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## Summary

*Archaeology Wales carried out an appraisal in June 2014 to examine the archaeological potential of a proposed housing development on land at Gwndwn Mawr, Station Road, Bynea, Carmarthenshire. The site comprises several small fields to the west of Station Road, Bynea.*

*The fields have changed little since the mid-nineteenth century, although they were surrounded by tramroads linking nearby coal, tinsplate and brickwork industries in the eighteenth and nineteenth-centuries. There is little evidence to suggest the presence of significant archaeological features within these fields, although a site visit was limited because of dense verdant undergrowth.*

## 1. Introduction

In June 2014 Archaeology Wales was commissioned by the Lewis Partnership, Llanelli, to carry out an archaeological appraisal on a proposed housing development site (AW Project Number: 2248; Planning Authority: Carmarthenshire County Council; Planning Reference: S/30050). The site of the proposed development lies in Gwndwn Mawr to the west of Station Rd, Bynea, Llanelli, Carmarthenshire (NGR: SS 54852 99304; 13m OD; fig. 1).

The appraisal included an examination of relevant documentary, cartographic and aerial photographic sources, a site visit and an evaluation of the relevant Historic Environment Record.

The work was carried out by Dr Iestyn Jones in June 2014.

## 2. Site Description

### Location, Topography, Geology

The site area is located on the west side of Station Road and north of Cwmfelin Road within the village of Bynea. Bynea is approximately 1.5km to the west and north of the Loughor Estuary and 4km east of Llanelli town centre. The proposed site comprises an irregular area of 200m by 70m, including eight small fields surrounded by mature vegetation (fig. 2). The western-most field (field 1) is approximately 130m by 25m, with its longest axis aligned north-east to south-west, as are fields 2 and 3. Field number 2, to the east, is approximately 80m by 40m and field 3 is approximately 74 m by 25m. Two of the eastern-most fields (4 and 5) are aligned north-west to south-east. Field 4 measures 75m by 25m and field 5 is 100m by 20m. Field 6, adjacent to Station Road, measures 63m north to south by a maximum of 45m east to west and field 7 is approximately 45m by 26m. A small enclosure to the north (Field 8) measures 40m by 15m.

The local geology is made up of Swansea Member Carboniferous Mudstone, Siltstone and Sandstone underlying Devensian Till and acid loamy and clayey soils (BGS 2014, Soilscales 2014).

### 3. Historical Background

Bynea (possibly meaning the ‘bitterns’) as a place name was originally associated with a farmhouse but has been used as the name of the Bynea Colliery (1837) and extended sometime before 1939 to incorporate the hamlet of Cwm Felin (Morgan and Owen 2007, 60). The area was an agricultural area located on the east side of Llanelli, a town that grew significantly during the eighteenth and nineteenth-century with coal, copper, iron and tinplate, the main products produced or exploited. Glynea brick factory, in Bynea, which produced silica bricks from Llandybie stone, depended on the railway and the tramway that linked it with Ysbytty Tinplate Works (DAT HER).

### 4. Desk-based assessment results

#### 4.1 HER Data (fig. 3)

A search of all HER data within a 2km radius of the proposed housing development was carried out. A number of the nearest records refer to documentary evidence rather than identifiable features. PRN 21422, approximately 65m north of the western field, refers to the field name Cae Melyn (yellow field) recorded on the parish tithe map (Field 160 centred on NGR SS 54876 99449). The HER record entry erroneously suggests that that the field name is spelt Melin (mill) in the tithe apportionment when Melyn (yellow) is the actual spelling of the word used. These two words are occasionally misspelt and the confusion is further exacerbated by the nearby Cwm Felin road and place name.

Industrial activity is identified through a combination of documentary evidence and *in situ* physical sites. Evidence of the former includes General Warde’s Apple Pit Railroad (PRN 30735), a tramroad linking several collieries, that was located east of the proposed site. Further evidence of colliery tramroads is recorded on the west side of the proposed site. Squire Evans and Beynons Waggon Road (PRN 30731), a 2km long route recorded as operating between 1750 and 1781, is listed near to the western boundary of the site, near the current Bynea County Primary School, as is Chauncey Townsend’s railway (PRN 30732), a 0.20km section of tramway operating between 1760-1795.

Genwen Colliery, which operated intermittently between 1760 and 1908, is located 260m north-west of the proposed site’s western boundary and the associated, but damaged, early nineteenth-century engine house, is a Scheduled Ancient Monument (SAM: CM 263; PRN 27969). The site of Glynea Brickworks, which operated between 1893 and 1926, is located approximately 130m south of the proposed housing development. A twentieth century Gospel Hall (PRN 15961) is located on the east side of Station Road, 80m north-east of the proposed site’s north-easterly boundary.

## 4.2 Map Regression

### 1842 Llanelly (sic.) Tithe Map (fig. 4)

The tithe map of 1842 shows three field numbers within the area of the proposed site. The lettering is a little unclear, but Field 130 (modern field 1) and 129 belonged to Drainin Pieces (?) and were labelled Cae'r Gr.as (?) and Pencae Sais (top of the Englishman's field) respectively. Fields 4 and 5 are represented by field number 127 on the tithe map. This field is labelled Handir Cae Sais (Allotment of the Englishman's field). This was owned by Bwlch y Llydiad (Widening Pass). There is little development shown around the fields and Station Road at this date, but Engin (sic) Fach, the Engine House, is shown north-west of the site. There is no sign of Gwndwn Mawr at this time.

### 1879-1880 OS Map 1:2,500 (fig. 5)

The 1880 map shows Gwndwn Mawr (translated as large ley-land field) buildings and associated curtilage at the northern boundary of the site and the Plough Inn on land to the south. The railway line transects the landscape from north-east to south-west and Dynca Station is shown at the intersection of what are now Station Road and Cwmmfelin Road. Glynea (coal) Pit is shown to the south of Cwmmfelin Road. Fields 5 and 6 are shown as one field at this time. A 'Well' is shown north of the (Field 2) site boundary and accessed by a footpath from Gwndwn Mawr.

### 1907-1908 Epoch map 1:10,560 (fig. 6)

The 1908 map shows the station as Bynea Station, and more buildings have been built along Cwmmfelin Road, to the west of the Plough Inn. Fields 5 and 6 on the eastern edge of the site have been divided in to the present field pattern.

### 1959-1964 Epoch Map 1:2,500 fig. 7)

Considerable housing development complete by the mid-1960s seems to have extended along the eastern side of Station Road. Three plots and associated buildings have also encroached on the eastern edge of Field 4 on the western side of Station Road. Gwndwn Mawr appears to have expanded north of the site boundary and the Well, seen on the first edition OS map, is not shown on this map.

## 4.3. Aerial Photographs

### 1946 RAF aerial photograph, Black and White (Ref 106G UK: 1264) (fig. 8)

The 1946 image shows the Gwndwn Mawr buildings complex at the northern end of the site. One of the buildings is within Field 8. The terraced housing and gardens along the eastern side Station Road is shown mostly in place by 1946. The terraced houses were therefore built in the first half of the twentieth century. A dark linear field division is shown running south-east to north-west through the centre of Field 5. It is unclear what this feature may represent.

### 1992 OS aerial photograph, Black and White (Ref 92 112) (fig. 9)

The Gwndwn Mawr buildings by 1992 appear to have no roofs and have presumably been partly demolished. The Field 5 linear division is no longer visible in this image.

## 5. Site Visit (for field labelling see fig. 2)

A site visit was conducted on the tenth of June 2014 in dry and bright conditions. Access was gained by way of the trackway to Gwndwn Mawr located on the north-eastern edge of the site. Due to the undergrowth encountered only limited access was gained to the site. The small enclosure (Field 8) was not accessible but some stone walling, approximately 1m high and relating to Gwndwn Mawr, was observed (fig. 13). Field 7 was very overgrown with grass and nettles, and surrounded on all sides by mature tall hedgerow shrubs and trees. Field 6 gently sloped from north to south and had not been grazed. Consequently, long grass obscured much of the ground surface. A number of wooden pallets or fencing sections were stacked north of the centre of the field (fig. 10). The eastern field boundary consisted of a 1.5m high hedgerow whilst the other boundaries consisted of mature and tall shrubs and trees. Field 5 was impenetrable due to the vegetation growth. Field 4 was again overgrown and had a recently erected wire and post fence bordering the rear gardens of the adjacent houses along Cwmfelin and Station Rd. A dump of corrugated zinc sheeting was observed in the centre of this small field (figs. 10 and 11). Field 3 sloped gently, drooping in height approximately 3m from north to south. This field had meadow grass, wild flowers and bracken growing throughout and was enclosed on all sides by mature high unmanaged hedgerows and trees (fig. 11). The rear walls of some of the gardens of Cwm Felin Road houses were visible in the south-western corner of the field. Field 2 sloped down gently from north to south towards the rear gardens of Cwm Felin Road. The southern hedgerow was approximately 1.5m high and was located to the southern side of a post and wire fence defining the rear gardens of houses. There were cattle grazing in the lower corner of this field (fig. 12). The remaining boundaries of the field were characterized by mature, untrimmed hedgerow shrubs. No archaeological features were observed within this field. The hedgerows around Field 1 did not allow access and consequently it was no possible to visit this field.

## 6. Discussion and Conclusions

This desk-based archaeological appraisal was based on an examination of the historic environment record (HER), cartographic evidence, aerial photography and a site visit.

The HER record (appended) suggests that the proposed site is located in an area that was exploited for coal, and which developed a related industrial infrastructure including tram-routes, during the eighteenth and nineteenth-century. The map regression suggests that fields in the area have remained little changed since the mid-nineteenth-century. Gwndwn Mawr appears to have been built between 1842 and 1879. The Plough Inn appears to have been built in the mid-nineteenth century, possibly to exploit the custom of the workers associated with the burgeoning local industries and the railway station. Some encroachment on the southern and eastern edge of the site are related to the construction of houses in the mid twentieth century and Station Road appears to have been developed for housing in the decades between 1908 and 1946.

Remains of stone built buildings probably relating to Gwndwn Mawr were observed in the heavy undergrowth at the northern end of the site. No other features were observed in the accessible fields although the summer vegetation prevented a closer inspection. Documentary evidence suggests that historical industrial features are located around the periphery of the site. However, an appraisal of the available evidence does not suggest that significant archaeological features are likely to be encountered within these fields.

## 6. Bibliography

The following sources were consulted during the preparation of this appraisal:

BGS Geology Viewer

<http://www.bgs.ac.uk/discoveringGeology/geologyOfBritain/viewer.html> (accessed 17/06/14)

Morgan, R. and Owen, H.W. 2007. *Dictionary of Place-Names of Wales*. Gomer: Llandysul

Soilscapes viewer: <http://www.landis.org.uk/soilscapes2/> (accessed 17/06/14)

### Cartographic Sources

1842 Llanelly Tithe Map

1879-1880 OS Map 1:2,500

1907-1908 Epoch map 1:10,560

1959-1964 Epoch Map 1: 2,500

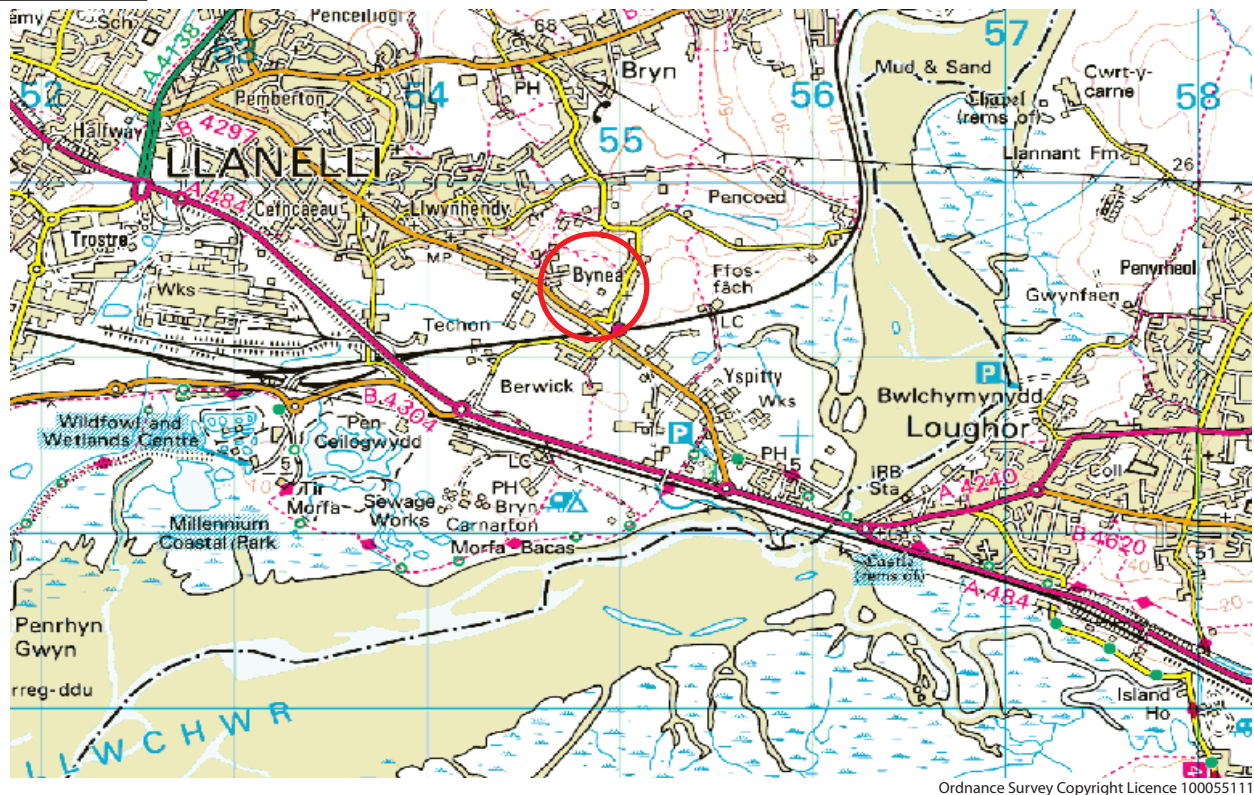
### Aerial Photographs

1946 RAF aerial photograph, Black and White (Ref 106G UK: 1264)

1992 OS aerial photograph, Black and White (Ref 92 112)

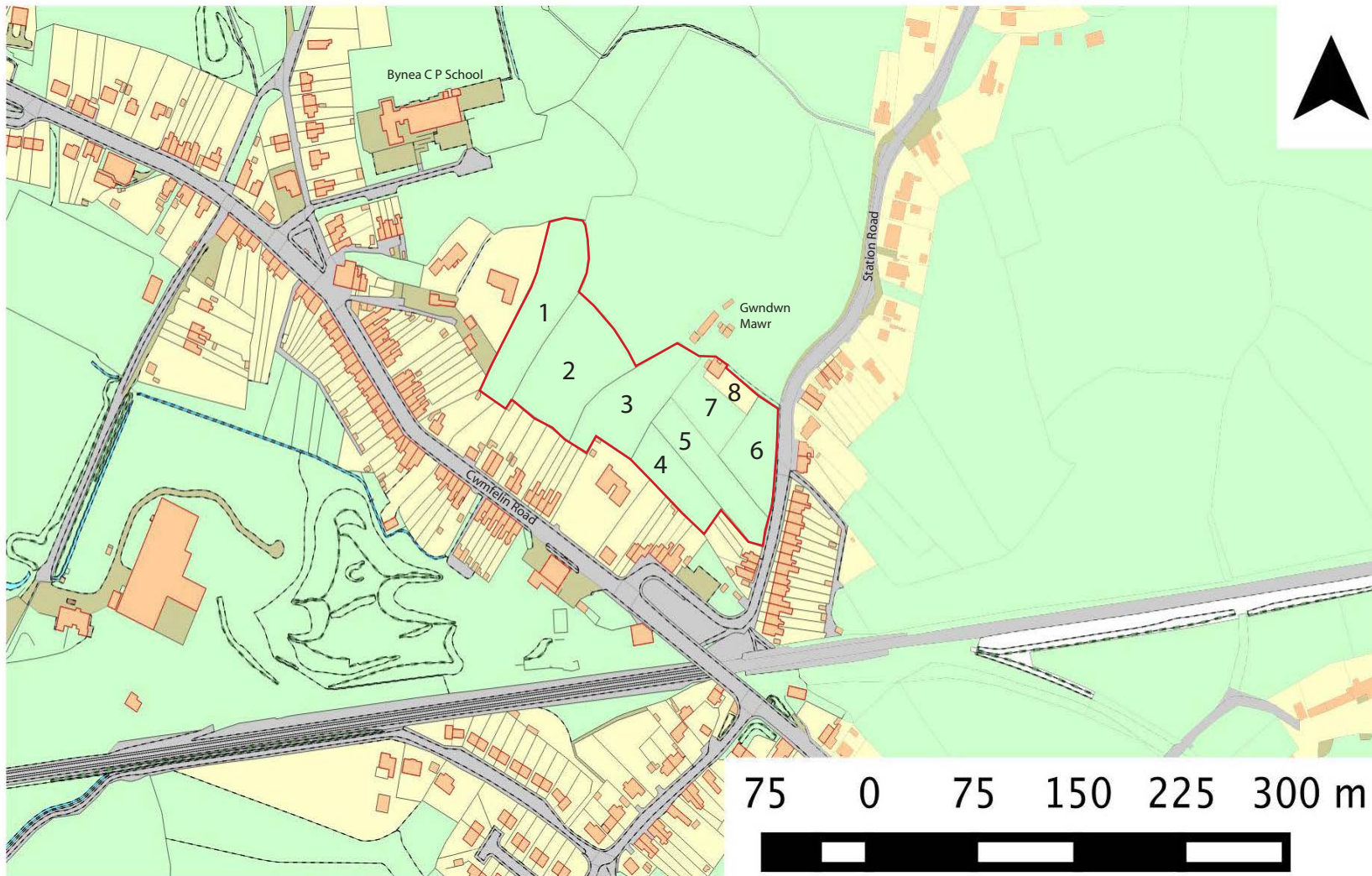
HER Data provided by DAT (appended)





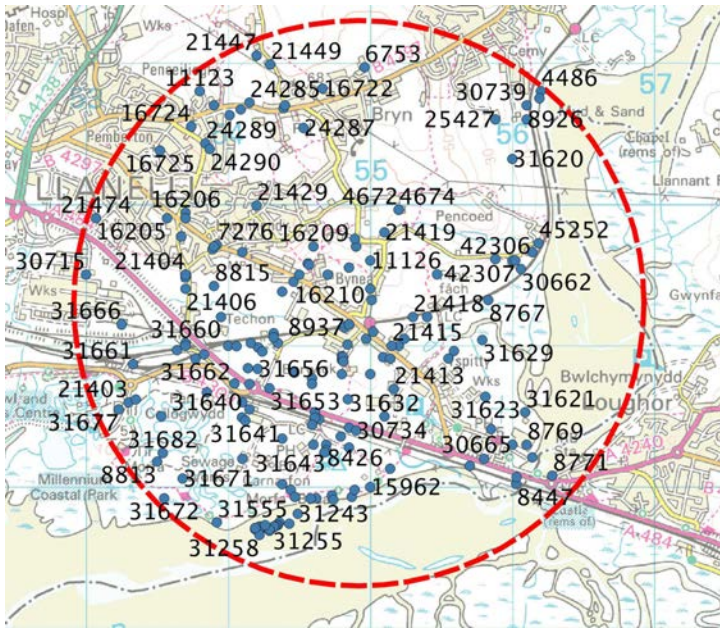
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Fig. 1  
Location of site



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Fig. 2  
Site plan and  
field numbers



2km radius HER data



Site HER data

Fig. 3.

Plotted HER data

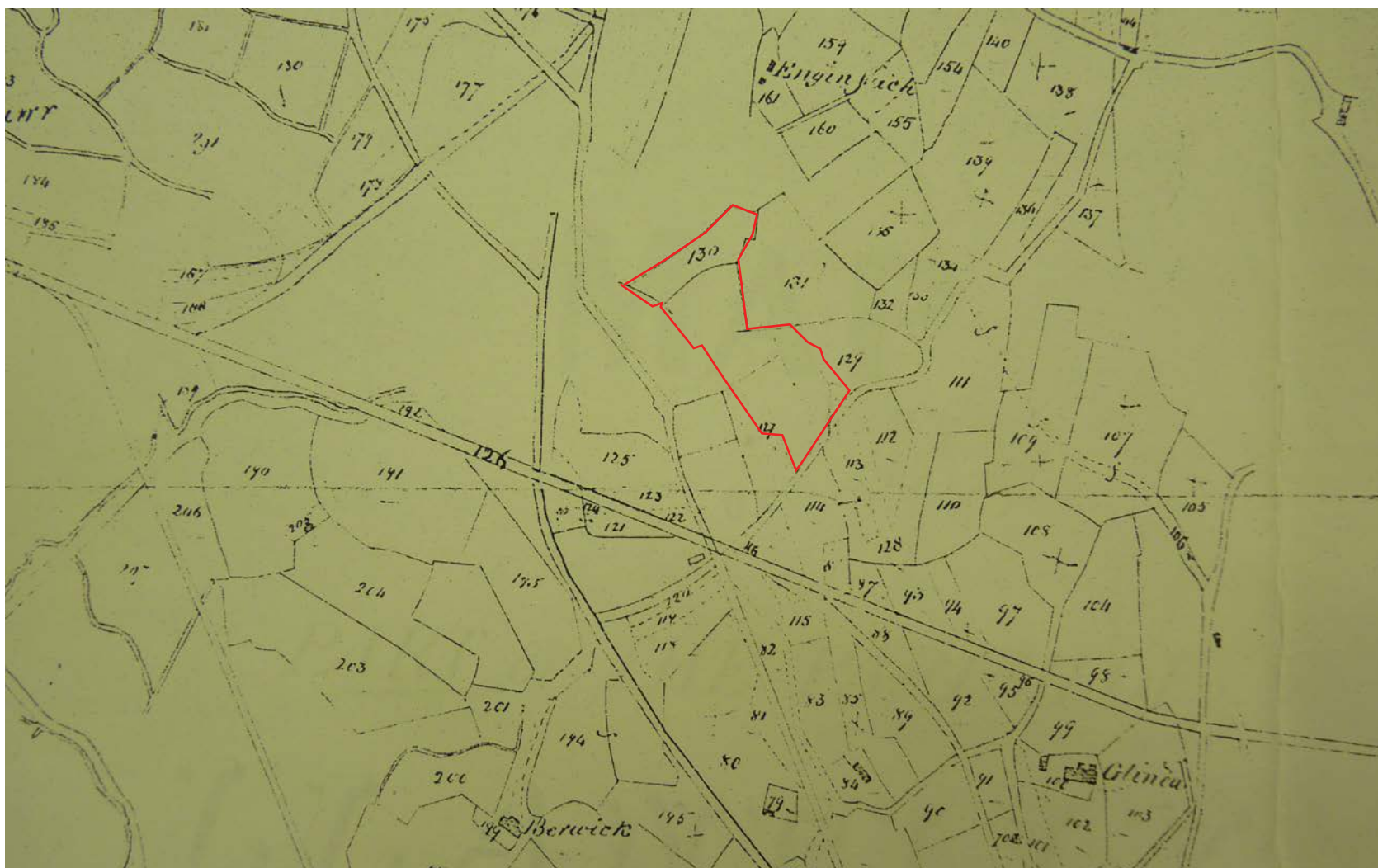


Fig. 4

Site on Llanelli  
Parish Tithe Map  
1843

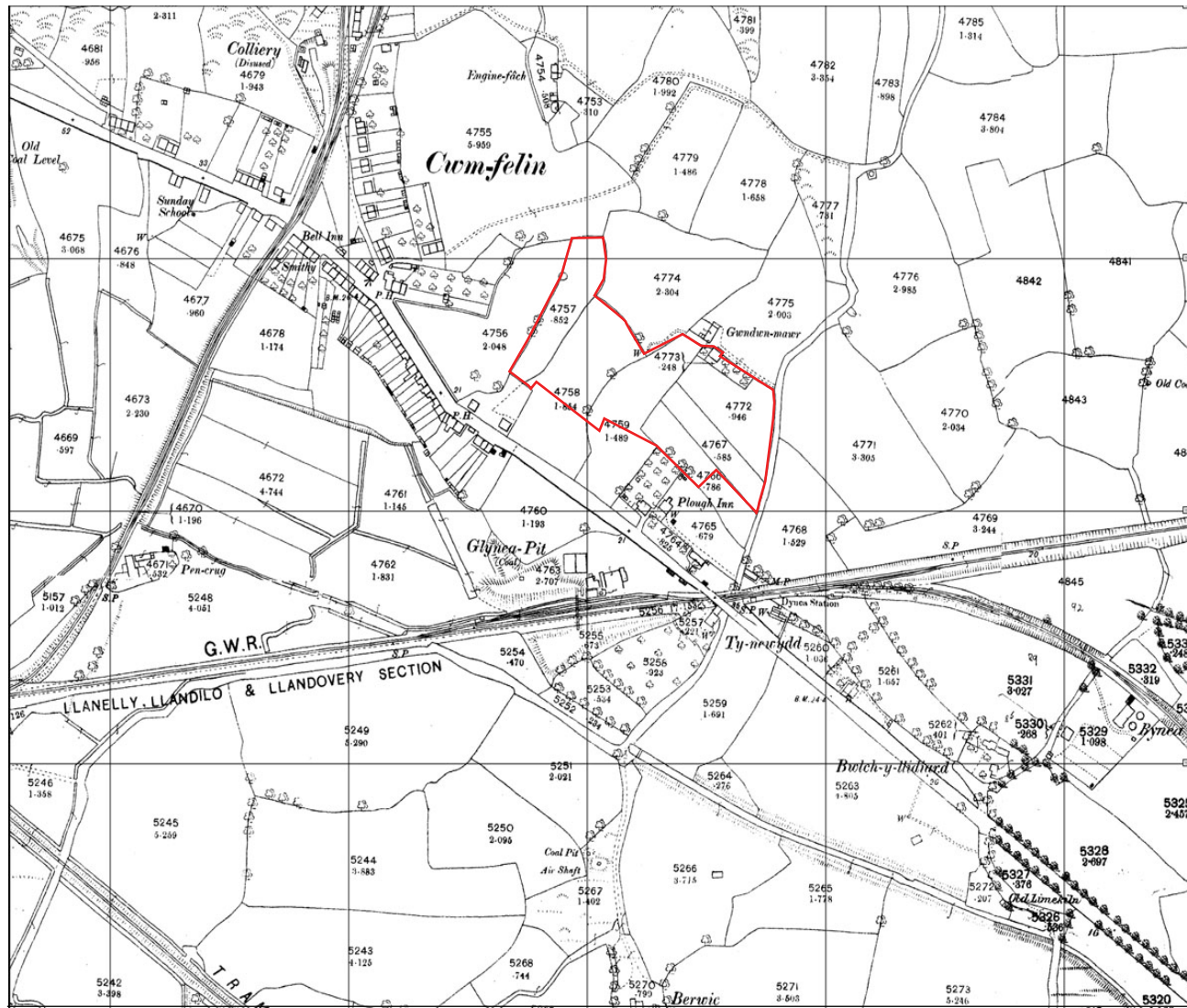


Fig. 5  
1879-1880 OS  
map of site  
(1:2,500)

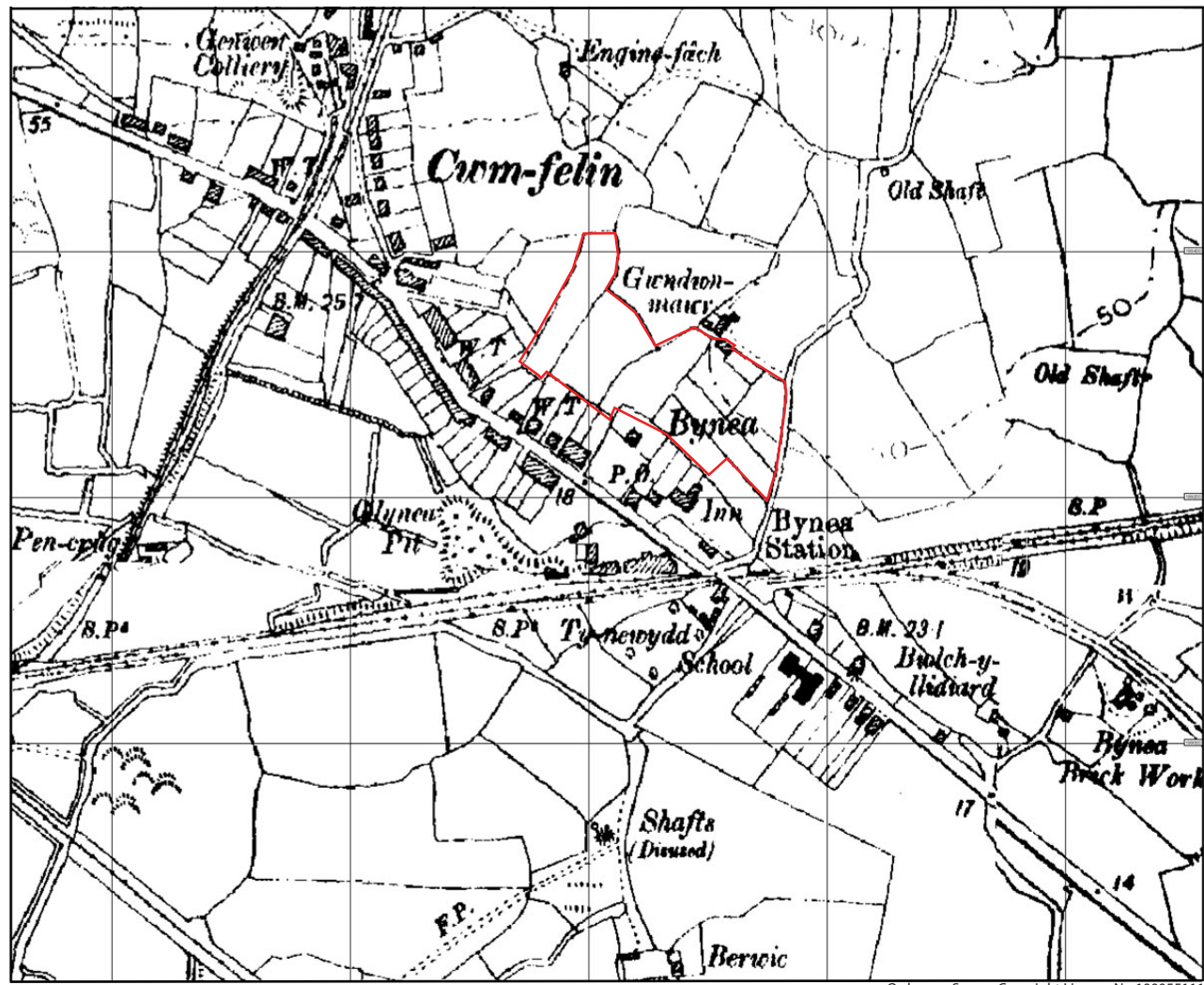
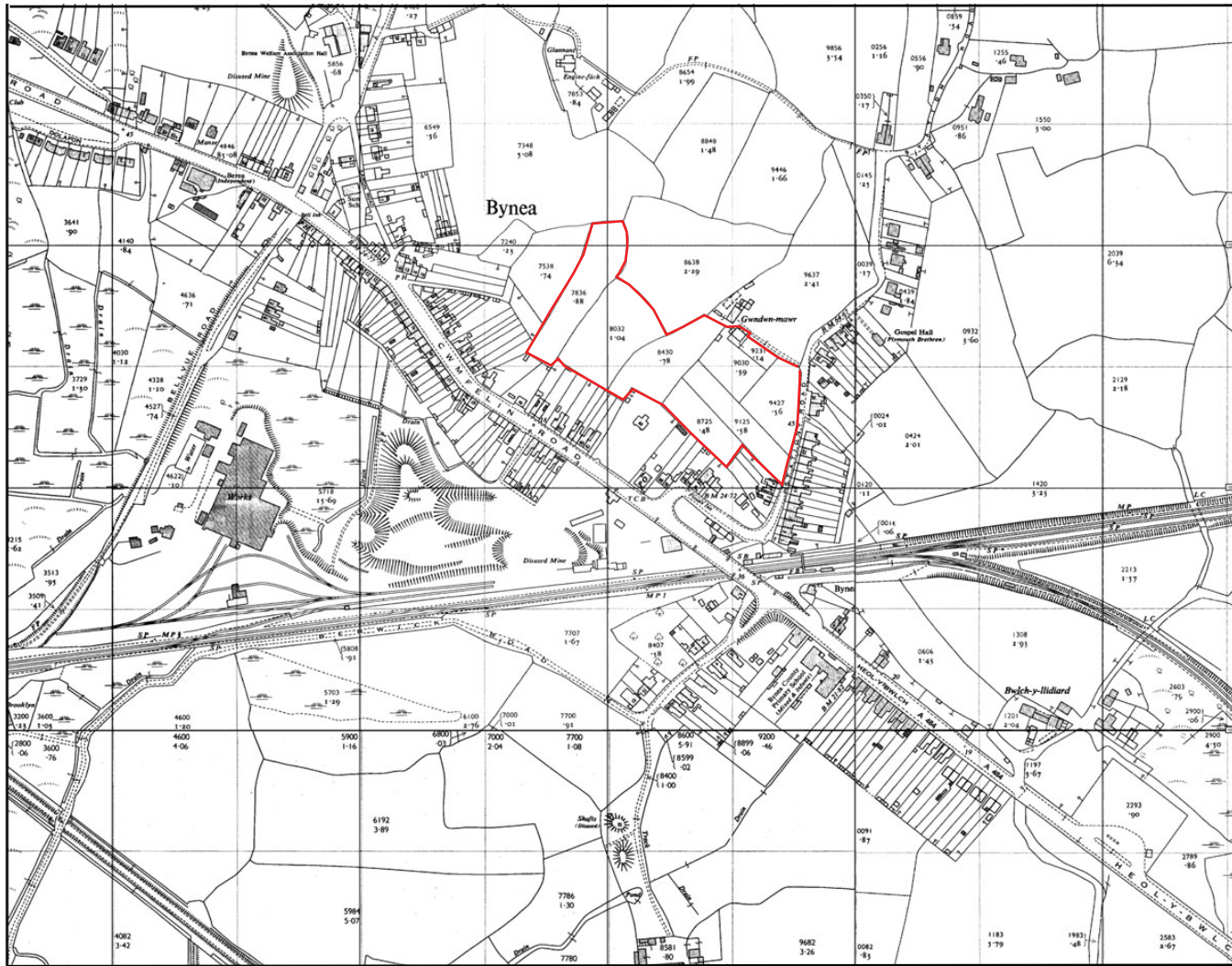


Fig. 6  
1907-1908 OS  
Map (1:10,560)



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Fig. 7  
1959-1964 OS  
map of  
site (1: 2,500)



Fig. 8  
1946 Aerial  
Photograph of  
site





Fig. 9

1992 Aerial  
Photograph of  
site



Field 6 - looking south



Field 6 - looking north



Field 7 - looking east



Field 4 - looking east

Fig. 10

Site Visit:

Fields 6, 7 and 4



Field 4 - looking south-east



Field 4 - looking east



Field 3 - looking south



Field 3 - looking north

Fig. 11

Site Visit:

Fields 4 and 3



Field 2 - looking south-west



Field 2 - looking south



Field 2 (SE corner) - looking south



Field 2 - looking north

Fig. 12

Site Visit:

Field 2



Gwndwn Mawr Building at edge of Field 8 - looking north-west



Stone pathway north of field 8 - looking east



Gwndwn Mawr building (obscured by vegetation) adjacent to proposed site - looking north



Gwndwn Mawr buildings (obscured by vegetation) at western end of track, north of proposed site - looking north-west

Fig. 13

Field 8 and Gwndwn Mawr buildings north of site

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## **APPENDIX I:**

### **HER Data**



## **HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT RECORD INFORMATION**

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## **HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT FEATURES**

### **Search criteria:**

HER search within 2km radius of NGR SS 54929930. Station Rd, Bynea,  
Llanelli

A search of the regional Historic Environment Record (HER) held by the Dyfed Archaeological Trust has identified the following historic environment features. These are listed and described below. Each feature is allocated a Primary Record Number (PRN) that should be quoted in any correspondence. Where the identification of a site is not certain then all possible interpretations are given in the type field e.g.'enclosure, henge'. Possible date ranges are also shown in this way in the period field. If a field contains no information then it is either not recorded, not known or not applicable for that site.

Please contact the HER if you have any further questions regarding this information, if you would like any of the sources followed up or if you have information that could improve these records in any way.

Source prefixes:

Ph = Published, historic (pre-1900)

Mh = Unpublished, historic  
Pm/Mm = Published/Unpublished modern (post-1899)  
Desc Text = Descriptive text.  
GP/AP = Ground photograph/Aerial photograph.

All other source types should be self-explanatory; please contact the HER if you require assistance with them.

**PRN 10267 NAME** ST DAVID DEDICATION  
**TYPE** Deleted **PERIOD** Unknown  
**NGR** SS539997 **COMMUNITY** Laugharne Township  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Record deleted during Cadw Early Medieval Ecclesiastical Sites Project PRN 44753. Record now merged with PRN 2072. NDL 2003 The dedication of the medieval church of St David or Capel Dewi, Llwynhendy (PRN2072) to the patron saint.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Pm List Bowen,EG 1954 Settlements of the Celtic Saints in Wales p.58-9  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Mention Yates,WN 1973 Carmarthenshire Antiquary Vol.9,p.57-8, Fig.1

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN 11123 NAME** CAER GRAIG  
**TYPE** Standing Stone **PERIOD** Bronze Age  
**NGR** SN538008 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

A "graig" place-name, mistakenly taken to indicate the possible position of a standing stone.

### **DESCRIPTION**



No sign of antiquity, probably used for quarrying. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mm Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.517,Caer Graig,587 Graig Isaf,516 Graig Fach,515 Caer Cerreg Fach  
Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 11124 **NAME** GRAIG GIEA;GRAIG

**TYPE** Standing Stone **PERIOD** Bronze Age

**NGR** SS5499 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

**SUMMARY**

A "graug" place-name, mistakenly taken to indicate the possible position of a standing stone.

**DESCRIPTION**

Gieau = opening of Valley pass. The area indicated by the place name is directly below that of a disused quarry. The roads also have names i.e. "Heol y Graig". The place name probably derives from the associated quarrying in the immediate vicinity. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.171:174

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 11125 **NAME** GRAIG ISAF

**TYPE** Standing Stone **PERIOD** Bronze Age

**NGR** SS54389938 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

**SUMMARY**

A "graig" place-name, mistakenly taken to indicate the possible position of a standing stone.

**DESCRIPTION**

In the near vicinity of a quarrying area from which the name probably derived. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.180

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 11126 **NAME** CAE GRAIG ISAF;CAE GRAIG UCHAF

**TYPE** Standing Stone **PERIOD** Bronze Age

**NGR** SS550996 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

**SUMMARY**

A "graig" place-name, mistakenly taken to indicate the possible position of a standing stone.

**DESCRIPTION**

No sign of antiquity. Quarry in the near vicinity : Stoney pasture. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.136:139

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 11127 **NAME** GRAIG;CAER GRAIG  
**TYPE** Standing Stone **PERIOD** Bronze Age  
**NGR** SS54909970 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

A "graig" place-name, mistakenly taken to indicate the possible position of a standing stone.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.156:153  
Mm List DAT 1985 SRF  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 11382 **NAME** BANK Y BEILY  
**TYPE** Unknown **PERIOD** Unknown  
**NGR** SS54809890 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

A "bailey" place-name which has been recorded for a possible association with a medieval motte and bailey castle site, but almost certainly reflects the usage of the "bailey" in Carmarthenshire place-names to refer to a farmyard.

### **DESCRIPTION**

'Bank y Bailey' = 'court before house' on Berwick farm? There is a small section of a hedge bank, but the rest of the area north is now a housing estate. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.201

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 12863 **NAME** BWLCH FARM

**TYPE** Longhouse **PERIOD** Medieval, Post Medieval

**NGR** SS55209900 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Renovated farmhouse in the longhouse tradition. Recorded in 1983. Bwlch Farm was the site of a private museum collection managed by the owner in the 1980s.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Single storey, rubble stone, rendered. A relatively modern adjoining brick built outbuilding is now a flat. Another stone built outbuilding (detached) 2-storey, is now living accommodation. There are no showing architectural features of interest within the farmhouse itself. The range adjoining the farmhouse includes a stable/cart shed, which now houses a museum containing a set of local wartime documents and artefacts. Some have been loaned to the Carmarthen museum. Mrs Hughes says that the farm belonged to the family of Bonville - who came from France - until 1953. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Sambrook,RP 2004 Deserted Rural Settlements in Southwest Wales 2003-4 Project ACA reports 2004-17

Pm Mention Western Mail 1983 Detailed Record Form Western Mail,13-6-1983

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 15960 **NAME** UNKNOWN

**TYPE** Quarry **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS560996 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

A minor quarry shown on the 1974 Ordnance Survey map.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1974 SS59NE

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 15961 **NAME** GOSPEL HALL  
**TYPE** Nonconformist Meeting House **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55019932 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

A 20th century Gospel Hall, shown on the 1974 Ordnance Survey map.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Prefabricated building.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1974 SS59NE

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 15962 **NAME**  
**TYPE** Factory **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5598 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Pm Map OS 1974 SS59NE

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 15963 **NAME** UNKNOWN

**TYPE** Factory **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS558982 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

A 20th century factory, shown on 1974 Ordnance Survey map. Name and purpose not known.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage

Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1974 SS59NE

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 16205 **NAME** TABERNACL

**TYPE** Chapel **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53579990 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

A Baptist chapel in Llwynhendy Road, Llwynhendy, built in 1896.

## DESCRIPTION

Datestone 1895 - cut stone construction. Double front arch.

**SOURCES** Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-98

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

Pm Map OS 1973 SS59NW

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 16206 **NAME** ZION APOSTOLIC CHURCH

**TYPE** Church **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53709994 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

An Apostolic Church in Trallwm Road, Llwynhendy. Still in use as a chapel in 2000.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Small modern brick built. Single-storey. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1973 SS59NW

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 16207 **NAME** NAZARETH

**TYPE** Chapel **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53679977 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

The first chapel was built in 1865-6, but demolished in the 1920s and replaced with a new building in 1927. Still in use in 1998.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-84

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

Pm Map OS 1973 SS59NW

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 16208 **NAME** CAPEL SOAR

**TYPE** Chapel **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54109966 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

A Baptist chapel in Llwynhendy. The cause was founded c.1790 and was embodied in 1832. The first chapel was built in 1851. It was modified in 1855 and 1868. It remained in use in 1998.

## DESCRIPTION

Built 1850 Rebuilt 1868 Rendered building. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1973 SS59NW

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 16209 **NAME** UNKNOWN

**TYPE** Quarry **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS546997 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

## SUMMARY

A disused quarry shown on the 1973 Ordnance Survey map.

## DESCRIPTION



**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text CAP 2003 Genwen Quarry, Bynea  
Carmartheshire Archaeological Watching Brief DRF 47626  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library  
Pm Map OS 1973 SS59NW  
**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 16210 **NAME** CAPEL BERE  
**TYPE** Chapel **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54469945 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

An Independent or Congregational chapel in Tanygraig Road, Bynea. It was built in 1871 and rebuilt in 1897. The present chapel dates to 1934. Still in use in 1998.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Plaque above doorway of chapel reads: - Berea Capel Y Annibynwyr Built 1937 A stone which was probably taken from the old school house is situated by the gate. The inscription reads: - Yscoldy y Bryn Adeiladwyd 1897 (built) Ailadeiladwyd 1897 (rebuilt)

**SOURCES** Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-95  
Mm List DAT 1985 SRF  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library  
Pm Map OS 1973 SS59NW  
**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 16211 **NAME** BYNEA  
**TYPE** School **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54979905 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

A school in Heol y Bwlch, Bynea. No details recorded.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-89,57-88

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

Pm Map OS 1973 SS59NW

## OTHER SOURCES

File Many 1999 Bynea School demolition and development  
Documents DAT 2010 16211.pdf

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**PRN** 16722 **NAME** EAST PIT

**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN5466400819 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

## SUMMARY

Part of the St Davids Colliery complex (PRN8946), to which it was connected by a tramway. The "E. Pit" is shown as disused on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE

Pm Map OS 1965 SN50SW

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 16723 **NAME** TABOR

**TYPE** Chapel **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN54390068 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Tabor Baptist Chapel was built in 1880. Its present status is not known.

### **DESCRIPTION**

The plaque states: "SOAR BRANCH 1874". The construction is cut stone. Slate roof. Disused and falling into disrepair. AM 1985 Following planning application 'to convert the existing chapel to 1 dwelling + erection of private res.' LW 1985

### **SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-2

Mm Desc Text Hall, J & Sambrook, P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE

Pm Map OS 1965 SN50SW

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 16724 **NAME** CAPEL Y BRYN

**TYPE** Chapel **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN53740055 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

An Independent or Congregational Chapel in Gelli Road, Penceiliog, Bryn. The cause was begun in 1840 and the first chapel built in 1842. It was rebuilt in 1856 and 1884 and further renewed in 1914. Still in use in 1998.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Plaque above door reads: - "Bryn Independent chapel. Built 1841. Rebuilt + enlarged 1856." Adnewyddwyd 1914 (renewed) The adjoining schoolhouse called Eglwys Y Bryn was built in 1963. The buildings are both rendered. The chapel has circular windows and decorated front annexe. Graveyard at rear. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-1  
Mm List DAT 1985 SRF  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library  
Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE  
Pm Map OS 1965 SN50SW

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN 16725 NAME**

**TYPE** Church **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN53520038 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

A church shown on the 1973 Ordnance Survey map in Dwyfor road, Cwmcarnhywel, near Llanelli. Denomination and present condition not known.

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1965 SN50SW

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN 2072 NAME** CAPEL DEWI;CAPEL BERWICK

**TYPE** Chapel, Cemetery **PERIOD** Medieval  
**NGR** SS53899968 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *scheduled ancient monument*  
*CM324* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

A medieval chapel-of-ease to Llanelli parish, ruinous by 1833 (Lewis 1833), whose remains still survive in Llwynhendy, on the opposite side of

the B4297 to the de novo St Davids Church (PRN 7276) by which it was superseded it in the mid 19th century (RCAHM 1917, 119 no.347). Part of the west and south walls of the nave survive and are believed to date from the 12th or 13th century, the rest of the structure is believed to survive under the road.

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**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text CADW 2003 AM107 SAM file,Carm 324  
Pm List Eyre-Evans,G 1919 Transactions of the Carmarthenshire Antiquarian Society Vol.14,Pt.XXXVII,p.22,Iolo Morganwg,1796  
Mm Letter Gray,Rev A & James,H 1995 Regarding the ruins of Capel Dewi at Capel Berwick DRF  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Mention Jones,MH 1915 Archaeologia Cambrensis 6th Series,Vol.15,p.324,327

Ph Mention Lewis,S 1833 A Topographical Dictionary of Wales  
Mm Desc Text Ludlow,ND 2002 Cadw Early Medieval Ecclesiastical Sites  
Project, Carmarthenshire, Part 1  
Pm List MHLG 1963 Listed Buildings p.2  
Mm File Many 1989 Planning Application. Two detached bungalows with  
garages,1 Hendre Road,Llwynhendy DRF  
Mm File Many 1990 Application to erect new sectional concrete garage for  
private use in canterbury spar DRF  
Mm List Ordnance Survey 1967 SS59 NW1  
Pm List RCAHM 1917 Carmarthenshire No.347,p.119  
Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1981 DRF Plan  
Mm List RCAHM 1981 8c,CM  
Pm Map Rees,W 1932 South Wales & Border in 14th century SW sheet  
Pm Mention Yates,WN 1973 The Age of the Saints in Carmarthenshire, A  
Study of Church Dedications, The Carmarthenshire Antiquary 9, p.53-81

### **OTHER SOURCES**

File Many 2001 Garden of Remembrance at Capel Dewi, Llwynhendy  
Report Many 2072.pdf  
Documents Many 2001 Plot adjoining parish hall, Llwynhendy Road,  
Llanelli

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**PRN** 21401 **NAME** TECHON FAWR

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53959920 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Farmhouse shown on Llanelli Rural parish tithe map. Current condition unknown.

### **DESCRIPTION**

The farmhouse has been renovated recently. The outbuildings have no particular features of interest and are probably post 1900. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.262

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 21402 **NAME** PEN CEILOGWYDD  
**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53859867 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Farmhouse shown on Llanelli Rural parish tithe map. Current condition unknown.

### DESCRIPTION

House - 2-storey - cut stone - slate roof. Adjoining range. Single-storey shippon = arched doorway: cart shed. corrugated asbestos roof. Cut stone construction. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport, Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.214

Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-82:57-83

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall, J & Sambrook, P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 21403 **NAME** TIR MORFA FAWR  
**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53309860 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Farmhouse shown on Llanelli Rural parish tithe map. Current condition unknown.

### DESCRIPTION

Farmhouse - partly renovated. Owners don't want anybody on the

property. Tir Morfa farm (next door) renovated.

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.236

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21404 **NAME** LLWYN HENDY

**TYPE** Dwelling **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53709950 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

Farmhouse shown on Llanelli Rural parish tithe map. Recorded as a restored dwelling. RPS July 2001

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.284

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm List DAT 1988 CR 21405-7

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

Documents DAT 2010 21404.pdf

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**PRN** 21405 **NAME** LLWYN HENDY

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53709948 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

**SUMMARY**

Recorded from tithe map evidence. No physical remains. RPS July 2001



**DESCRIPTION**

There are no remains of any cottage nor is there existence of one remembered here. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.302

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm List DAT 1985 CR 21407:21404:21406

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21406 **NAME** LLWYN HENDY

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53709940 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

Cottage shown on parish tithe map. Recorded as a restored dwelling. RPS July 2001

**DESCRIPTION**

Completely renovated in 1984. AM 1980

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.282

Mm List DAT 1985 CR 21404-5:21407

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21407 **NAME** CAER EFAIL?

**TYPE** Blacksmiths Workshop **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53709950 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

## **SUMMARY**

An "efail" placename which suggests an association with a smithy.

## **DESCRIPTION**

The present owner of Llwyn Hendy has been told of a very old cottage "on the corner" of this field (303) which was not in existence when Llwyn-Hendy was built. He says the name Llwyn Hendy was originally the name of this cottage and the nave was used for Tithe S no. 284 subsequently. Could this be the smithy? AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.300:303

Mm List DAT 1985 CR 21404-6

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21408 **NAME** BRYN CAERNARFON

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54609830 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

Farmhouse shown on Llanelli Rural parish tithe map. Current condition unknown.

## **DESCRIPTION**

2-storey farmhouse, slate roof, rubble stone construction - rough cast: 2 single-storey barns - 1 - 1870 date store-east shed arched - cut stone. Earlier barn is rough stone with low archway - possible kiln for corn drying? Also a group of dove cotes above the arch. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.51

Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-85: 57-86:57-87

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm List DAT 1985 CR 21409

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
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**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21409 **NAME** LANE Y HENDRE

**TYPE** Hendre **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54859828 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

**SUMMARY**

A "hendre" place-name which may be associated with a medieval homestead having been located in the vicinity.

**DESCRIPTION**

There are traces of an old wall of rubble stone, which appears to be part of a cottage/garden. This wall was subsequently used as a base of the walls of 2 brick cottages - now demolished called GORDA. They are on land owned by Bryn Caernarfon = the site to very overgrown - could be the hendre?

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.39

Mm List DAT 1985 CR 21408

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21410 **NAME** BERWICK

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54809880 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

Part of farmstead complex. Recorded as a restored dwelling. RPS July

2001

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.199

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

Documents DAT 2010 21410.pdf

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**PRN** 21411 **NAME** CAER EFAIL

**TYPE** Blacksmiths Workshop **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS55009880 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

### SUMMARY

An "efail" place-name suggestive of an association with a smithy.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.196

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 21413 **NAME** CEFN

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS5516598694 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Farmhouse shown on tithe map. Recorded as a restored dwelling. RPS

July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

2-storey farmhouse slate roof renovated. Single storey outbuilding/ 2: cart sheds. Rubble stone construction. The land has been sold separately and no longer belongs to cefn. The oven around is mostly built over.

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.74

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-90

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21415 **NAME** CAPE OF GOOD HOPE

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS55159900 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Post mediaeval cottage, shown on parish tithe map of 1833. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

Stone built. 2-storey. Slate roof. Surrounding area built over. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.78

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21416 **NAME** TY LLWYD

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS55029910 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Post medieval cottage, shown on parish tithe map of 1833. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

2-storey stone built, slate roof. Surrounding area built over. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.79

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21417 **NAME** GLYNEA

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS55409920 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Part of farmstead complex, shown on parish tithe map of 1833. RPS 2001.

### **DESCRIPTION**

2-storey substantial farmhouse: rendered: slate roof. Single-storey adjoining outbuilding with cart arch. Two storey outbuilding barn of brick construction; two-storey stone barn: rubble stone construction: The House and farm buildings are in a general state of disrepair. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.100

Mm List DAT 1985 CR 21418

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-92

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR

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## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21418 **NAME** CAE FYNNON;PART OF CAE FYNNON  
**TYPE** Well **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55309920 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

A "ffynnon" place-name indicative of a well or spring being located in this field. Named on parish tithe map of 1833.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Marshy land. No visible structure. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.96:97

Mm List DAT 1985 CR 21417

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR

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## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21419 **NAME** DRAINEN BICCA  
**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55109980 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Farmhouse converted into two dwellings. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

The farmhouse has been converted into two cottages, with another adjoining. The land surrounding does not belong to the occupants. Two-storey: slate roof rendered. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.144

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21420 **NAME** LLAN DIR Y GRAIG

**TYPE** Unknown **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54909970 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

**SUMMARY**

A "Llan" place-name which was recorded as of having a possible association with an ecclesiastical site, but thought likely to refer to a more recent enclosure, possibly a mis-spelling of "llain" or strip.

**DESCRIPTION**

"die/tie" = land territory No sign of antiquity. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.140

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21422 **NAME** CAE MELIN;CAE MELYN

**TYPE** Mill **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54859955 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Placename Evidence

**SUMMARY**

Possibly a "melyn" (yellow) place-name which is spelt as "melin" on the parish tithe map, and therefore taken to imply the presence of a mill in



the vicinity. More detailed research is needed to establish whether such a mill ever existed.

### **DESCRIPTION**

No sign of antiquity. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.135:160

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21428 **NAME** TIR EITHIN

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53709990 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Recorded as restored cottage. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

Completely renovated, no original features. The land surrounding the cottage is built over. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.368

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21429 **NAME** PENLLWYN YR ODYN

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54209999 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

Part of dilapidated farmstead complex in 1985.

## **DESCRIPTION**

Double storey. Slate roof. Rendered. In disrepair. Attached extension rubble. Stone outbuilding, single storey, also dilapidated. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.322

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21434 **NAME** GELLY GELLI

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN53900070 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

There are two dwellings called Gelly next to each other. Gelly House is now a public house but was apparently part of the farm originally. This dwelling has been completely renovated and consists of a two storey stone built house with 'M' shaped roof. Gelly Farm is a two storey stone built rendered farmhouse. There are two single storey outbuildings/cowhouses. Also one remaining rubble stone wall of an outbuilding. A.M. FEB. 1986.

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.577

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Desc Text Jones,F 1987 Historic Carmarthenshire Homes p.103

## OTHER SOURCES

Documents DAT 2010 21434.pdf

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**PRN** 21445 **NAME** BRYN MAWR

**TYPE** Farmhouse **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN54400070 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

Farmhouse shown on Llanelli Rural parish tithe map. Current condition unknown.

## DESCRIPTION

Stone built, two-storey. Slate roof. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.355

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm GP DAT 1985 SRF 57-3:57-4

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 21447 **NAME** BRYN BACH

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN5420001053 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

Recorded as a single storey cottage in 1985. RPS July 2001

## DESCRIPTION

Single storey cottage: stone built: rendered. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport,Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.534

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR

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## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21449 **NAME** BRYN

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN5429600990 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech

**CONDITION** Restored **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Recorded as single storey cottage. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

Single-storey cottage. Slate roof. Rendered. Partly renovated. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mh Map 1833 Tithe Map & Apport, Llanelli Rural Ph Schedule No.584

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm Desc Text Hall, J & Sambrook, P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR

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## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21473 **NAME** BYNEA

**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS5489299755 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Ruins of unidentified four walled stone building. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

Ruins of four-walled building within small enclosure, seen whilst smithy sites 11127/11126 from Tithe schedule. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-94

Mm Desc Text Hall, J & Sambrook, P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR

Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 21474 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY  
**TYPE** School **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53079990 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

A former school in Llwynhendy recorded in 1985 as having been converted to a public library.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Now used as public library. Seen whilst on site visit in the vicinity. Stone/brick built school, now converted. AM 1985

**SOURCES** Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-99  
Mm List DAT 1985 SRF  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 23419 **NAME** LOUGHOR BRIDGE  
**TYPE** Bridge **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5603098071 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

### **DESCRIPTION**

Timber Bridge built c. 1834 in 1922 by Ferro-concrete structure.  
Jervoise

**SOURCES** Mm Mention DAT 1985 SRF

Pm Mention Jervoise,E 1936 Ancient Bridges of Wales & W.England p.82

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 24284 **NAME** GELLI-FACH  
**TYPE** Well **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN54010063 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

**SUMMARY**

An well shown on the 1921 Ordnance Survey map.

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 24285 **NAME** GELLI-HWYAD  
**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN54150072 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

**SUMMARY**

Cottage shown on early 20th century maps. RPS July 2001

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 6" Carmarthenshire LVIII NE

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 24287 **NAME** CAE-DUE  
**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN54530054 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

**SUMMARY**

Cottage shown on early 20th century maps. RPS July 2001

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 24289 **NAME** BRYN-FFYNNON  
**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN53840043 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

**SUMMARY**

Cottage shown on early 20th century maps. RPS July 2001

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 24290 **NAME** BRYN-YR-ARDD  
**TYPE** Cottage **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN53870039 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Cottage shown on early 20th century maps. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 25427 **NAME** PENCOED;PENYCOED;PENCOED-UCHAF  
**TYPE** Dwelling **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN55880060 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Historic home described by Francis Jones. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mh Desc Text Cawdor Golden Grove Books I,Glam  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library  
Pm Desc text Jones,F 1987 Historic Carmarthenshire Homes p.146-147  
Pm Desc Text Transactions of the Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion  
1971 Cadets of Golden Grove I:Vaughan of Llanelli

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 27969 **NAME** GENWEN ENGINE HOUSE  
**TYPE** Engine House **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54579957 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *scheduled ancient monument*  
CM263 **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Early beam engine house. Built by George Warde in 1806 to replace an earlier engine house of 1766 erected by Chancey Townsend.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text CADW 1994 Notification of Scheduling SAM file, Cm 263  
Mm Letter CADW 2002 Decision letter in relation to application for grant aid SAM file  
Mm Desc Text CAP 2003 Genwen Quarry, Brnea Archaeological Watching Brief DRF 47626  
Mm Desc Text Cadw 1999 AM107 SAM file,-CM263(CAM)  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Desc Text Hughes,S and Reynolds,P 1992 A Guide to the Industrial Archaeology of the Swansea Region  
Pm Desc Text Symons MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli Area, Vol One, 16th Century to 1829 p  
Mm Desc Text Wardell Armstrong 2003 Genwen Quarry Enhancement Works - Engine House Conservation PRN 48169

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 29589 **NAME** PEN-Y-BRYN FARM  
**TYPE** Farm **PERIOD** Post Medieval, Modern  
**NGR** SS541982 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Probably 18th century end chimney farmhouse of submediaeval type with a barn and stable ranges added in the late 18th century. Buildings were

added throughout the 19th century and it continued in use until the early 1970's. JH 1995 based on NL 1994

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Ludlow,N 1994 Pen-y-Bryn Farm Llanelli - Analytical building record SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30662 **NAME** PENCOED LEADWORKS

**TYPE** Lead Smelting House **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS56069954 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *scheduled ancient monument*

CM282 **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

A lead works established in 1754-5. Later reused as a farmhouse "Ty-Coch". Substantial parts of the buildings survive. JH based on CADW 1996.

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text 1992 A guide to the Industrial Archaeology of the Swans

Mm Desc Text CADW 1996 Notification of scheduling SAM file, Cm 282

Mm letter CADW 2001 Referring to Tir Gofal Management Agreement DRF

Mm Desc Text Cadw 1999 AM107 SAM file,-CM282(CAM)

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30665 **NAME** SPITTY COPPERWORKS

**TYPE** Smelting Works **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS560983 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None*

recorded **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Copper smelting began at Spitty bank on the east side of the Loughor in 1809 as part of the Spitty Bank Copper Company. The copper works closed in 1811 after only two years to be reopened in 1825 by J Shears and Sons. From 1825 to 1857 the works changed hands twice more. The copper works closed finally in 1857 to be reopened in 1869 as the iron and tin plate works.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Mention Symons,MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli Area, 16th century to 1829, p.119

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30715 **NAME** TROSTRE TINPLATE WORKS  
**TYPE** Tinplate Works **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS530995 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Tinplate Works at Trostre working from 1951 to the present day (2003)

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30731 **NAME** SQUIRE EVANS AND BEYNONS WAGGON ROAD  
**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS547995 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Waggon way which operated in Bynea area from 1750-1781. Over 2km long. P.Sambrook, 1995.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Desc Text Symons,MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli area - 16th century to 1829, p.202

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30732 **NAME** CHAUNCEY TOWNSEND'S RAILWAY

**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS545995 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded*

**EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Short tramroad (228m) connecting Townsend's coal pits with the head of the Yspitty Canal. Operating 1760-1795. P.Sambrook, 1995.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Desc Text Symons,MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli area - 16th century to 1829, p.204

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30734 **NAME** HUGHES AND JONES RAILWAY

**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS549984 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Sort tramroad, 275m long, linking Baccas Colliery and Baccas Canal.  
Operating from 1795 onwards. P.Sambrook, 1995

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Desc Text Symons,MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli area - 16th  
century to 1829, p.208

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30735 **NAME** GENERAL WARDE'S APPLE PIT RAILROAD  
**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS550994 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

1.6km long tramroad which worked from 1808-20, linking several  
collieries, including Apple Pit, to Spitty Bite. P.Sambrook, 1995.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text Symons,MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli  
area - 16th century to 1829, p.220

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 30739 **NAME** LLANGENNECH COAL COMPANY'S RAILWAY  
**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN561007 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

## SUMMARY

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text Symons,MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli area - 16th century to 1829, p.2230-34

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31236 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Sea Defences **PERIOD** Medieval, Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54449798 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

## SUMMARY

Sea defense in the form of an irregular bank, maintaining pasture land on landward side. Retains purpose of sea defense, although survives as a low bank, maximum height of 1.00m with a modern fence running along the crest and Hawthorn and scrub growing intermittently along its length.  
BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

## OTHER SOURCES

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31237 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Midden **PERIOD** Prehistoric

**NGR** SS54879793 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## **SUMMARY**

### **DESCRIPTION**

Shell midden, comprising predominantly cockles with a collection of mussels on the upper northern section, a Roe Deer skull was excavated from the southern base of the midden with the intention of RCD, not enough collegeran. The midden was exposed within the rapidly eroding 2.00m section of deposits lying directly below the present day saltmarsh. The upper 1.5m of the section clearly represents saltmarsh formation and the lower 0.5m comprises blue estuarine clay. The basal deposits of the section are glacial till. The midden is located 0.10m above the glacial till, within the estuarine clay. The site was first identified 12/12/96, by 13/12/97 the section had visibly eroded and the midden was almost gone. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31239 **NAME** MORFA BACAS  
**TYPE** Findspot **PERIOD** Prehistoric  
**NGR** SS54739794 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Landform

### **SUMMARY**

Relict paleochannel exposed in rapidly eroding section, within the intertidal zone. Dimensions, approximately 10.00m in width and 1.50m deep, sealed by approximately 1.00m saltmarsh deposits. The palaeochannel fills comprised estuarine clays (only *Hydrobia* spp. present). Within the basal fills there is an assortment of horizontal wood fragments of varying sizes and degrees of water erosion. Most of the wood assemblage has been worked, and tool marks can be identified. Very water worn peat clasts are also present within the fills of the channel. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31240 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Drainage Channel **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54629792 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Relict drainage channel exposed in rapidly eroding section. Dimensions approximately 2.00m wide and 0.75m deep, steep regular sides and relatively flat base. The drainage fill comprised two distinct, complete saltmarsh sequences, whereas within the running section there is stratigraphic evidence of a single episode of saltmarsh accretion. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31241 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Canal **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54479793 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Bacas Cannal. Short stretch of canal running almost parallel to sea bank,



31236. The eastern third of the canals length remains open although partially silted, whereas the western section has been completely infilled with loose building demolition debris. Purpose of infill unknown but continues to function as drainage within the saltmarsh environment. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31242 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Drainage Channel **PERIOD** Prehistoric, Medieval, Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54589792 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## **SUMMARY**

Small natural drainage channel exposed within the rapidly eroding section. Very distinct irregular steep sided channel edge, identified within the section and traced for approximately 1.50m along the estuarine channel floor. Dimensions approximately 0.50m wide and 0.40m deep, cutting lower pink brown sandy clay, capped by upper saltmarsh sequence described in 31240. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31243 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Peat Deposit **PERIOD** Mesolithic, Iron Age

**NGR** SS54499781 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Landform

### **SUMMARY**

Small peat exposure, located alongside present channels course and visible at low tide. Situated on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Small peat exposure, located alongside present channels course and visible at low tide. Concentration of stumps from submerged forest surviving but currently under threat from tidal erosion. Dimensions approximately 30m in length (NE-SW) and 15m wide. PRNs 31245 & 31246 are all part of the same peat shelf, each have been subjected to varying degrees of erosion dependant upon their location within the channel. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31244 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Medieval, Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54369775 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

Probable fish trap or training line constructed from a series of roundwood uprights. Situated within the peat shelf (PRN 31245) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas and visible at low tides. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps

of uprights could be discerned some of which are still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Collection of five roundwood uprights in a straight line, perpendicular to present channel, driven into the peat shelf 31245, set exactly 1m apart from one another, average diameter 2cm and protrusion 5cm, each top eroded to a point. Probable fishtrap/training line. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

Report Murphy, F & Wilson, H 2012 Medieval and early post- medieval fish traps. A threat related assessment 2012

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**PRN 31245 NAME MORFA BACAS**

**TYPE** Peat Deposit **PERIOD** Mesolithic, Iron Age

**NGR** SS54299769 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Landform

**SUMMARY**

An exposure of peat at Morfa Bacas that is visible at low tide.

**DESCRIPTION**

Peat shelf exposure, surviving alongside present channel. 31243 & 31246 are from the same peat formation. The upper peat surface lost to tidal erosion, reflected in the poor preservation of the few remaining stumps from the submerged forest along this stretch. Seven structures were identified, driven into the peat, all probable fishtraps/training lines. Peat

sample taken for RCD alongside structure 31253, awaiting results. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31246 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Peat Deposit **PERIOD** Mesolithic, Iron Age

**NGR** SS54199770 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Landform

**SUMMARY**

A peat shelf at Morfa Bacas visible at low tides. Concentrations of well preserved stumps and numerous trunks survive on the surface of the peat shelf.

**DESCRIPTION**

Peat shelf exposure protected by an outcrop of glacial till to the west. 31243 & 31245 are part of the same peat formation but have been subjected to greater marine erosion due to their location. Concentrations of well preserved stumps and numerous trunks survive on the surface of the peat shelf. Seven structures, comprising roundwood uprights were identified driven into the peat shelf, also a number of isolated uprights were noted. An extensive EDM survey was carried out on this area and an RCD sample of one of the uprights has been submitted, awaiting results. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31247 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54229769 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

Probable fishtrap identified, comprising 35 roundwood uprights driven into exposed peat shelf (PRN 31246) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Probable fishtrap identified, comprising 35 roundwood uprights driven into exposed peat shelf 31246. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

Report Murphy, F & Wilson, H 2012 Medieval and early post- medieval fish traps. A threat related assessment 2012

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**PRN** 31248 **NAME** MORFA BACAS  
**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54239771 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** None  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

Probable fishtrap identified surviving within the peat shelf (PRN 31246) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. It comprises seven roundwood uprights forming a v-shaped structure. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Probable fishtrap identified surviving within the peat shelf 31246 comprising seven roundwood uprights forming a v-shaped structure. Possible putt, may be part of 31247 & 31249. BDA 1997.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31249 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54229772 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

Straight line of eleven roundwood uprights surviving within the peat shelf (PRN 31246) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. Visible at low tides. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight line of eleven roundwood uprights surviving within the peat shelf 31246. Sample (EDM no.671) of one of the uprights taken for RCD, awaiting results. Structure probable fish trap, putcher rank, associated with structures 31247 & 31248. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31250 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54439774 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

Straight row of nine roundwood uprights surviving within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31246) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. Visible at low tides. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight row of nine roundwood uprights surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31246. Probable fish trap, putcher rank, no other lines of uprights appear to be associated with this structure but maybe buried by mobile sediment to the north. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.



Report Murphy, F & Wilson, H 2012 Medieval and early post- medieval fish traps. A threat related assessment 2012

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**PRN** 31251 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54249772 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

A probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a V-shaped structure comprising six roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31246) on the foreshore of Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. V-shaped structure comprising six roundwood uprights surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31246. Probable fish trap, putt. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31252 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54359773 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

A probable fish trap surviving as a straight line of five roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31245) on the foreshore of Morfa Bacas. Visible at low tide. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight line of five roundwood uprights surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31245. Probable fish trap, putcher rank, possibly associated with 31253. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to

Loughor.

Report Murphy, F & Wilson, H 2012 Medieval and early post- medieval fish traps. A threat related assessment 2012

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**PRN** 31253 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54349773 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

A probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a straight line of twenty five plus roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31245) on the foreshore of Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight line of twenty five plus roundwood uprights surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31245. RCD sample taken from one of the uprights from this structure, (EDM no 672), awaiting results. Probable fish trap, putcher rank, possibly associated with structure 31252. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

## **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31254 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54339772 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

## **SUMMARY**

A probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a straight line of nine roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf visible on the foreshore of Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight line of nine roundwood uprights surviving within the exposed peat shelf. Probable fish trap, putcher rank, training wall. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

## **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31255 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54319771 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

## **SUMMARY**

A probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a straight line of eleven roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31245) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight line of eleven roundwood uprights meet up with structure 31256, surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31245. Probable fish trap, training line, possible putt. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands

Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31256 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54329772 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

### **SUMMARY**

Probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a straight line of sixteen roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31245) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight line of sixteen roundwood uprights meet up with structure 31255, surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31245. Probable fish trap, training line, possible putt. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31257 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54299770 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

**SUMMARY**

A probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a V-shaped structure comprising eight roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31245) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. V-shaped structure comprising eight roundwood uprights, surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31245. Probable fish trap, putt. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31258 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54229766 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

**SUMMARY**

A probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a V-shaped structure comprising roundwood uprights, situated alongside the glacial till exposure, south west of the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31246) at Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. V-shaped structure comprising roundwood uprights, surviving alongside the glacial till exposure, south west of the exposed peat shelf 31246. Probable fish trap,



putt. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31259 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Fish Trap **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54269773 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged, Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE**

**SUMMARY**

Probable post medieval fish trap surviving as a straight line of five roundwood uprights within the exposed peat shelf (PRN 31246) on the foreshore at Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

Visited in July 2012. The peat shelf (PRN 31243 & 31245-6) in which many of the roundwood uprights are situated has been severely eroded by the effects of tide and river. It was not always possible to locate the groups of uprights as previously recorded in 1997. Some of the groups of uprights have been completely removed and in other cases short stumps of uprights could be discerned some of which were still in lines. The submerged forest (PRN 31317) in this area is now more obviously exposed with many tree stumps and tree trunks clearly visible. F Murphy & H Wilson 2012 Over 200 uprights have been recorded on the peat exposures at Morfa Bacas. Many of the identifiable lines of uprights were on 2 orientations: those closest to land were parallel to the shoreline whilst those close to the channel were at 90 degrees to it. Samples taken from 2 of the lines have returned radiocarbon dates of 290 +/- 60BP and 140 +/- 60BP. In places, wooden uprights have been replaced with metal bars and tubes, showing a continuity of use until very recent times. It appears that the northward movement of the main channel of the Loughor has removed any earlier structures. NP 1997. Straight line of five roundwood uprights, surviving within the exposed peat shelf 31246.

Probable fish trap, putcher rank. BDA 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31317 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Peat Deposit **PERIOD** Neolithic

**NGR** SS54199771 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Landform

**SUMMARY**

Overall number for three areas, 31243,31245 & 31246, of submerged forest and peat at Morfa Bacas. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31555 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Lime Kiln **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53929775 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Lime kiln positioned on sea bank, 31672, illustrated as bulge in bank only on 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Pm Map OS 1879 Carms 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31564 **NAME** LLANGENNECH QUAY  
**TYPE** Landing Stage **PERIOD** Post Medieval, Modern  
**NGR** SN56190075 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Two parallel lines, comprising five roundwood uprights and two squared timbers in each row. The rows are approximately 0.50m apart and run perpendicular to the shoreline for approximately 4.00m. The uprights are driven into the glacial till that was once covered by the western bank of Llangennech quay, 4486. Two of the uprights (squared timbers) are driven against the remaining stone face of the quay and lie slightly further out from the main lines. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31583 **NAME** LOUGHOR BRIDGE  
**TYPE** Bridge **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS56149821 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Wooden bridge with eight bays, swing bridge to the Loughor side, 30ft in length. Replaced by ferro-concrete bridge in 1923. Information obtained from the Glamorgan Gwent Archaeological Trust SMR (GGAT SMR No.W1250). BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31620 **NAME** LLANGENNECH

**TYPE** Building, Field Boundary **PERIOD** Post-medieval;modern

**NGR** SN56000032 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Cropmark

### **SUMMARY**

Possible outline of building/field boundary depicted as light outline, identified from aerial photographs. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical OS 1969 OS 069 267 (70,71)

Mm Desc Text Page NA & Allen BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31621 **NAME** BYNEA

**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Modern, Post Medieval

**NGR** SS56099853 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Building, rectangular scar within area of marsh; cropmark identified from aerial photographs. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical 1981 Meridian 0681 (32,33)

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31622 **NAME** BYNEA

**TYPE** Works **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SS55859841 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Substantial works identified from aerial photographs. Associated features include quay 31610 and sidings 31623. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical 1981 Meridian 0681 (32,33)

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31623 **NAME** BYNEA  
**TYPE** Railway Siding **PERIOD** Modern  
**NGR** SS55819864 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Sidings associated with works 31622 identified from aerial photographs.  
BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical 1981 Meridian 0681 (32,33)  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31627 **NAME** BYNEA  
**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55559891 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### SUMMARY

Spoil tip identified from 1st Edition OS. The tip is associated with Victoria  
Colliery, 31617. BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Ph Map OS 1891 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition 6" LIX.SW  
Ph Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LIX.9  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31628 **NAME** BYNEA  
**TYPE** Canal **PERIOD** Unknown  
**NGR** SS55149813 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Wide channel, approximately 10m, had a small watercourse along part of its length, identified from aerial photographs. This feature may have been a canal. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library  
Mm AP Vertical RAF 1961 543 RAF 1475 (0361,0362)

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31629 **NAME** BYNEA  
**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Post Medieval, Modern  
**NGR** SS5578899042 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Linear bank identified from aerial photographs. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical 1947 OPE

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
LibraryUK 2264 (5081,5082)

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31630 **NAME** BYNEA

**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS55099892 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

Small square building situated in the centre of field, identified from 1st  
Edition OS. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Ph Map OS 1891 Carmarthenshire 6" 1st Edition LVII.SE

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31631 **NAME** BYNEA

**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54849901 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Tramway identified from 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997



## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1891 Carmarthenshire 6" 1st Edition LVII.SE  
Ph Map OS 1891 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LIX.SW  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31632 **NAME** BYNEA  
**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55109850 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Tramway identified from 1st Edition OS. Tramway disected by GWR, southern section has no bank and traverses saltmarsh to the edge of the coastline. The northern section of tramway is supported by a bank. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1891 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LIX.SW  
Ph Map OS 1891 Carmarthenshire 6" 1st Edition LVII.SE  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31633 **NAME** BYNEA  
**TYPE** Lime Kiln **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55149891 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Lime kiln depicted on 1st Edition OS as 'Old Limekiln'. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Adit  
SMR Library

Mm File Many 2004 Planning application S-07787 for demolition of garden  
centre and redevelopment on land within close proximity DRF

Ph Map OS 1891 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LIX.SW

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31634 **NAME** BERWIC

**TYPE** Coal Workings **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS5480098928 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Coal pit identified from 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31635 **NAME** BERWIC  
**TYPE** Shaft **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5480998921 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Air shaft, associated with Berwic Coal Pit, 31634, identified from 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library Edition LVIII.12  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st edition  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31636 **NAME** BERWIC  
**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54819889 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

Spoil tip, associated with Berwic Coal Pit, 31634, identified from 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31637 **NAME** BERWIC  
**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54169902 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Tramway leading down from GWR to Carnarfon coal pit, identified from 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31638 **NAME** PENCLACWYDD  
**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5409798493 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### SUMMARY

Depicted on 1st Edition as a mound, 2nd Edition OS no mound, area depicted as marsh. BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31639 **NAME** PENCLACWYDD  
**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54159855 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

**SUMMARY**

Depicted only on 2nd Edition as a mound. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31640 **NAME** PENCLACWYDD  
**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54109860 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

**SUMMARY**

Irregular mound only depicted on 2nd Edition. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31641 **NAME** BRYN CARNARFON  
**TYPE** Trackway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54129847 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

**SUMMARY**

Track leading across fields to Bryn Carnarfon depicted on 1st Edition. BDA  
1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31642 **NAME** BRYN CARNARFON  
**TYPE** Shaft **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5438098343 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

'Old shaft (coal)' and a raised platform, depicted on 2nd Edition Ordnance  
Survey map of 1907. Drainage appears to cut the platform. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31643 **NAME** BRYN CARNARFON  
**TYPE** Coal Workings **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54699826 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Coal pit identified from 1st Edition OS, not marked on 2nd Edition OS.  
BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31644 **NAME** BRYN CARNARFON  
**TYPE** Shaft **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5467898245 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Air shaft identified from 1st Edition OS, associated with 31643, not marked on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31645 **NAME** BRYN CARNARFON  
**TYPE** Pond **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5479298358 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## **SUMMARY**

Three irregular ponds located within one field, possibly associated with Carnarfon pit, only depicted on 1st Edition OS, associated with 31643, not marked on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31646 **NAME** DYFFRYN CROSSING  
**TYPE** Shaft **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54619853 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural



**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Air shaft only depicted on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31647 **NAME** DYFFRYN CROSSING  
**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54649848 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Building with small irregular enclosure identified from 1st Edition OS.  
Enclosure not marked on 2nd Edition OS. No building or enclosure marked  
on SMR Base Map. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1973 SMR Base Map  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31648 **NAME** DYFFRYN CROSSING  
**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54619849 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Building with small irregular enclosure identified from 1st Edition OS. Enclosure not marked on 2nd Edition OS. Building, slightly modified on SMR Base Map. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1973 SMR Base Map  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31649 **NAME** DYFFRYN  
**TYPE** Farmstead **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54599844 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Dyffryn depicted on 1st Edition OS, slightly altered by 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997 Probably a farmstead, which is shown on early 19th century maps. RPS July 2001

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31650 **NAME** DYFFRYN

**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS5484298622 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

**SUMMARY**

Bank following canalised drainage, disected by 31637, depicted on 1st  
Edition OS, not marked on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31651 **NAME** BERWIC

**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54599877 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

**SUMMARY**

Spoil tip depicted on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31652 **NAME** DYFFRYN  
**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5446698810 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

## SUMMARY

Bank regular in width, following both canalised and natural drainage, depicted on 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31653 **NAME** DYFFRYN  
**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54299870 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

Building depicted on 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997 Relationship with PRN31652 uncertain. RPS July 2001

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31654 **NAME** DYFFRYN

**TYPE** Coal Workings **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54159873 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## **SUMMARY**

Coal pit depicted on 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31655 **NAME** DYFFRYN

**TYPE** Trackway **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54249896 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### **SUMMARY**

Trackway from colliery depicted on 1st Edition OS, not marked on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31656 **NAME** DYFFRYN

**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS5420898837 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

Spoil tip depicted on 1st Edition OS, probably associated with Techon fach Colliery, 4659. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31657 **NAME** DYFFRYN  
**TYPE** Spoil Tip **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5413998842 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

Spoil tip depicted on 1st Edition OS, probably associated with Techon fach Colliery, 4659. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31658 **NAME** DYFFRYN  
**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5404498733 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

An irregular bank following natural drainage, either re-en cast deposits or continuation of bank 31659, dissected by track, 31660, depicted on 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31659 **NAME** DYFFRYN  
**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54599873 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### SUMMARY

An irregular bank following natural drainage, either re-en cast deposits or continuation of bank 31658, dissected by track, 31660, and GWR, 31575, depicted on 1st Edition OS. Section of this bank not marked on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31660 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY  
**TYPE** Trackway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53709902 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Established tree-lined track, depicted on 1st Edition OS. This length of track was later replaced by railway lines. BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION



**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31661 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY  
**TYPE** Trackway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53339887 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Established tree-lined track, depicted on 1st Edition OS, considerably altered once dissected by railways. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31662 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY  
**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Modern  
**NGR** SS53779891 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

Semi detached building with outbuildings and enclosed narrow strips, only depicted on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997 Purpose unknown. Apparently

destroyed by rail or road building. RPS July 2001

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31663 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY  
**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53839894 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

Building with track and bridge across to Techon fawr, depicted on 1st and 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Ph Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31664 **NAME** TECHON FAWR  
**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5405998998 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

An irregular bank following natural drainage, either re-en cast deposits or possible continuation of bank 31658, depicted on 1st and 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31665 **NAME** TECHON FAWR  
**TYPE** Farmstead **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53649897 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

### **SUMMARY**

Building and two outbuildings depicted on 1st Edition OS. On 2nd Edition OS main building slightly altered and outbuildings gone. Completely erased by railway line. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31666 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY  
**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53259915 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### SUMMARY

Uniform width bank, following drainage, depicted on 1st Edition OS. The majority of the bank has been removed by the construction of Llwynhendy Steelworks. BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 31667 **NAME** TECHON FACH  
**TYPE** Farm **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54329909 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Square building, located within irregular enclosure, depicted on 1st Edition OS. On 2nd Edition OS no building evident. Later replaced by two buildings neither on original site each located within rectangular enclosures, depicted on SMR Base map. BDA 1997

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1973 SMR Base Map SS59NW  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31668 **NAME** TECHON FACH

**TYPE** Terrace **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54359902 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Landform

**SUMMARY**

Possible river terrace dissected by GWR, 31575, only depicted on 1st  
Edition OS. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12

Pm Map OS 1973 SMR Base Map SS59NW

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31669 **NAME** TECHON FACH

**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54329906 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## **SUMMARY**

Tramway and embankment, depicted on 1st and 2nd Edition OS. Bellvue Road now runs along embankment . BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Pm Map OS 1907 Carmarthenshire 2nd Edition LVIII.12

Pm Map OS 1973 SMR Base Map SS59NW

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31670 **NAME** TIR MORFA

**TYPE** Flood Bank **PERIOD** Unknown

**NGR** SS53539850 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

## **SUMMARY**

Extensive bank system, irregular in width and shape, no drainage along most of its length, depicted on 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31671 **NAME** TIR CIT REES

**TYPE** Farm **PERIOD** Medieval, Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53689806 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Sub rectangular enclosure with seven buildings and a pond, depicted on 1st Edition OS. Enclosure and four buildings gone by 2nd Edition OS. Site visit, area now densely overgrown and only one building identified, maximum of two course stone walls. Farm situated on glacial moraine mound. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Pm Map OS 1879 Carms 1st Edition LVIII.12

Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31672 **NAME** MORFA BACAS

**TYPE** Sea Defences **PERIOD** Medieval, Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53559792 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

Sea bank depicted on 1st and 2nd Edition OS, eastern section almost completely encloses sub rectangular area. Almost entire length replaced by corrugated steel shuttering driven into bank. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Pm Map OS 1879 Carms 1st Edition LVIII.12

Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31673 **NAME** TIR BACAS  
**TYPE** Farm **PERIOD** Medieval, Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54389802 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

Building set within rectilinear sea defense, 31672, depicted on both 1st and 2nd Edition OS. Track leading to farm now a public footpath. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Pm Map OS 1879 Carms 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31674 **NAME** TIR TENEU  
**TYPE** Farm **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54899798 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

Single long rectangular building with a small enclosure to the west. Building alongside marsh depicted on 1st Edition OS. Trees not marked, enclosure reduced and building depicted with no roof on 2nd Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**



**SOURCES** Pm Map OS 1879 Carms 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31675 **NAME** MORFA BACAS  
**TYPE** Drainage System **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54749791 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

**SUMMARY**

Canalised drainage through saltmarsh prior to change in channel depicted on 1st Edition OS. 1st Edition OS also shows sandbank forming in centre of channel, by 2nd Edition OS large portion of saltmarsh already eroded because channel had split and was actively eroding. Drainage probably with intention of reclaiming prior to channel course changing and actively eroding semi stable land. Mostly rectilinear drainage with few natural channels incorporated. BDA 1997

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Pm Map OS 1879 Carms 1st Edition LVIII.12  
Pm Map OS 1907 Carms 2nd Edition LVIII.12  
Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

**OTHER SOURCES**

Page, N 1998 Coastal Survey 1997-98. Carmarthen Bay, Ginst Point to Loughor.

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**PRN** 31676 **NAME** TIR MORFA  
**TYPE** Drainage System **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53359862 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

## **SUMMARY**

Relict drainage pattern identified from 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31677 **NAME** TYRMORFA

**TYPE** Farm **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53239855 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

Tir Morfa Farm identified from 1st Edition OS. BDA 1997

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey  
1996 & 1997 SMR Library

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 31682 **NAME** MORFA MAWR

**TYPE** Drainage System **PERIOD** Unknown

**NGR** SS53549824 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Substantial canalised drain depicted on aerial photographs as very clear parallel dark lines. Follows almost the same alignment of 31670. BDA 1997

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical 1981 Meridian 0681 (29,30)

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1879 Carmarthenshire 1st Edition LVIII.12

Mm Desc Text Page,NA & Allen,BD 1996 &1997 Llanelli Wetlands Survey 1996 & 1997 SMR Library

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 39947 **NAME** GLYNEA BRICKWORKS

**TYPE** Brickworks **PERIOD** Post Medieval, Modern

**NGR** SS54859915 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

### **SUMMARY**

Glynea colliery was started in 1861 by the Llanelly Copperworks Company. The colliery was abandoned in 1883 after it had been operating at a loss but reopened in 1891 by a newly formed Glynea Colliery company. The brickworks, PRN 39947 was built on the site in 1893. Both the colliery and the brickworks were finally abandoned in 1926 when the operating company was declared bankrupt.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Murphy,K 2000 Glynea Colliery, Bynea, Llanelli archaeological desk based assessment SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 42306 **NAME** FFOSFACH UCHAF  
**TYPE** Quarry **PERIOD** Post Med  
**NGR** SS55889961 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli;Llanelli  
Rural;Llangennech;Ammanford  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### SUMMARY

Area of eighteenth century mining and quarrying set in open deciduous woodland to the west of Ffosfach Uchaf Farm. An old pit was recorded just to the south of here on an estate map of 1772 and early nineteenth century estate maps describe the area as wood and quarry. It may form part of a wider area of eighteenth century quarrying around Ffosfach which exploited the Swansea Five Feet Vein (PRN 8767). The evidence consists of a series of at least six rock-cut hollows which run along the south-facing slope. A narrow (c.3m wide) trackway runs to the south of these. The quarries range in size from c.4m by 3m by 1.8m deep to 15m by 15m by 8m deep.

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 42307 **NAME** FFOSFACH UCHAF  
**TYPE** Leat **PERIOD** Post Med  
**NGR** SS56029960 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli;Llanelli  
Rural;Llangennech;Ammanford  
**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Extensive system of water pipes connecting the reservoirs to the north of Ffosfach Uchaf (PRNs 42310, 42311) to eighteenth and nineteenth

century industrial plants on the salt marshes to the south. The section immediately to the southeast of Ffosfach Farm (PRN 15960) runs parallel to the Llangennech Coal Company's Railway on substantial (c. 1.5m by 1.5m by 4m tall) rubble and lime mortar pillars. It crosses the railway line further to the west. The water was carried in a narrow (c.0.3m in diameter) iron pipe. Some of the original pillars that supported the pipe have been replaced with brick versions. The remainder of the system presumably ran underground or has otherwise been removed. A similar pipeline runs beneath ground to the sluice (PRN 31614) that drains onto the marshes further to the south. The purpose of the pipe line is unclear. However, the owner thinks that it formerly ran to the eighteenth century copperworks at Spitty and was later reused to supply water to the Bynea Steel works.

## **DESCRIPTION**

## **SOURCES**

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 42308 **NAME** FFOSFACH UCHAF

**TYPE** Landing Point **PERIOD** Post Med

**NGR** SS56149966 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli;Llanelli

Rural;Llangennech;Ammanford

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

## **SUMMARY**

Site of Thomas Bowen's Shipping Place, first recorded on an estate map of 1756. Thomas Bowen leased the coal seam at Ffosfach between 1748 and 1752 although most of his sinkings were unsuccessful (see PRN 42313, 42314). There is no clear evidence of the shipping place on the ground although the water channel that it probably stood upon survives.

## **DESCRIPTION**

## **SOURCES**

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 4486 **NAME** LLANGENNECH QUAY  
**TYPE** Quay **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN56200080 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech  
**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Llangennech Quay or Dock was built between 1804 and 1807 by, in the first instance at the behest of the Earl of Warwick, but completed by John Symons of the Llangennech Estate. It was improved in 1826, but lost its importance as a coal quay from 1834, when Llanelli New Dock was built. The quay had two side walls and a dock basin. In 1997, surviving stone walling was noted at the site of this coal quay, constructed c.1807. The site was heavily silted, but some erosion of the outer edges was occurring,

### DESCRIPTION

Constructed by General Ward early 10th C. 2 banks 5' high, 100' long divided by a silted channel - only remains.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit

Mm List RCAHM 1976 18b,CM

Pm Desc Text Symons M 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli area - Vol.1, 16th century to 1829 pp.274-9

### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 45252 **NAME** BYNEA LEAD WORKS  
**TYPE** Factory **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5618399723 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### SUMMARY

Identified from information recieved from the Bynea Grup

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 4657 **NAME** CARNARFON COLLIERY;BACCAS COLLIERY

**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54859842 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

## SUMMARY

In 1794, a lease for minig coal was issued to the Rev. David Hughes, Ffosfach and Joseph Jones of Bryn Carnarvon, by one John Vaughan. They sank the Baccas colliery and also constructed a tidal canal eastwards to Pill y Cefen soon afterwards. Hughes and Jones failed to develop the colliery due to geological problems. The workings were later known as Carnarvon Colliery and several other attempts at mining here also failed, the last as late as 1927. The colliery stack could still be seen in 1979, but it is not known if it survives today. The old canal is silted up but can still be traced in the field.

## DESCRIPTION

1775 site destroyed apart from a rick stack. Spoil heap partially overgrown.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library

Mm List RCAHM 1976 13d,CM

Pm Desc Text Symons M 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli area - Vol.1,  
16th century to 1829 pp.91-2

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 4659 **NAME** TECHON FACH COLLIERY

**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS54219899 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

A colliery shown on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map.

### **DESCRIPTION**

No visible remains other than small spoil heap.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1976 13d,CM

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 4661 **NAME** GENWEN COLLIERY  
**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54569958 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

### **SUMMARY**

The Genwen Colliery was first developed by Chauncey Townsend in 1766, who also had the first engine house built here. the present engine house was built as a replacement by George Warde in 1806. The mine was not worked between the mid-1820s and 1837, when the Llanelli Copperworks restarted mining. It closed again in 1867, but reopened in 1898. In 1907 an explosion ignited the coal seam and the workings had to be abandoned in 1908.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1976 13d,CM  
Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1979 DRF GP  
Pm Desc Text Symmons,MV 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli Area Vol.1 16th Century to 1829.



## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 4669 **NAME** YSPITTY CANAL  
**TYPE** Canal **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55709815 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

### DESCRIPTION

18th C - 1/2 mile long. From Lougher railway bridge - Bynea Industrial Estate. Coal canal.

**SOURCES** Pm Mention Hadfield,C 1960 Canals of S.Wales & Border  
p.31-2  
Mm List OS 1979 SS59 NE36  
Mm List RCAHM 1976 18c,CM  
Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1982 DRF GP

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 4671 **NAME** BYNEA BRICKWORKS  
**TYPE** Brickworks **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55249905 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

This was a 19th century brickworks, which produced silica bricks from gritstone quarried near Llandybie and brought here by rail. The brickworks is shown on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map and was situated alongside the tramway that connected the Ysbytty Tinplate Works with the main railway line.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Pm Mention 1914-15 TCASFC Vol.10,p.29  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library  
Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1971 Field notes  
Mm List RCAHM 1976 16e,CM

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 4672 **NAME** PENCOED PIT  
**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55209996 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

**SUMMARY**

A late 19th century colliery site. Shown as a working colliery on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map, linked to the main railway line by a tramway.

**DESCRIPTION**

19th C. 20' deep tramway cutting only feature left. Extends 30yds to w. of site then disappears.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1976 CR 4674, tramway cutting, only surviving feature  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1976 13d,CM

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 4674 **NAME** PENCOED PIT  
**TYPE** Tramway **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55209996 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

The course of the former tramway to the old Pencoed Pit colliery, which is shown as a working tramway on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map.

## **DESCRIPTION**

20' deep tramway cutting only surviving feature. General warde owned + worked mine 1800-1810. Cont'd to 1850

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1976 CR Only surviving feature of pit 4672  
Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

Mm List RCAHM 1976 18d,CM

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 6753 **NAME** PENLLWYNGWYN

**TYPE** Dwelling **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN54960097 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## **SUMMARY**

The first recorded owner of this house was Morris ap Owen, a son of Owen David, parson of Bishopston, in the late 16th century. In the 17th century, the Vaughans of Torcoed owned Penllwyngwyn. It had passed to the Vaughans of Derwydd in the 18th century, and then to the Vaughans of Golden Grove by 1782. It was shown as an occupied dwelling on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map, but recorded as a ruin in the 1980s. Present condition unknown.

## **DESCRIPTION**

Ruins - circular stone stair at central chimney.

**SOURCES** Mh Desc Text Cawdor Golden Grove Books I,Glam

Mh Mention Dale Castle Pedigree Book p.52

Mh Desc Text Cawdor Golden Grove Books,III,Caradog Freichfras

Pm List 1910-11 West Wales Historical Records Vol.I,p.95-6

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR  
Library

Pm Desc Text Jones,F 1987 Historic Carmarthenshire Homes p.151

Mm List RCAHM 1976 10c,CM

Pm Desc Text TCASFC 1924-1925 Vol.18,p.31

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 7276 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY ST DAVID'S CHURCH

**TYPE** Church **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53929971 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Mid 19th century church, built on a new site to replace the nearby medieval Capel Dewi PRN 2702 (Lewis 1833). NDL 2003 A late 19th century Anglican church. It does not appear on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map, surveyed in 1875-8, but its baptismal records extend back to 1882, which must be close to its year of construction.

### DESCRIPTION

St.Davids church. Replaced earlier chapel (chapel Dewi 2072). Originally had graveyard, which was demolished/built over when the road was widened and housing built nearby. Lychgate. Spire. Stone built with square quoins. Arched windows. Bellcote. Tiled roof. Graveyard built over. AM 1986

**SOURCES** Pm List 1984 St David's Diocesan Yearbook

Mm List DAT 1985 SRF

Mm GP DAT 1985 SMR 57-5

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Ph Mention Lewis,S 1833 A Topographical Dictionary of Wales

Mm Desc Text Ludlow,ND 2002 Cadw Early Medieval Ecclesiastical Sites Project, Carmarthenshire, Part 1

Mm List RCAHM 1976 8c,CM

### OTHER SOURCES

File Many 2001 Garden of Remembrance at Capel Dewi, Llwynhendy Documents Many 2001 Llwynhendy Church Hall & Capel Dewi ruins

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**PRN** 8424 **NAME** BYNEA COLLIERY

**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS5558998964 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

## **SUMMARY**

A 19th century colliery shown as a disused mine on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map (surveyed 1875-8). A chemical works was built over the site in the mid-20th century and it is unlikely that any surface features survive.

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1978 DRF  
Mm List RCAHM 1978 13d,CM

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8426 **NAME** BRYN CARNARFON  
**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54699830 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded*  
**EVIDENCE** Structure

## **SUMMARY**

Old coal workings which may have been part of the 19th century Baccas Colliery, later known as the Carnarvon Colliery.

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1978 DRF  
Mm List RCAHM 1978 13d,CM

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8430 **NAME** BRYN COLLIERY;ROBERTS PIT  
**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SN5408800671 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

### **SUMMARY**

Martin John Roberts opened the Bryn Colliery in 1820 as a three pit complex that was called the "Bryn Pit" or, later, the "Roberts Pit." There were earlier workings at the site but there is no known record of their history. The 1891 Ordnance Survey map does not show any workings here, so the Roberts colliery had clearly been long forgotten. The 1921 Ordnance Survey map however, shows a Bryn Colliery a short distance to the south-east, alongside the school at Bryn. The relationship between the Roberts colliery and this later Bryn Colliery is not established.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall, J & Sambrook, P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library area - Vol.1, 16th century to 1829 p.163  
Pm Map OS 1921 6" Carm LVIII NE  
Mm List RCAHM 1978 DRF  
Pm Desc Text Symons M 1979 Coal Mining in the Llanelli

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8447 **NAME** LOUGHOR RAILWAY BRIDGE  
**TYPE** Railway Bridge **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS5602798021 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *listed building 20547*  
**EVIDENCE** *II* Building

### **SUMMARY**

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List RCAHM 1978 DRF  
**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8767 **NAME** FFOSFACH PIT  
**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS55839932 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

### **SUMMARY**

Coal was mined in this area as early as 1618. The Ffosfach Pit was started by Thomas Bowen between 1748 and 1752. By 1772, the pits had become flooded. There is now little surface evidence, but mineshaft PRN42313 may be part of Bowen's colliery complex.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1979 13d,CM  
Mm Mention RCAHM 1979 DRF

### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8769 **NAME** YSPYTTY TINPLATE WORKS;ST DAVID'S TINPLATE WORKS  
**TYPE** Tinplate Works **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS56109830 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

### **SUMMARY**

The site of a 19th century tinplate works, which opened in 1869 and was still operational on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map. It was replaced in the 20th century by a factory. The tinplate works is presumed to have been destroyed.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage

Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1978 15e,CM  
Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1978 DRF

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8771 **NAME** SPITTY FERRY  
**TYPE** Ferry Crossing **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS56289808 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List RCAHM 1978 18b,CM  
Mm GP RCAHM 1978 DRF

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8813 **NAME** TIR MORFA MAWR  
**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS53509818 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

**SUMMARY**

A small colliery shown as a disused working on the 1921 Ordnance Survey map. It is not shown on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map, however. This is evidently a late 19th - early 20th century mine.

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Pm Map OS 1921 Carmarthenshire Sheet LVIII.SE



Mm List RCAHM 1979 13d,CM

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8815 **NAME** LLWYNHENDY

**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS53909942 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

## **SUMMARY**

A small colliery of uncertain date. There is no clear map evidence for the complex, but a tramway passing immediately to the east on the 1921 Ordnance Survey map may be of relevance. This tramway is not shown on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map, so the colliery may have operated for a short time only between the 1890s and 1920.

## **DESCRIPTION**

1750

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall, J & Sambrook, P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Mm List RCAHM 1979 13d,CM

## **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8819 **NAME** TADMORE PIT

**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS5547099502 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Not known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

## **SUMMARY**

A small colliery which is not shown on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map, but is shown on the 1921 map. This map names the mine as "Ffos Fach Colliery" but it should not be confused with the earlier Ffos Fach pit (PRN 8767) that worked a short distance to the south-east in the 18th century.

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1979 13d,CM

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8926 **NAME** MORLAIS TINPLATE WORKS  
**TYPE** Tinplate Works **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SN56100060 **COMMUNITY** Llangennech  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None*  
*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

**SUMMARY**

A 19th century tinplate works that was opened in 1873. It is shown as being operational on the 1891 Ordnance Survey map. Date of closure unknown.

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage  
Audit SMR Library  
Mm List RCAHM 1979 15e,CM  
Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1979 DRF

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 8937 **NAME** GLYNEA COLLIERY  
**TYPE** Coal Mine **PERIOD** Post Medieval  
**NGR** SS54829913 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural  
**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *scheduled ancient monument*  
*CM262* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A colliery dating from c.1860. Part of a Cornish engine house, horizontal winding engine house, fan house and heapstead remain. Cadw 1994.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text Bick,DE 1989 The Beam-Engine house in Wales Industrial Archaeology Review, Vol XII, No.1, p.87, 9

Pm Desc Text CADW 1994 Notification of scheduling SAM file, Cm 262

Mm Desc Text Cadw 1999 AM107 SAM file,CM262(CAM)

Mm Desc Text Hall,J & Sambrook,P 2003 Bynea Heritage Audit SMR Library

Pm Desc Text Hughes,G 1984 A Llanelli Chronicle p.277, 317

Mm Desc Text Murphy,K 2000 Glynea Colliery, Bynea, Llanelli archaeological desk based assessment SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1915 25" Carm LVIII.12

Pm Map OS 1916 25" Carm LVIII.8

Mm List RCAHM 1976 13d,CM

Mm GP RCAHM 1979 DRF

## OTHER SOURCES

Report Murphy,K 2000 Glynea Colliery, Bynea, Llanelli archaeological desk based assessment

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**PRN** 99494 **NAME** GLASPANT

**TYPE** Building **PERIOD** Post Medieval

**NGR** SS537990 **COMMUNITY** Llanelli Rural

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None*

*recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

## SUMMARY

A range of buildings named 'Glas pant' is shown at this location on the 1:10,000 1973 Ordnance Survey map. The buildings must have been destroyed prior to, or at the time of, construction of the A484 bypass c.1992. MRP 2010.

## DESCRIPTION

## SOURCES

## OTHER SOURCES

Map Ordnance Survey 1973 Sheet SS 59 NW 1:10,000

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