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This is the last Will and Testament  
of me Richard Ashton of Pennant-Maunioed in the parish of a  
Stauidloes and County of Montgomery Farmer First I do nominate and do  
appoint Richard Ashton my son of Pennant-Maunioed in the said  
parish of Stauidloes and County of Montgomery to be my Trustee  
of this my last Will and Testament Secondly that my before  
mentioned Trustee Richard Ashton is to pay all my just debts and  
my funeral expences and the expences of proving this my last  
Will and Testament Thirdly I give and bequeath to my before mentioned  
son and Trustee Richard Ashton of Pennant-Maunioed aforesaid in the  
parish of Stauidloes and County of Montgomery aforesaid personally  
and singularly all the whole of my personal Estates goods and effects  
 Chattels Household Furniture Wares and Securities of Money and  
any Money as may be in my house at any time of my death and  
I hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul all and every other former  
Testaments Wills Legacies Bequests and Executors by me in any  
way before named Wills and Bequests 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 5<sup>th</sup> day of  
January 1857 — Richard Ashton (R) — Signed sealed published  
pronounced and declared by the said Testator Richard Ashton as  
his last Will and Testament in the presence of us the subscribers  
Edw. Evans Esq — Edward Evans Esq.

Richard Ashton  
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In the presence of the Court of Llanidloes  
the goods of Richard Ashton deceased.

Appeared Personally Edward Evans of Llanidloes at  
Llanidloes and made Oath that he is one of the subscribers as a  
Witness to the last Will and Testament of Richard Ashton late of  
Pennant-Maunioed in the parish of Stauidloes in the County of Montgomery  
Farmer deceased the same being more fully annexed bearing  
date the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January One thousand eight hundred and forty  
seven And he further made Oath that on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January  
aforesaid the said Testator duly executed this said Will by signing his  
name at the foot or end thereof in the presence of this Depoent and  
of Edward Evans the other subscribers which latter both of whom at  
were present at the same time and this Depoent and the said  
Edward Evans thereupon attested and subscribed the said Will in the presence  
of the said Testator and of each other — Edward Evans — On the 5<sup>th</sup> day  
of July 1857 the said Edward Evans was duly sworn to the truth of this  
Affidavit by virtue of the annexed Commission aforesaid  
Joseph Griffith Commissioners.

Proved at London 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1857 before the Judge by the Oath of  
Richard Ashton the son the Executor according to the tenor of the  
said Will to w<sup>ch</sup> the Oath was granted having been first sworn  
by Commission duly to administer.

This is the last Will and Testament  
of me John Thomas Ashton of Liverpool in the County of Lancashire  
Esquire Whereas by a Contract bearing date the twenty seventh day  
of March One thousand eight hundred and ten made in England

John Thomas Ashton