

# DOUGLASS CENTER LIBRARY

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At the present time, however, it is apparent that I am dealing with a group of people who use a different frame of reference in defining success. Recent discussions and communications with these people would lead me to believe that their definition of success revolves around statistics or numbers of some sort. This is most important because, here in lies the discrepancy in our definitions.

Statistical involvement implies, uninvolved, cold hard facts. People involvement implies multi-faceted activities, often as unpredictable as human needs tend to be.

We will not however, supply further monthly reports until specific guidelines agreeable to all concerned are drawn up to show those things most necessary to report and an agreed upon format for that report. It should be made clear, however, that statistical information has appeared in all past reports. If, however, numbers is all that is required for success accountability then some mechanical dummy, robot, or computer would be all of the personnel this community library should require.

I will withhold judgement on the policies and procedures presented by the joint board until such has been read and agreed to by all parties concerned. I do this of my own volition knowing that I have not a legal leg on which to stand. I use as my justification that while one can be dectated to, oppressed, ignored and striped of all material things - Self Dignity is the one thing that cannot be taken away - one must give that up of his own volition. I choose not to give up this inherent right at the present time.

- I cite as my precedents in this decision the following:
1. If you make a mistake, see that is a mistake and do not correct that mistake, you have made your second mistake. ----Confucius.
  2. This above all to thine own self be true, thou can then be false to no man. ----Shakespeare.



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