A for the APPLE
   or Alphabet pie,
Which all get a slice of.
   Come taste it & try.

B is the BABY
   who gave Mr Bunting
Full many a long day's
   rabbit skin hunting.

C for the CAT
   that played on the fiddle,
When cows jumped higher than
   'Heigh Diddle Diddle'!

D for the DAME
   with her pig at the stile,
'Tis said they got over,
   but not yet a while.

E for the Englishman,
   ready to make fast
The giant who wanted to
   have him for breakfast.
F for the Frog in the story
you know,
Begun with a wooing but
ending in woe.

G for Goosey Gander
who wandered upstairs,
And met the old man
who objected to prayers.

H for poor Humpty who
after his fall,
Felt obliged to resign his
seat on the wall.

I for the Inn where they
wouldn’t give beer,
To one with too much
and no money, I fear.

J does for poor Jack and
also for Jill,
Who had so disastrous
a tumble down hill.
K for calm Kitty, at dinner
  who sat,
While all the good folks
  watched the dog & the cat.

L for Little man, gun and
  bullets complete,
Who shot the poor duck, and
  was proud of the feat.

M for Miss Muffet, with
  that horrid spider,
Just dropped into tea and
  a chat beside her.

N for the Numerous children
  they who
Were often too much for
  their mother in Shoe.

O the Old person that
  cobwebs did spy,
And went up to sweep 'em
  Oh ever so high!

P for the Pie made of
blackbirds to sing,
A song fit for supper
a dish for a king.

Q for Queen Anne
who sat in the sun
Till she, more than the lily
resembled the bun

R stands for Richard &
Robert, those men
Who didn't get up one
fine morning till ten!

S for the Snail that showed
wonderful fight,
Putting no less than twenty-four
tailors to flight!

T stands for Tom, the son of
the piper,
May his principles change
as his years grow riper.

U for the Unicorn, keeping
his eye on
The coveted crown, and
'ts counsel the Lion.

V for the Victuals, including
    the drink,
The old woman lived on
    surprising to think!

W for the WOMAN
    who not over nice,
Made very short work
    of the three blind mice.

X is the X
    that is found upon buns,
Which, daughters not liking,
    may come in for sons.

Y for Yankee Doodle
    of ancient renown,
Both he & his pony
    that took him to town.

Z for the Zany
    who looked like a fool,
For when he was young
    he neglected his school