

# A La Herald

The New Year Greeting.

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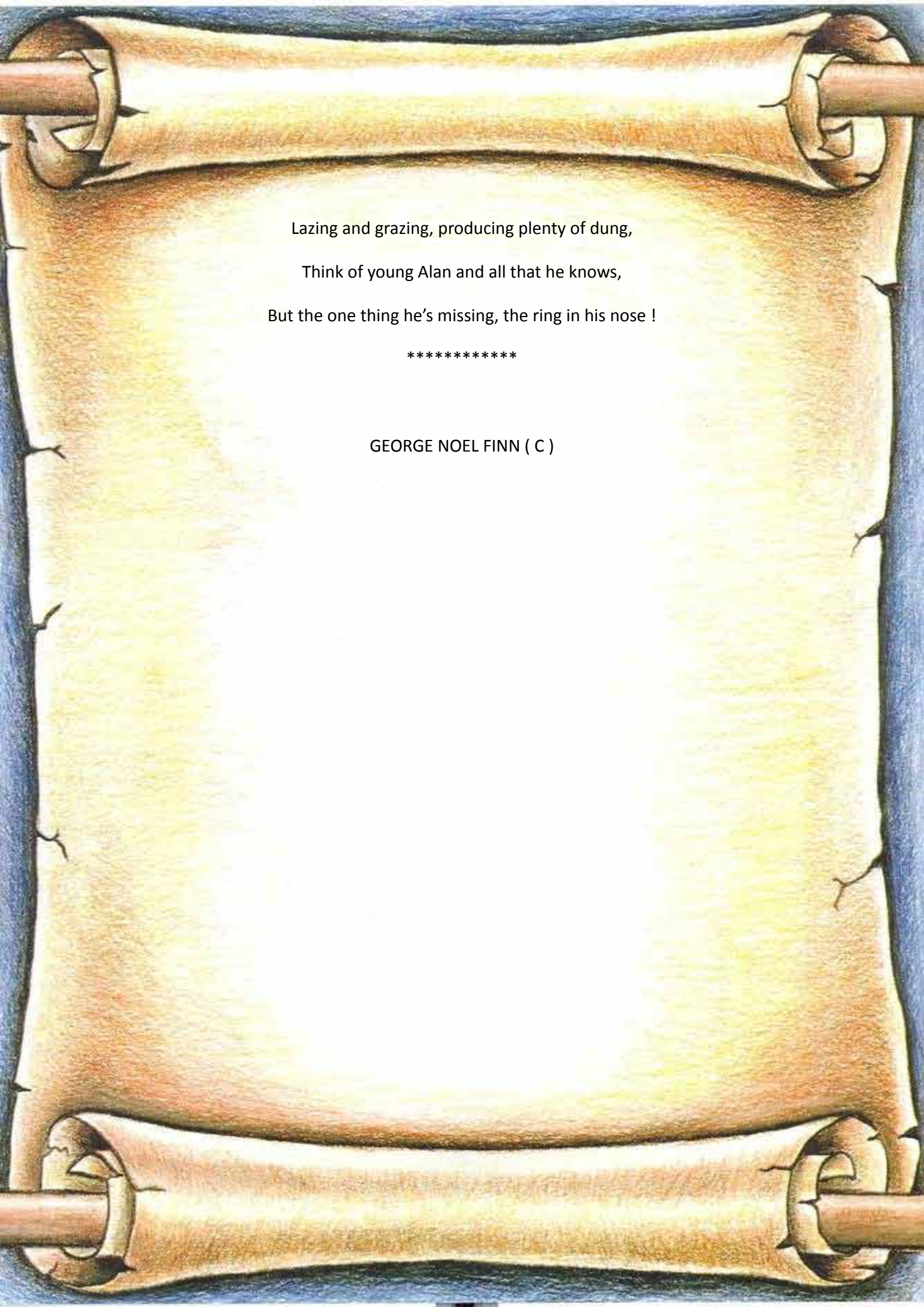
A very Happy New Year to you Alan Jerrold the man,  
Smile if you know him be kind if you can.  
But in reply to this greeting from courteous George Finn,  
Alan Retorted but without as much as grin,  
From now on I've decided you're "Bullshitter Finn",  
To the echoes of these wise words that's where I begin.

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Well Alan my good man now there's something we share,  
You're known for your Bullshit from Dublin to Clare,  
To Alan Jerrold it's as natural as cream to a cat,  
Alan replied " I'd hate to be thought of like that ",  
Did George miss the opportunity to tell the spoilt brat,  
Alan my good friend, you're exactly like that !

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So my good friends should I say more ?  
No, the second verse sort of evens the score,  
But next Summer as you gaze at Bulls that are well hung,



Lazing and grazing, producing plenty of dung,  
Think of young Alan and all that he knows,  
But the one thing he's missing, the ring in his nose !

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GEORGE NOEL FINN ( C )