

Literature From Home And Abroad.

MOLAWD DYFRI.

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Gwir feirddion hoff hen Ddyfri fawr, O awr i awr gydfolant; Cilgwynnog goeth, Athenydd Vardd, Mor hardd eu cerdd pan gannd...



SUSPENSION BRIDGE, LLANDOVERY.

Fudraw i'r bont a'i thyrâu gwych, Yr ych geir yno'n pori O laswellt blydd ganndd glyd Blaennos...

Ei thelym dlos a'i melus don, Bydd son am rha'i yn Nghymru; Angylos oedd y ddiarwr ferch...

Penrock a hefyd Llwynjack fawr, Le tyr y wawr mor danbaid Ar fryn a dol y ffermydd gwiw...

Ar lanau Bran ceir castell crwn, Cas ydyw hwn i'r Hengist; Ei gaeruf cryf a'i gerig certh...

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THE OLD GASTLE, LLANDOVERY.

Nid pell o'r bont a'i thyrâu gwyn, Wrth droed y glyn saif Tingad, Gorweddffan llyu o feibion llen...

Ar ael y bryn mewd hyfryd fan, Cartreflan i'r eheydd, Yn nghudd dan lwyn o fiodau hedd...

Ffarwel gyfeillion boreu oes, Canlynyw croes yr lesu, Aur wen y nef aros'n deg...

Miss Angharad Rees oedd delynores enwog. Y Ficer Prichard.

that the enterprise displayed by the authorities of the University of Cardiff in connection with the founding of a department of public health for Wales is worthy of all praise.

Tom Price (Merthyr), the perpetuator of music in the Glamorgan Chorus, connection with the founding of a department of public health for Wales is worthy of all praise.

J. L. Thomas, J. P. Gilfach, is the happy possessor of a silver medal about the size of a crownpiece, bearing on one side with a floral scroll, the inscription "Cardiff, 1897."

Professor Kerl Evans M. A., sometime professor of philosophy at Bangor University, and at the present time an examiner in philosophy for Glasgow University, has been called to the untimely pastures of Heaven.

The 15th of June will be an important day in London Welsh circles. The announcement is made that an adaptation of Daniel Owen's popular novel "Rhydydd" will be staged in St. George's hall by the Bala Dramatic company.

A Davies, an engine driver of Swansea, has prepared a somewhat ingenious scheme for the provision of old-age pensions. He would grant every male 10s per week at the age of sixty and every female 6s per week on attaining a similar age.

Is the vocabulary of Welsh surnames ever likely to be augmented? Certain it is that the difficulties and inconveniences attending the present system are being more and more recognized.

The following remarkable story has for itself the recommendation of being true. It is the practice of a Carmarthenshire postman to deposit the letters belonging to a certain family in an iron box, and letter-box near the roadside.

A carol by the great Eben Parid is printed from a manuscript in the poet's own handwriting now in the possession of Mr. Charles White—in this week's issue of the Aberystwyth Observer.

While the Welsh Baptists and the Welsh Congregationalists have each their respective "missions" and the Welsh Methodist Missionaries have their "General Assembly" to represent them as a concrete whole, the Welsh Wesleyans are still divided into two artificial sections.

Mr. T. Glyndwr Richards, the well-known male voice party conductor, expressed his belief to one of our representatives that the choral contests at this year's Newport National Eisteddfod would be memorable ones.

There are three vacancies on the Welsh Central Board. The appointment as ex-officio member of the Welsh Central Board, Mr. J. Jones, B. Sc., involves on the part of those gentlemen the vacation of their seats on the board. Successors to the

two professors will be appointed by the two colleges they respectively represent, but Mr. D. E. Jones, B. Sc., is a co-optative member, and his successor will be appointed by the board itself.

In their march through their territorial district the First Battalion South Wales Borders, who are encamped at Newport, from Aldershot to Pembroke Dock in the early part of July, will leave the train at Seven Tunnels.

The discussion at Llanelly on the question of adopting the Free Library Act in the town was in some respects amusing to a degree. One speaker replying to the argument that Llanelly was in the van of South Wales towns even in the absence of a Free Library, stated that the town had been blessed with a Free Library Llanelly would have been miles in front of the van!

By those of our readers who have been born and bred amid the ceaseless din and commotion of railway traffic the following will be hardly appreciated. The 12th of May was a red letter day in the history of Talyllyn.

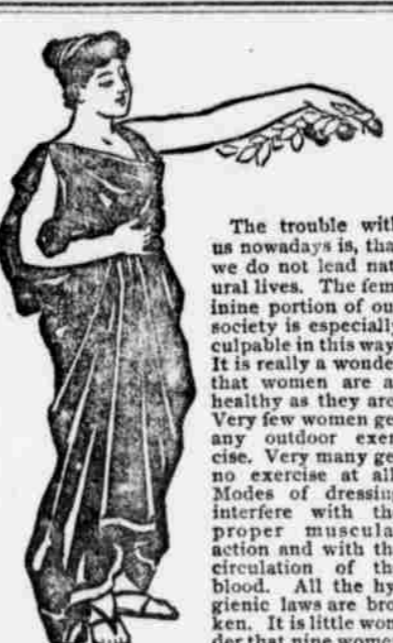
The Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church at Falmouth road, London, is reported to have invited the Rev. Samuel E. Prydderch, of Stepney, to accept its pastorate. Mr. Prydderch is a son of the late celebrated W. Prydderch, of Eryri, and brother of the Rev. W. E. Prydderch, of Trinity chapel, Swansea, successor of the late Dr. Saunders.

There is a growing desire in some London Welsh quarters, and especially among those Welsh employed in large business establishments, to establish Sunday morning services in the open air, near Park and Battersea Park as places of congregation are favored, and there is some likelihood that the proposal may assume a practical shape.

Jonah Evans, brother of the late Rev. Dr. Herbert Evans, pastor of the Rev. W. Justin Evans, has been elected chairman of the Pontell Urban district council which office carries with it a seat on the municipal bench.

The new chairman of the Welsh Congregational union must be selected from among the residents of North Wales, and a suggestion is made that on this occasion a layman should be elected.

M. O. Jones so well known in musical and scholastic circles in South Wales, has for the past thirty-five years labored at Treherbert, where, in his capacity as schoolmaster, he has trained quite a little army of boys and girls for the battle of life.



The trouble with us nowadays is, that we do not lead natural lives. The feminine portion of our society is especially culpable in this way. It is really a wonder that women are as healthy as they are.



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