

## Sources

Here are just a few on the most often used sources at our disposal in the local archives in Llangefni, Caernarfon and Bangor University Archives.

**Census returns** - every ten years from 1841-1901, giving details including name, age, occupation and place of birth of everyone in every house within parishes; these are available on microfilm or microfiche.

**Parish registers** - containing details of baptisms, marriages and burials in the parish church

**Non conformist registers** - (mainly of pre 1837 baptisms and not for every chapel). Some of these are on microfilm.

**Land tax records** - Arranged by parish they are available for 1712-1869 (although not all parishes are covered by these dates) they give names of properties and the owners and occupiers.

**Maps** - Ordnance Survey, (1890s-1920s) tithe maps for most parishes (c.1840), and other plans such as of roads, bridges, and abandoned mines.

**Council records** - of Anglesey County Council, the Rural District Councils of Aethwy, Dwyran, Twrcelyn and Valley and the Urban District Councils of Amlwch, Llangefni and Menai Bridge and Parish Councils.

**Education records** - including in particular the school log books which started in 1863 which often give a fascinating picture of life in the area such as weather, local entertainments etc.

**Crew lists** - 1863-1913 for ships registered at Beaumaris.

**Newspapers** - Herald Mon 1930-onwards; Holyhead and Anglesey Mail 1882-85, 1886-96, 1898-1950, 1952- to date; Clorianydd 1893-1907, 1909-1915, 1918-1968; Holyhead Chronicle 1907-8, 1910-62, 1972- to date.

Other records - Court records including Quarter Sessions, electoral lists, (1832 onwards with gaps), records of the poor law unions, police records, the I.G.I, the Family History Society graveyard recordings, private/personal collections and Trade Directories.

### ONLINE SOURCES

#### BMD

St Catherine's House index for births, marriages, and deaths from 1837-1900

British War graves

Commonwealth war graves.

Census 1901

1901 census, free viewing of name, age, area, occupation; charges for full census.

Certificates online

Order birth, marriage and death certificates online.

Charts

Free downloads for family historians, e.g. pedigree charts

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A searchable database of the 19th century censuses of Wales, England & Scotland freely available to all.

IGI

International genealogical index. 1881 census, ancestral file, vital records.

Old Diseases

Terminology to determine diseases on death certificates.

Parish Locator

Locates parishes and surrounds. Free download facility.

Pay to view

Pay per view from-BMD, monumental inscriptions, census returns for England and Wales..

