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### DOES BIG BUSINESS WANT TO EMPLOY COLLEGE MEN?

A question that should interest a great many of the students of this college is discussed in the July issue of the Atlantic Monthly.

Does Big Business want to employ college men? This article is written by a man who is employed in a large business and who has spent a great part of his time in trying to place college men in businesses. As a general rule executives do not wish to employ college men. The outstanding criticism they offer is that college men desire to be advanced faster than his own development and the exigency of the business will permit. From the standpoint of the executive no educational training whatever offers an acceptable substitute for a reasonable period of actual work in a business organization. The reasonable period of actual work in business means at least five years. The college student expects to become an executive in less time than this. If the college student would spend these five years in honest work and if he gives unusual service he is sure to reap an unusual reward.

A great deal of the irritation Big Business feels with the college man has to do with his manners. "Executives easily excuse crudeness in a man who comes up from the ranks, but they are still very generally filled with the notion that a college education connotes gentility." Many self-made business executives in one and the same breath depreciate a college education and exaggerate the benefits it confers.

The article not only shows why business executives are not over anxious to employ college men, but it also gives the objections of the college students themselves to big business corporations. The student who intends working in a large organization would be well repaid for reading this article and learning the main objections Big Business has to the college graduate.

### MUCH INTEREST MANIFESTED IN A. & M. DEBATING SOCIETY

The A. and M. Debating Society was organized last Wednesday night. Officers for the session were elected as follows: W. W. Powers, president; L. Ortolani, vice-president; O. J. Hanszen, secretary; M. B. Cox, treasurer; R. O. Miles, parliamentarian; Mr. Spriggs, faculty sponsor. "Ty" Cobb, of the Bryan Daily Eagle, initiated the year's work by an excel-

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lent address on the value of public speaking.

This society is organized in the interest of public speaking and debating. Plans are made to have inter-collegiate, as well as society contests, in addition to the regular instructive programs. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, October 27, when M. B. Benton, C. A. Mathews and M. B. Cox will lead a discussion upon the question, Resolved, that the Eighteenth Amendment should be repealed. These meetings are public and every one interested, especially Fish, are cordially invited to be present.

Dr. Edwin E. Slosson, director of Science Service, Washington, D. C., will speak in the evening and will be followed by speakers extending greetings from the A. and M. College student body, faculty and alumni. Cadet Colonel R. L. Edgar of Cleburne, will speak for the students; Dr. Charles Puryear, dean of the College and of the Graduate School, for the faculty; and Judge Marion S. Church, class of 1905, for the alumni.

Saturday, October 16, anniversary day, will begin with a procession of officers and visiting delegates in academic costume to Guion Hall where the formal inauguration of President Walton will be held. Speakers of the morning will be President C. C. Selcman of Southern Methodist University, President W. B. Bizzell of the University of Oklahoma; F. M. Law, of Houston, president of the A. and M. College Board of Directors; Dean Charles H. Winkler of the A. and M. College; and President W. M. W. Splawn of the University of Texas.

At noon the Association of Former Students of the College will hold a luncheon and business meeting, with Hon. A. P. Duggan, of Littlefield, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and Hon. John Henry Kirby, of Houston, as the speakers. There will also be a luncheon in the Mess Hall for the visiting delegates.

On Saturday afternoon the visitors will be the guests of the College at the football game between the University of New Mexico and the Texas Aggies. Kyle Field will be in gala attire for this occasion, according to James L. Sullivan, business manager of athletics, who is making preparations for special decorations and entertainment features.

Following the football game, the delegates will be escorted on inspection tours of the College grounds, buildings and laboratories. At 7:30 the anniversary dinner will be held in the Mess Hall, with President Walton as toastmaster.

On Sunday morning the anniversary sermon will be delivered by Dr. Glenn L. Sneed, pastor of the Trinity Presbyterian church, Dallas, at the regular religious convocation of the student body in Guion Hall, in company with the visitors, campus residents and Bryan people.

The entire program of the celebration will be broadcast by Station WTAW of the College, wave length 270 meters.

### SENIORS ELECT COMMITTEES

The Senior class began thinking about the Thanksgiving Hop last Thursday, when they started their plans by electing the chairmen of the various committees. They elected S. "Dudley" Baker chairman of the arrangement committee; "Pat" Olsen, of the finance; R. M. Bacher, of the decorations; R. P. Yett, of the music; and O. F. Haslbauer, the floor.

These men have chosen their respective committees, and will have their plans completed in the near future.