

### Greenfield, Llanblethian

- 1834 Lease for 99 years to John Williams, mason, at 2s 6d per annum *Bute deeds*
- 1840 John Williams, house and garden *Tithe 305*
- 1840-42 Occupier Thomas Morris *John Richards, 'Cowbridge Story'*
- 1842 Death of John Williams, leaving Greenfield to his eldest son (also John Williams), and then his children. *Deeds (Glebe deeds)*
- 1849-51 Lloyd Esq. of Greenfield House *Hunt & Co*
- 1851 John Williams, proprietor of houses, with his daughter (E. Gwyn) and three grandchildren (2 Evans, 1 Gwyn) *Census 47*
- 1852 Thomas Cummins occupied; Thomas Lloyd owned (Mill Rd)- Llanblethian Rates – or John Lewis occupied; Mrs Williams owned (house by Waterloo) *R 13 2/5*
- 1856, 21<sup>st</sup> March Death of Mrs Ann Williams, Greenfield Cottage, aged 84 *Cambrian newspaper*
- 1857 Inquest at Greenfield Inn, in the village of Llanblethian, on Anne Morgan, 18, who committed suicide. *Bridgend Chronicle*
- 1858, 14<sup>th</sup> August To let – Greenfield Cottage, Llanblethian. Five rooms upstairs, parlour, kitchen, back kitchen and pantry, with convenient stable and coach house attached. Large garden adjoining, well stocked with fruit trees and a stream of water running close to it. Apply to Mrs Catherine Evans upon the premises *Glamorgan Gazette*
- 1861 Daniel Ithiel Edwards, surgeon and GP, born Middlesex, with his wife, four children and a servant (Helen Collier of Llanblethian) *Census 55*
- 1870 Baptism of Ernest Ivor Thomas, son of William Thomas, bank accountant, and Jane, Greenfield House *Llanblethian church records*
- 1871 Unoccupied *Census 66*
- 1873, 29<sup>th</sup> April Thomas Williams and Mrs Jones (wife of George Jones) claimed Greenfields, Llanblethian.  
Under the will of his late grandfather, the property was devised to his father, who had gone to Australia twenty years ago. Thomas and Mrs Jones had not heard from him (their father) for the last 15 years. Mrs Richards, who received rent, held power of attorney from him (the father). *Journal, T Rees, solicitor, Cowbridge*

- 1874 John Williams owned, Mr Lloyd occupied *Glamorgan Rate Book, page 61*
- 1875 Lloyd Esq. *Worrall's Directory*
- 1879 Lady's companion wanted at Greenfield Cottage *Western Mail*
- 1880 Mrs Elizabeth Lloyd, gentry *Slater's Directory*
- 1884 Mrs Lloyd, private resident *Kelly's Directory*
- 1888 Conveyance – Marquis of Bute to Thomas Williams and Ann Jones, the only children of John Williams junior : part of Greenfield (99 yr lease from 1/5/1834)  
*Deeds*
- 1888 Rest of Greenfield vested in John Williams and Ann Jones as tenants in common  
*Deeds*
- 1891 Elizabeth Lloyd, 52, living there (on her own means) with her daughter and son-in-law *Census 13*
- 1895 'Greenfield is occupied by a stately widow, Mrs Lloyd. She had one daughter, Mrs Morgan, who lived at Cowbridge.' *Robert Thomas's 'Llanblethian Boyhood' 1895*
- 1896 Elizabeth Lloyd *Electoral roll*
- 1910 Ann Jones, occupier; T Williams - house and garden, Greenfield  
*D/D VAL/1/46*
- 1926 Ann Jones (then of Glebe) left all to niece Mabel E Warren *Deeds*
- 1933 Obituary of the late Mr David Williams of Greenfield, formerly of the Elms Dairy, Penarth – leaving a widow, a brother (Mr John Williams) and sister (Miss Ellen Williams of Llandough). *Western Mail*
- 1934 Conveyance – D J Williams of Factory Rd to Mabel E Warren : half share in Greenfield *Deeds*
- 1942 Death of Charlotte Ann Williams of the Greenfield (her husband David had died in 1932) *Church records*
- 1942 The Warrens moved there (from Glebe Cottage) *WAH Fisher, Vol 43, page 34*
- 1943 Occupier, Mabel Edith Warren, widow of Edward Warren, constable, Air Ministry *Deeds*

1946 Grandson Jim Warren born at Greenfield

Mid 1940s The bridge over the Thaw was re-built by Italian prisoners of war.

Jim Warren's father kept pieces of its concrete in the garden at Greenfield

*Jim's memories*

Warren family sold to a Major Gay June 1949

*Jim Warren*

Mr and Mrs Francis and family occupied (he was a rep. for Yardleys)

*Memories of evacuee June Faulkner*

1950-51 Revd Ewart OT Lewis

*WAH Fisher, Vol 43, p 34*

1960s Extension built

January 2009 Prosecution of owner for neglect of property

2013 After years of dereliction, reconstruction beginning.

***Sources/references :***

*GRO = Glamorgan Record Office*

*WAH Fisher = notes in Cardiff central library*

*D/D = deeds in GRO*

*Directories, tithe accounts = in GRO*