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Will of Henry Evan of Maesygarneidd in the Parish of Llanbedr, Yeoman, written 28 Oct 1734, proved 20 May 1735.

God's Will be done. October 28th, 1734.

I Henry Evan of Maesygarneidd in the Parish of Llanbeder in the County of Merioneth Yeoman being sick & weak in Body but of Sound & Perfect memory, do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament. First of all I recommend my Soul to the hands of God who gave it & my Body to the Earth to be decently buried at the Discretion of my Executor. And as touching such worldly Estate as it has pleased God to bless me with, I give, demise, dispose of the same as follows.

Imprimis. I give and bequeath to **my Granddaughter Anne Jones** the Sum of Ten Pounds.

Item. I give & bequeath to **my Granddaughter Mary William** the Sum of Ten Pounds.

Item. I give and bequeath to **my Grandson W^m Williams** the Sum of Two Pounds.

Item. I give & bequeath to **my Grand Daughter Lowry William** 2 Pounds of Wool for 3 years after my Decease toward her C---?--- to be paid her by my Executor.

Item. I give & bequeath to **my Grandson Evan William** Two Pounds.

Item. I give & bequeath to **my Grandson Edward William** Two Pounds.

Item. I give & bequeath to **my Grand grand Daughter Elizabeth W^m**. the Sum of Five Pounds.

Item. I give & bequeath to **my Grandson Rob^t. John** of ---?--- two shillings & six pence.

I also will, if it please God that one two or more of the Brothers should be unmarried, that the Survivors of them that equally partake of what I bequeathed them.

Item. I give & bequeath to **Margaret Jones my Grand Daughter the Wife of W^m. Bevan** all my household Goods excepting a Bed with all its Furniture which I give my Executor.

I likewise constitute & appoint **Henry William my Grand Son** Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament. All my Goods, Cattle, Chattels (all Legacies being by him first payed or satisfied to be paid) then by him to be freely possessed and enjoyed.

And I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannull all & every other former Testaments, Wills, Legacies and Bequests by me in any ways before named will'd

and Bequeathed, Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the Day and the Year above written.

Signed sealed published & declared by the said Henry Evan as his last Will and Testament ... in the Presence of us the Subscribers.

William Wynn, Cler.

Lowry Wynne

Jane Owen of Dolgelle.

[Henry Evan was buried in Llanbedr 28 Apr 1735.]

Note that:

1) A Henry EVAN was christened in Llanbedr on 1 Mar 1653/4, son of Evan WILLIAM and Sarah WILLIAM (*Henricus filius Evani WILLIAM ex uxore sua Sara vch WILLIAM*).

2) Sarah WILLIAM the wife of Evan WILLIAM was buried in Llanbedr on 26 Aug 1668 (*Sara WILLIAM uxor Evani ap William PRICHARD*).

3) Evan WILLIAM re-married to Elizabeth HUMPHREY in Llanbedr on 22 May 1669 (*Evanus [ap] William PRICHARD de Llanbeder et Elizabeth HUMPHREY de eadem*).