

Here's Your Opportunity To Join..

**If You Want To Sever Relations
With Alma Mater, Don't Read This—
But Here's The Real Nittany Story**

Pictured on these pages are Penn State alumni, men recognized in one way or another by the public beyond the confines of the Nittany Valley.

Behind every one of these pictures is a Penn State student, running for an 8 o'clock with his eye on a sheepskin at graduation. Behind every one of these pictures is a Penn State student cheering at a football game, applauding at an Artists' Course, dancing under draped girders at Rec Hall, drinking coffee at the Corner Room before the midnight restaurant curfew, climbing the tower of Old Main with his mother, writing furiously in an empty bluebook.

Behind every one of these pictures is a Penn State student vitally and seriously living what he will call the "good old days." Behind every one of these pictures is the student body of the Pennsylvania State College today, this minute reading this newspaper.

Before every one of the students in this College is a war world, a world turned topsy-turvy, uncertain and befuddled. Before every student in this College is a life to be molded with Penn State tools according to a Penn State plan laid out by a Penn State vision.

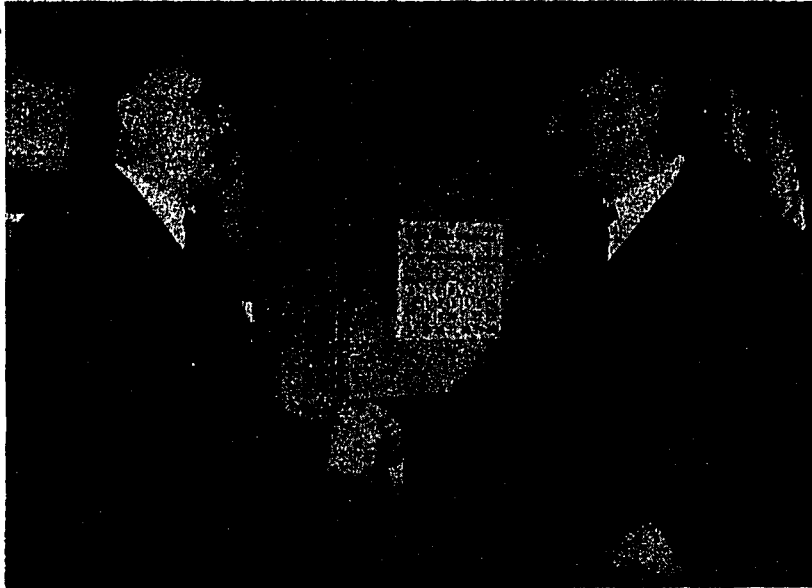
Pledged to the furtherance of Penn State values for every graduate of this College is the Alumni Association whose activities are shown in this supplement. Bringing quick memories of College days, a renewal of years spent within earshot of Old Main's chimes, the Alumni Association stretches across the state, across the continent, throughout the world to make Penn State a reality for its members.

Carry Penn State with you wherever you roam. Do it through the Alumni Association.



President Ralph D. Hetzel has witnessed the steady growth of the College in the past few years of his administration and along with it the increasing influence of the Alumni Association on both graduates and undergraduates.

Penn State In Washington



Penn State alumni have distinguished themselves in all walks of life. Lt.-Col. Harold N. Gilbert '19, in the Adjutant General's department, is shown above receiving the Distinguished Service Medal from Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson. He is the only Pennsylvanian to hold the Distinguished Service Cross and the Distinguished Service Medal together with the Purple Heart award.

450 Life Memberships Received By Association Since February, 1941

Following the inauguration of the new membership system on February 1, 1941, the Alumni Association has signed up about 450 life members. Special rates went into effect after the Alumni Council decided to start an intensive drive to organize thousands of Penn State graduates.

The rates:
\$40 from 1 to 19 years after graduation.

\$30 from 20 to 39 years out.
\$20 from 40 to 49 years out.
50 years out, honorary.

A joint membership, 25 per cent above the cost for the husband, is offered if both husband and wife are alumni.

The \$8 paid by undergraduates will be considered applicable toward a life membership, and the rest may be paid in installments at any time. Regular annual memberships in the Association do not enjoy this privilege.

ITS ADVANTAGES

1. Through the Association you will develop a continuing relation with the College which will hold some of your happiest memories.
2. Through membership you will be able to make valuable contacts with Penn Staters in any town you may enter.
3. The copies of the Alumni News, the Football Letter, Alumni Homecoming, the class reunions will all help keep Penn State with you.
4. Your alumni contacts may mean job and business opportunities.
5. In a city with a Penn State Club you will never be without friends. Each club has an organized social program to which you will be welcomed.
6. Wherever you may go, the Alumni News and the regular letters from the Association will always keep Penn State with you.
7. Through the Association you can continue your present College acquaintances and gain the acquaintances of the older alumni.
8. Whenever you want to return to the College, the Association will gladly make such arrangements as securing sports tickets for you.
9. If you are sincerely interested in helping the College and students after you graduate, the Alumni Association is the best possible medium to help you do this.

Penn State In So. America



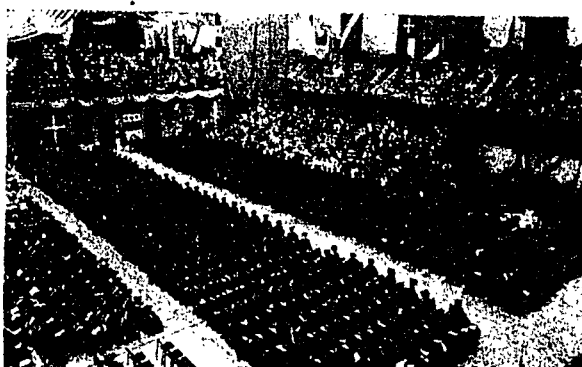
From State College to southernmost South America—and farther—the Alumni Association casts Penn State men in the same mold, dedicates them to the same ideals. Pictured above is Herbert C. Lanks '23 stopping high in the Andes in Colombia while making the first auto tour through South America.

**Sign Up With Your District Solicitor Or
At The Alumni Office In Old Main**

IT OFFERS MUCH

1. Five-year membership in the Alumni Association effective on graduation.
2. The Alumni News from the time you sign up next week until five years after you graduate.
3. Eligibility to serve on the Alumni Council and the Athletic Advisory Board and the privilege of voting for both bodies.
4. Eligibility to elect College trustees beginning three years after graduation. (Nine of 32 are elected by the alumni.)
5. The Football News Letter issued after each game.
6. Access to all Alumni Association records on all Penn State alumni. Privilege of using the Association's materials and services to make contacts with Penn Staters.
7. Privilege of using the Alumni Office as a headquarters on all return visits to the campus.
8. Representation on the executive board of the Alumni Association through the All-College president, and on the Alumni Council through the All-College president, senior class president and junior class president.

Remembered After Graduation



After four years, studies, football games, social activities, and everything else that is part of Penn State are brought to a conclusion by commencement exercises. After this plunge into later life is taken, grads wistfully long for ties to link them to the College. The Alumni Association helps them to recapture part of campus life with homecomings and reunions. Football is, of course, the major attraction in the fall. Incidentally, Penn State football is getting better and better and the competition tougher.