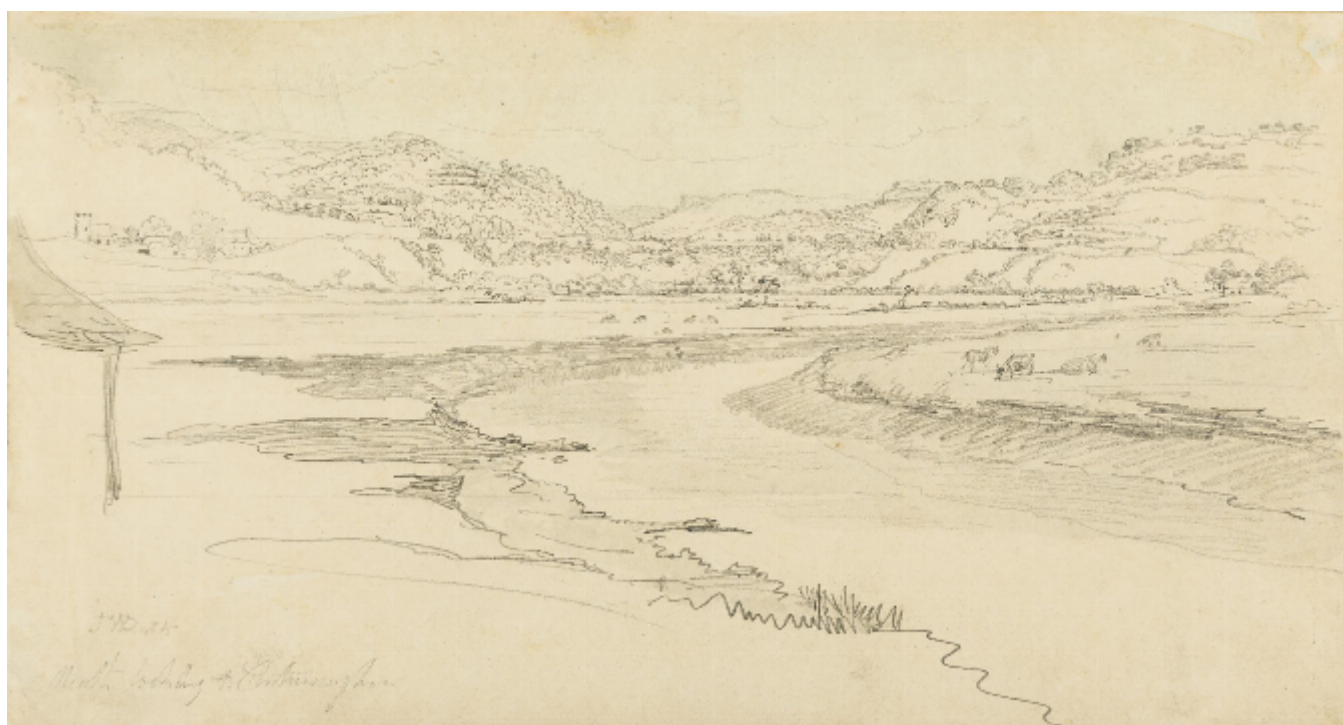


## Neath looking towards Pontneddfechan, North Wales

James Ward, R.A.

Sold



## Description

James Ward, R.A. (1769-1859)  
Neath looking towards Pontneddfechan, North Wales

Signed lower left: JWd RA/Neath looking to Pontnevaughan  
Pencil on wove paper watermarked: 1801/J WHATMAN  
20 by 37.3 cm., 7 ¾ by 14 ½ in.

Provenance:  
Knowles of Hanwell by 1951;  
Prudence Summerhayes by 1959;  
By descent until 2008;  
With WS Fine Art, 2009;  
Private Collection

Literature:  
Susan Sloman, Drawings by James Ward 1769-1859, 2009, exhibition catalogue, p.43, no. 42, ill. p.75

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WS Fine Art, Drawings by James Ward 1769-1859, 18th November to 11th December 2009, no. 42

Pontneddfechan stands on the confluence of the Mellte and Need Fechan rivers in the vale of Neath. The word means `bridge over the Little Neath' in English. Ward's inscription reads `Pontnevaughan' - Pontneathvaughan is a nineteenth century word for Pontneddfechan.