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### THE STUDENT IN POLITICS.

The old idea of the scholar, that of a dreamer among his books, a man who cared little for the practical affairs of life and least of all for that seething, social maelstrom known as politics, is disappearing with the tendency of modern colleges to practical sciences and studies. The old time dreamer, the bookworm, was a leader in the culture of his age and of all ages. The college man of today is turning his attention more to leadership in public affairs. The world today has greater need of men who can do than of men who merely know.

It is interesting to note the activity which University of Missouri students are taking in politics. Many of the speeches at these student club meetings show as thorough a grasp of affairs as do those made by profes-

sional and business men at similar meetings of their own. The majority of men students of voting age are identified with one or another of the big political movements of the day.

The year 1912 promises to be memorable in American political history. Big men and big issues are before the people. Each of the great political parties is now passing through a crisis. Upon the outcome of the 1912 election may depend the complexion of our political life for a good many years to come. It is an excellent time for the student to get into the game. A thorough understanding of the great questions of this campaign will be of great value in future years.

There is no reason why the college man should not carry his ideals into politics. In fact, that is the bright hope the future holds out in things political. There are plenty of Augean stables for the modern gymnasium-trained Hercules.—Missourian.



**DR. ALEXANDER.**

Dr. Alexander, well known to all of us, will soon retire from the ministry. He feels that he has reached too ripe

an old age to continue in active service.

Dr. Alexander has spent his whole life in bettering the conditions of his fellow-man and of the rising generations. He is a broad-minded teacher and minister of the gospel. Throughout his life he has wielded a powerful influence among all his friends as well as those with whom he has come in contact.

He came to A. & M. not for the purpose of earning a livelihood (for he is a man of some means), but on account of his love and devotion for young men.

May he yet have many years to spend in his earthly home is our sincere wish.