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Will of Edmund Lloyd of Caenest, yeoman, written 29 May 1797, proved 14 Mar 1798.

In the Name of God Amen, *I Edmund Lloyd of Canest in the Parish of Llanbeder* in the County of Merioneth and Diocese of Bangor, Yeoman being of a sound disposing Mind Memory and Understanding and considering the Uncertainty of Human Life, do make, publish and declare my last Will and Testament in manner and Form following — That is to say, First of all I give and bequeath unto **my Son William Lloyd** the Sum of Five Pounds five shillings, to be paid him by my Executors within twelve months after my Decease.

I give and bequeath to **my Son Evan Lloyd** an Ounce of the Sloop Eleanor-Robert Lloyd Master.

I give and bequeath unto **my Grandson Edmund Lloyd** after my Wife's Decease, my Clock - a Beechen Bureau and a Settle.

I give and bequeath to **my Grandson Griffith Lloyd son of the aforesaid W**<sup>m</sup> **Lloyd**, the Sum of Five Pounds and five Shillings.

I give and bequeath to my Grand-Daughter Elizabeth Lloyd the Daughter of W<sup>m</sup> Lloyd aforesaid, the Sum of Five Pounds five Shillings.

I also give and bequeath the Sum of Twenty Pounds Sterling which are in the Hands of my Brother in Law Evan William, unto my Dear Wife Elizabeth, for her own Use and Disposal. All the Rest Residue and Remainder of my personal Estate of what kind soever, I give and bequeath unto my said Wife during the Term of her Life, and after her Death I give and bequeath the same (the aforementioned twenty Pounds excepted) unto my Son Evan Lloyd — and thereby constitute and appoint them, my said Wife Elizabeth and my said Son Evan Lloyd co-executors of this my last Will and Testament — and likewise appoint Humphrey Morris Talwrnbach and John Lloyd of Dinas to be Guardians or Trustees — and also hereby disannulling any Will or Wills by me heretofore made, and declaring this only to be my last Will and Testament. — In Witness whereof I hereunto set my Hand and Seal this 29th Day of May in the Year of our Lord 1797.

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said Testator Edmund Lloyd as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in his Presence have subscribed our Names as Witnesses hereunto.

Wm. Jones, Clerk William Griffith

March 14, 1798.

On which Day the within written Will was insinuated, proved, approved and in common Form of Law decreed valid and Administration of the Goods Chattels and Credits of the within named Testator granted to the Executors within-named — Elizabeth and Evan Lloyd, they being sworn as the Law directs — and that his

Effects were above one hundred & below three hundred Pounds — before me Francis Parry, Surrogate.

Probate executed 1st May 1798.

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A just and true Inventory of Cattle and Chattels both moveable and immoveable of Edmund Lloyd of Caenest in the Parish of Llanbeder, County of Merioneth and Diocese of Bangor, who died January 12th, 1798, was appraised by Evan William and William Edward. Total Effects £264 8s.