

Dear Editor:

I would like to register a complaint about some teachers who insist on holding students only give or ten minutes for a detention. On first glance, this looks like a very trifling punishment for such a grave misdeanor as talking in class, homework not done or (horror of horrors) talking back to a teacher. The only problem with this system of punishment is that in five or six minutes the school buses have left the school. Some people who take the bus live over two miles away This takes about three-quarters of an hour to walk, this makes the detention over an hour which is too harsh a punishment for some thing as petty as talking in class. If punishment is to held in school after hours, the system is defeating itself, as, if the ststem is what if should be, people should be willing to stay in.

EDITORS' NOTE: Probably the teachers well know this, that is why they only keep you in for five or ten minutes. It is when a teacher starts discussing as "important topic" five minutes before the end of the day, and has to finish it off is when we get peeved off.



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HEARD ONE CHRISTMAS AT THE WHITEHOUSE:
"I don't care WHO you are, get those
demned reindeer off my roof!"
HEARD ONE CHRISTMAS AT THE PARLEMENT BUILDINGS:
"I don't care WHO you are, get those bloody
reindeer off my roof!"
HEARD ONE CHRISTMAS AT MCNALLY:
"All right, you kids, get that demn relkswagen
off my roof!"

There once was a guy with long hair,
Who thought he could fly through the air,
Alghough he was high—
He never could fly—
So of windows and ledges bewere

FOR SALE one used sleigh runner.
Only 12,321,987 air miles (good year)
Painted red

LOST: One container of red nose make-up Lost somewhere over Cuba .....reward offered .....call Ruby, North Pole, North Pole.

TO FRANK CASTRO:
Will you please return my sleigh,
which was hi-jacked laxt Dec. 25,
have it returned by the 24th of
this month.
Also please send Rudolph (the hijacker) I will deal with him my-

SANTA.....YOUR SLEIGH'S DOUBLE PARKED....

On May 1, 1851, THE GREAT EXHIBITION OPENED IN THE CRYSTAL PALACE, HYDE PARK, LONDON.

GUATAMA BUDDHA DIED IN 483 B.C., AGED 80 YEARS.

A Sloth is NOT the slowest animal in the world (this is reasonable, considering the length of time of the wait to get a carton of milk at Henbests cart during the lunch hour.)

WHAT WILL GO UP A CHIMNEY DOWN, BUT
NOT DOWN A CHIMNEY UP?....an umbrella
....reprinted from the Thistle.....
Reprinted from the Tally.....

THE TALLY AND IT'S STAFF WOULD LIKE TO SEND OUR SINGERE BEST WISHES FOR THE COMING NEW YEAR (AND THE COMING SEMESTER AND DEPARTMENTALS), TO ALL THE STUDENTS, TEACHERS, ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF AND SUPPORTNSTAFF OF MCMALLY.

WE SINCERELY APPRECIATED ALL THE HELP YOU HAVE GIVEN US IN THE PAST YEAR.

### STUDENTS' LOUNGE

recently, there was a meeting at S.U.B. to discuss a student lounge at McNally. The turnout was .3% of the school. For those of you who are fourth year Math 10, that is a grand total of . . . um . . . 5 out of 1500. Understandably, the people that were at SUB when this meeting took place were astounded at the mobs of people all crowding into this one tiny building. Eventually, they took up one whole bench and their screams and shouts woke up a sleeping student all of five feet away.

Seriosly, though it really is a disaster that more people didn't come. Granted, wasn't given much publicity, but from all the (valid) complaints that are heard about having to stand in the snow just to get a smoke and having to wear a ges masks just to mass by the above area, you'd think they'd be at least 10 or 111 out.

I for one, am very
much infavor of the idea
of a lounge for students.
It would provide a plave
to snoke, study, lounge,
or just talk with friends.
It could be set up on a
rented portable, so any
noise wouldn't disturb other
classes, or in an unused
classroom. Just so teachers
have staffrooms and university
students have SUB, many
high schools are beginning
to set up students lounges.

STUDENTS OF MCNALLY.......UNITE IN THE CAUSE OF LEISURE.....!

### A FAIRY TAIL

There once was a knight, who had, because he had jilted a wizard's daughter, a smell put on him - every time he came out of his castle a pair of yellow fingers would come down out of the sky and squish him to death. Of course, being a Liberal, he didn't believe anybody. So he went out for a ride the next day, and as he emerged from his castle, a pair of yellow fingers came out of the sky and attacked him. He barely escaped with his life. Our knight, being an intelligent chap considered his problem thoroughly, His solution was to take his pages out with him so while the fingers were trying to get through his pages, he would escape.

THE MORAL OF THE STORY IS: Let your pages do the walking through the yellow fingers.



# HOWLS OF MISTLETOE

## USELESS KNOWLEDGE:

Contrary to popular belief, the Tally Staff is NOT drunk! (It's hungover)

A sloth can be held under water for 40 minutes and feel only a slight discomfort afterwards. as man can be held under water for 40 minutes and feel no discomfort at all.

The population of Alberta in 1956 was 1,123,116

In 1967, John Lennon and Paul McCartney received the Grammy Award for their single, "MICHELLE".

The native Indian population in 1966 was 224,236.

From 1964 to 1967, the Beatles set a world-wide record for selling 210,000,000 recordings. (Which beat Bing Crosby)

In Biafre, they need 1.120,000,000,000 ounces of food a week We send them 3.150 000,000 per week!

# UNFORTUNATELY IT'S TIME FOR TRUE GRIT!

True Grit is finding that someone drank your school spirit.

True Grit is thinking we get out on the 19th,

True Grit is going to Physics with Glazell.

True Grit is using Methenol instead of Ethenol

True Grit is flunking the SCAT Test.

True Grit is a 33 year old Drama teacher.

True Grit is a teacher walking in on a water fight.

True Grit is Mr. Ward sticking it out at B.D.

True Grit is poetry in the Tally:

NOEL, NOEL,

NOEL, NOEL,

MAY ALL MY ENEMIES

GO TO HELL.

N.B.- This poem was taken from an approved English textbook.

## WE HAVE A WIN WIN WIN BY OUR CHEERLEADERS! YEA TEAM!

WANTED: One Crue of Ekspurt tip; stss, plees apppply tu the bonny dune thisle

Better communications will be had between the students and the teachers at the Christmas Lit

FROM SCONA: Bonnie Doon. . . . . . . your paper is ready. . . . . . . . !



"OUR FAITHFUL CHEERLEADERS"

THREE CHEERS FOR OUR CHEERLEADERS! THEY WON THE CAHPER TOURNAMENT IN CHEERLEADING.

NICE COING, CIRLS!



"THERE GOES OUR STAP CHEERLEADER ALFREIDA BASHTRASH, OUT FOR THE SEASON WITH A BADLY SPRAINED TONGUE.