



Date	Llanblethian deeds nr Glebe, Llanblethian House, Church Hill	Source
	<p>Tilla Bach is the name traditionally given to the lane now called Causeway, leading from Church Hill to <i>Causeway Cottages</i>. The land to the north of the lane - now occupied by relatively modern houses known as <i>Erw Mr Carne</i> and <i>Tri Chwarter Broynog</i>, and the history of ownership and occupancy of these fields is well documented. To the south of the road, the land sloping down to Factory brook was mainly glebe, the property of the church. The old thatched houses along Tilla Bach are grouped at the Church Hill end: <i>Bute Cottage</i>, <i>Vine Cottage</i>, <i>Tadu Cottage</i>, <i>Glebe</i>, with <i>Duffryn</i> on its own at the west.</p> <p>At the end of the lane, <i>Duffryn</i> is a well-proportioned, slate-roofed cottage. It was owned in 1840 by Thomas Bassett and occupied by John Williams; in 1851 Evan Millward, a huntsman born in Pentyrch, lived in the house, with his wife who came from Llantwit Major. All five children, three daughters and two sons, ranging in age from four to twenty-five, were born in Llantwit. Evan Morgan, a millwright, lived here in the 1870s. Elizabeth Llewellyn, the widow who had been evicted from <i>Cottage</i> by the Bute estate in 1880, was in <i>Duffryn</i> in 1881, with just her children. Henry Jones, who had earlier lived in <i>Stallcourt</i> and <i>Breach Farm</i>, owned and occupied the house in 1910.</p>	‘Llanblethian Buildings and People’, CRS 2001
1791, 16 <sup>th</sup> November	<p>Revd. Robert Nicholl of Llantwit Major, clerk and Edward Nicholl of Llanblethian, gent. For £190 – two closes, parcels of land (three and three quarter acres): one close – three quarter acre, with Glebe on the west, high road from the tucking mill to the church on the south, east and north; one close – three acres with the stream leading to tucking mill on the south, lands of late Mr Bruce adjoining on the west and north, and the lands of Robert Nicholl lately purchased of Mr Thomas Lewis on the east. (The premises were conveyed by Thomas Lewis of Llanblethian to Robert Nicholl). <i>Probably belonging to Anne Thomas in 1840 – need to check acreage on tithe map</i></p>	D/D Xgau 31-34 (Nicholl)
1798	Three acre field sold to Revd. William Morgan for £200	D/D Xgau 32
1800	Edward Nicholl to Revd John Morgan – three quarter acre having high road leading from church to bridge on the east, glebe belonging to vicar of Llanblethian on the west, and high road on the north and south	D/D Xgau 33
	<i>Edward Nicholl's wife was Catherine Nicholl</i>	D/D Xgau 34
1840	Thomas Bassett owned; John Webb occupied - garden	Tithe 202
1840	John Williams owned; vacant – house & garden	Tithe 203
1840	Thomas Bassett owned; John Williams occupied – cottage & garden ( <i>Duffryn Cottage</i> )	Tithe 199

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1840	Revd. Thomas Edmondson owned; Anne Thomas occupied - croft	Tithe 186
1840	Anne Thomas owned & occupied – Cae glebe	Tithe 185
1840	James Hiscocks owned & occupied - garden	Tithe 198 & 196
1840	James Hiscocks owned; James Hiscocks occupied – cottage & garden	Tithe 191
1851	Duffryn Cottage - Evan Millward, 55, huntsman b. Pentyrch, with wife Mary 49 b. Llantwit Major, daughters Mary 24, Selina 14, Catherine 4, and sons John 12 & Evan 10, all b. Llantwit Major	Census 18
1851	One house uninhabited (after Bute Cottage) Then – John Webb, 78, a painter from Sully, wife Ann, 58 from Llandough, sons John 32 and William 25 (both painters, b. Llanblethian), and David 22, a butcher, b. Llanblethian; also grandson John Webb, 10, a scholar b. Llanblethian John Jenkins, 28, coachman, b Bonvilston, wife Jane 27, b. Wick, son William 1, and visitor Mary Jenkins 80, formerly housemaid from Flemingston. Then the Glebe	Census 15  Census 16  Census 17
1871	(Duffryn Cottage) – Evan Morgan, millwright, 40, b St Nicholas, wife Mary 35, b. Welsh St Donats, sons Gwilym 8, Thomas 2 and John 1, b. St Georges, Llangan & Llanblethian respectively Tilla Bach - Thomas Morgan, labourer, 63 b. Llanblethian, wife Susan 61 & grandchild Elizabeth 3 Tilla Bach – Daniel Jones, 44, wool weaver & grocer b. Llysworney, wife Mary Frances Jones, 44, dressmaker b. Southsea, & daughters Catherine & Elizabeth, both 11, b Cowbridge Then Bute Cottage	Census 33  Census 31  Census 30
1911	(Duffryn House) Henry Jones, b. Llysworney, with wife Elizabeth and adopted daughter (Elizabeth's niece), Elizabeth Ann Sedgebeer. <i>Henry, a retired farmer of 71, had farmed at The Folly (1871), Stallcourt (1881) and Breach (1891 &amp; 1901)</i>	Census