

JONES, THOMAS (1871 - 1938), schoolmaster and antiquary

Name: Thomas Jones
Date of birth: 1871
Date of death: 1938
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Occupation: schoolmaster and antiquary
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Born 10 October 1871 at Pontrhydfendigaid, Cardiganshire. Educated at University College, Cardiff, he became headmaster of a school at Tre-alaw in the Rhondda Valley, Glamorganshire. Here he interested himself in local history, particularly in place-name study and folk-lore; he wrote (in *Y Brython*) a series of articles on the folk-lore of Glamorgan. Among his contributions to the *Bulletin of the University (of Wales) Board of Celtic Studies* are: 'A bibliography of monographs on the place-names of Wales' (v, 249-64, vi, 171-8), 'A bibliography of the dialects of Wales' (vi, 323-44, vii, 134-6). He also compiled a 'Glossary of the dialects of Glamorgan.' He died 21 January 1938.

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