

FINDING A DEATH CERTIFICATE – WALES 1866

SHARE HOW I SEARCHED AND FOUND DEATH CERTIFICATE

WHO: My GG grandfather – Richard Pugh

I. WHAT I KNEW about him:

>From Llanbrynmair Wales (family bible, family headstone)

>Approx DOB 1795 (from census records)

>From: Pandy (Village), Rhiewsaission (Township), Llanbrynmair (Parish),
Montgomeryshire (County) (from census records)

>DOD presumed to be between 1861 and 1871 (found in 1861 census but not
1871 census)

>Registration District is Machynlleth (www.Genuki.uk confirmed it)

II. Searching Death Registration Index

>www.familysearch.org

Click on Search

Scroll to bottom of page to **Browse All Published Collections**

Click on **United Kingdom and Ireland**

Click on **Wales**

Click on **England and Wales, Death Registration Index 1837-1920**

Search Results – see *Attachment #1*

Page 1 of 2 - left side of paper shows my search criteria

Page 2 of 2 – shows 9 results

(Lucky me!!) One looks good DOB (~ 1795), DOD 1866, in Machynlleth

III. Ordering from General Records Office (GRO) in England

[_>gro.gov.uk](http://gro.gov.uk)

Click on **Order certificates on line**

Click on **Order a certificate on-line now** – see *Attachment #2*

Login screen (Note: Need to register (no cost) for 1st time users)

Login Screen – click on **submit**

Certificate Choice fill in information (see *Attachment #3*)

Application for an England and Wales Death Certificate

See *Attachment #4* with how completed the form

I order via credit card – standard delivery, w/o Index reference #

Cost 9.25 pounds (~ \$15.00 USD + credit card fees)

Order Complete (summarizes order, gives estimated “dispatch” date)

See *Attachment #5* for example

IV. PAYDIRT!! – Got a certificate (Attachment #6)