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November 3, 1979

David Edwards
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Dear Mr. Edwards:

The Secretary-Treasurer of W.A.Y. has telephoned me and stated that he has not yet received the \$500.00 grant from you for W.A.Y. The unfortunate thing is that W.A.Y. News must be completed, printed, and posted by December 1, 1979 and w.a.y. does not have the funds from the grant to proceed with this important activity.

Bruce Johnson, Secretary, has asked me to write to you and ask you to kindly send the check to him as soon as possible in order for the activities of W.A.Y. to proceed on time.

W.A.Y. is most appreciative for all the support it has received from the Officers of the national (with the few exceptions, but everyone can't be supportive of W.A.Y. if they don't know what our purpose is). W.A.Y. would like to think that everyone wants to help and provide guidance to our organization -- we intend to prove to everyone that our purpose is for the National and we want to participate and take a place in the implementation of events just like the officers of the National and the members of the Board of Trustees. Someday, W.A.Y. will be in a position to place funds back in the Endowment Fund and it is with great thanks to those who have supported, encouraged and will continue to support us in the future that W.A.Y. is able to proceed with its activities.

I thoroughly enjoyed the Gymnafa Ganu in Niagara Falls. I found it was very touching and being a sensitive and emotional human being, I not only became emotional at the Board of Trustees meeting, but throughout the weekend I found my emotions were touched. There are a lot of good & warm hearted people in the Welsh community -- how nice and refreshing it is for me to see this.

I thank you for your assistance in sending the funds to Bruce.

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Subject: Report to the Budget Committee

Gentlemen:

If you recall on the evening of September 17, they brought up the question of our Society of supporting W.A.Y. (Welsh American Youth).

The competition that we held on Our Welsh Heritage, was a great success, and you can rest assured that in the long run it will be of great benefit to our Society.

At the Trustee Meeting of the National Gymanfa Ganu, I was able to get them to approve \$500 to help W.A.Y., defray expenses from their publication, which they send out; and I would now like to propose that we now donate this year only \$100.00 to W.A.Y. to help this young organization continue the work they are doing.

We also have a new campaign with W.A.Y. to help sell Our Welsh Heritage booklet. In the event this \$100 is approved, I would appreciate your making the check out to W.A.Y. and then send the check to me in Madison. I will then send it to the President of W.A.Y., Miss Penny Brown in Pittsburgh.

Thank you for taking the above under consideration.

Kindest regards,


Dr. Islyn Thomas, O.B.E.

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cc Earl Griffiths

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Dear Mr. Edwards:

Please accept my warm thanks and appreciation for the grant in the amount of \$500.00 to W.A.Y. from the Endowment Fund of the Welsh National Gymanfa Ganu Association.

The funds from the grant will be utilized in a way that W.A.Y. can make communication with its membership across Canada and the United States by means of the W.A.Y. News (our quarterly newsletter). This newsletter is supported by members of W.A.Y. and anyone interested in contributing to our organization.

At this time, I cordially invite you to make a contribution to this W.A.Y. News by offering a poem, short story, Welsh Activities Calendar for the Cleveland area listing upcoming events for the new year or a special recipe you might use in your kitchen. We do not expect perfectionists to contribute to our newsletter, therefore, feel confident that we use everything sent to us in our newsletter and you must have something we can put to good use.

Please feel free to write to me at any time with any ideas or suggestions which you feel would benefit the purpose of W.A.Y. and don't forget that our current membership fee is \$2.50 which includes the newsletter -- sign up your nieces or nephews or grandchildren NOW.

By the way, any funds to be sent for W.A.Y. should be made out to the Welsh Associated Youth of Canada and the United States or W.A.Y. as the checks can only be cashed/deposited under that name.

Thank you again. W.A.Y. thanks the Board of Trustees for their support now and in the future along with the other members of the National.

Sincerely yours,

Cynthia E. Jones
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W.A.Y. President

cc: Dr. Islyn Thomas