

# PIERCE, JOHN (1889 - 1955), author, minister (Presb.) and schoolteacher -

Name: John Pierce Date of birth: 1889 Date of death: 1955 Gender: Male Occupation: author, minister (Presb.) and schoolteacher Area of activity: Education; Literature and Writing; Religion Author: Bedwyr Lewis Jones

Born in Llandegfan, Anglesey, 10 August 1889. He was educated at Beaumaris grammar school; University College, Bangor, where he graduated B.A. in 1915; and Bala College. He was ordained in 1918 and called to the pastorate of Adwy'r Clawdd, but departed in 1921 when he was appointed Welsh master at Llangefni grammar school. He died 19 January 1955. He was author of several children's adventure books : *Tri mewn trybini* (1937), *Dan lenni'r nos* (1938), *Blacmel* (1946), '*Yr Ysbiwr*' in *Storïau ias a chyffro* (1951).

### **Author**

Bedwyr Lewis Jones, (1933 - 1992)

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