

lege and to remove it from political influences and control, it is necessary that the law be changed, and the term of office be fixed at a period that will insure the presence on the Board, at all times, of a majority of members with experience in the administration of the affairs of the College, and conversant with its needs; otherwise, no policy that may be adopted can be carried out before the terms of office of the Board will have expired and a new Board appointed.

In his last message to the Legislature, Gov. Culbertson recommender that the present law governing the appointment of the Directors of the A. & M. College be changed; and accordingly bills have been introduced in the Legislature by Senator John A. Wayland, of Robertson county and Representative Henderson of Brazos county which eliminate that feature of the old law which rendered it unconstitutional, and providing for a board of eight directors, who shall hold their offices for two, four, six, and eight years from date of appointment, and providing that the terms of two directors shall expire every two years.

Under this law there will always be six experienced directors on the Board, and the College government will be made independent of every consideration except its own interest in the administration of the affairs of the Institution. This measure meets with the approval of friends of the College who have given thought to the matter and, if agreeable to you, we hope that you will write at once to your senator and representative in the Legisla-