



"W" is Lawyer Gayesford and Wife with attendant on Crutches

"I" is the Rev'd Carrinton, vicar of Berkeley

"L" is a woman Peddlar soliciting alms.

"L" is Louise Lawrence, Sextoness - she dug graves and Tolled Bells.

"I" shows Parishioners who are in distress.

"A" is Harry Ayres, huntsman to the Berkeley adjusting his boot.

"M" is Manuel Dash, a wooden leg shoemaker and the Vicar.



"C" is Damus Merrick, official Brewer to the Earl of Berkeley.

"O" is the Earl and Sammy the runner.

"P" The Vicar and his wife - she was tall - he was short. "The long and Short of it"!

"E" George James, official Butcher who took meat and sampled the fruit.

"J" is a man washing his feet in a basin.

"a" Sampling the new Cider.

"n" Tall soldier courting Mary.

"y" Fish Carrier - probably the Salmon bailiff.

"1" Preparing for the Harvest

"8" Proud Mother and Father and their firstborn

"5" Man and wife keeping Dog at Bay

"5" The oldest villager who now recognises "All things Vanity".





(Above) Berkeley Castle and Meadow.



There is no indication as to who these people are but they are keeping up "Christmas Time" in old fashioned style under the "Mistletoe".

(Above) After the Shooting Party, Guest's Midnight slumber to the melody of the Castle Fiddler.



(Above) The Berkeley Hunt in chase.

(Right) The full stop after "Jany" and shows a coffin, Pall Bearers and mourners.



"I Pay as I go" and "Crimea - Alma - Inkerman and ?" Just off picture to the right, is another piece of writing:- "A Regular Cutler - Contractor of Swords for the Crimean War - the Cutler too Taxed."



"Who can COPE with time" and "Sic Transit Gloria Mundi" 1854. William Cope, Snr. died in 1852 and his son William would have been 32 in 1854, so I'm not clear of the inference here.



(Above) Christmas Fare