

AN ERMINE BLANKET

When I woke up this morning,
To my surprise I found
A lovely ermine blanket
Of snow upon the ground.

Straightway I put my heavy coat
And fur-topped snow boots on;
Then printed with my own two feet
My name upon the lawn.

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