-2004
/14	Programme for <i>Simeon – A Christmas Musical</i>	n/d

Sales Catalogues

/15	List of dates for livestock fairs and auctions	1938-1981
/16	Catalogues for sales of livestock at Rhayader market.	1976-2006
/17	Catalogues for sales of furniture and antiques	1979-1996
/18	Catalogue for sale of live and dead farming stock at Penglaneinion Farm, Claerwen Valley, Rhayader	1988

Agricultural & Horticultural Shows and Fêtes

/19	Radnorshire Agricultural Society Championship Show programmes, 1938, 1959 & 1961	1938-1961
/20	Assorted bundle of programmes and leaflets about gymkhanas; pony trekking and pony shows	1946-2006
/21	Rhayader & Cwmdeuddwr Allotment Association, annual show programmes	1980-2003
/22	Royal Welsh Show Royal Visit souvenir programme	21 Jul 1983
/23	Flower Festival programmes, 1985 & 1996	1985-1996
/24	Nantmel Annual Show and Sports programmes.	1986-2005
/25	Pantydwr & District Show programmes	1987-2006
/26	Crosfield House Country Home Fête programmes	1988-1990
/27	Elan Valley Show & Sports programmes	1998-2004
/28	Llanwrthwl Show & Pageant programme	2 Sep 2000
/29	Llanafan Fawr Show & Sports programme	21 Sep 2002
/30	Rhayader & District Vintage Show programmes	2003-2005

/30a	Rhayader Beer Festival programme	n/d
	<i>Rhayader Drama Festival</i>	
/31	Rhayader Drama Festival Programmes	1951–1957
/32	List of companies & plays taking part in the Drama Festivals	1951–1957
/33	Letter from Jack Hughes to Mr Ryder	4 Dec 1952
/34	Copy letter to Mr Russell, Montgomeryshire Express & Radnor Times	6 Aug 1953
/35	Cutting from Radnor Times regarding Rhayader Drama Festival	1 Oct 1953
/36	Minute book of Rhayader Drama Festival	1953
/37	Parc Waun Capel Drama Festival – stores inventories	c1953
/38	Copy letter from Mr Ryder to Mr T Vaughan Prickard, Dderw, Rhayader	5 Mar 1954
/39	Letter from W Powell, Trecynon & District Welfare Association to J Jenkins – enclosing a list of the Amateur Dramatic Societies in Wales	30 Mar 1954
/40	Letter from Arthur Newman, Workmen’s Institute, Mountain Ash to J Jenkins also enclosing list of names and addresses of Drama Societies	31 Mar 1954
/41	Copy letter from Rhayader Drama Festival	3 May 1954
/42	Letter from G Jones, Tonyfelin Dramatic Society to J Jenkins	12 May 1954
/43	Copy letter from Rhayader Drama Festival to Mr T Williams, Gilfach Goch Welfare Dramatic Society	28 May 1954
/44	Copy letter from Rhayader Drama Festival to Miss S Howells, Brecknock Little Theatre	9 Jun 1954
/45	Letter from T Williams, Gilfach Goch Welfare Dramatic Society to J Jenkins	10 Jun 1954
/46	Letter from Mrs Cheston to Mr Jenkins	22 Jun 1954
/47	Copy letter from Mr Ryder to Mrs Cheston	28 Jun 1954
/48	Letter from Mrs Cheston to Mr Ryder	29 Jun 1954
/49	Letter from Mr Ryder to Mrs Cheston, Brecon	1 Jul 1954
/50	Letter from Mrs Cheston, County of Brecon Education Committee to Mr Ryder	2 Jul 1954
/51	Newspaper cutting giving details of Tenby’s win at the Rhayader drama festival	Sep 1954
/52	Letter from E Eynon Evans, Bryngolau, Energlyn, Caerphilly to Mr Ryder	1 Oct 1954
/53	Books of tickets for Rhayader Drama Festival	1954-1955
/54	Copy letter from Mr Ryder to Mrs Griffiths	11 Sep 1956
/55	Letter from Graham Suter, Beaufort St, SW3 to Mr Jenkins explaining his adjudicating preferences, also a photo of Mr Suter	15 Sep 1956
/56	Entry forms for Rhayader Drama Festival	1955-1956
/57	Letter from I Vaughan Prickard, Dderw, Rhayader to Mr Ryder	25 Sep 1956
/58	Cutting from The Radnor Times titled ‘Drama Festival one of the best’	29 Sep 1956

/59	Cutting from the Wellington Journal & Shrewsbury News giving details of the Rhayader Drama Festival	6 Oct 1956
/60	Cutting from the Express and Times regarding the costs of the Rhayader Drama Festival	6 Oct 1956
/61	Letter from Mr Suter to R L Ryder Esq regarding adjudicators for Rhayader Drama Festival. Mentions Susan Anthony – second wife of D Wolfit.	6 Oct 1956
/62	Newspaper cutting showing thanks given to the workers of the recent drama festival	6 Oct 1956
/63	Copy letter from R L Ryder to Mr Suter regarding adjudicators for the Rhayader Drama Festival	11 Oct 1956
/64	Letter from D Jones, Treharris Ocean Players	2 Mar 1957
/65	Letter from T Wring, Tredegar Thespian Players to Mr Jenkins, Corn Hill Villa, Rhayader	4 Mar 1957
/66	Letter from E Williams, Little Theatre, Aberdare to J Jenkins, Rhayader	9 Mar 1957
/67	Letter from Mrs Meredith, Newtown Amateur Dramatic Society to Mr J Jenkins, Corn Hill Villa, Rhayader	12 Mar 1957
/68	Letter from J Pallister, Brecknock Little Theatre to Mr Jenkins	28 Mar 1957
/69	Letter from R Shirley, Ebbw Vale to J Jenkins, Rhayader	16 Jul 1957
/70	Letter from T Wring, Tredegar Thespian Players to Mr Jenkins, Corn Hill Villa, Rhayader	17 Jul 1957
/71	Letter from M Clarke, Treorchy RAF Players to J Jenkins	4 Sep 1957
/72	Letter from T Jones, Llais-afon, Builth Wells to Mr Ryder requesting tickets	16 Sep 1957
/73	Letter from Nora Sutcliffe, Clifton, Bristol to Mr Jenkins	20 Sep 1957
/74	Letter from I Jones (Journalist), Montpellier Park, Llandrindod Wells to R Ryder, Ironmonger, Rhayader	20 Sep 1957
/75	Newspaper cutting – Newtown win Rhayader Drama Festival	4 Oct 1957
/76	Letter from R Oliver, Heatherlea, Alexandra Road, Llandrindod Wells to Mr Ryder	25 Nov 1957
/77	Letter from Charlotte Powell, Blackwood Dramatic Society regarding entry in Drama Festival	25 Jul 1960
/78	Copy letter from R L Ryder to Charlotte Powell explaining demise of Drama Festival	2 Aug 1960
/79	Letter from D Griffiths, Moss Villa, Llanidloes to Mr Ryder	n/d
/80	Copy letter from R L Ryder to Jack Hughes, Bwlch y Cefn, Penybont	n/d
/81	Handwritten sums of costs for festival, written on back of mark sheet for festival	n/d
/82	Handwritten tallies of points for plays	n/d
/83	Draft of letter explaining drama festival expenditure	n/d
<i>Community and National Events</i>		
/84	Two souvenir programmes – opening of Parc Waun Capel in 1951 and the opening of the swimming pool in 1960	1951-1960
/85	Official opening of Rhayader Library	27 Sep 1972
/86	Rhayader Rural District Council Dinner to mark the passing	1 Mar 1974

	of the council, menu	
/87	Rhayader & Cwmdeuddwr Jubilee celebration programme	6 Jun 1977
/88	Official opening of Rhayader swimming pool programme	25 Jun 1977
/89	Opening of Rhayader Leisure Centre - programme	28 Mar 1993
/90	Rhayader V E Day celebrations, and concert, programmes	6-8 May 1995
/91	Rhayader & Cwmdeuddwr V J Day concert	20 Aug 1995
/92	List of Rhayader & Cwmdeuddwr V J Commemorations	Aug 1995

Sporting Events

/93	Rhayader-based motorcycle racing competition programmes	Feb 1977–Jul 1994
94	News of the World Darts Championship programme	26 Feb 1980
/95	Details of Rhayader Mountain Trail	16 May 1987
/96	Bundle of programmes for Round the Lakes Race	Mar 1988–Mar 1995
/97	Rhayader Carnival Donkey Derby tote cards	1989–1990
/98	Moore Scott Mid Wales League Cup Final programme [Penybont v Rhayader]	3 May 1993
/99	Mid Wales Select XI v Glamorgan at Rhayader Cricket Club, programme	12 Sep 1995
/100	Rhayader Town Football Club programmes [sample of 2 or 3 per year]	1998-2002
/101	Elan Valley Social Club Sports Day programme	31 Jul 1999

Rhayader Carnival

/102	Carnival programmes, 1979-1981, 1983-2006	1979-2006
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Parish Magazines

/103	Parish Magazines: parishes of Cwmduddwr with Nantgwyllt, St Harmon and Llanwrthwl, 1981-2003; parishes of Cwmduddwr with Nantgwyllt, St Harmon Llanwrthwl, Nantmel, Rhayader and Ysfa, 2004-2005; Gwastodyn Group of Churches - parishes of Cwmduddwr with Nantgwyllt, St Harmon Llanwrthwl, Nantmel, Rhayader and Ysfa, 2006-2007 [some gaps]	1981-2007
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Orders of Service

/104	Commemoration service for Llewellyn in ruins of Abbeycwmhir	11 Dec 1988
/105	Mothering Sunday service at the Tabernacle Chapel	25 Mar 1990
/106	Rhayader Festival of Praise	15 Sep 1991
/107	Royal British Legion Drumhead Service	17 Jun 1995
/108	Service of thanksgiving and re-dedication on the occasion of the 50 th Anniversary of V E Day, Rhayader	May 1995
/109	The Monk's Trod Pilgrimage	21-23 Jul 1995
/110	Valedictory Service at St Bride Parish Church	24 Sep 1998
/111	Civic Services at St Clement's Church, 1999 & 2006	1999-2006
/112	Llewellyn ap Gruffydd memorial service	2001-2002
/113	Civic service of commemoration for the bi-centenary of the Battle of Trafalgar	23 Oct 2005

Miscellaneous

/114	Llandrindod Wells Hospital and County War Memorial Annual Report	31 Dec 1946
/115	Llandrindod Wells Drama Festival programme	31 Aug 1957
/116	Brecon & Radnor Conservative Women's Committee Music and Supper Evening programme	24 Apr 1987
/117	Mid-Wales Industrial Development Association Booklet - promoting Newtown, Rhayader and Cardigan	n/d
/118	General Rules for the Rhayader Liberal Committee [written inside a Cwmdeuddwr Parish Council notice of meeting]	n/d
/119	Advertising booklet for The Old Country Club Hotel, Llandrindod Wells [now used as County Library HQ]	n/d

R/X/164

Donation from P M Reid

Acc 1526

Sales particulars of The Forge, Evenjobb

2004

2 sets: John Amos & Co and Fisher German

R/X/165/DD	REV D R DAVIES PAPERS	Acc 1542
/1	Notes on the history of Radnorshire, particularly Llanyre, given as talks by DRD to local groups, including the Rotary.	1965-1973
/2	Notebook entitled 'Monasteries. Includes: newspaper cuttings re monks and monasteries, typescript list of Welsh monasteries, manuscript notes on monasteries and D Rhys Phillips, 'The Monastic Libraries of Wales, fifth to Sixteenth Centuries (Celtic and Mediaeval Periods)' <i>The Library Association Record</i> , nd	[19502/60s?]
/3	Typescript of an essay by DRD, 'Hanes Deon Bruce Knight', published in <i>Yr Haul</i> [c 1952]	1947
/4	Cuttings and photocopies of cuttings of a series of biographies compiled by DRD, entitled 'Offeiriaid Cymreig yn Lloegr 1770-1870', published in <i>Y Llan</i>	[c 1950/52]
/5	Typescript of DRD's work, drawing together the biographies in R/X/165/4, entitled 'Offeiriaid Efengylaidd 1770-1870, nd	[1950s?]
/6	Typescript of an historical essay 'Radnorshire', nd	[1950s/60s?]
/7/1	Manuscript of an essay by DRD 'Radnorshire Folklore', nd	[1950s/60s?]
/7/2	Bound typescript of a revised version of 'Radnorshire Folklore' [1970s]; photocopies of letters relating to DRD's time in Lampeter, 1924-25; DRD's updated student record [1976]; DRD 'St David and Radnorshire', reprinted from <i>The Transactions of the Radnorshire Society</i> , vol 46, 1976'; photocopy of DRD's ordination at Builth, 1928; photocopy of a photograph of St David's College, Lampeter 1 st XV rugby team, featuring DRD, 1924-25; photocopies of letters & certificates re his sanitary and fireman qualifications, 1924	1924-1976
/8	Photocopy of a revised manuscript version of DRD's 'Radnorshire Folklore, nd	[1960s?]
/9	File marked 'Clergy of the Deanery of [Maelienydd/Melineth?]. Includes photocopy of manuscript notes and biographies on the clergy of Melineth, nd	[1950s/60s?]
/10	Photocopy of manuscript notes and biographies on the vicars and curates of Nantmel, nd	[c 1977]

/11	Typescript of DRD, 'The Story of a Welsh Parish', based on the history of Nantmel parish, probably a development of R/X/165/DD/10, [c 1977]; photocopies of the comments made by the adjudicators of the 1949 National Eisteddfod, Dolgellau on 'Nantmel' [probably an early version of the above?]; cutting re the centenary thanksgiving service at Llandrindod Wells Church, 1971; copies of correspondence between DRD and the Radnorshire Society re the publication of the history of the parish of Nantmel in its Transactions, 1977; photocopy of a calendar featuring St Cynllo Church, Nantmel, 1950; photocopy of a cutting re the appointment of DRD as vicar of Llanwrtyd, 1950.	1949-1977
/12	Typescript of an essay, 'Plwyf Nantmel' with notes and an additional manuscript re schools in the area, nd	[1970s?]
/13	File marked 'Nantmel in Welsh', with a cutting re the National Library of Wales, 1978, on the cover. Includes: manuscript notes re, and outline of, Hanes Plwyf Nantmel, nd [1970s?]; manuscript and photocopy of 'Nantmel School', nd [1950s/60s]; 2 volumes comprising the manuscript of 'Hanes Plwyf Nantmel'. Nd [1950s/60s?]; manuscript and typescript chapters from 'Hanes Plyf Nantmel, nd [1950s/60s?]	[1950-1979?]
/14	Typescript of DRD, 'Breconshire and the New Testament and the Book of Common Prayer'	1967
/15/1	Typescript of 'Breconshire and the New Testament', nd	[1960s?]
/15/2	Typescript of 'Breconshire and the New Testament', nd	[1960s?]
/15/3	Typescript of 'Breconshire and the New Testament', nd	[1960s?]
/16	Typescript with manuscript sections, entitled 'The Breconshire Tradition' re religion in Breconshire, nd	[1960s?]
/17	Notes on various subjects, including Breconshire/Radnorshire families, Thomas Cromwell, the Tudors, nd	[1950s/60s?]
/18	Typescript of biographical entries, etc, entitled 'Enwogion Sir Frycheiniog', nd	[1960s?]
/19	Typescript of 'Shakespeare and his Connections with	[1960s/70s?]

/20	Breconshire', nd Photocopy of a manuscript entitled ' Shakespeare and the Welsh', delivered to the Newport Literary Society, 1916, nd	[1960s/70s?]
/21	File marked 'Shakespeare and Brecon', includes: typescript and manuscript drafts of 'Shakespeare and his connections with Brecon, nd	[1960s/70s?]
/22	File marked 'Brittany and Maximus', includes: manuscript notes re religion in Radnorshire, nd [1950s/60s?]; Typescript with manuscript notes entitled 'The Early Years of Brittany', nd [1960s?]; Typescript of a paper, 'The Early Celtic Church, delivered [by Prof Hugh Williams?] to the Builth Clergy, 1951; typescript of a paper, 'The Breconshire Tradition'. [delivered by Iris Foster at Brecon Cathedral?], 1956; manuscript notes re early Welsh Christianity, nd [1950s?]; cutting re churches, 1952; typescript featuring biographies of famous Breconshire/Radnorshire men, nd [1960s?]; correspondence with various libraries, 1955-56, 1973; photocopy of an article on the early history of St John's College, Oxford, nd [1950s?]; cuttings re Shakespeare, nd [1950s?]; typescript note re Thomas Jenkins of Stratford, nd [1950s?]; typescript of a paper, 'The Radnorshire Tradition', nd [1950s/60s?]; manuscript and photocopy of a paper, 'The Revolt of Maximus', nd [1950s?]	[1950]-1973
/23	Order of service taken by DRD marking 400 th anniversary of the translation of the New Testament into Welsh, held at Llanafanfawr Parish Church	1967
/24	Typescript of a paper/sermon delivered at various churches re 400 th anniversary of the translation of the New Testament and the Book of Common Prayer	1967
/25	Scrapbook containing a collection of printed Welsh ballads, 1837	[C19 th]
/26	An index to the ballads in R/X/165/DD/25, nd	[1950s?]
/27	Manuscript notes re Thomas Huet, nd	[1950s?]
/28	Cuttings re, and copies of photographs of, Welsh churches	1879-1979

R/X/166

Donation from Geraint Hughes

Acc 1545

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Llandegley School, Radnorshire – plan of proposed porch. Drawn by F Roberts, Architect, of Birkenhead

24 Sep 1886

R/X/167

Donation from Bryan Lawrence

Acc 1561

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Minute book of Waen Capel Park, Rhayader, Events
Committee

1948-1976

R/X/168

Donation from Mr P A Flint

Acc 1575

/1

Framed photograph of Cwm Elan House, Elan Valley

c1890

R/X/169	Donation from Mr Bryan Lawrence	Acc 1595
/1	Work book of Albert E Price, Lengthsman of Llanbadarn y Garreg. Notice in the front to the effect that it was found in a barn near Llanbadarn y Garreg in 1986. (In very poor condition)	1899-1906
/2	Rating valuation list for Rhayader Area, covering the parishes of Abbey Cwm-hir, Cefnyllys Rural, Cwmdeuddwr, Llanbadarn Fawr, Llanfihangel Helygen, Llanyre, Nantmel, Rhayader, St Harmons	1929-1934
/3	Catalogue for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1937
/4	Catalogue for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1947
/5	Catalogue for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1949
/6	Schedule of prizes for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1939
/7	Schedule of prizes for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1947
/8	Schedule of prizes for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1948
/9	Schedule of prizes for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1949
/10	Schedule of prizes for Radnorshire Agricultural Society Annual Show	1953
/11	Radnorshire County Council: Proposals under the National Health Service Act 1946	1946

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Donation from Mrs Kathleen M Aston

Acc 1610

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Postcard of 'Mr William Thomas's Llandrindod Prize Choir, as they appeared before their Majesties the late King Edward and Queen Alexandra at Elan Valley, July 21st 1904'

c1904

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Blow-up photograph of /1

2005

NB The letter accompanying these items (in the depositor's file) has the following information about Mr Thomas:

"I knew the conductor, Mr William Thomas, very well when I was a small child living on our farm at Broxwood. At the time, 'Billie' Thomas, as we always called him, was travelling as a Rep for the Llandrindod Emporium, selling household linens, he would return at a later date to deliver his orders. He was travelling in a high motor van. For some reason I believe the Emporium closed down but Billie continued working for himself, travelling mile upon mile on foot, with two huge brown paper parcels slung over his shoulders. On route he was given hospitality at various farms. I remember him toasting very brown bread in front of the kitchen range, and then toasting cheese on top. I have heard people say that he liked a cold bath every morning..... I knew Mr Williams in the early 1920s."

R/X/171 Donation from Miss Cecilia Williams**Acc 1636**

Miss Williams studied at Coleg Llandrindod – an emergency teacher training college, opened in 1947 in the former Pump House Hotel, Llandrindod Wells, and closed in 1950. She was then a teacher, between 1953-1958, at the residential School for the Deaf, which took over the site. In the 1970s and 80s, she taught in other Radnorshire schools

Photographs

/1	College play	[1949-1950]
/2	Coleg Llandrindod play [Twelfth Night]	[1949-1950]
/3	College group at Llandrindod Carnival (Norton's building in top right hand corner)	1950
/4	College group at Llandrindod Carnival (Cecilia Williams wearing striped blanket)	1950
/5	College group at Llandrindod Carnival – at the lake	1950
/6	Coleg Llandrindod – last intake	1950
/7	Enlargement of part of /6, Cecilia Williams is 3 rd from the left in the front row	1950
/8	School for the Deaf – senior boys with Mr Griffiths, supervisor	[1953-1958]
/9	School for the Deaf – teachers in the grounds. Left to right: Cecilia Williams, Georgie Jones and Maud ?	[1953-1958]
/10	School for the Deaf – Joan Banks, teacher, at Llandrindod lake	[1953-1958]
/11	Mangalore, Llandrindod Wells, taken from what is now Coleg Powys, where some teachers at the School for the Deaf lodged	[1953-1958]
/17	Rolled photograph of the staff and pupils of Llandrindod Wells Residential School	1956
/18	Rolled photograph of the staff and pupils of Llandrindod Wells Residential School	1958
/12	Llandegley School. On the left, Georgie Duggan, part time teacher, and Gwen Edwards, cook. On the right, Cecilia Williams	[1975-1976]
/13	Crossgates School – infants	c1977
/14	Howey School Cycling Proficiency group. Adults are: Cecilia Williams, [?PC R Williams}, WPC Bennett Children: Gareth Davies, Adrian Nixon, Amanda Davies and Hayley Simcox	1980
/15	Howey School Christmas party	[1980-1982]
	<i>Magazine</i>	
/16	Copy of 'Coleg Llandrindod' - the college magazine	1949-1950

R/X/173

Donation from Mrs Rosemarie Wilson

Acc 1639

/1

Notebook of Henry Vaughan Vaughan, Solicitor of
Builth and Clerk of the Peace for Radnorshire; this is a
rent book for the Guidfa Estate, Llanbadarn Fawr.

1908-1920

R/X/175

Donation from Mike Hall

Acc 1667

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Presteign Market Hall and Public Room Share List, 1862 – 1866. Leather volume. The share list takes up the first few pages. The rest have funeral cards stuck in them, dating from 1871-1938.

1862-1938

**R/X/177 Donation from the Office of Government
Commerce**

Acc 1685

/1 1 James Price of Hebron, Knighton 8 Feb 1950
2 The Minister of Works
3 Knighton Urban District Council

Deed of Grant. The deed is to grant a right to use a water main passing through land at Fronhir, Ludlow Road, Knighton.

/2 1 Mrs Sarah Anne Williams of Dryslwyn, 11 Dec 1950
Carmarthenshire
Alexander John Griffiths Falconer of Llanarthney
Carmarthenshire
Elizabeth Kate Herbert of Ammanford,
Carmarthenshire
William Charles Rees Falconer of Ammanford
Carmarthenshire
2 The Minister of Works

Lease of The Lindens, Spa Road, Llandrindod Wells for a term of 7 years , from 25.12.1947– 25.12.1954

/3 1 Mrs Sarah Anne Williams of Dryslwyn, 27 Jan 1956
Carmarthenshire
Alexander John Griffiths Falconer of Llanarthney
Carmarthenshire
Elizabeth Kate Herbert of Ammanford,
Carmarthenshire
William Charles Rees Falconer of Ammanford
Carmarthenshire

2 The Minister of Works

Lease of The Lindens, Spa Road, Llandrindod Wells for a term of 14 years, from 25.12.1954 - 25.12.1968

Dorse: '7th January 1969 lease renewal (endorsed)'

/4 1 Elizabeth Kate Herbert 15 Jun 1960
William Charles Rees Falconer
2 The Minister of Works

Agreement regarding The Lindens, Spa Road, Llandrindod Wells

R/X/178	Anonymous donation	Acc 1692
<i>/HB</i>	<i>Historic Buildings</i>	
/1	File on buildings of architectural interest in Radnorshire	1952-1974
<i>/DM</i>	<i>Definitive Map</i>	
/1	Statements annexed to the revised definitive map for Radnorshire	31 Jul 1971
<i>/CR</i>	<i>Community Review</i>	
/1	Local Government Boundary Commission for Wales: Special Community Review draft proposals for Radnorshire	1976
<i>/EL</i>	<i>Electoral Registers</i>	
/1	Lists of electors to be included or omitted from next electoral register (Radnorshire only)	1976
/2	Lists of electors to be included or omitted from next electoral register (Radnorshire only)	1979
/3	Register of electors (Brecon & Radnorshire constituency, Radnorshire only)	1996

R/X/179

Donation from Mrs D J Winterton

Acc 1694

Mrs Winterton's mother and grandparents lived at Bryn Haul, Cwmbach Lechrhyd (postal address Builth Road) from 1914.

/1	Plan of Bryn Haul – elevations	[1914]
/2	Plan of Bryn Haul - floor plan	[1914]
/3	Sheet of headed notepaper for Bryn Haul	n/d
/4	Sheet of paper with embossed address, imprinted with a stamp	n/d

Farm Diaries of William Weale

William Austin Weale was born on 11 August 1912, and was brought up at Holly Farm in Howey (in the parish of Diserth). It appears, from the diaries and notebooks in this collection, that Mr Weale, attended the University of Wales College, Aberystwyth, to study geography and geology. He then took a teaching qualification, carrying out teaching practice in various schools in Aberystwyth. In 1940, he was teaching at Tarleton Central Council School, near Preston in Lancashire. In May of that year his father died, and Mr Weale returned to run Holly Farm. The subsequent diaries, in which Mr Weale made meticulous notes and diagrams, as well as pasting in articles and advertisements from farming journals, are a fascinating record of farming practices in the war years, a record of an educated man doing his best to learn about a world with which he was relatively unfamiliar, and a picture of life in rural Radnorshire in the 1940s. War news is often included – sometimes in red ink, or in capitals with a border round.

Perhaps the most intriguing thing about these diaries is that, from the middle of 1945 until the last one for 1948, they are written in Italian. There are references to Italian prisoners of war, who came to work on the farm in 1944 and 1945 - one was taken back to Presteigne POW camp at Mr Weale's request, as he was not a good worker - but no mention has yet been found of Mr Weale's learning to write the language, or why he chose to write his diaries in it.

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| /1 | Final examination notebook for University College Wales, Aberystwyth; geology mapping – notes, drawings, old exam papers [?used as examples in lectures] from 1916 – 1928 | c1930 |
| /2 | Notebook with numbered pages, entitled 'School Practice Notes'. Notes for history, English, maths, PE, nature study, woodwork and hygiene lessons. At the back of the notebook, diary of school practice for Aberystwyth National School (Sept 1935), Cwmpadarn National School (Oct – Nov 1935), Alexandra Road Council School (March 1936) and North Road Council School (March 1936). | 1935-1947 |
| From page 101, diary from 20 October 1942 – 19 December 1945 [carrying on from /6], also agricultural returns for December 1947 | | |
| /3 | Pocket diary for 1940; some entries relating to school. Address in the front is Hesketh Lane, Tarleton. At the back, a list of Mr | 1940 |

Weale's absences from school, with the reason for them. The entries for May and June give 'death of father' as the reason

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| /4 | Indexed notebook of farming theory notes, cuttings from farming journals and diagrams, with pages numbered. The diary starts in May 1940 (on page 98) and continues to 21 July 1941. [The entries for 20 th June -26 July 1940 are on pages 44-46]. Interspersed with diary entries are more notes, cuttings and tables such as 'Milking Table, 1940-41' and 'Cattle'. At the back, the notebook has some pages of scripture notes, possibly from Mr Weale's school days. | 1940-1941 |
| /5 | Notebook, with page numbers continuing from /4. Diary for 22 July 1941 – 14 March 1942, including clippings from journals. The reverse of the cover of the notebook has 'Science notes for form III girls'. These pages have been torn out, and the beginning of the notebook is taken up with notes on Welsh history and a bibliography of books on Wales. | 1941-1942 |
| /6 | Notebook, with page numbers continuing from /5. Notes and clippings, followed by diary for 16 March – 20 October 1942.

For diary for 20 October 1942 – 19 December 1945, see /2 | 1942 |
| /7 | Pocket diary for 1945. Includes phone numbers, and lambing records for mid March to mid April. The entries are sporadic and in a mixture of English and Italian, until October, when they become daily and exclusively in Italian. The entries seem to be more or less exact translations of those in /2 for the same period. | 1945 |
| /8 | Pocket diary for 1946 – in Italian | 1946 |
| /9 | Pocket diary for 1947 – in Italian | 1947 |
| /10 | Pocket diary for 1948 – in Italian | 1948 |

R/X/181 Copy of Rhayader Enclosure Award

Acc 1107

Copy of the map of the Rhayader Enclosure Award 1828

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[see also R/D/WWA/1/62 for a copy of the award and town lots;
R/D/WWA/1/794-6 for an extract of the plan 1898]

R/X/182	Donation from Enid Davies	Acc 1720
/1	Photograph of Major David Gibson-Watt taking the salute at Llandrindod Lake during the celebrations to mark the visit of HM Queen Elizabeth II to open the Claerwen Dam	1952
/2	Smaller copy of /1	1952
/3	Photograph of a site in Brookland Road, Llandrindod Wells, originally the brick works, it was later used as a grading shed for the cattle market, then taken over by the War Agricultural Board, c 1940. After the war, it was shared by the GPO and Radnorshire County Council; finally it was used by Hope's Haulage before becoming a housing estate.	c1955

R/X/183 Donation from Mr S Meredith

Acc 1731

/1 Copy of a framed photograph of Thomas Lant, quarry owner and philanthropist, in Masonic regalia c1940

R/X/184	Donation by Castle Hill Bookshop, Kington	Acc 816
	The items in this collection are said to originate from Stanage Park, Knighton.	
/1	1 Mary E Chamberlain of Birmingham 2 Mrs Rogers Letter thanking 2 for photograph of 'the party at Highmead' [Llanwenog, Carmarthenshire] a 'souvenir of that stormy day in Wales'	19 Dec [1891]
/2	1 ? Millais [child of the artist, Sir John Everett Millais] 2 Mrs Rogers Letter re book plates by Sir John Everett Millais, explaining the process by which they were produced <i>Rough transcript in depositor file</i>	29 Feb 1900
/3	Copy of programme for a service to commemorate the first anniversary of the outbreak of the First World War, held at St Paul's Cathedral. Handwritten note, by Horace Hutchinson, to the effect that the programme was used by the Prime Minister [H H Asquith] at the service	4 Aug 1915
/4	Letter from R Kimpton at American Express, concerning the shipment of golf clubs and umbrella to Mr Wilfred Chapman of New York	13 May 1916
/5	1 Justin Huntly McCarthy 2 Mr [Horace] Hutchinson Letter: 2 is seeking permission to use a passage from 'A History of Our Own Times'. 1 agrees, but also directs him to write to Chatto and Windus for permission	6 Mar 1918
/6	1 Leonard Huxley, of the Cornhill Magazine 2 Horace Hutchinson Letter: 1 agrees to accept a short story ('A Hero - Rising Eight') for the magazine, but is not sure when it will be published	12 Mar 1919
/7	Photocopy of pages from The Cornhill Magazine containing the story - 'A Hero - Rising Eight' - referred to in R/X/184/6	Sep 1919

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1 [?] from Chelwood Gate, Haywards Heath

17 Mar 1949

2 Dorothy [of Shepherds Gate]

Letter: 1 thanks 2 for buying 'Bob's amateur book'.

Mention of Horace [?Hutchinson], Mark Rutherford [possibly William Hale White, the journalist, who used this name as a pseudonym] and Lord Dufferin [1st Marquis of Dufferin and Ava; governor General of Canada, Viceroy of India, and British Ambassador to many countries]

R/X/185

Donation by Clwyd Record Office

Acc 820

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1 Mrs Rhoda Williams of Maesteg
2 Rev J C Williams, Vicar of Stowe

27 Oct 1948

Photocopy of a letter re Stanage School, which 1
attended

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1 Mrs Rhoda Williams of Maesteg
2 Rev J C Williams, Vicar of Stowe

2 Nov 1948

Photocopy of a letter re Stanage School, which 1
attended

These records relate to the Hurst family, which is described as one of the founding families of Llandrindod Wells. Henry Hurst moved to Llandrindod Wells in 1868, when the development of the future spa town was just beginning. He opened a brick works and built Norton Terrace and Christ Church Congregational Church. His sons Joseph, a builder, James, a surveyor and John, a plumber, continued to play an important part in the growth of the town. Joseph was overseer for the parish of Cefnlllys, a member of Llanbadarn Fawr School Board, also of the Urban District and County Councils. He was appointed a JP in 1906. John had seven children: Annie, Henry (who died at the age of 8), Elsie, Walter, Ernest, Maud and Florence. Walter and Maud owned a chemist shop in the town.

/CR	<i>Birth, Marriage and Death Certificates</i>	
/1	Birth certificate for Annie Hurst (27 Jun 1884)	30 Jun 1884
/2	Birth certificate for Henry Hurst (16 Jun 1886)	26 Aug 1886
/3	Birth certificate for Elsie Hurst (14 Dec 1887)	5 Jan 1888
/4	Birth Certificate for Walter Hurst (24 Jun 1890)	30 Aug 1890
/5	Birth certificate for Maud Hurst (17 Jun 1898)	22 Jul 1898
/6	Certified copy of birth certificate for William Lewis (12 Nov 1887)	20 Apr 1911
/7	Certified copy of birth certificate for Maud Hurst	29 Dec 1937
/8	Certified copy of birth certificate of Florence Hurst (28 Nov 1900)	29 Dec 1937
/9	Certified copy of birth certificate of John Hurst (3 Jul 1851)	25 Jun 1951
/10	Death certificate for William Lewis (12 Aug 1951)	1 Nov 1951
/11	Certified copy of marriage certificate for William Lewis and Elsie Hurst (15 Apr 1926)	15 Apr 1976
/12	Death certificate for Maud Hurst (25 Oct 1983)	28 Oct 1983
/13	Death certificate of Elsie Lewis (21 Jul 1986)	23 Jul 1986
/OF	<i>Obituaries, Funeral Notices and Letters of Condolence</i>	
/1	Condolence letter from D Morgan to Mr & Mrs Hurst on the loss of Henry Hurst	21 Dec 1894
/2	Obituary notice from The Wellington Journal for Walter Hurst	30 Aug 1924
/3	Announcement of death and obituary notice from newspapers for Walter Hurst	1924
/4	Condolence letter from H B de Winter to John on the death of his brother Joseph	11 Nov 1928
/5	Obituary notice for Joseph Hurst from The Journal	1928
/6	Obituary notice for Joseph Hurst	1928
/7	Printed thanks from family of late Mr John Hurst, for kind thoughts on their recent bereavement, also	Feb 1936

	newspaper obituary	
/8	Note card as above, also newspaper obituary	Feb 1936
/9	Announcement of death and 6 obituary notices from newspapers on the death of John Hurst	Feb 1936
/10	Obituary notices for Mr W E Lewis [husband of Elsie Hurst] and printed thanks from Mrs Lewis for kind thoughts on her recent bereavement	Aug 1951
/11	Printed thanks from family of late Miss Florence Hurst for kind thoughts in their recent bereavement, also newspaper obituary and visiting card	Nov 1963
/12	Condolence letter from Jansen Griffith, Christ Church, Llandrindod Wells to Misses A & M Hirst and Mrs Lewis	9 Nov 1963
/13	Obituary notice on the death of Mrs John Hurst, plus visiting card	n/d [c 1917]
/14	Newspaper cutting telling of the death of Ernest Hurst in France [missing at time of going to press], and Obituary notice	n/d [1917]
/15	Typewritten obituary of Maud Hurst	n/d [1983]
/16	Typewritten account of the funeral service of Elsie Lewis, also 3 pages on the Hurst family	n/d [1986]
/CE	<i>Certificates</i>	
/1	Junior certificate issued by the Central Welsh Board to Elsie Hurst , with photograph [?of Elsie] on reverse	10 Sep 1902
/2	Scholar's Certificate issued to Walter Hurst	13 Mar 1903
/3	Certificate from Central London Ophthalmic Hospital to Annie Hurst	19 Nov 1904
/4	Junior Certificate issued by The Central Welsh Board to Walter Hurst	31 Aug 1906
/5	Certificate of merit issued to Florence Hurst	1909
/6	Certificate of merit issued to Maud Hurst	1910
/7	Bishops certificate issued to Florence Hurst	10 Jul 1911
/8	Needlework certificate issued to Maud Hurst	Oct 1912
/9	Junior certificate issued by The Central Welsh Board to Maud Hurst	1 Sep 1913
/10	Needlework certificate issued to Maud Hurst	Oct 1913
/11	Needlework certificate issued to Florence Hurst	Sep 1916
/12	Letter from The Central Welsh Board stating that it is enclosing certificate for Florence Hurst	7 Aug 1917
/13	Certificate issued by The Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain to Walter Hurst	2 Jan 1922
/14	Junior certificate issued by The Central Welsh Board to Florence Hurst	n/d
/SR	<i>Maud Hurst's School Reports</i>	
/1	Christmas school report for Maud Hurst	1910
/2	Easter school report for Maud Hurst	1911
/3	Summer school report for Maud Hurst	1911
/4	Christmas school report for Maud Hurst	1911

/5	Easter school report for Maud Hurst	1912
/6	Summer school report for Maud Hurst	1912
/7	Christmas school report for Maud Hurst	1912
/8	Spring school report for Maud Hurst	1913
/9	Summer school report for Maud Hurst	1913
/10	Christmas school report for Maud Hurst	1913
/11	Spring school report for Maud Hurst	1914
/12	Summer school report for Maud Hurst	1914
/PH	<i>Photographs</i>	
/1	Photo of Maud and Florence	1904
/2	7 photographs mounted on paper, dated 1915 & 1916; with 'Flo' identified on one picture. The others possibly of Walter or Ernest	[1915-1916]
/3	Photo of [?Elsie]	1920
/4	Photo of Henry Hurst the elder	n/d
/5	Photo of Margaret Gilbert – wife of Henry Hurst	n/d
/6	Photo of John Hurst and wife – Mary Annie Jones	n/d
/7	Group photo of Joseph, James, John, Mary Annie and another lady	n/d
/8	Photo of John Hurst	n/d
/9	Photo of John Hurst	n/d
/10	Photo of Annie and Henry	n/d
/11	Photo of Annie	n/d
/12	Photo of Annie	n/d
/13	Photo of Annie	n/d
/14	Photo of Annie	n/d
/15	Photo of Annie	n/d
/16	Photo of Annie	n/d
/17	Photo of Annie	n/d
/18	Photo of Elsie	n/d
/19	Photo of Elsie	n/d
/20	Photo of [?Elsie] taken by Rousham Roberts	n/d
/21	Photo of [?Elsie] taken by Rousham Roberts	n/d
/22	Wedding photo of Elsie & Will Lewis with bridesmaids and best man?	n/d
/23	Wedding photo of Elsie & Will Lewis	n/d
/24	Photo of Walter taken by Rousham Roberts	n/d
/25	Two photographs, mounted on paper: first one of Walter or Ernest in army uniform, second one of Walter or Ernest with a lady	n/d
/26	Group photo of soldiers	n/d
/27	Photo of Ernest	n/d
/28	Photo of Ernest, also mounted on same sheet: newspaper cutting telling of the death of Ernest Hurst in France	n/d [c 1917]
/29	Two identical photos of Maud	n/d
/30	Photo of Maud	n/d
/31	Photo of Florence	n/d
/32	Photo of Maud	n/d
/33	Two photos of girls [?Maud and Florence]	n/d

/34	Photo of young lady taken by Rousham Roberts	n/d
/35	Photo of Florence	n/d
/36	Group photo showing: Ernest, Mary, Maud, John, Walter, Florence, Elsie and Annie	n/d
/DO	<i>Donations by the Hurst Family</i>	
/1	List of items donated to The Llandrindod Wells Museum by Mrs Elsie Lewis	8 Nov 1983
/2	Cutting from The County Times giving details of the donation of seven beds in Llandrindod Wells Geriatric Ward – known as the Hurst & Parfitt Bequest	18 Oct 1986
/X	<i>Miscellaneous</i>	
/1	Receipt from Llandrindod Wells Urban District Council to John Hurst for the purchase of Grave Space No 750	29 Dec 1896
/2	Driver's Licence for Elsie Hurst issued by Radnor County Council	1903
/3	Granting of Grave Space No 1859 by Llandrindod Wells Urban District Council to Maud Hurst	13 Oct 1969
/4	Letter from Llandrindod Wells Urban District Council to Maud Hurst granting exclusive rights of burial in Grave no 1859	20 Oct 1969
/5	Cutting from The Journal giving details of the diary kept by Henry Hurst in 1868	n/d
/6	Business card for W Hurst, Chemist & Pharmacist	n/d
/7	Business card for Walter Hurst, Chemist	n/d
/8	British Passport for Annie Hurst	n/d

R/X/188

Deposit from Mrs A Deakins

Acc 1747

These papers were found on the meat hooks attached to the kitchen ceiling at Castle Hill Cottage, Knucklas, the former home of Miss Pattie Griffiths [the aunt of Mrs Deakins' late husband, Bob Deakins]. Miss Griffiths had previously lived at Llancoch Farm, Llangynllo with her father, Richard Griffiths.

Information supplied by Mr Dai Hawkins

Not to be produced - the papers have all been digitised and are available on a CD

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| /1 | Receipted accounts, mostly from tradesmen and shops in Knighton | 1907-1912 |
| /2 | Dated grocery lists, with prices of the goods; signed as receipts | 1909-1912 |

Two of these deeds relate to the family of Thomas Jones the artist, of Pencerrig. There are transcripts by Mr Gates, of documents /1 and /3 available

/1 Marriage settlement: John Jones to Margaret Davies of Llanbadarn Vynydd – sister of John Griffith. 21 May 1707

- 1 John Jones of p Llanfihangell Keven Llice [Cefnlllys], Gent and Jane Jones, Widow, natural mother of John Jones
- 2 John Griffith of p Llanbadarn Vynydd, Gent, and Richard Price of p Llansantffread, Gent

In p Kerry, Montgomeryshire: messuage, tenements and land, value £19 per annum.

In ps Llanfihangell Keven Llice, Llanbadarn Vawr and Llandridnod: messuage or tenement called severally Trevonen, Kellws and Dole Trevonen; a messuage or tenement called Trevonen-ycha; a water corn grist mill commonly called Melin Hafwy ycha,

Dorse: 'The Counterpart of my Wife's Joynture'

[John Jones was the grandfather of Thomas Jones]

/2 Release: mortgage for £150 2 Sep 1732

- 1 Benjamin Holl of p Llansantffread in Elvel, Gent, Anne his wife, Joshua Holl, eldest son and heir of Benjamin Holl and Anne his wife
- 2 Thomas Jones of p Tedbury [Tetbury] in Gloucestershire, Gent

In p Llansantffread in Elvel: 2 messuages called severally Llwin Gwillim and Tuy and Tir Rees Moil

[Thomas Jones was the great uncle of Thomas Jones the artist]

/3 Lease to vest possession 6 Nov 1792

- 1 The Reverend Richard Smith of the town of Presteigne, Clerk; John Piggott of Presteigne, Mercer; [executors of the will of the late William Archibald of the town of Presteigne]; Samuel Bevan of Tuy yn y Crom, p Newchurch and Fortune his wife; John Bevan of the city of Hereford, second son of Samuel Bevan and Fortune his wife

2 Benjamin Thomas of the town of Brecon, Coachmaker

In p Llanbadarn y Garreg: Water Corn Grist Mill and Millhouse called Walter Vaughan's Mill upon Edow and latterly called Llanbadarn Mill, formerly occupied by William Prytherch. Also closes or parcels called Doley Volin arcoed, Dole ar wern dan y pwent, Dole oddiar y pwent, Caebank oddiar heol y vellin; and one kiln – all in the tenure of Richard Phillips

R/X/191

Donation by Sid Meredith

Acc 1754

Thomas Lant was born in 1865 in York. He moved to Radnorshire in 1895, to open quarries at Llanelwedd and Llandrindod Wells which supplied stone for the Elan Valley dams; the wealth which Mr Lant subsequently acquired was shared in part with his workforce, and also used for public benefactions such as the Lant Fields in Llandrindod Wells, and the football field in Builth Wells. Although he lived at Dolgarreg in Builth, and served on Builth UDC, Mr Lant is always associated with Radnorshire because of the employment he provided in his quarries

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| /1 | Digital copy of a photograph of Thomas Lant and his workforce | c 1930 |
| /2 | Enlargement of the portion of the photograph which shows Mr Lant | c 1930 |

**These records relate to Joseph Wilding (1840-1927),
Methodist Lay Preacher at Cwm-y-geist, Radnorshire
1872-1923**

Joseph Wilding was born on March 4th 1840 at Greabodig Farm, Llanbister, second son of John and Susannah Wilding. He attended the day school at Llanbister Church, taught by J V Mantle and also the Sunday school held in the Church vestry. When he was twelve he moved with his parents to a farm called Penyclawdd, Llangynllo, and worked there for a while, but it was made clear to him that the farm would be left to his elder brother Beverley, and he was encouraged to find another career.

He may have considered going to sea, and certainly made one voyage from Plymouth to Liverpool, but ill health seems to have prevented him from continuing this path. At the age of 27 he succumbed to a severe attack of pneumonia and his recovery from this precipitated his religious conversion.

He worshipped at different chapels, but when he was 28 years of age his commitment was to the Primitive Methodist cause at Cwm-y-geist, serving as a lay preacher and Sunday School Secretary for the rest of his life. He did not marry, although considered doing so on more than one occasion.

Joseph Wilding lived at Maylord between Llanbister and Llangynllo, but spent most of his life lodging at the White House near Cwm-y-geist. He died on October 12th 1927 at the age of 87 at St Michael's Hall, the home of his sister Susan. He was buried as he had asked in the Chapel Cemetery, Cwm-y-geist

<i>/D</i>	<i>Diaries</i>	
/1	Diary of Joseph Wilding	1872-1884
/2	Diary of Joseph Wilding	1884-1918
/3	Diary of Joseph Wilding	1918-1919
/4	Diary of Joseph Wilding	1919-1921
/5	Diary of Joseph Wilding	1921-1922

/6	Diary of Joseph Wilding	1922-1923
/F	<i>Published Family History</i>	
/1	<i>The Journal of the late Susannah Wilding, of Michael's Hall, Radnorshire, covering the years 1860-1874, with a brief memoir of the late John Wilding</i>	c1900
/2	<i>Reminiscences, the autobiography of Joseph Wilding, 1913</i>	1915
/X	<i>Miscellaneous</i>	
/1	Photograph of Cwm-y-Geist Sunday School	c1910