

**The New Chairman
of the Board**

Governor Morrow has always taken a keen interest in affairs of the University and we can safely predict a continued and active growth for the University under his guidance.

The Alumnus wishes to congratulate Mr. Morrow upon the personnel of "The Board of Control" for the coming four years. The appointment of such a Board puts the State upon a level never before approached in the management of our institutions.

**The President's
Biennial Report**

Published elsewhere, in part, is this report, which most concisely and emphatically sets forth the needs of the University, and we beg of you to give it your most careful attention.

The advance made at the University since Dr. McVey's presidency stands upon its merits, but one can readily see from his report how the lack of funds for buildings and for administration is holding up this great work.

We of Kentucky or any other State cannot expect to have an institution of front rank when our teachers are paid a bare living wage, for no man can be at his highest efficiency when he must constantly be striving to meet the necessities of everyday life. Let us realize these facts and take steps to meet them for in our educational institutions lie our whole strength as a State and as a nation.

**The Call of the
Government**

One must not be unmindful of the fact that the Government is constantly calling for additional subscriptions to the Thrift Stamp and Treasury Saving Certificates. If the Government did not need this money they would not ask you to buy these securities and it is the duty of all to assist the Government at this and all times of stress from any cause whatsoever.

The Liberty Bond has thoroughly demonstrated to us the value of a first class investment over high or even excessive taxation and if such securities are not bought there is but one answer—TAXES.

**The Metric
System**

There is being conducted through the World Trades Club of San Francisco an extensive campaign for the adoption of the Metric System as the standard of weights and measures of the United States and thus helping to give to the world a much needed standardization. A great many States have gone on record approving such a measure and in a short time we believe it will be a fact and will greatly enhance trade relations between countries.

**The Boy
Scout**

There is no movement which deserves a more hearty endorsement and support than the Scout Movement. To be a scout a boy must, to speak succinctly, be a little man and there is nothing so valuable to a boy as an early schooling in the art of being a man, it teaches him to be independent, to be considerate of others, to love and to understand nature and some of her