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# CARNES, EDWARD (1772? - 1828), bookseller and printer at Holywell, Flintshire

Name: Edward Carnes Date of birth: 1772? Date of death: 1828 Gender: Male Occupation: bookseller and printer Area of activity: Business and Industry; Literature and Writing; Printing and Publishing Author: William Llewelyn Davies

It is possible that he started printing in June 1796; he may have been a bookseller before that. One of the best examples of his work is his edition, 1823, of David Jones, Blodeu-Gerdd Cymry. His printing office was in Whitford Street in 1828; William Carnes, who was a bookbinder in Well Street at the same time, may have been his brother. Edward Carnes died 25 May 1828, of typhus fever, aged 58.

## Author

Sir William Llewelyn Davies, (1887 - 1952)

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