

MILLS, EDWARD (1802 - 1865), popularizer of astronomy

Name: Edward Mills
Date of birth: 1802
Date of death: 1865
Parent: Mary Mills
Parent: Edward Mills
Gender: Male
Occupation: popularizer of astronomy
Area of activity: Education; Literature and Writing; Science and Mathematics; Space and Aviation
Author: Robert Thomas Jenkins

Born in 1802, son of Edward and Mary Mills of Llanidloes, Montgomeryshire, and grandson of **Henry Mills**. He constructed an orrery and travelled all over Wales with it, lecturing on astronomy. In 1850 he published *Y Darluniadur Anianyddol*, a book on astronomy and geography, illustrated with woodcuts made by himself and his son. He died at Denbigh in 1865.

Author

Emeritus Professor Robert Thomas Jenkins, (1881 - 1969)

Sources

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