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**WELSH WATER AUTHORITY RECORDS**

**OF PREDECESSOR BODIES, Caerns**

(Including the records of the Selont, Gwyrfa  
and District Fishing Board, the River Conway  
Drainage Board, the River Conway Catchment  
Board (including River Conway), the Caernar-  
vonshire Rivers Catchment Board, the North  
West Wales River Board, the Gwynedd River  
Board, and the Gwynedd River Authority.)

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<b>1.</b>	<b>1927-1948</b>	<b>CASH BOOK of the Seiont, Gwyrfaï and District Fishery Board.</b>

2. 1923

**RIVER CONWAY DRAINAGE BOARD:**

2. 1923

**RATE BOOK of the River Conway Drainage Board  
covering the General Sewers Rate and the Trefriw  
Area Rate.**

- 3-8. 1932-1951 RIVER CONWAY CATCHMENT BOARD:
3. 1933-1945 LEDGER for the River Conway Catchment Board.
- Enclosed:
- WAGES ACCOUNT SHEET (1 April 1943 - 31 October 1943) of the River Conway Catchment Board.
4. 1935-1951 ACCOUNT BOOK: Sundry Debtors of the River Conway Catchment Board.
5. 1933-1943 CASH BOOK of the River Conway Catchment Board.
6. 1935-1943 REGISTER of Mortgages for the River Conway Catchment Board.
7. 1932-1945 REGISTER of loans advanced to the River Conway Catchment Board by the Royal Exchange Assurance Company and the Public Works Loan Board - advances and repayments.
8. 1941 Jan. 21 BYELAWS of the River Conway Catchment Board.  
3 copies.

- 9-11. 1935-1950 **CAERNARVONSHIRE RIVERS CATCHMENT BOARD  
(INCLUDING RIVER CONWAY):**
9. 1943-1947 **LEDGER of the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment  
Board (including River Conway).**
- 10, 1947-1950 **LEDGER of the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment  
Board (including the River Conway).**
11. 1935-1950 **REGISTER of the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment  
Board (including the River Conway) of Landowners'  
contributions towards maintenance work on main  
rivers and ditching schemes.**

- 12-17. 1938-1954 CAERNARVONSHIRE RIVERS CATCHMENT BOARD
12. 1938-1945 LEDGER of the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment Board.
13. 1939-1954 ACCOUNT BOOK of the Caernarvonshire River Catchment Board containing a record of Income Tax paid for employees and of expenditure on maintainance work.
14. 1938-1950 REGISTER of the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment Board of sanctions to loans to be advanced by the Public Works Loan Board.
15. 1938-1950 REGISTER of loans advanced to the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment Board by the Public Works Loan Board to carry out schemes of land drainage in accordance with resolutions passed by the Board - advances and repayments.
16. 1939-1946 REGISTER of the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment Board of contributions towards the cost of various schemes including the Abersoch Tidal Doors, the Gwyrfal River Scheme, Waenfawr and Bettws Garmon; the Cadnant River Scheme; the Foryd River Scheme, the Rhythallt River Scheme; the Garegog River Scheme; the Penrhos and Rhyd-hir Rivers Scheme; the Ystum-lyn River Cutlet, Criccieth; the Croesor, Maesgwyn and Dylif Rivers; the Geirch River Scheme, Edern; the Dwyryd River Scheme; the Carog and Rhyd Rivers; Tydweillog River; the Upper Erch River Scheme; and the Llyfnwy River Scheme.
17. 1938-1941 COUNTERFOIL RECEIPT BOOK of the Caernarvonshire River Catchment Board.

18-44. 1937-1952

**NORTH WEST WALES RIVER BOARD:**

18-42.

Files:

18. 1937-1948

**FILE** of Correspondence re a fishing weir for catching salmon at Caerhun including a copy certificate re the weir issued by the Special Commissioners for English Fisheries (27 September 1870) and a plan.

19. 1946-1953

**FILE** re Annual Estimates for the Caernarvonshire River Catchment Board including financial statements and correspondence.

20. 1947-1951

**FILE** re Fishery Licences.

21. 1948-1951

**FILE** re Annual Estimates for the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment Board.

22. 1949

**FILE** of Correspondence and papers of meetings re the establishment of a North West Wales River Board including a copy of the statutory rules and others under the Land Drainage Act 1930.

23. 1949-1950

**FILE** of Conway River Board Accounts.

24. 1949-1951

**FILE** re the former South Caernarvonshire Fishery Board including correspondence and financial papers.

25. 1949-1951

**FILE** of Correspondence, Accounts and other papers re the Dee and Clwyd Fishery Board.

26. 1950 FILE of Correspondence re Annual Estimates for the Caernarvonshire Rivers Catchment Board including some for the North West Wales River Board.
27. 1950 FILE of Correspondence with the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, including a copy of Byelaws under the Land Drainage Act, 1930.
28. 1950 FILE of Correspondence of the Seiont, Gwyrfal and Llyfni Fishery Board and other papers including byelaws, accounts and correspondence re the establishment of a Welsh Water Region.
29. 1950 FILE of miscellaneous papers re part-time officers, including correspondence and papers re meetings.
30. 1950 Nov. -Dec. FILE of papers for a Committee Meeting of the North Wales River Board (4 Dec. 1950) including agendae, reports and summary of applications for the post of chief clerk.
31. 1950-1951 FILE re estimates including correspondence and financial statements.
32. 1950-1951 FILE of Agendae and other papers including reports to be submitted at meetings.
33. 1950-1951 FILE of Correspondence re insurance.
34. 1950-1951 FILE of Correspondence re banking arrangements.

35. 1950-1951 FILE re Water Bailiffs.
36. 1950-1951 FILE re Fishery Byelaws.
37. 1950-1951 FILE of Correspondence re staff.
38. 1950-1951 FILE of Correspondence and Financial Statements re the former River Dysynni Catchment Board.
39. 1950-1951 FILE of miscellaneous correspondence.
40. 1950-1951 FILE of miscellaneous papers re the Caernarvonshire Catchment Board.
41. 1951 FILE of papers re the North Wales Hydro Electricity Power Scheme including minutes of a meeting re Welsh Hydro Electricity Power Schemes, a preport on proposed Hydro Electric Schemes for Caernarvonshire County Council, correspondence and minutes of meetings.
42. 1951 FILE re miscellaneous matters including the return of expenditure on Workmen's Wages from the National Joint Industrial Council for Land Drainage Authorities, the Ardudwy Marsh Internal Drainage Board, the River Conway Fishery Board and the Dovey Mawddach and Glaslyn Fishery Board.
43. Byelaws:
43. 1951 May 21 BYELAWS of the North West Wales River Board under

43. (cont. 'd) ...

the Land Drainage Act 1930 for securing the efficient working of the drainage system of the area. Copies for confirmation. ...  
2 copies.

44. 1952 Aug. 9

BYELAWS of the North West Wales River Board under the Land Drainage Act 1930, for securing the efficient working of the drainage system of the area. With modifications made by the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

45-56. 1953-1965

**GWYNEDD RIVER BOARD:**

45-50.

Minute Books:

45. 1956 April 1 -  
1957 March 31 SIGNED OFFICIAL MINUTE BOOK of the Gwynedd River Board. Vol. 6.

46. 1957 April 1 -  
1958 March 31 SIGNED OFFICIAL MINUTE BOOK of the Gwynedd River Board. Vol. 7.

47. 1958 April 1 -  
1959 March 31 SIGNED OFFICIAL MINUTE BOOK of the Gwynedd River Board. Vol. 8 .

48. 1959 April 1 -  
1960 March 31 SIGNED OFFICIAL MINUTE BOOK of the Gwynedd River Board. Vol. 9.

49. 1960 April 1 -  
1961 March 31 SIGNED OFFICIAL MINUTE BOOK of the Gwynedd River Board. Vol. 10.

50. 1961 April 1 -  
1962 March 31 SIGNED OFFICIAL MINUTE BOOK of the Gwynedd River Board. Vol. 11.

51-54.

Annual Report:

51. 1962 March 31  
(year ended) TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Board.

52. 1963 March 31  
(year ended) THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Board.

53. 1964 March 31  
(year ended) FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Board.

54. 1965 March 31  
(year ended) FIFTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority on the operations of the Gwynedd River Board.
55. Rules of Procedure:
55. 1953 Nov. 2 RULES OF PROCEDURE of the Gwynedd River Board.  
2 copies.
56. Abstract of Accounts:
56. 1955 March 31  
(year ended) ABSTRACT OF ACCOUNTS of the Gwynedd River Board.

57-64. 1966-1973

**GWYNEDD RIVER AUTHORITY:**

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| 57. | 1966 | March 31<br>(year ended) | FIRST ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority (with reference, when appropriate, to the period 15 October 19 64 - 31 March 1966.) |
| 58. | 1967 | March 31<br>(year ended) | SECOND ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority.   |
| 59. | 1968 | March 31<br>(year ended) | THIRD ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority.  |
| 60. | 1969 | March 31<br>(year ended) | FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority.   |
| 61. | 1970 | March 31<br>(year ended) | FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority.  |
| 62. | 1971 | March 31<br>(year ended) | SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority.  |
| 62. | 1972 | March 31<br>(year ended) | SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority.<br>2 copies.   |
| 64. | 1973 | March 31<br>(year ended) | EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Gwynedd River Authority.<br>2 copies.  |

65.

UNDENTIFIED RIVER BOARD:

65. 1910-1958

REGISTER OF ASSESSMENTS under the Dinas Dinlle  
Allotment Awards.

66. n. d. [c. 1951]

LANCASHIRE AND WESTERN SEA FISHERIES DISTRICT:

66. n. d. [c. 1951]

BYELAWS of the Lancashire and Western Sea  
Fisheries District.

Additional Deposit: Papers re Prenteg Water Supply Scheme :

67. 1900 Aug. -  
1904 July BUNDLE OF LETTERS: John Roberts, agent to Colonel Lloyd, County Offices, Ruthin, to Thomas Roberts, Clerk to the Glaslyn R.D.C., Portmadoc re Prenteg Water supply.
68. 1900 Nov. 26 LETTER: Foster & Cuthill, engineers and surveyors, Portmadoc to Thomas Roberts, solicitor, Portmadoc, Clerk to the Glaslyn R.D.C., stating that they are willing to prepare plans and sections of the proposed Prenteg Sewerage Works and water supply at a price of £20.
69. 1901 Aug. ESTIMATE: water works for the village of Prenteg, according to plans and specification prepared by Messrs. Foster and Cuthill, Civil Engineers, Portmadoc and Blaenau Ffestiniog for Glaslyn R.D.C..
70. 1901 Aug. COPY ESTIMATE: Sewerage Works for the village of Prenteg according to plans and specifications prepared by Messrs. Foster and Cuthill, civil engineers, Blaenau Ffestiniog and Portmadoc.
71. 1901 Aug. COPY ESTIMATE: Waterworks for the village of Prenteg according to plans and specifications prepared by Messrs. Foster & Cuthill, civil engineers, Portmadoc and Blaenau Ffestiniog.
72. 1901 Nov. 20 COPY REPORT of Foster and Cuthill, engineers to the Chairman and members of the Rural District Council of Glaslyn on Prenteg Water Supply Scheme.

Attached:

COPY ESTIMATE for waterworks for the village of Prenteg according to plans and specification prepared by Messrs. Foster and Cuthill, civil engineers, Portmadoc and Blaenau Ffestiniog.

73. 1901 Nov. 20 QUESTIONS submitted to the Glaslyn R.D.C. re the Prenteg Water Supply by John Roberts, Agent to Colonel Lloyd, County Offices, Ruthin and REPLIES given 21 Dec. 1901.
74. 1901 and n.d. BUNDLE OF LETTERS: T.E.J. Lloyd, Plas Tre-gayon, Llangwyllog, Anglesey to [Thomas Roberts, Clerk, Glaslyn R.D.C.] re Prenteg Water Supply.
75. 1902 Feb. 3 TELEGRAM: Foster, Blaenau Festiniog to Mr. Roberts, solicitor, Portmadoc, stating that he will meet Colonel Lloyd the following day or Wednesday as Mr. Roberts arranges.
76. 1902 Feb. -  
1903 Sept. BUNDLE OF LETTERS: John S. Foster, engineer and surveyor, Blaenau Festiniog to Thomas Roberts, solicitor, Portmadoc, re Prenteg Water Supply.
77. 1902 March -  
1904 Aug. BUNDLE OF LETTERS: Secretary, Local Government Board, Whitehall S.W. to the Clerk of the R.D.C. of Glaslyn re Prenteg Water Supply.
78. 1902 Oct. 13 REPORT of Foster & Co. to Rural District Council of Glaslyn re Prenteg Water Supply and Mr. Ellis Pritchard's Slate Quarry.
79. 1902 Nov. 15 LETTER: Richard Burton, civil engineer, 25 Old Bank Buildings, Chester, to the Clerk to the Glaslyn Rural District Council offering his services in connection with the engineering work involved in the 'Rhyddu Sewerage and Water Supply' scheme.
80. [1902 Nov. 21] DRAFT LETTER: [?Thomas Roberts] to [?The Local Government Board] re the Prenteg Water Supply Scheme. He asks whether the Board considers it a barrier to the scheme that the water of

80. (cont. 'd) ... the stream (from which the council intends to get their supply) should be used to turn the water wheel of a quarry (200 yards higher than the intake point) before it reaches the intake of the water supply of the village.
81. 1903 May 19 COPY LETTER: Thomas Roberts, Portmadoc to Col. Lloyd, Tregalan, Anglesey, requesting him to discuss matters with his agent Mr. Roberts, and re arrangements with Mr. Prichard re the Prenteg Water Supply.
82. 1903 Aug. 31 REPORT of Foster & Co., Portmadoc to the Rural District Council of Glaslyn on Prenteg Water Supply and Mr. Ellis Pritchard's Slate Quarry.
83. 1904 July 5 LETTER: Randal Casson, Portmadoc to Thomas Roberts, Clerk to Glaslyn R.D.C., Portmadoc re arrangements made with Mrs. Davidson with reference to Prenteg Drainage Scheme.
84. 1904 Aug. 2 LETTER: Randal Casson, Portmadoc to Thomas Roberts, re Prenteg Drainage. He believes that the offer made on behalf of the Council is inadequate and in no case would the landlady undertake to compensate the tenants for the damage which they would suffer.
85. 1913 Sept. -  
1914 Sept. BUNDLE OF LETTERS: John Roberts, County Offices, Ruthin to Thomas Roberts, esq., Clerk to the Glaslyn R.D.C., Portmadoc re Prenteg drainage.
86. 1913 Oct. -  
1914 Dec. BUNDLE OF LETTERS: Evan R. Davies, Secretary of Education, Education Offices, Carnarvon to Thomas Roberts, esq., Glaslyn Council Offices, Portmadoc re providing a scheme of water supply for the village of Prenteg.
87. n.d. TRACING: Proposed diversion of sewer at Tyn-y-Gro, Prenteg.

88. 1948-1950

CATCHMENT AREA PRECEPT BOOK: Caernarvonshire Rivers (including the River Conway) Catchment Board.

Enclosed:

ESTIMATES of the North West Wales River Board for the six months 1 Oct. 1950- 31 March 1951.

89. 1954

June

BOOKLET: Nant Conway Rural District Council - Conway Water Supply, Extensions of Mains, General Conditions, Specification, Schedule of Quantities, Form of Tender and Auxiliary Schedules. (Includes blue print of the scheme.)