*Discuss the features of the Victorian Compromise*

The Victorian Compromise is used to refer to the contradictions that coexist in the Victorian era society. Indeed the Victorian Age that it was the period of the history including the reign of queen Victoria it was a contradictory era: even if it was the age of progress, social reforms and production, it was also characterized by injustice, poverty and social unrests.  
The contradictions were the result of a society that stick on a code of values based on hard work, being respectable and charity. There was the necessity to join to the values: they appeared as moralizers, but the reality demonstrates the big contradictions. The era was also characterized by the phenomenon of philanthropy and the family was seen as a patriarchal unit where the husband represented the authority.