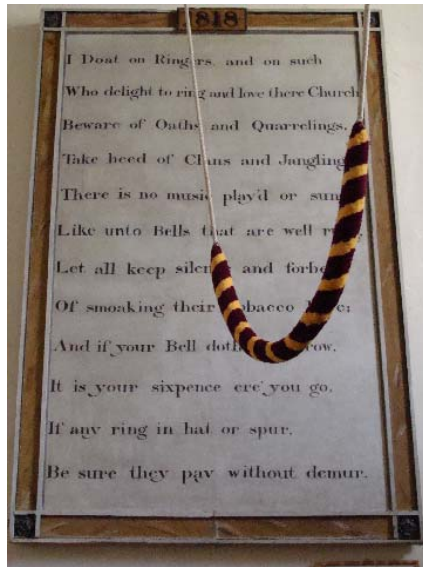


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1818 Bellringers' Ditty



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I Doat on Ringers, and on such
Who delight to ring and love there Church
Beware of Oaths and Quarrelings.
Take heed of Clans and Janglings.
There is no music play'd or sung
Like unto Bells that are well rung.
Let all keep silent and forbear
Of smoaking their tobacco here;
And if your Bell doth overthrow,
It is your sixpence ere' you go.
If any ring in hat or spur,
Be sure they pay without demur.