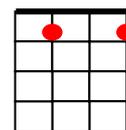


Intro: [C] [C#dim] [G7] [G7]

C#dim

Now [C] Patrick McGinty, an Irishman of [C#dim] note  
[G7] Fell in for a fortune, and he bought himself a goat  
Says [C] he, "Sure, of goat's milk I'm going to have me  
[C#dim] fill"



But [G7] when he brought the nanny home, he [C] found it  
was a bill

All the young ladies who live in Killaloo

They're [G7] all wearing bustles like their mothers used to do

They [F] each wear a [C] bolster be-[G7] neath the petti- [C]  
coat

And [G7] leave the rest to providence and [C] Paddy McGinty's  
goat

In-betweenintro: [C] [C#dim] [G7] [G7]

Mrs [C] Burke to her daughter said, "listen, Mary [C#dim] Jane  
[G7] Who was the lad you were cuddling in the lane?

He'd [C] long wiry whiskers a' hanging from his [C#dim] chin"

[G7] "'Twas only Pat McGinty's goat, " she [C] answered with a  
grin

[C] Then she went away from the village in disgrace

She [G7] came back with powder and paint upon her face

She'd [F] rings on her [C] fingers, and she [G7] wore a sable  
[C] coat

And I'll [G7] bet your life she didn't get those from [C] Paddy  
McGinty's goat

In-betweenintro: [C] [C#dim] [G7] [G7]

Now [C] Norah McCarthy the knot was going to [C#dim] tie

She [G7] washed out her trousseau and hung it out to dry

A- [C] long came the goat and he saw the bits of [C#dim]  
white

And [G7] chewed up all her folderols, and [C] on her wedding  
night

"Oh [C] turn out the light quick!" she shouted out to Pat

For [G7] though I'm your bride, sure I'm not worth looking at

I had [F] two of every- [C] thing, I [G7] told you when I [C]  
wrote

But [G7] now I'm wearing nothing, all through [C] Paddy  
McGinty's goat

In-between:tro: [C] [C#dim] [G7] [G7]

Mickey [C] Riley he went to the races t'other [C#dim] day  
He [G7] won twenty dollars and he shouted, "hip hooray"  
He [C] held up the note, shouting "look at what I've [C#dim] got  
The [G7] goat came up and grabbed at it and [C] swallowed all  
the lot

"He's [C] eaten me banknote, " said Mickey, with the hump  
They [G7] went for the doctor and they got a stomach pump  
They [F] pumped and they [C] pumped for that [G7] twenty  
dollar [C] note

But [G7] all they got was ninepence out of [C] Paddy McGinty's goat

In-between:tro: [C] [C#dim] [G7] [G7]

Well the [C] bold Irish guards, you'd think it was ro- [C#dim] mance  
They ad- [G7] opted the goat and they brought him off to France  
The [C] day that they landed he heard the bugle [C#dim] blow  
He [G7] ducked his little cranium and he [C] ran to meet the foe  
The [C] Germans retreated, hurriedly they fled

[G7] Holding their noses they tumbled over dead

[F] "Ach," says the [C] Kaiser, "there's [G7] poison gas a- [C] float"

But it was [G7] only the effluvium from [C] Paddy McGinty's goat"

In-between:tro: [C] [C#dim] [G7] [G7]

Off the [C] west coast of Ireland one morning they were  
[C#dim] seen

As [G7] plain as any pikestaff there were German submarines

When [C] coast-guard Maloney fell into a [C#dim] fit

Says [G7] Paddy McGinty's goat, "It's time for [C] me to do me bit"

He [C] jumped into the water as frisky as a whale

[G7] Swam around the u-boat wagging his little tail

He [F] upped with his [C] horn and he [G7] stuck it in the [C] boat

And [G7] sent them all to Heligoland did [C] Paddy McGinty's Goat

In-between:tro: [C] [C#dim] [G7] [G7]

Now [C] old Paddy's goat had a wonderous appe- [C#dim] tite

And [G7] one day for breakfast he ate some dynamite

A [C] big box of matches he swallowed all se- [C#dim] rene

And [G7] out he went and swallowed up a [C] quart of paraffeen

He [C] sat by the fireside, he didn't give a hang

He [G7] swallowed a spark and exploded with a bang, *solo, slowly:*

So [F] if you go to [C] heaven you can [G7] bet a dollar [C] note

And back to tempo: That the [G7] angel with the whiskers on is

[C] Paddy McGinty's goat