

- ff. 8-73<sup>v</sup> ['History of the Gwydir Family'] Written by S'r John Wynne of Gwyder knight & Barronet vt creditur et patet: Gruffith ap Conan prince of Wales had by his wife Angharad the daughter of Owen ap Edwyn lord of Englefield, Owen Gwynedd, Cadwalader & Cadwallon ... It is to be noted alsoe, that certaine gentlemen and freeholders dwelt in the countrey, but not many, who were to answeere ye cry, and to come alsoe vpon the like distresse.
- f. 74<sup>r-v</sup> 'The issue of Meredith ap Ievan ap Robert of Kesselgyfarch & Guedir Com. Carnarv.'  
List of his children followed by family tree showing descendants of John Wynn ap Meredith of Gwydir.
- f. 75 A pedigree showing the descent of the Vaughan family of Caethle, Tywyn, co. Merioneth, from Robert ab Ievan ap Robert ap Maredudd.
- f. 75<sup>v</sup> A pedigree showing three generations of descent from Sir John Wynn of Gwydir, in the hand of Humphrey Humphreys.
- f. 76 A note on the custom of gavelkind in the hand of Humphrey Humphreys.
- f. 77 Pedigree of Robert Wynne (d. 1685/6) of Cesailgyfarch, Dolbenmaen, co. Caernarfon, uncle of Humphrey Humphreys, from Humphrey ap Maredudd of Cesailgyfarch.
- f. 77<sup>v</sup> Pedigree of Humphrey Humphreys from Gruffudd Fychan ab Ievan ap Robert ap Maredudd.
- f. 78 Pedigree of John Rowlands, Nant alias Ystrad Ucha, Betws Garmon, co. Caernarfon, husband of Frances daughter of William Owen of Clennau, from Gruffudd Fychan ab Ievan ap Robert ap Maredudd.
- ff. 78<sup>v-9</sup> Pedigree of Humphrey Humphreys from Tudur ap Robert alias Hobydili. It includes a note that Humphrey Humphreys's brother 'John dyed at Jesus Colledge in Oxon Jan 29 1678/9 & lyes buried vnder ye East window of ye south isle in St Michaels Church Oxon'.
- f. 79<sup>v</sup> Pedigree of Elis Dafydd Llwyd, great-grandfather of Humphrey Humphreys, from Gruffudd Fychan ab Ievan ap Robert ap Maredudd and his wife, the unnamed daughter of Gruffudd ap Madog Fychan of Plas Ucha, Abergele, co. Denbigh, in the hand of Humphrey Humphreys.
- f. 80 Pedigree of Evan [Ievan] Crach, Y Gelli Lydan, Maentwrog, co. Merioneth, from Ednowen [Ednywain] Bendew, in the hand of Humphrey Humphreys. 'S'r John Tudur page 77 of his book of petigrees' is given as the source.

- f. 81<sup>v</sup> Pedigree of Sir Peter Newton, governor to Prince Arthur, from Iestyn, lord of Gwent.
- f. 83a Memorandum, dated 9 July 1551, in the hand of John Wyn ap Maredudd of Gwydir, co. Caernarfon, esq., that he has received from Elis ap Morys, esq. the sum of £20.
- f. 84a-b A letter, dated 29 January 1599/1600, from Sir John Wyn of Gwydir to William Maurice, esq., of Clennau, concerning the mustering of their forces, proposing that their men meet at Chester on Monday.
- f. 85a A printed copy, second half of nineteenth century, of a deed of confirmation, dated 12 January 1484/5, from John ap Maredudd ab Ieuan ap Maredudd, esq., free tenant of the king in the township of Pennant and the commote of Eifionedd, co. Caernarfon, to his son Owain ap John ap Maredudd and his legitimate heirs by Elen daughter of Hugh Lewys, of all his messuages and lands and villeins in the townships of Pennant [Dolbenmaen], Abergynolwyn [Llanfihangel-y-pennant], Trefan [Llanystumdwy], Trefarthyr [Cricieth] and Treflys [Ynyscynhaearn], co. Caernarfon. The original deed is now NLW Brogyntyn Deeds and Documents 3357.
- f. 86a A note, dated 22 January 1878, in the hand of W. W. E. Wynne, Peniarth, that this is the earliest manuscript he has seen of the 'History of the Gwydir Family', and referring to a slightly later manuscript at Peniarth which lacks the valuable notes.
- f. 87a An undated note in the hand of W. W. E. Wynne, maintaining that the pedigrees at the end of the volume are in the hand of Humphrey Humphreys, bishop of Bangor and afterwards of Hereford.

Marginalia, late seventeenth cent.

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Notes and queries on the text relating to the custom of gavelkind and to the native Welsh law of inheritance

f. 38 'Pennal for y<sup>e</sup> place where Thomas Gr ap Nicolas was wounded is knowne by tradition and lyeth in Wttra Bennal in y<sup>e</sup> parish of Towin over and ag't Llidiart Park Crach and in y<sup>e</sup> midst of y<sup>e</sup> way: being a litle Round pavem't and almost cover'd with grasse'.

f. 70 Kowydd i Ieuan ap Mredith o Geselgyfarch  
[Y tŵr o Robert eryr]  
[...] Segyr fy seiger vwyall ...ai diod oedd waed a dwr [...] (five lines)  
Hywel ap Rheinallt