

LLAWDDEN or IEUAN LLAWDDEN (fl. 1450), a cywyddwr who wrote during the years 1450 to 1480

Name: Llawdden
Gender: Male
Occupation: cywyddwr
Area of activity: Poetry
Author: Mary Gwendoline Ellis

His *cywydd* to Ieuan Gwyn ap Gwilym Fwyaf shows that he was a native of Loughor, but he was known as 'Llawdden of Machynlleth.' Most of his poems were written to the families of [Thomas ap Rosier](#) of Hergest, and Phylip ap Rhys and Maredudd Fychan of Maelienydd. In the Carmarthen Eisteddfod of 1451 he is known to have accused [Gruffudd ap Nicolas](#) of being bribed to give the chair to [Dafydd ab Edmwnd](#). His works are to be found in the MSS. of the 16th and 17th century. His burial place is traditionally believed to be Llanuwchllyn.

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Sources

'Barddoniaeth Llawdden a Rhys Nannor,' M.A. thesis by Mary Headley, 1938, in N.L.W.

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