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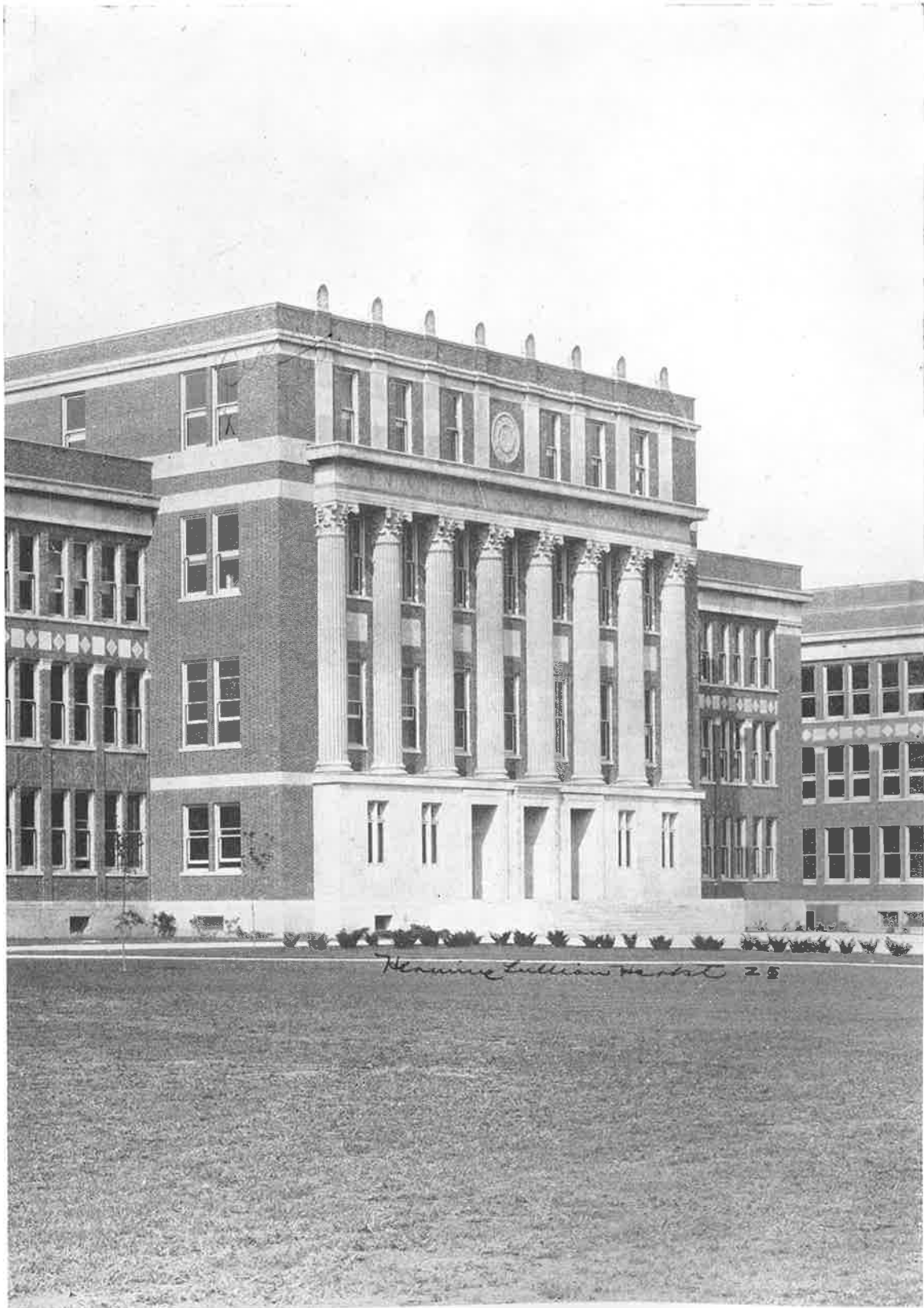
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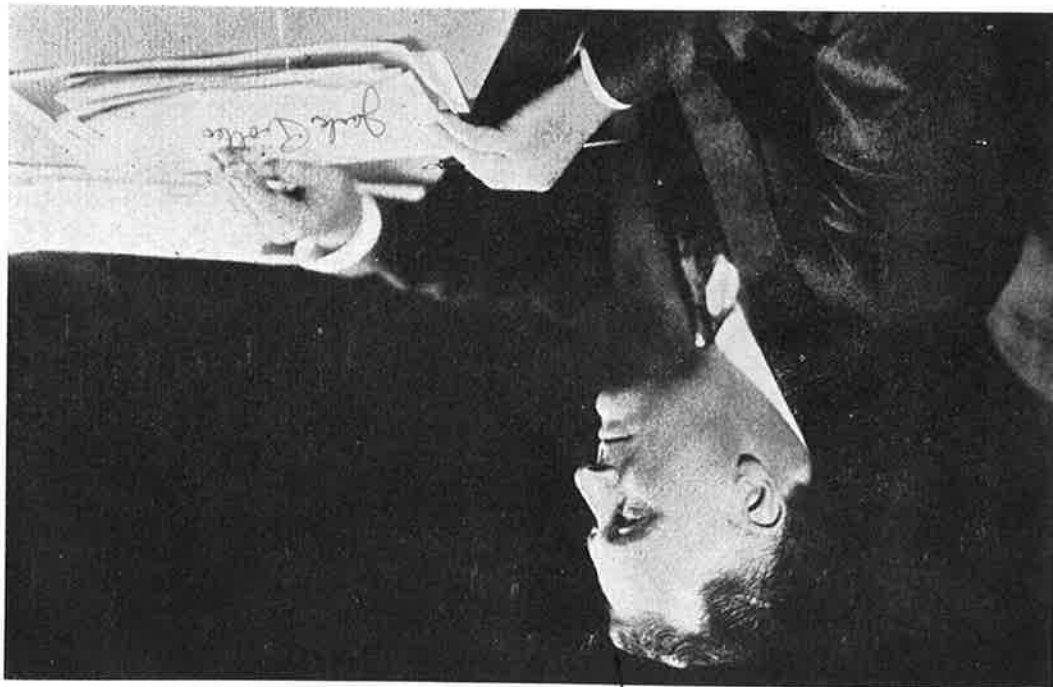
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To the people and teachers of the United States
Franklin Roosevelt



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American High-School Anniversary

THE year 1935 ushers in an important anniversary in the life of the American people. Three hundred years ago the first American high school—the Boston Latin School—was founded. It was established in 1635 only fifteen short years after the landing of the Pilgrims. From a small beginning with one instructor and a handful of students has grown the splendid service now provided for more than 6,000,000 young Americans by 26,000 public and private high schools. These schools are developing the most precious resource of our Nation, the latent intelligence of our young people. It is worth noting that social progress in the United States is following swiftly on the heels of the remarkable expansion of educational opportunity at the high school level.

I hope that the young people of every high school in the United States will celebrate this three hundredth anniversary. I hope they will celebrate it in a manner which will bring vividly before parents and fellow townsmen the significance, the contribution, and the goals of their schools.



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American High-School Anniversary

April 23, 1935 was a memorable date in the history of American education. On that date the Boston Latin School, the first American secondary institution, completed three hundred years of existence. This anniversary is being observed throughout the country on the scale and plane which the American ideal of public, universal and democratic education deserves.

The American secondary school has passed through various stages, each well fitted to its period. First was the Latin Grammar School, a purely college preparatory institution for boys and of which the Boston Latin School is the prototype. Next came the Academy of which the first was founded by Benjamin Franklin in Philadelphia in 1751. This institution extended the curriculum to include preparation for all walks of life. It grew rapidly until about 1850, reaching its fullest development in this state and notable examples still survive. Then came the Public High School, the first of which was established in Boston in 1821, and which has been the dominant secondary institution for the past forty-five years. More recently secondary education has been extended downward to include the junior high school and upward to the junior college.

Fifty years ago scarcely one out of every thirty boys or girls, fourteen to seventeen years of age, was attending a secondary school. The increase in attendance since the beginning of the present century is one of the amazing social phenomena of our time. Today more than one-half of all persons in this country fourteen to seventeen years of age are enrolled in our high schools.

This briefly states the situation of the American high school of yesterday and today. We are on the threshold of developments equally remarkable. Tomorrow all our youth will doubtless continue at least to their eighteenth year in schools with curriculums to meet the needs of all, adapted to the abilities of all and adjusted to challenge the interests of all.

THE KEY salutes the thousands of American public high schools, the pride of their various communities, in this Tercentenary year.

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CLASS ADVISERS

Little opportunity is afforded to thank fittingly our competent class advisers, Miss Dorothy Abert and Mr. Benjamin Lipson, but by no means has their friendly leadership passed unnoticed. No organization can successfully survive without expert-enced leaders, to point the way. In this respect our class has been indeed fortunate in having secured



DOROTHY ABERT

these fine teachers as its mainstay and support throughout its stay at Franklin.

Good advice, well heeded, makes for success. We, the class, appreciated the wise counsel rendered us; we, having implicit faith in our advisers, prudently followed their suggestions; the result—a troop of graduates humbly grateful yet sagacious.

Benjamin Lipson

BENJAMIN LIPSON



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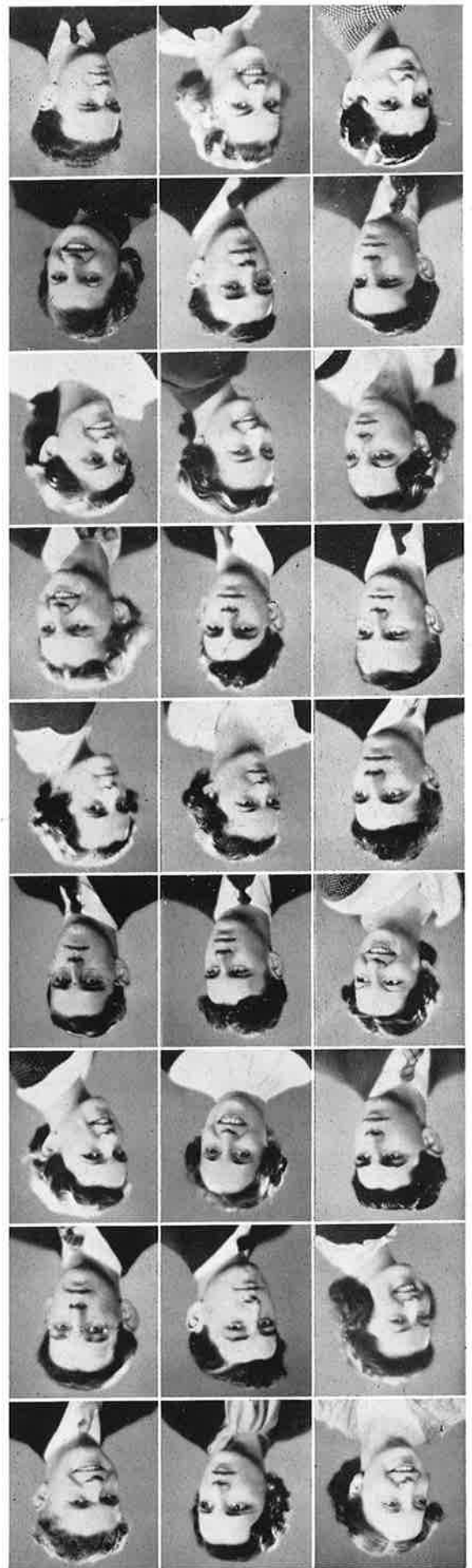
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We, the class of June, 1935, chose as our class officers those students who we believed would best represent us. They have proven to be capable leaders and administrators and have indeed represented us in a gallant manner.



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3; National Hon-
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