

THE FADING HEART
With silent step and slow
The old year glides into the shadow...

RUSKIN'S ECCENTRICITIES
The late John Ruskin, the great
English critic, was a man of original
and quite independent mind...

AFTER-CHRISTMAS JESTS
If the small boy started early for
the pantry it would avoid the jam...

ALL IN A NAME
The difficulty of pronouncing suc-
cessive syllables in a similar
sound is well known...

A CREED FOR THE NEW YEAR
I believe in boys and girls, the men
and women of a great tomorrow...

The New Year's Story
Teddy's New Year's Choice

NEW Year's day had come. Ted-
dy opened his eyes as the
old year rolled slowly into
the first days of light...

Teddy passed on to the sitting-room.
As he passed his mother he again
caught a glimpse of the lovely maid...

Teddy was not happy unless he was
with the "blind man," or the one to
hide the things; so he went to the
kitchen...

"I am sorry my little man is un-
happy, but he must not be un-
happy," said Mrs. Troop...

"Will the maid stay with me?"
"As long as you like," said the
maid, and she went into the kitchen...

"I believe in boys and girls, the men
and women of a great tomorrow;
I believe in the dignity of teaching...

Neighborhood News--
Town and Country

GEORGETOWN
The Women's Institute sent baskets
for Christmas to the needy families...

OAKVILLE
W. S. Davies has disposed of the late
C. J. William Hendrie's stock farm...

ERIN
The last meeting of Erin-Council
voted \$25.00 as a grant to the Fall
Festival...

MILTON
An extra staff was on duty at the
Post Office to handle the Christmas
mail...

THE DIFFERENCE
One day a bishop chanced into a shop
of a druggist who was very fond of
a joke...

ANOTHER "DRY" VOTE
A "burnt child dreads the fire," an-
nounces the teacher during the lesson
in proverbs...

Soft coffee are difficult to emulate
and "Holloway's Corn Remedy" emu-
late them too painfully.

"BEING A BOY"

The actions of a typical "small boy"
are not to be accounted for, although
they may be studied and described...

THE SHOWBILLS ON THE SHELF
Most any rural folks for me had a
passing charm...

ORIGIN OF "ROD IN PICKLE"
The annual slaughter resulting from
the "rod in pickle" is a long and
wasteful process...

AS GOOD AS HE BENT
The request disconcerted in
very likely to be followed by a dis-
courteous reply...

SOME OF THEM DO HAVE
"WHEELS"
Little Mary is a born searcher after
information, and Tommy, her brother...

VILLAGE OF ACTON
NOTICE OF REGISTRATION
OF BY-LAW
Notice is hereby given that a by-
law was passed by the Municipal
Council of the Village of Acton...

Business Directory

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DR. J. A. McVINEY
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