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That the success of the parade Friday morning is considered vital to the College is shown by the message from Dr Hetzel appearing on the front page of today's COLLEGIAN. Sel-dom, does Penn State's president request specific co-operation from the students, seldom does the

them Penn State's undergraduates dare not be found wanting when such an opportunity presents itself

What has happened to Penn State spirit? Many icasons may be advanced to explain the very evident decline in that College feeling about which alumini rave and of which the student body sees so little. During the autumn months it is natural to tuin to football, if not es an example, at least as an indication of this loss

There is a certain something, difficult to define, which is noticeably absent at Penn State football games. Pethaps it is this much deplored lack of spnit; more hild, it is merely ignorance of mob psychology on the pert of those in charge.

adapts accessary for a colorful football contest. Even adequate cheering, however, is sometimes lacking. Op-portune moments slip through the hands of cheerleaders, noments that, if properly utilized, might work wonders with a discouraged team.

with a discouraged team. Where is the spontaneity so necessary to a football cheering "section" Where is "Viciory," the song that has thrilled countless Penn State enthusiasts and has sent teams to touchdowns against overpowering odds? The Blue Band, admittedly one of the finest college nuiseal organizations in the East, seems to be saved for nussed organizations in the Last, seems to be saved for times when it is necessary to make an impression on visitors. Even when it does appeal, the band seems perfectly content to sit quietly in the stands playing Schubeit's "Serenade" of "Romona," rather than the "Nitlany Lon." Are pep songs too light for the College band? -

Here snake dances between the halves gone for ever? Is that too much to ask of the ultin-se Can State student Fortunately, there are still a few looter who think enough of Penn State to risk the ignomiry of being termed "Rah, Rah, Boys" by cheerıng.

Somewhere something is wrong. Cheers from the eteps of Schwab auditorium or from the Tiack House balcony after the game once left a good taste in the mouths of spectators whether the result was victory or defeat Showmanship is as necessary at a football game as in a circus Perhaps it isn't the magnificent Penn State spirit that has gone. It may be that these smalle thing, have been forgotten, allowing spirit to wane

The death of Di. William D Crockett brings to an nimel clean of Di. Winnam D. Crockett prings to an untimely close nearly a quarter of a century of faithful service to Penn State. Respected by students and fac-uity alike, Dr. Crockett nevel failed to win the esteem and admiration of all those with whom he came in con-tact His passing on the eve of Penn State's seventy-fifth anniversaly must necessarily sadden the celebra-tion of a hours comt tion of a happy event

## LOSING GROUND

In a letter sent last week to fraternity presidents Dean Wainock deplores the unfavorable reaction of students to voluntary chapel attendance. To maintain Sunday chapel services on a voluntary basis, a better attendance must be forthcoming from the student body, the Dean maintuins. Whether the present arrangement will prove satisfactory or not remains in the hands of the students

empressed the faith which they had in the student body supervision. If the return of compulsory chapel is necessitated by lack of interest, the student body will lose not only a long-sought privilege but the confide of the Board of Trustees.

If there is one organization on the campus that at some time or another serves every Penn State student, it is the Y. M. C A. Today that association begins its annual finance campaign and it will be possible for every one to repay the "Y" in some small measure for that