

GLAMORGAN RECORD OFFICE/ARCHIFDY MORGANNWG

Reference code: GB 0214 WBTF

Title: TAF FECHAN WATER SUPPLY BOARD

Dates : 1890, 1896-1974

Level of description: Fonds

Extent and medium: 0.96 cubic metres

Name of creator(s): Taf Fechan Water Board

Administrative/biographical history

Taf Fechan Water Board was established under the Taf Fechan Water Supply Act 1921 for supplying water in bulk to the constituent local authorities, viz. Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Corporation; Rhymney Valley Water Board (Gelligaer, Caerphilly, Bedwellty, Rhymney, and Bedwas and Machen Urban District Councils); Pontypridd and Rhondda Joint Water Board (Pontypridd and Rhondda Urban District Councils); Llantrisant and Llantwit Fardre Rural District Council Corporation; and Aberdare Urban District Corporation. The board also supplied water in bulk to Barry Municipal Borough and Cardiff County Borough Corporation (confirmed by the Cardiff Corporation Act 1943).

Archival history

Immediate source of acquisition

Taf Fechan Water Board and West Glamorgan Archives Service, Swansea

Scope and content

Statistical data, financial papers, legal papers, minutes and reports, and related records.

Appraisal, destruction and scheduling information

All records which meet the collection policy of the Glamorgan Record Office have been retained.

Accruals

Accruals are not expected

System of arrangement

Conditions governing access

Open access

Conditions governing reproduction

Normal Glamorgan Record Office conditions apply.

Language/scripts of material

English

Physical characteristics and technical requirements

Generally good and poor condition

Finding aids

Detailed list available.

Existence and location of originals

Existence and location of copies

Related units of description

Publication note

Note

Archivist's note

Compiled by Richard Morgan for the Glamorgan Record Office. The list includes records listed in 1971 and unlisted records (WBTF/42, 43, WBTF/47-49). A number of the references used in 1971 have been altered.

Rules or conventions

This description follows Glamorgan Record Office guidelines based on ISAD(G) compatible cataloguing guidelines for fonds level descriptions used by the Archives Network Wales.

Date of description

October 2005

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WBTF/1, 2	Statistical data relating to Taf Fechan Water Supply Board, Rhymney Valley Water Board, and Pontypridd and Rhondda Joint Water Board [1 vol. and 1 booklet containing identical information; good condition]	1931
WBTF/3	Taf Fechan Water Supply Board. Estimates [1 booklet; fair condition]	1931-1932
WBTF/4, 5	Abstracts of accounts 1963-1964 and 1965-1966 [2 booklets; fair condition]	1963-1966
WBTF/6	Taf Fechan Water Supply Board. Report on full development of undertaking 1957 [1 booklet with duplicate; good condition]	1957
WBTF/7	Report on low level supply trunk main capacities 1954 [1 booklet with duplicate; poor condition]	1954
WBTF/8	Further report on development of low level supply system 1960; with plans [1 booklet and 2 loose plans; fair condition]	1960
WBTF/9	Statement of particulars 1965 [1 booklet; fair condition]	1965
WBTF/10-12	Taf Fechan Water Supply Acts 1927, 1938 and 1955 [3 booklets; good condition]	1927, 1936, 1955
WBTF/13, 14	Taf Fechan Provisional Orders Confirmation Acts 1928 and 1930 [2 booklets; good condition]	1928, 1930
WBTF/15, 16	Taf Fechan Water Supply Orders [2 papers; good condition]	1950, 1951
WBTF/17-20	Taf Fechan Water Supply Board commemorative booklets: Inauguration of Taff Fechan reservoir and works by Lord Buckland Opening of extensions to Candy filtration plant at Neuadd reservoir Opening of filtration plant extensions, etc. at Pontsticill Opening of pumping station and ancillary works at Pontsticill [3 booklets with duplicates for WBTF/18; fair condition]	Jul 1927 May 1938 Apr 1955 Sep 1958
WBTF/21	Report by Thomas F. Harvey on existing supply works administered by Taf Fechan Water Supply Board and	Mar 1927

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	on reservoir and works under construction [1 booklet and duplicate; good condition]	
WBTF/22	Brief description of the Taf Fechan Water Supply Board's undertaking by A.C. Quiningborough, Board engineer, on occasion of visit of the Royal Sanitary Institute [1 booklet]	1946
WBTF/23	Historical information and description of the Taf Fechan Water Supply Board's water undertaking by A.C. Quiningborough [1 booklet; good condition]	1962
WBTF/24/1	Taf Fechan Water Board. Superannuation ledger [1 vol.; fair condition]	1935-1939
WBTF/24/2, 3	Taf Fechan Water Board. Ledgers of mortgagees' accounts, water rentals, expenditure journal, sinking fund, etc. [2 vols; good condition]	1943-1948 1949-1954
WBTF/24/4, 5	Taf Fechan Water Board. Ledgers relating to Mid Glamorgan Water Board, local authorities, balance sheet, investment account, etc. [2 vols.; good condition]	1949-1952 1957-1960
WBTF/25/1, 2	Gas and Water Orders Confirmation Acts (including Ystrad) [2 booklets; good condition]	1872, 1883
WBTF/26	Ystrad Gas and Water Works Act [1 booklet; good condition]	1890
WBTF/27	Rhondda Urban District Council Acts of Parliament, statutory rules and orders, etc [1 vol.; good condition]	1896-1905
WBTF/28	Rhondda Urban District Council acts of parliament, statutory rules and orders, etc [1 vol.; good condition]	1910-1939
WBTF/29	Rhondda Water Order [1 booklet; good condition]	1957
WBTF/30/1-3	Pontypridd and Rhondda Joint Water Board minutes [3 vols.; good condition]	1927-1934
WBTF/31/1	Barry Railway Bill. Select Committee on Railway Bills. record of appearances	Apr-Jun 1907

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	[1 vol.; fair condition]	
WBTF/31/2	Same [1 vol.; fair condition]	Jul 1907
WBTF/32	Pontypridd Urban District Council. Minutes of proceedings before the Select Committee on private bills [1 vol.; good condition]	Mar 1929
WBTF/33/1	Caerphilly Urban District Council. Provisional Order (Electrical Light). Minutes of Board of Trade enquiry [1 vol.; fair condition]	1904
WBTF/33/2	Caerphilly Urban District Council. Evidence in Attorney-General and others v. The Rhymney and Aber Valleys Gas and Water Co., in Chancery [1 vol.; fair condition]	Jul 1907
WBTF/34/1	Rhymney Valley Water Board Bill. Minutes of proceedings before select committee of the House of Lords [1 vol.; good condition]	1911
WBTF/34/2	Rhymney Valley Water Act [1 vol.]	1921
WBTF/35	Rhymney Valley Water Board. Consolidated loans fund scheme [1 vol.; good condition]	1931
WBTF/36	Llantrisant and Llantwit Fardre Rural District Council Act [1 booklet; good condition]	1928
WBTF/37	Llantrisant and Llantwit Fardre (Water Charges) Order [1 paper; good condition]	1956
WBTF/38	Merthyr Tydfil Corporation Water Act [1 booklet; good condition]	1911
WBTF/39	Merthyr Tydfil Corporation Act [1 booklet; good condition]	1920
WBTF/40	Provisional Order Confirmation (Merthyr Tydfil Water Charges) Act [1 paper; good condition]	1929
WBTF/41	County Borough of Merthyr Tydfil minutes [1 vol.; fair condition]	1910-1911

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WBTF/42/1	Minutes and reports	1922-1923
WBTF/42/2	Minutes and reports	1923-1924
WBTF/42/3	Minutes and reports	1924-1925
WBTF/42/4	Minutes and reports	1925-1926
WBTF/42/5	Minutes	1926-1929
WBTF/42/6	Minutes and reports	1927-1929
WBTF/42/7	Minutes and reports	1928-1929
WBTF/42/8/1	Minutes and reports	1929-1930
WBTF/42/8/2	Minutes and reports (copy of WBTF/942/8/1)	1929-1930
WBTF/42/9	Minutes and reports	1930-1931
WBTF/42/10	Minutes and reports [10 vols; fair copies]	1931-1932
WBTF/42/11	Minutes and reports	1932-1934
WBTF/42/12	Minutes and reports	1934-1935
WBTF/42/13	Minutes and reports	1935-1936
WBTF/42/14/1	Minutes and reports	1935-1936
WBTF/42/14/2	Minutes and reports (copy of WBTF/42/14/1)	1935-1936
WBTF/42/15	Minutes and reports	1936-1937
WBTF/42/16	Minutes and reports	1937-1938
WBTF/42/17	Minutes and reports	1938-1939
WBTF/42/18	Minutes and reports	1939-1940
WBTF/42/19	Minutes and reports	1940-1941
WBTF/42/20	Minutes and reports [10 vols; fair copies]	1941-1942
WBTF/42/21	Minutes and reports	1942-1943
WBTF/42/22	Minutes and reports	1943-1944
WBTF/42/23	Minutes and reports	1944-1945
WBTF/42/24	Minutes and reports	1945-1946
WBTF/42/25	Minutes and reports	1946-1947
WBTF/42/26	Minutes and reports	1947-1948
WBTF/42/27	Minutes and reports	1948-1949
WBTF/42/28	Minutes and reports	1949-1950
WBTF/42/29	Minutes and reports	1950-1951
WBTF/42/30	Minutes and reports [10 vols; fair copies]	1951-1952
WBTF/42/31	Minutes and reports	1952-1953
WBTF/42/32	Minutes and reports	1953-1954
WBTF/42/33	Minutes and reports	1954-1955
WBTF/42/34	Minutes and reports	1955-1956
WBTF/42/35	Minutes and reports	1956-1957
WBTF/42/36	Minutes and reports	1957-1958
WBTF/42/37	Minutes and reports	1958-1959
WBTF/42/38	Minutes and reports	1959-1960
WBTF/42/39	Minutes and reports	1960-1961

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WBTF/42/40	Minutes and reports [10 vols; fair copies]	1961-1962
WBTF/42/41	Minutes and reports	1962-1963
WBTF/42/42	Minutes and reports	1963-1964
WBTF/42/43	Minutes and reports	1964-1965
WBTF/42/44	Minutes and reports [4 vols.; fair copies.]	1965-1966
WBTF/43	Minutes of evidence given before the select committee on Merthyr Tydfil Corporation Bill [1 vol.; fair condition]	22 Apr 1920
WBTF/44	South Wales and Monmouthshire Necessitous Areas Committee. Report to the committee on government proposals for reform in local government, etc. [1 vol.; fair condition]	1928
WBTF/45/1	Special Areas (Development and Improvement) Act, 1934. Copies of the act, bills, parliamentary debates, Commissioners' 'Reports of Investigations' [1 vol.; good condition]	1934
WBTF/45/2	Special Areas. Reports of the Commissioner for the Special Areas: England and Wales; reports of Committee for Scotland, and parliamentary debates [1 vol.; good condition]	1935-1936
WBTF/45/3	Special Areas. Reports of the Commissioner for the Special Areas: England and Wales; reports of Committee for Scotland, and parliamentary debates [1 vol.; good condition]	1936-1937
WBTF/46	Full account of London's Water Supply and the Metropolitan Water Board (supplement of the 'Morning Post' [1 newspaper; poor condition]	9 Dec 1935
WBTF/47	Transcript of notes of proceedings in Chancery in Attorney General and Others v. The Rhymney and Aber Valleys Gas and Water Company [1 vol.; printed; fair condition]	Jul 1907
WBTF/48	Taf Fechan Water Supply Board. Reports, minutes and principal papers regarding Merthyr Corporation claim for transfer of Taf Fechan Water Supply undertaking [1 vol; good condition]	1930-1933

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WBTF/49	Taf Fechan Water Supply (Compulsory Purchase) Order 1933. Orders, advertisements, evidence for public inquiry, maps, etc. [1 vol.; good condition]	1930-1939
WBTF/50/1	Minutes (signed)	Nov 1921-Apr 1923
WBTF/50/2	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1923-Apr 1924
WBTF/50/3	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1924-Apr 1925
WBTF/50/4	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1925-Apr 1926
WBTF/50/5	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1926-Apr 1927
WBTF/50/6	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1927-Apr 1928
WBTF/50/7	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1928-Apr 1929
WBTF/50/8	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1929-Apr 1930
WBTF/50/9	Minutes (signed)	Spr 1930-Apr 1931
WBTF/50/10	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1931-Apr 1932
WBTF/50/11	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1932-Apr 1933
WBTF/50/12	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1933-Apr 1934
WBTF/50/13	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1934-Apr 1935
WBTF/50/14	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1935-Apr 1936
WBTF/50/15	Minutes (signed)	Apr 1936-Apr 1937
WBTF/50/16	Minutes (signed)	May 1937-May 1938
WBTF/50/17	Minutes (signed)	May 1938-May 1939
WBTF/50/18	Minutes (signed)	May 1939-May 1940
WBTF/50/19	Minutes (signed)	May 1940-May 1941
WBTF/50/20	Minutes (signed)	May 1941-Apr 1942
WBTF/50/21	Minutes (signed)	May 1942-Apr 1943
WBTF/50/22	Minutes (signed)	May 1943-Apr 1944
WBTF/50/23	Minutes (signed)	May 1944-Apr 1945
WBTF/50/24	Minutes (signed)	May 1945-Apr 1946
WBTF/50/25	Minutes (signed)	May 1946-Apr 1947
WBTF/50/26	Minutes (signed)	May 1947-Apr 1948
WBTF/50/27	Minutes (signed)	May 1948-Apr 1949
WBTF/50/28	Minutes (signed)	May 1949-Jun 1950
WBTF/50/29	Minutes (signed)	Jul 1950-Jun 1951
WBTF/50/30	Minutes (signed)	Jul 1951-May 1952
WBTF/50/31	Minutes (signed)	Jun 1952-Jun 1953
WBTF/50/32	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/33	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/34	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/35	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/36	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/37	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/38	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/39	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/40	Minutes (signed)	Jul 1961-Jun 1962
WBTF/50/41	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/42	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/43	Minutes (signed)	
WBTF/50/44	Minutes (signed)	

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WBTF/50/45	Minutes (signed) ('15' on spine) [45 vols.; fair condition]	Jun 1966-Jun 1967
WBTF/51/1	Board meetings. Minutes and financial estimates	May 1947-Jun 1951
WBTF/51/2	missing	(1951-1955)
WBTF/51/3	Board meetings. Minutes and financial estimates	Jun 1955-Jun 1959
WBTF/51/4	Board meetings. Minutes and financial estimates [3 vols.; fair condition]	Jul 1959-Jun 1963
WBTF/52/1	Board and committee minutes (signed)	Oct 1965-Jun 1967
WBTF/52/2	missing	(1967-1968)
WBTF/52/3	Board and committee minutes (signed)	Jun 1968-Jun 1969
WBTF/52/4	Board and committee minutes (signed)	Jun 1969-Jun 1970
WBTF/52/5	Board and committee minutes (signed)	Jun 1970-May 1971
WBTF/52/6	Board and committee minutes (not signed, index)	Jun 1970-May 1971
WBTF/52/7	Board and committee minutes (signed)	Jun 1971-May 1972
WBTF/52/8	Board and committee minutes (signed)	Jun 1972-May 1973
WBTF/52/9	Board and committee minutes (signed) [8 vols.; fair condition]	Jun 1973-Mar 1974
WBTF/53	Local government Act 1933, with proceedings and minutes of evidence, second interim report and draft bill; with loose enclosed copy of Taf Fechan Water Supply Act 1955 [1 vol., 1 paper; fair condition]	1933, 1955
WBTF/54	Public Health Act 1936, with proceedings of minutes of evidence, second interim report and draft bill; with loose enclosed tables of correspondence [1 vol, 1 booklet; good condition]	1936, 1937
WBTF/55/1	British Waterworks Association. Proceedings XLII	1960
WBTF/55/2	British Waterworks Association. Proceedings XLIV	1962
WBTF/55/3	British Waterworks Association. Proceedings XLVI	1964
WBTF/55/4	British Waterworks Association. Proceedings . XLVII [4 vols.; good condition]	1965
WBTF/56	Register of documents [1 vol.; poor condition]	1899-1976
WBTF/57	Taf Fechan and allied water acts [1 vol.; poor condition]	1852-1933
WBTF/58	Merthyr Tydfil Corporation Water Bill, 1911. Minutes of proceedings. House of Commons committee (see also WBTF/38) [1 vol.; fair condition]	1911

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WBTF/59	Taf Fechan water supply acts, with report 1920, and loose papers [1 vol., loose papers; poor condition]	1911-1937
WBTF/60	Bills of approximate quantities incorporating bills of omissions and reductions. Proposed central offices and water works depot at Pentwyn Road, Nelson [1 vol.; good condition]	Aug 1968