

### Coopersale, Piccadilly, Llanblethian

1829 ? Written note on deed of 1766 relating to Brooklyn – Edward Rowland has sold a portion of the said premises to Thomas Jenkin of Llanblethian, cooper *D/D Xjb*

19<sup>th</sup> century ‘Catherine Rees, died 25/11/1856, aged 77 – “a monstrous woman, gullied beautifully on the parish for years.” David Rees her son died 23/1/1872 aged 64 – a tailor, a drunken rascal. Lived with his mother but didn’t care to support her. Short and somewhat deformed. A bit of a poet. After his mother’s death, he lived with the Robertses in Piccadilly, who lived an odd sort of life. As the husband was much from home (a sawyer), David, it was said, supplied his place to the wife at night while he was away. He was credited with being the father of the boy who afterwards in 1887 murdered Thomas of Stallcourt on Llanblethian Hill, and was hanged at Cardiff’.  
*WAH Fisher, book 27, p65*

1902	Cottage the property of Edwin Jones	<i>Deeds of Brooklyn</i>
1910	George Williams owned and occupied, £3.5s – record of valuation	<i>D/D PRO/VAL/1/46</i>
1954	Cottage now in ruins, owned by Mary Ann Williams	<i>Deeds of Brooklyn</i>

#### **Sources/references :**

*GRO = Glamorgan Record Office*

*PRO = Public Record Office, Kew*

*D/D = deeds in GRO*