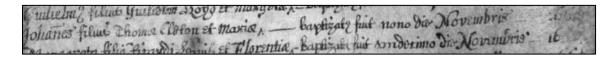
FAMILY GROUP RECORD OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH CLEATON

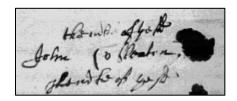
John Cleaton was christened 9 November 1665 in Llanllwchaiarn, Montgomeryshire, Wales, the son of Thomas and Mary Cleaton.



Baptism record for John Cleaton in Llanllwchaiarn:
"Johanes filius Thome Cleton et Marae - baptizath fuit nono die Nobembrie 1665"

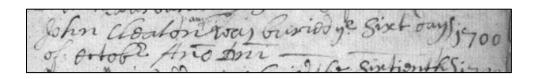
John married Elizabeth in about 1695.

John's father Thomas died in 1686, and John was named as administrator for his estate.



The mark of John Cleaton on the administration of Thomas Cleaton, 1687

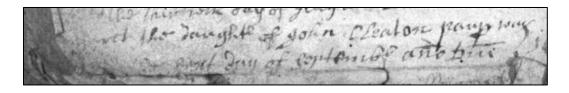
John died 6 October 1700 in Bettws Cedewain, Montgomeryshire, and was listed as a pauper at the time of his death.



Burial record for John Cleaton in Bettws:
"John Cleaton paup was buried ye sixt daye of Octobr Ano Dni 1700"

John and Elizabeth had the following children:

- 1. Margaret, buried 2 June 1696 in Bettws.
- 2. **Thomas**, christened 6 May 1696 in Bettws.
- *3. **Margaret**, christened 8 September 1699 in Bettws; married Griffith Jones 7 August 1724 in Bettws; buried 2 April 1742 in Bettws.



Baptism record for Margaret Cleaton in Bettws: "Margaret the daughter of John Cleaton paup was baptised the eight day of Septembr ano dni 1699"

4. **John**, buried 3 September 1703 in Bettws.

Elizabeth married again, to William Ashley on 22 April 1707 in Bettws.

Elizabeth and William had the following children:

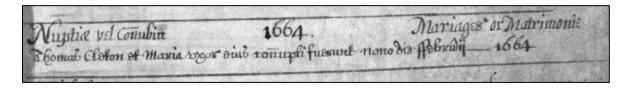
- 1. **John** (Ashley), christened 6 September 1707 in Bettws; buried 2 November 1707 in Bettws.
- 2. John (Ashley), christened 24 July 1709 in Bettws.

Elizabeth died and was buried 9 October 1730 in Bettws.

SOURCE: Montgomeryshire Baptisms, Marriages and Burials online at www.findmypast.com; Montgomeryshire Families, Bill Barker; Bettws Cedewain parish register.

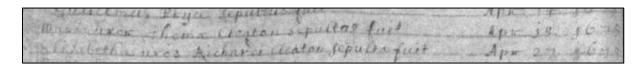
FAMILY GROUP RECORD OF THOMAS AND MARY CLEATON

Thomas Cleaton was born in about 1640 of Llanllwchaiarn. He married Mary 9 February 1664. Her last name was not recorded. Thomas was a tailor in the township of Hendidle in the parish of Llanllwchaiarn. Hendidle or Hendidley is a township in the parish of Llanwllchaiarn: "HENDIDLEY, a township in the parish of Llanllwchaiarn, county Montgomery, 2 miles from Newtown. It is situated on the canal, and contains the hamlet of Penygloddfa." (The National Gazetteer of Great Britain and Ireland)



Marriage record for Thomas Cleaton and Mary in Llanllwchaiarn:
"Thomas Cleton et Maria uxor eius conupti fuerunt nono die ffebruarij - 1664."
(Thomas Cleton and Mary his wife were married ninth day of February 1664)

Mary died and was buried 18 April 1675 in Llanllwchaiarn.



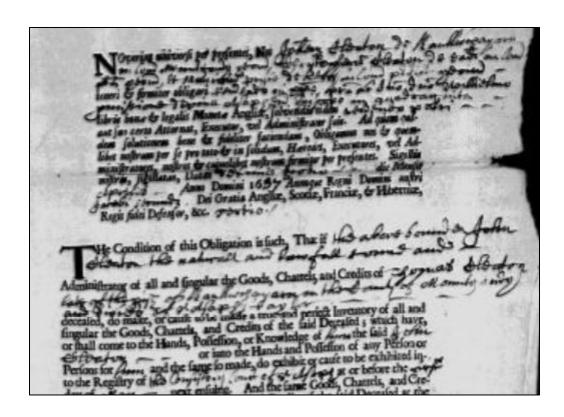
Burial record for Mary Cleaton in Llanllwchaiarn:
"Maria uxor Thoma Cleaton sepultas fuit - Apr 18 1675"

Thomas died and was buried 28 August 1686 in Llanllwchaiarn.



Burial record for Thomas Cleaton in Llanllwchaiarn: "Thomas Cleaton sepultas fuit 28 die Aug"

Thomas died without a will, and an administration was created for him, with his son John as the administrator. The bondsmen were Christopher Cleaton, yeoman of Llanllwchaiarn, and Meredith Pryce, yeoman of Kerry, Montgomeryshire.



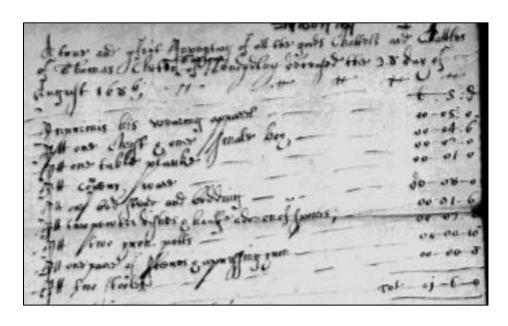
Administration for Thomas Cleaton, tailor of Hendidle, Llanllwchaiarn, 1687

The condition of this obligation is such that the above bounden John Cleaton the natural and lawfull sonne and administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels, and credits of **Thomas Cleaton** late of the pish of Llanllwchayarn in the County of Mountgomery and diocese of St. Asaph, taylor, deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods chattels, and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come to the hands, possession, or knowledge of him the said John Cleaton or into the hands and possession of any person or persons for him and the same so made, do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the Registry of the Consistory Court of St Asaph at or before the first day of May next ensuing. And the same goods, chattels, and credits, and all other goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death, which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said **John Cleaton** or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law, or further do make, or cause to be made a true and just accompt of his said administrator at or before the 20th day of April Anno domini 1688 and all the rest and residue of the said goods, chattels and credits, which shall be found upon the said administrators accompt the same being first examined and allowed of by the judge or judges, for the time being of the said Court shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively, as the said judge or judges by his or their decree or sentence (pursuant to the true intent and meaning of a late Act of Parliament made in the two and three and twentieth year of the Reign of our late Sovereign Lord King Charles the Second, intituled an Act for the better settling of Intestate Estates) shall limit and appoint. And if shall hereafter appear that any last Will and Testament was made by the said deceased, and the executor of executors therein named, do exhibit the same into the said court, making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said **John Cleaton** above-bounden being thereunto required, do render and deliver the said Letters of Administration (approbation of such Testament being first had and

made) in the said Court. Then this obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of Rees Jones John Evans Signed the mark of John Cleaton, Christopher Cleaton, Morris Pryce

An inventory was created for Thomas:



Inventory for Thomas Cleaton, tailor of Llanwllchaiarn, 1687

A true and perfect inventory of all the goods chattels and cattles of Thomas Cleton taylour of Hendydley deceased the 28 day of August 1686

Imprimis his wearing apparel – 00-05: 0

Item one chest & one smale box - 00-04:6

Item one table planke – 00-02:0

Item copery ware – 00-01-0

Item one bedstead and bedding -00-08-0

Item two pewter dishes & haulfe a dozen of spones – 00-01-6

Item two yron potts -00-02-0

Item one paire of stones & a pressing yron -00-00-10

Item two stooles -00-00-8

Tot - 01-6-0

Moneys owing to the same deceased Imprimis Howel ap Evan – 00-10:4 Item Hughe Owens – 00:04:6

Evan the servant of Thomas Worthin – 00-01:0

Funerall expences – 1-1-0 Rent oweing: 0-13-0

Prizens names: John Cleaton Thomas Willkes

Witnesses names The marke of Edward Cleton John Jenkins

Thomas and Mary had the following children:

- *1. **John**, christened 9 November 1665 in Llanllwchaiarn; married Elizabeth; buried 6 October 1700 in Bettws.
- 2. Margaret, christened 28 March 1668 in Llanllwchaiarn.
- 3. Alice, christened 14 December 1670 in Llanllwchaiarn.

SOURCE: Montgomeryshire Baptisms, Marriages and Burials online at www.findmypast.com; Llanllwchaiarn parish register.

OTHER CLEATONS

In 1675, an administration was created for **Christopher Cleaton junior**, yeoman of Hendidle, Llanllwchaiarn. His administrator was his widow, **Mary Cleaton** of Hendidle. **Christopher Cleaton** was one of the bondsmen, presumably senior, and a yeoman of Hendidle.

In 1676, an administration was created for **Christopher Cleaton** yeoman of Llanllwchaiarn. His administrator was his widow **Alice Cleaton**. **Edward Cleaton** of Llawllchaiarn was one of the bondsmen, and **John Cleaton** yeoman of Llanfair was the other. Christopher Cleaton senior was buried in Llanwllchaiarn 13 January 1675.

In 1676, an inventory was created for **Richard Cleaton** yeoman of Hendidle, Llanllwchaiarn. **Christopher Cleaton** was one of the appraisers.

SOURCES: Administration of Christopher Cleaton junior of Hendidle, Llanwllchaiarn, 1675; administration of Christopher Cleaton of Llanwllchaiarn, 1676; inventory of Richard Cleaton of Hendidle, Llanwllchaiarn.