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Welsh Revival

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## **Box 11\_40 (Welsh Revival [Mrs. Sarah Jones],1906)**

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## EXTRAORDINARY "REVIVAL" SCENES.

The Central News Cardiff correspondent reports that Mrs. Sarah Jones, the "wonderful woman of Carmel," South Wales, was the central figure in amazing revival scenes last night. Mrs. Jones threw herself on a table, and, appearing in great agony, screamed "I love thee!" while men and women were gesticulating, shouting, praying, and laughing. Mingled with the harmony of a hymn were shouts, wild and ear-piercing shrieks, and the thumping of tables and chairs.

After Mrs. Jones had collapsed in tears, a young man fell into the arms of others in an unconscious state. Then Mrs. Jones declared she had had given to her, on her hands, the names of three men who the world thought were followers of Christ, but they were not. A man fell into the woman's arms, shouting prayers and strongly wrestling with those about him. The meeting was next seized with an uncontrollable burst of hysterical laughter. More wrestling followed, the wrestlers having to be forcibly restrained.