

Prerogative Court of Canterbury and related Probate Jurisdictions: Will Registers, PROB 11/218/128.

Abstract of the Will of Ambrose Manaton (of the Parish of South Petherwin in the County of Cornwall), Esquire, written 26 Oct 1650, proved 20 Aug 1651.

To be buried near his wife in South Petherwin church.

To each of the parishes of South Hill, South Petherwin and Mary Madgalen at Launceston, he gives £5 toward the support of poor tradesmen or husbandmen.

Gives 10 shillings to each of his servants.

Gives 10 shillings each to William Bishop and Henry Triggs.

Gives £20 to Richard Nottell who is a wise and just man.

Gives £5 to William Pearse.

Gives 40 shillings to Anthony Corne.

Gives to **his second son Henry Manaton** and his heirs his lands, tenements, rents and hereditaments called Trewant an horse park in the parish of Lewannick in co. Cornwall. Also gives to Henry his lands in Tredack? in the parish of Altonon.

Gives £900 to **his daughter Jane**, to be paid to her when she turns twenty-one.

Gives £1,000 to **his daughter Mary**, to be paid to her when she turns twenty-one.

Gives £5 to **his nephew Ambrose Manaton, son of his brother Henry**.

Gives a piece of gold worth 20 shillings to **his godson William Bligh**.

Gives a piece of gold worth 20 shillings to his friend and **cousin William Hooper**, gent.

Gives to his wife his best nag and gelding, his best featherbed, two bolsters, four pillows, four blankets, two rugs, two pair of sheets and other items.

All the rest of his goods and chattels he gives to **his son and heir Ambrose Manaton**, whom he appoints executor of his will.

(Signed)

Administration was granted to **his widow and relict Jane Manaton** during the minority of the heir.