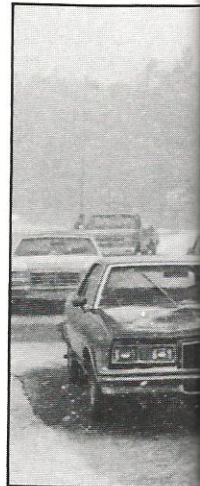


STUDENTS ANXIOUSLY AWAIT the cancellation of school as they peer out a window to see the cause of their good fortune—snow.

IRONICALLY STANDS the unfamiliar Bulldog sign in the foreground and a tropical palmetto tree in the background.



Let it Snow!

To some people in the world, snow is an almost daily occurrence during the winter months; therefore, it is often taken for granted—not here!

On the way to school that fateful morning of January 27th, Patricia Rhea looked out her bus window and asked with a delightful squeal, "Hey is that snow out there?" It was. Before most students reached school it had begun to stick and there were rumors of school cancellation.

High school students supposedly on the brink of adulthood reverted to infancy—understandable, seeing that it was the first real experience with a snowball of any consequence for many.

Despite the fact that only two inches of snow fell in Colleton County, it was sufficient to cause several automobile accidents and force school closures due to fears of unexperienced bus drivers having to transport students in the event of further snow. Although the decision was a prudent one, the precipitation was over by 10:00 and by noon the day that Walterboro High had been blanketed in white was a memory.

