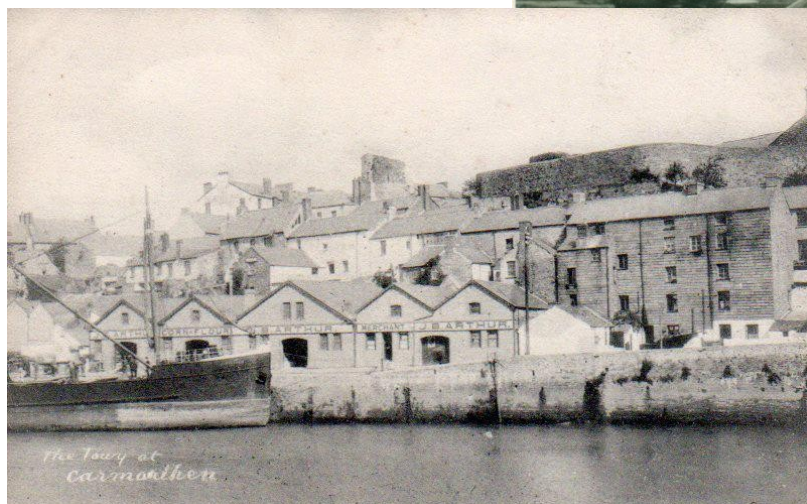


# THE 'DWR' FAMILY

## Old Wil Y Dwr

**William Thomas** was a Water Inspector for the Water Board giving him the nickname '**Will Y Dwr**'.



Records show that Will lived at No 4 The Quay, when he renewed his coracle fishing licence in 1883/84.

Traditionally coracle fishing was handed down the family and the Dwrs were no exception. Three of Will's sons joined their father on the river in the D1 and D2 coracles.

Wil's eldest boy Dai Y Dwr was to become a master fisherman like his father and Steve Y Dwr and Wil Y Dwr joined their father and brother in search of Towy Sewin (sea trout) and Salmon on the River Towy.



Alan Dwr fishing with his grandfather