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LLANGOLLEN LITERARY SOCIETY

Dear Sir/Madam,—

MEMORIAL TO JONATHAN HUGHES.

Sometime ago the Society decided to take steps to commemorate the above poet, who flourished in this Vale during the eighteenth century.

It has long been felt that failure to take the opportunity to pay tribute to one who was so much to the fore amongst the literary men of his day would be unworthy of us.

The aim of the Committee was two-fold:—

- (1) To erect a Memorial in the grounds of Plas Newydd.
- (2) To publish a book (prepared by the Rev. Daniel Williams) giving a short history of the poet's life and selections from his work.

The book has been published and is now on sale.

The permission, both of our Urban Council and of the Ministry of Works, Cardiff, has been received for the erection of the Memorial in the Plas Newydd grounds.

It is intended to associate with his name on the Memorial the names of two other Llangollen poets who gained Eisteddfodic distinction, namely Taliesin o Eifion, who died before being chaired for the work

he submitted for the Wrexham National Eisteddfod of 1876, and Gwilym Ceiriog, who was chaired bard at the Carmarthen National Eisteddfod of 1911 and at Pittsburg (U.S.A.) International Eisteddfod in 1913.

We believe the occasion is of interest to the whole of Wales and to Llangollen in particular, and therefore venture to ask for your support to enable us to meet the expenses.

All contributions sent to the Treasurer at Coedfryn, Llangollen, will be gratefully acknowledged.

On behalf of the Committee we are,

Yours truly,

J. IORWERTH ROBERTS
(Chairman)

A. DAN THOMAS
(Treasurer)

W. I. WILLIAMS
(Sec. of Finance Com.)

S. PUGH JONES
(Secretary).

PLEASE NOTE THIS DATE

—JULY 26th—

A G A R D E N F E T E

will be held in the grounds of

LLANTYSILIO HALL

in aid of the Welsh Church
Layman's Appeal Fund.

TO THE EDITOR

Dear Madam,—

AGNES HUNT BAZAAR.

Will you kindly allow me the courtesy of your press to appeal to your readers to support the Bazaar to be held on Thursday at 3 p.m. in aid of the 'Dame Agnes Hunt Memorial Fund'? This is mainly an effort by the Women's Organisation—helped by others—to raise a substantial amount. There will be quite a number of stalls—Flowers, Cakes and Produce, a Housewife's Stall and a Caledonian Market and various sideshows for your entertainment, with Teas to round off the social side.

Lady Margaret Myddleton has very kindly consented to open the sale, so please turn up and support us. You will be able to get something useful for the Whit week-end!

We are all grateful for the memory of Dame Agnes and I feel sure that this appeal will be generously supported.

Yours faithfully,

GWYNETH JONES
(Chairman Ladies Committee).

N.B.—Convenient transport for Pentredwr and Llantysilio will be arranged. See notices in B.M.M.S. buses.

FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday, May 29—Agnes Hunt Memorial Bazaar.

June 7—Glan'rafon Rummage Sale.

U.D.C. MAY 20

The Annual Meeting, the first of the newly-elected Council, was unusually lengthy—an hour and a half—occupied mainly with appointments to committees & fixing dates and times of meetings.

Coun. J. N. Bowen was in the chair at the commencement when the Clerk read the result of the poll and called on all members present to sign the acceptance of office. Mr. Bowen then welcomed the old and new councillors and proposed Mr. Grainger as chairman. This was seconded by Mr. Waltho and Mr. Grainger took his place on the dais. Mr. Bowen returning to his former place at the Council table. Mr. Fred Ellis rose to congratulate Mr. Grainger and to thank Mr. Bowen for the excellent service he had given as chairman during the past year. Mr. Dan Thomas associated himself with these remarks.

Mr. Bowen thanked them for their kind remarks and said his year of office as chairman had been very pleasant owing to the co-operation of all other councillors.

Mr. Waltho thought something should be said about the two candidates who were unsuccessful at the polls. They had each received more votes than candidates who had been successful in the 1947 election and he hoped that would encourage them.

Mr. Grainger thanked everyone sincerely for the honour conferred on him. As in past years, no vice-chairman was appointed. All members of the Council were appointed on the Finance, General Purposes and Housing Committees.

After discussion, it was resolved that no Rating Committee be appointed this year; any questions arising to be dealt with by the Finance Committee.

All councillors were appointed on the Library Committee, together with Mr. Cooke, Rev. Robert Davies, Mrs. Garner Evans, Mrs. Ieuan Lloyd Jones, Mrs. H. Glynne Jones, Mr. C. J. R. Stephens, Rev. Daniel Williams and Miss Teare and Rev. J. Alun Thomas to fill vacancies caused by the death of Miss Cunliffe and the departure of the Rev. Chan. Alcuin Jones.

Mr. Bowen paid a tribute to the enthusiastic and loyal service given

to the Library by Miss Cunliffe. Appointments to outside committees were then made.

Managers to Non Provided School: T. F. Waltho; to the Modern Secondary School: J. Bailey, F. C. Ellis and A. D. Thomas; Evening Schools Committee: J. N. Bowen, F. C. Ellis, R. T. Evans, J. C. Roberts and A. D. Thomas. Trustees of the Town Band: J. Bailey, H. Grainger, J. C. Roberts. Management Committee of the Band: R. T. Evans, Miss Gwyneth Jones and J. C. Roberts. Denbighshire Road Safety Organisation: R. T. Evans and A. D. Thomas. North Wales Federation of Safety First Organisations: H. Grainger. Denbighshire Planning Authority: A. D. Thomas. East Denbighshire Planning Committee: A. D. Thomas. National Health Service Easter No. 1 District: J. N. Bowen, F. C. Ellis. Welsh Tourist Board: H. Grainger. U.D.C. Association: At this point a passage of arms occurred between Mr. Waltho and Mr. Ellis. The Clerk stated that Mr. H. Glynne Jones had been the Council's representative on this Association for many years and upon Mr. Ellis's declining to accept nomination in his place, Mr. Waltho said Mr. Ellis did not take his share of outside committees. Responsibilities entailing travelling on behalf of the Council should be shared. The chairman intervened and said he would ask for another name and Mr. A. D. Thomas was appointed. Llangollen Publicity Association: J. N. Bowen, J. C. Roberts and T. F. Waltho. Llangollen Council of Social Service: J. Bailey, R. T. Evans, J. N. Bowen, Miss Gwyneth Jones. Llangollen Council of Youth: Miss Gwyneth Jones, J. Bailey and J. N. Bowen. Mr. Bowen pointed out that the Youth Council quarterly meetings invariably fell on council nights, making their representation of no avail and it was resolved that this should be pointed out to the secretary of the Youth Council, since it would be impossible to secure the attendance of urban councillors unless the quarterly meetings at the Youth Centre were arranged not to clash with their prior duty of attending the Urban Council.

Mr. J. Bailey was appointed on the Samaritan Fund Committee and

Miss Gwyneth Jones on the County Civil Defence Co-ordinating Committee. On the County Water Committee the chair man of the General Purposes Committee, Mr. J. C. Roberts and Mr. Lovatt were appointed, and the chairman of the Finance Committee was appointed to the two bodies that deal with wage claims, viz: The North Wales Provincial Council of Local Authorities and the North Wales District Council.

The Clerk reported that the Annual Conference of the Association of Urban District Councils would be held, for the first time in North Wales, at Llandudno June 25-27. The chairmen of the Council, G.P. and Finance Committee, were appointed to attend as well as the Clerk, expenses being allowed.

Dates for committee meetings were next under consideration and the clerk suggested certain alterations to make it possible for minutes to be circulated in good time.

Miss Gwyneth Jones proposed that Finance Committee meet on the Tuesday preceding the Council Meeting and the General Purposes Committee on the Friday before that. This would make it possible for Finance Committee to confirm any item in the G.P. minutes relating to expenditure. Mr. Waltho wanted to stick to the familiar Tuesday for the G.P. Committee but had no seconder. It was therefore resolved that the Council meet the first Tuesday in the month; the Finance Committee the last Tuesday in the month; the General Purposes Committee on the Friday preceding the Finance Committee and the Housing Committee the same night as the Finance.

TOC H—Llangollen Branch

On Tuesday we are to hold what we call Builders Evening and we cordially invite all Builders of this Branch and past speakers and guests. The Area Padre for Wales, Rev. John Jones, is to be the speaker.

The Olde Maye Fayre has once again provided members with an opportunity to be of service.

Several of our members hope to be at the National Toc H Festival at Manchester in June.

The speaker at our last meeting was one of our members, Isaac Thomas. He traced the history of roads from the earliest times and showed how their development has been inevitably bound up with man's progress. C. R. Stephens was chairman for the evening and warmly thanked the speaker. These thanks were seconded by Padre Daniel.—G.E.

PENTREDWR & LLANTYSILIO W.I.

At Pentredwr School on May 20th Mrs. Parry took the chair. After the general business Miss Taylor gave a very interesting and amusing report on the Spring Council Meeting and we all realised how fortunate had been the few members who had been able to hear Mr. A. G. Street. We all sympathise especially with Mrs. Thorne who is ill and was thus unable to be our delegate as originally intended.

Mrs. Parry announced the wonderful result of the Jumble Sale, just on £20! We trust the over 70's will enjoy the outing being planned for them on July 2nd.

Mrs. A. M. Jones was our guest for the evening to explain the A.G.M. agenda, and this she did very clearly and speedily, being thanked afterwards by Mrs. Williams (Britannia), with Mrs. G. Evans seconding.

After tea, we were delighted and charmed by two young singers, Miss Alwena Hughes and Miss Alwena Jones, who gave us a selection of solos and duets, a really beautiful performance. Miss Rogers, their accompanist, played the first movement of "The Moonlight Sonata." We had been looking forward to hearing the whole work with the story around which the music was written, but, unfortunately time was fleeting. The W.I. choir sang one song 'All in an April evening' Mrs. Parry expressed everyone's pleasure for the excellent musical half hour.

Once again we arrived at no decision as to our annual outing, although the general inclination seems to be for an evening trip and a meal out. Final arrangements will be made at the June meeting.

The singing of the anthems brought a happy gathering to a close at 9.15 p.m.—W.G.

LLANGOLLEN CRICKET CLUB

The result of matches played up to Thursday, May 22, are as follows:—

Saturday, May 10th, Llangollen visited Wrexham to play 4th Battn. R.W.F. The R.W.F. scored 63, chief individual scores being Capt. Roberts 18, Rev. W. F. Lloyd 12, Fus. Brown 14. Bowling: P. Dodgson 2 for 18, H. Rawles 5 for 14, W. Price 3 for 22. Llangollen scored 119—H. Rawles 21, V. Rees 20, G. Jones 23, H. Thomas 15, W. Price 14, J. John 11. Bowling: C. Davies 4 for 37, French for 42, Ryder 1 for 3.4

On Thursday, May 15th, Llangollen visited Chirk. Llangollen scored 14, no batsman reaching double figures, and S. Roberts, the only batsman to show any confidence, was run out for 6. R. Parry and W. Williams took 2 for 7 and 2 for 5; E. Rogers took 4 for 1. Chirk scored 93 for 5 after losing five wickets for 40 runs. Randle Bellis hit up 41 and Ray Parry 17—both not out. J. Campbell scored 17. Bowling: V. Rees 3 for 13, Price 1 for 23, Evans 1 for 11.

Saturday, May 17, Llay Welfare visited Llangollen and scored 91. J. Parry 20, H. Jones 17, E. Hughes 13 not out, R. Jenkins 12. John Evans took 7 for 23, P. Dodgson 2 for 32, V. Rees 1 for 32. Llangollen scored 38. The last seven wickets fell for 2 runs after Rees and Johns scored 20 for the 3rd wicket. V. Rees scored 10 and J. Johns 8. G. Davies took 5 wickets for 0 runs for the visitors, R. Jones 3 for 10, E. Griffiths and D. Griffiths 1 for 10 and 1 for 1 respectively.

On Thursday, May 22, Llangollen entertained Chirk 'A' and won an exciting low score game by 8 runs. Llangollen fielded a much weakened team but fortunately no change of bowling was called for in dismissing Chirk for 37. J. Evans took 6 for 13 and F. Long 4 for 26. Only M. Potter (15) reached double figures. Llangollen started badly but G. Jones (8) and J. Evans (12 not out) pulled the game round and Llangollen reached 45. Bowling for Chirk: P. Riley 7 for 17, E. Rogers 2 for 24.

W. S. ARCHER, Hon. Sec.

WANTED — Second-hand Child's Tricycle in good condition. Offers to Box 47.

ANOTHER BIRTHDAY

Mr. Ryland Evans, who is a patient at Llangollen Hospital, celebrated his 86th birthday last Saturday and the staff kindly gave him a Birthday Party, complete with cake.

IN MEMORIAM

WILLIAMS. In loving birthday (May 26) memories of our dear Dad who died April 16, 1951.

*A beautiful life of kindly deeds,
A ready hand for those in need—
Always thoughtful, unselfish and
kind;
What a lovely memory to leave
behind.*

Always remembered by

Maggie and Lionel,

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THANKS

Mrs. Baines and family wish to thank most sincerely their neighbours and friends for their expressions of sympathy with them in their recent bereavement and for many kindnesses during the late Mrs. Baine's illness. They particularly thank Dr. Benjamin for his unflinching attention.

Rhewl Post Office.

May 23, 1952.

BIRTH

HARPER. On May 8, 1952, at the B.M.H. Wuppertal, Germany, to Roberta (nee Lloyd Jones), wife of Major J. G. Harper, a son, David Gordon.

Dr. Pritchard Memorial Church,
Abbey Road.

SUNDAY, JUNE 1st

Special visit of

REV. W. BARROW WILLIAMS
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Also at above church Friday, May 30th, 7 p.m., Films and Slides of Missionary Work among lepers in Central Africa. All invited.

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WANTED — Young Girl for Shop
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PENTREDWR & LLANTYSILIO W.I.

AGNES HUNT MEMORIAL BAZAAR
MAY 29th.

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tributions for the Confectionery
Stall at the Grapes Hotel or the Cut
Loaf Cafe, Bridge St., on Tuesday,
May 27th, or Wednesday, 28th.
Anything one can buy at a baker's
will be welcome — Cakes, Biscuits,
Sweets, Tinned Foods, Pickles,
Bottled Fruit, Jams, etc.

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THE EISTEDDFOD

Dear Editor,—

May I, through the medium of
the 'Tuesday Review,' make an
appeal on behalf of the Grounds
Committee for the enrolment of
volunteer Ground Stewards for the
period of the International Musical
Eisteddfod—8th—13th July, 1952.

The need for stewards is as great
as ever, and I ask all persons desir-
ing to volunteer to call at the Eis-
teddfod Office, Bridge Street, and
place their names and addresses on
the Stewards List and indicate the
days and times they will be avail-
able.

The Eisteddfod Office is open
daily:

MONDAYS to FRIDAYS—

9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

2.0 p.m. to 5 p.m.

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Yours sincerely,

E. ELLIS ROBERTS.

Hon. Sec. Grounds Committee.

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LLANTYSILIO

PARISH COUNCIL

The first meeting of the new Llantysilio Parish Council was held on May 30, all members being present. The retiring chairman, Rev. Prys Darbyshire-Robert, welcomed the new council, particularly the members taking their seats for the first time. Mr. R. D. Jones was elected chairman and Mr. J. D. Evans, J.P., vice-chairman. Other appointments were: Mr. Arthur Pughe and Miss Marian Jones managers of Pentredwr School; Mr. V. Lloyd Parry and Mr. Thos. Jenkins managers of Llantysilio School; Mr. Iorwerth Roberts and Rev. Prys Darbyshire-Robert council representatives to the Association of Parish Councils.

Various reports as to overgrown hedges and neglected paths were received. Mr. Lloyd Parry reported that the matter of the overhanging hedge near Abersilio was deferred pending a decision as to ownership. It was resolved to ask Mr. Jones, Cymmo, to submit an estimate for repairs to the Cymmo-Cae-Llewelyn-Maengoron path. An inspection of the Horseshoe Falls path, and of the footbridge on the Gaean road is also to be made preparatory to extensive repairs. A resolution is to be sent to the County Council Roads Department asking that improvements be made to the dangerous corners on the Abersilio-Rhewl road, much used by heavy traffic which, owing to high banks, could not be seen or escaped by school-children. The council decided to write to Mr. George Richards, C.C.,

and to the County Council asking for consideration of their suggestion for the installation of a cattle grid to replace the road gate at an awkward place on Hafod yr Rhisg-hill. Disappointment at the delay in building the new Llantysilio School is also to be expressed to the County Educational Authority. Sympathy with Mrs. J. E. Baines in the death of her husband, a former councillor, was recorded and an appropriate letter was written to Mrs. Baines.

HERE AND THERE

At the Eisteddfod Council Meeting on Friday, Mr. A. R. Longley, who has shone as interpreter through so many eisteddfodau, will show a series of photographic slides. Most of us are familiar with his charming water-colour of the Eisteddfod Stage and will look forward to seeing his photographs.

On the Sunday preceding the Eisteddfod, that is, July 6, a service will be broadcast from Rehoboth and a practice hymn singing preparatory to it was conducted by Mr. Hywel Edwards last Sunday evening.

The Rev. and Mrs. Alcuin Jones are leaving for Castle Caereinion today. We wish them every happiness in their new sphere.

The induction of the Rev. J. Alun Thomas as Vicar of Llangollen will take place on Tuesday, June 24th, at 7.30 p.m. The same day, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the National Council of Women Branch will be welcoming their national

President, Mrs. Lefroy, J.P., of Bournemouth, at a meeting to be held at the Armoury.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Humphreys, Plas Benion, sister to the late Mr. J. E. Morris, takes place at the Vron cemetery today at half past two.

The Glanrafon Rummage Sale last Saturday realised nearly £16. In spite of Mr. Walter Lettsome's illness, Mrs. Lettsome managed to help with the effort and was the bearer of many good wishes for a speedy recovery to the invalid.

The Baptist Miscellaneous Sale on May 10 realised £50 and the National School on the following Saturday made £23.

Having studied the packet of foreign stamps in a local shop window, an eager schoolboy requested a 'packet of those French Equatorial Africa stamps.'

THANKS

The Olde Maye Fayre Association sincerely thank all those who assisted in any way to make this year's celebration such a successful event.

This children's day entails a great deal of preparation, and but for such willing assistance from so many people the committee would find it very hard to make it run so smoothly.

We are very grateful.

Yours faithfully,

V. K. JONES,

Hon. Secretary.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE

MR. NORMAN ROBERTS

The service in the Parish Church on Tuesday, June 3, was at two o'clock. The officiating clergy were the Rev. Chancellor W. Alcuin Jones—his last service as Vicar of Llangollen, the Rev. L. M. Daniel and the Rev. J. W. Worthington. The service was choral and Mr. D. Rees Thomas played "Lord have mercy upon us" (St. Paul), "The Lord is mindful of his own" and Handel's "Largo" as voluntaries.

The congregation was representative of every section of the townspeople, all of them feeling the pathos of the short and simple service.

The principal mourners were Mr. and Mrs. John Price, Llandrillo (half-sister and brother-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bowen and Mrs. Bowen (senior); Mr. Wannop; Mrs. Jones (late Tynypistyll) and Miss May Griffiths and Mr. Sam Lewis.

The bearers were Messrs. Thomas Owen, Madoc Roberts, J. Jones (Ceiriog House), Glyn Cook, Edgar Williams and Gordon Jones.

Three beautiful wreaths lay on the coffin in the chancel, thus inscribed: With loving and tender memories of dear Norman, Mam; With fondest memory from Mary and John; With pleasant memories of a long and happy association from E. and J. N. Bowen.

Other floral tributes were from the Agricultural and Horticultural Society; the Amateur Operatic Society; the Choral Society; the Cricket Club; the Youth Centre; the Arts Club; Royal Observer Corps, Group 26; Dee Valley Lodge R.A.O.B.; the Chairman and Members of Publicity Committee of the International Eisteddfod; and the Chairman and Members of the Eisteddfod's Executive Committee.

Personal floral tributes were from: Lizzie, Agnes and Tom (Corwen); Mr. and Mrs. Ball and Misses Ball; H. Tierney; Mr. and Mrs. J. Trevor Ellis; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dinsdale; Susan and Andrew Dinsdale; Len and Mrs. Price, Bull Inn; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis; Mr. and Mrs. D. Rees Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones, Mary and Sally (60, Pengwern); Gill and Bailey; Mrs. James (Rayleigh); Tom Pierce; Mr. and Mrs. R. Ll. Hughes, Glenwood;

Harry G. Best; Dr. and Mrs. J. Scott; May and Bill; Phyl; C. C. Wannop; Arthur and All at 2, Park Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Gordon; Mr. and Mrs. Cledwyn Roberts and Gwerfyl; Mrs. W. F. Humphreys and family, Acrefair; Jocelyn, Margaret and George, Brook Side; Mr. and Mrs. Barnett, Frances and Kathleen; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore, The 'Flower Pot.'

The interment took place at Carrog, a large number attending from Llangollen and from the farming community of the Corwen district.

The committal service was taken by the Rev. — Rees, Rector of Carrog, and the Rev. J. W. Worthington had also travelled up with the cortege. Members of the Royal and Ancient Order of Buffaloes carried out their time-honoured ritual at the graveside.

THANKS

Mrs. Roberts, Penbedw, and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bowen tender sincere thanks for the universal sympathy shewn to them in their sudden bereavement and for the floral tributes manifesting so much appreciation of the late Mr. Norman Roberts's public services.

June 4th, 1952.

LLANGOLLEN CRICKET CLUB RESULTS

Wednesday, May 28, Llangollen visited Rhos. Each batted for 20 overs. Rhos scored 71 for 8 wickets in that time, the chief scorers being B. Potts 30, R. Potts 13. J. Evans took 3 for 30, E. Jervis 5 for 32. Llangollen passed the Rhos total with three wickets down—chiefly due to a 2nd wicket partnership between Long and Evans of 40. Long scored 29, Evans 21. The final Llangollen total was 91 for 6. B. Smith took 5 for 30 for the home team.

Whit Saturday, May 31, Corwen came to Llangollen and batted first, scoring 83, chiefly due to an excellent 42 by Edwards, their opening bat. F. Jones scored 14 and Carlin 12. After tea Llangollen batted in steady drizzle to reach 39 for 4 before it became too wet to continue. C. Smith scored 10 and F. Long 14 not out. Bowling honours for Llangollen go to F. Long—

7 wickets for 14 runs in 11 overs including 4 wickets in the last 8 balls for 1 run. For Corwen E. O. Williams took 3 for 21.

Whit Monday, June 2, with Widnes as the visitors, Llangollen batted first, and the opening pair delighted a large crowd with a partnership of 64. However, the wicket was taking spin and E. Jones brought about a collapse of the home team from 108 for 4 to 123 all out. Jones took 7 wickets for 33. Widnes started badly and had six wickets down for 69. However, Wall retrieved the situation and the last pair came together at 114. Amid much excitement they scored the required 10 and Wall was finally last out at 127.

Llangollen.

H. Thomas	37
J. Johns	49
C. Smith	12
F. Long	0
M. S. Archer	12
W. Price	0
S. Roberts	3
G. Jones	8
S. Heydon	0
P. Dodgson not out	0
E. Stockton	0
Extras	2

123

Reynolds 2 for 42; Gleave 0 for 11; Locke 1 for 35; Jones 7 for 33.

Widnes.

K. Stuart	36
T. Dooley	2
H. Roberts	0
J. Brassington	5
T. Jones	16
F. Dutton	14
J. Rogers	1
T. Wall	36
H. Reynolds	0
A. Locke	4
A. Gleave not out	7
Extras	6

127

C. Smith 1 for 18; P. Dodgson 4 for 39; F. Long 4 for 37; W. Price 0 for 15; H. Thomas 1 for 14.

Llangollen lost to Gresford in the McAlpine Cup match last Wednesday.

M. SCOTT ARCHER,
Hon. Sec.

LLANGOLLEN
COUNCIL OF YOUTH
ANNUAL REPORT

Continued from previous issue.

A Choral Group was formed at the beginning of the session, under Mr. Ellis Evans; but owing to lack of support by the members, much to my disappointment, it had to be discontinued. I feel it is one of the essential activities of a youth club, and I still live in hope that it can be revived at some future date.

The Junior and Senior Drama Groups gave a performance of a few sketches and one-act plays in the Town Hall during March and the senior group competed in the Wrexham Drama Festival. It is difficult for me to make any comments on this activity; but I feel that a start has been made. Although there is probably a great deal of room for improvement, due consideration should be given to our need for experience; and a better standard of performance may come with time and practice.

Miss Rita Jones, of Cefn, has been giving instructions in ballroom dancing on Thursday evenings, and I feel sure that her efforts to tame unruly limbs will result in fewer maimed feet and bruised legs after our club socials and dances in the future.

Instructing young people under club conditions is no easy task; for it not only requires knowledge of a subject but an ability to gain the confidence and co-operation of the members without the assistance of compulsion or enforced discipline. It is therefore always difficult to find the right type of person willing to take over instructional groups in a club, and I think we can consider ourselves fortunate in the calibre of persons we have as instructors and the good standard achieved in our group activities.

This year we ran both junior and senior football teams. Although the juniors did not do so well in the league and became somewhat dispirited towards the end, the formation of a team served its purpose of giving the younger lads a game. The seniors fared better as regards the results of their matches; and I think on the whole the spirit was good, which is really what matters. The value of any team game lies as

much in the development of self-discipline and co-operation as it does in giving an opportunity for physical exercise and recreation; and, on the whole, this, I think, was realised both in the committee and in the teams. One of the matches played by the seniors was against a Blackpool Youth Club, when we went over there to see the Illuminations early on in the season. Although well and truly beaten on this occasion, it in no way damped the spirit of the players, who, together with the other members that came, enjoyed the outing immensely.

Our Table Tennis team has had a most successful season, having won all its matches up till now and being a strong contender for the County Championship. Both the captain and the secretary are to be complimented on the way the team has fulfilled its fixtures and for its general running, which has been done with very little assistance from me.

A Discussion Group has been meeting every Sunday evening after church service and we have discussed a variety of subjects besides holding quizzes, a mock trial, a musical evening and a twenty-questions session. We also staged a debate between a club team and a team from the Young Farmers' Club.

The following members were elected on the club committee: Gwilym Hughes, Heath Grindley, Herbert Perkins, Stanley Harrocks, Mavis Hughes, Molly Ellis, Barbara Jones, Barry Pugh, Royston Davies, Gwyneth Thomas, Pam Claybrook and Mary Dore.

Gwilym Hughes was elected chairman and Mavis Hughes secretary, with Stanley Harrocks as vice-chairman and Barry Pugh as assistant secretary. Barry later asked to be relieved of his office and Gwyneth Thomas was appointed to the post.

The members' committee is one of the most important features of any youth club, since it brings members into actual contact with club administration. The chairman and the secretary have put in a great deal of hard work and have always taken their responsibilities seriously. The committee during the course of the year organised a number of social functions, and I am very grateful to them for their

co-operation and help during the year.

H. LLOYD ROBERTS.
(To be continued).

U.D.C. JUNE 3 AND COMMENTS

The newly elected Council has already met the difficulties forecast in some of election addresses — roads, sewerage and water — all of which spell FINANCE.

It was therefore not surprising that Mr. Waltho had given notice of a motion which might result in effecting certain economies. His motion was countersigned by no less than five other councillors — Miss Gwyneth Jones and Messrs. A. D. Thomas, J. C. Roberts, A. Bailey and R. T. Evans.

Finance Committee be called to review the establishment of the Council Offices, and to enquire into the terms and duties upon which each of our Officers were employed, and to review their present duties."

Speaking to it, Mr. Waltho said that the salaries, etc., of four full-time officials amounted to £2,600 per annum — equal to a rate of 2/8 in the £ and he asked whether four full-time officials were needed?

The exact duties carried out by Mr. Knox and by Mr. J. Trevor Ellis should be enquired into, and now that it was proposed to advertise for a surveyor on Mr. Lovatt's forthcoming retirement, the duties of surveyor should be exactly defined before new applicants were interviewed.

Mr. Waltho came to the conclusion that three full-time officials were sufficient for Llangollen.

He believed as he did in 1949, when he protested against employing a fourth full-time official that that appointment was not necessary. He had stated then that it would be an extra burden on the ratepayers but his opposition said 'No' and that the extra salary would be met out of a special fund called the Housing Revenue Account.

He admitted that he had agreed to a part-time official, but mainly for the purpose of inspecting houses and in so doing to save the ratepayers the expense of repairs.

It was agreed at the time that the

Council houses should be inspected quarterly. Their new official commenced his duties in January 1950, so that to date each house should have been inspected nine times. As they had 150 houses the inspections to-date should be 1,350, but in 2½ years since January 1950 they had no evidence at all that even one house had been thoroughly inspected.

"I don't intend to cast any reflection on our latest addition to the staff," continued Mr. Waltho, "for I believe he is a very steady & conscientious worker. But if he is not given the work to do he was employed for, whose work is he doing? This obviously is one case which needs inquiring into.

"Another is the case of our Rating Officer who until two years ago was the Valuation and Assessment Officer, the Rating Officer and Rent Collector. Today he is no longer the Valuation and Assessment Officer—this duty being taken over by the Inland Revenue. He no longer collects any Council house rents and we find most of the discount slips on the rating demands in the handwriting of Mr. Knox. If the Rating Officer was relieved of all these duties then whose work is he doing? Then again we should look into the duties of our surveyor for are we not just about to advertise for another surveyor to take the place of Mr. Lovatt on his retirement? In this case we should clearly define to the applicants, all the duties which will be expected of them."

Coun. A. D. Thomas seconded the motion. He did not agree with all that Mr. Waltho had said, but he was anxious that all these points should be cleared up.

The motion was carried: five voting for it were Messrs. A. D. Thomas, J. C. Roberts, A. Bailey and R. T. Evans. Miss Gwyneth Jones and Mr. J. N. Bowen were absent. Mr. F. C. Ellis voted against.

Mr. Ellis, however, had a motion of his own brought forward under any other business, viz.: to ask the Ministry of National Insurance to reconsider its decision to close the Llangollen office now housed at the Waverley. This was carried unanimously.

It is indeed hard to economise! Most people have thought too much is spent on national administration

—the present government makes cuts in its machinery—and then we protest! Nevertheless, it would be most inconvenient for Llangollen urban and rural residents to have to go to Cefn on Insurance business—quite unreasonably so for those further up the valley. Surely, insurance officials could attend here one or two days a week.

At present three ministries have separate offices in the town, which must cost a lot in rentals and upkeep. Couldn't they combine and save people's time and shoe-leather as well as the taxpayers' pockets? If the Food, Insurance and National Service administrations were all under the same roof—then at least one house would be released for its real purpose—housing; money would be saved; and convenience not sacrificed.

The most pleasing item in the General Purposes Committee minutes was the report from the Clerk that the Minister of Housing and Local Government, having considered the report of the Inspector who held the Public Enquiry on Feb. 27th, had decided to make the order applied for by the Council for the extraction of increased supplies of water at Berwyn. He makes it, of course, subject to the conclusion of an agreement with the Dee and Clwyd and Mid. and S.E. River Boards, and the West Cheshire and Wrexham Water Boards. Llantysilio will be pleased!

Change of personnel was the other main topic of the General Purposes Committee. Mr. Lovatt is due to retire in September, but the Council invite him to extend his service for another six months—to March 1953.

David Evans is retired on superannuation allowance on account of ill health as from 1st July 1952. It was resolved to advertise for a new Foreman.

Mr. A. D. Thomas is Chairman of the Finance Committee; Mr. T. F. Waltho Chairman of the General Purposes Committee, and Miss Gwyneth Jones Chairman of the Housing Committee.

WEDDING

WILSON — SUTER. At the English Methodist Church, Llangollen, on Saturday, June 7, at noon, the

marriage was solemnised by the Rev. J. T. Jones, M.A., of Mr. Wilfred Arthur Wilson, eldest son of Mrs. Catherine E. Wilson and the late Mr. W. E. Wilson of Blundellsands, and Miss Kathleen B. Suter of Pensby, the Wirral. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Russell Suter, and wore a blue gown and coatee with hat to match, while her bridesmaids, Miss Edna Thorpe and Miss Suter (cousins) wore similar gowns and hats in shades of pink. The bride's bouquet was of tea-roses, while the bridesmaids carried sweet-peas.

The duties of best man were carried out by the bridegroom's brother, Mr. T. F. Wilson.

Mr. Agnew Hogg presided at the organ.

After the ceremony a reception was held at Bryn Howell at which there were forty guests.

The bridegroom has already earned the gratitude of Llangollen folk by his enterprise in opening up the long abandoned but charming house of Bryn Howell as a guest house and by his faithful services to the Methodist Church, and we wish him and his bride every happiness and many years of prosperity at Bryn Howell.

MARWOLAETH

MRS. JANE ANN ROBERTS

Wedi hir gystudd, bu farw'r wraig rinweddol uchod yng nghartref ei mab-yng-nghyfraith a merch, Mr. a Mrs. Albert Roberts, John Street. Genedigol o Langwm, yr oedd Mrs. Roberts wedi ennill llu o gyfeillion a edmygai ei bywyd diwyd a'i chymeriad disglair. Collodd ei gŵr cyntaf, Mr. W. E. Williams, yn gynnar, ond trechodd anawsterau a gofidiau yn ddiymollwng. Ei hail briod ydoedd y diweddar Mr. J. T. Roberts. Wedi marw ei thad, Mr. Robert Jones, yn yr Woodlands, Maerdy, yn 1939, daeth Mrs. Roberts i gartrefu gyda'i merch yn John Street a chafodd nawnddydd hapus ar ei haelwyd a phob cysur ganddi hi a Mr. Albert Roberts yn ystod y pymtheng mis y bu'n wael.

Mawr oedd y parch a ddangoswyd iddi ddydd ei harwyl, Mehefin 4. Y Parch. Aled Williams a gymerodd y gwasanaeth yn y tŷ cyn cychwyn ar y daith i Langwm, lle y

bu gwasanaeth yn yr Eglwys, gyda Ficer Cerrigydrudion yn gwasanaethu. Cymerwyd rhan hefyd gan y Parch. Aled Williams a chanwyd ei hoff emyn "Ar fôr tymhestlog, teithio'r wyf."

Y cludwyr oeddynt Mri. David Roberts, Hywel Edwards, J. Gordonwy Edwards a Mr. Lloyd (Cyf-eilie gynt).

Daeth lluo o berthynasau a chym-dogion i Langwm; ac yn St. John, i gychwyn y claddedigaeth, yr oedd Mr. a Mrs. Owen a Glyn, Treffynnon; Mr. a Mrs. Hughes, Yr Wyddgrug; Mrs. Williams, Rhos; Mrs. Owen, Colwyn Bay; Mrs. Williams, Llandudno; Mr. Fred Roberts, Cefn; Mrs. Williams, Betws G.G.; gyda ffrindiau lleol yn cynnwys Mr. E. W. Jones, Mr. J. W. Roberts, Mrs. Lloyd, John St., Mrs. Tom Ellis, Mrs. Davies a Mrs. Ellis Church Street.

Derbyniwyd blodau hardd gan Nellie ac Albert, mewn hiraeth dwys; Pawb yn y Wern, Llangollen; Emrys; R. A. Avery and family; Hugh, Elsa and Ellen (Staff at Avery's); Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hughes and Wyn; All at 10 John Street; Mary and Eryl, Llandudno; All at Llansannan; All at Celyn House, Holywell; Little Barbara (Coedafon); Neighbours in Berwyn St., West St., John St. and George Street.

DAME AGNES HUNT MEMORIAL FUND

The donations to the Llangollen Fund to date now amount to £538/4/6 made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Already acknowledged	316	15	8
Twenty Club	5	5	0
Llangollen Constitutional Club	5	5	0
Charity Whist Drive ...	10	10	0
Rehoboth C.M. Chapel & Sisterhood (a d d i t i o n a l)	10	13	3
Net proceeds of Bazaar held on 29th May, 1952	189	15	7
	£538	4	6

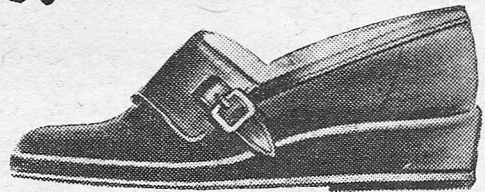
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The Llangollen cheque for the above amount will be presented to H.R.H. the Duchess of Kent tomorrow, Wednesday, June 11th, at the ceremony to be held at the Orthopaedic Hospital at 11.45 a.m., by Mr. J. N. Bowen, the Chairman of the Llangollen Appeal Committee. A number of people have received invitations and we understand that transport arrangements are being made by the B.M.M.S.

ENGLYN A THELYNEG

Gwaith Mr. Ifor Hughes, Pontfaen, a enillodd y wobr yn Eisteddfod Dosbarth Ysgolion Sul a gynhaliwyd yn Rehoboth yn ddiweddar.

HEDDWCH.

O tyred, heddwch tirion—i atal
Eto ryfel creulon;
Gwared werinoedd gwirion—
Rhodder gras i'r ddaear gron.

SABOTH YN Y WLAD.

Pan ddoj yn ôl i'm hardal
Am dro i fwrw Sul—
I wlad y bryniau prydferth—
Gwlad saint y llwybr cul,
'Rwy'n teimlo imi bechu'n hy'
Wrth ddod i fyw i'r ddinas ddu.
Can's nid oes yno barchu
Na Duw na dyn, na'r dydd
A wnaed yn gysegredig
I deulu'r dwyfol Ffydd;
Mae bore Sul ar fryniau'r wlad
Fel awr yn 'hyfryd dŷ fy Nhad.'
Yma nid oes na rhuthro
I mewn nac allan ddim,
Na rhesi o gerbydau
Yn rhedeg heibio'n chwim;
'Rwy'n dod yn ôl yn enaid claf
I dangnef dy Sabothau braf.

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"THE GOLDEN HORDE" U
Spectacular 13th Century
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Wednesday, June 11—For 2 Days.

Cary Grant, Jeanne Crain in
"PEOPLE WILL TALK" A
Romantic Medico Melodrama.

Friday, June 13—For 2 Days.

Clifton Webb, Joanne Dru in
"MR. BELVEDERE RINGS
THE BELL" U
Laughable and touching comedy
drama.

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Glenn Ford, Gene Tierney,
Ethel Barrymore in
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—JULY 26th—

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Harlech, Maentwrog, Blaenau Ffes-
tiniog, Dyffryn Lledr, Betws-y-
coed a Llangollen.

Pris y Daith — 7/6

Fe drefnir i gael cinio yn yr Aber-
maw a the yn Harlech.

A wnaiff y rhai sy'n dymuno
mynd roi eu henwau a'r tâl (7/6) i
Mr. John Evans, Lluest, Castle St.,
mor fuan ag sydd bosibl.

LLANGOLLEN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

Appointment of General Foreman.

Applications are invited for the
post of General Foreman in the
Surveyor's Department.

Applicants must have had con-
siderable experience in municipal
works generally and in the super-
vision of men.

The appointment will be subject
to the Local Government Superan-
uation Acts and the scheme of con-
ditions of service as now existing, so
far as it relates to the appointment
and to one month's notice on either
side.

Applicants must state age, de-
tails of experience and present em-
ployment, and such applications
must be sent to The Clerk of the
Council, Town Hall, Llangollen, not
later than noon on THURSDAY,
20th June, 1952, together with two
references or the names of two per-
sons to whom reference may be
made. The applications to be en-
closed in a sealed envelope marked
'FOREMAN.'

The wages offered will be at the
rate of Seven pounds ten shillings
per week.

The Council does not bind itself to
accept any application submitted.

E. LOVATT, Surveyor.

The Town Hall,
Llangollen.

4th June, 1952.

LLANGOLLEN COTTAGE HOSPITAL

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TODAY, JUNE 10

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