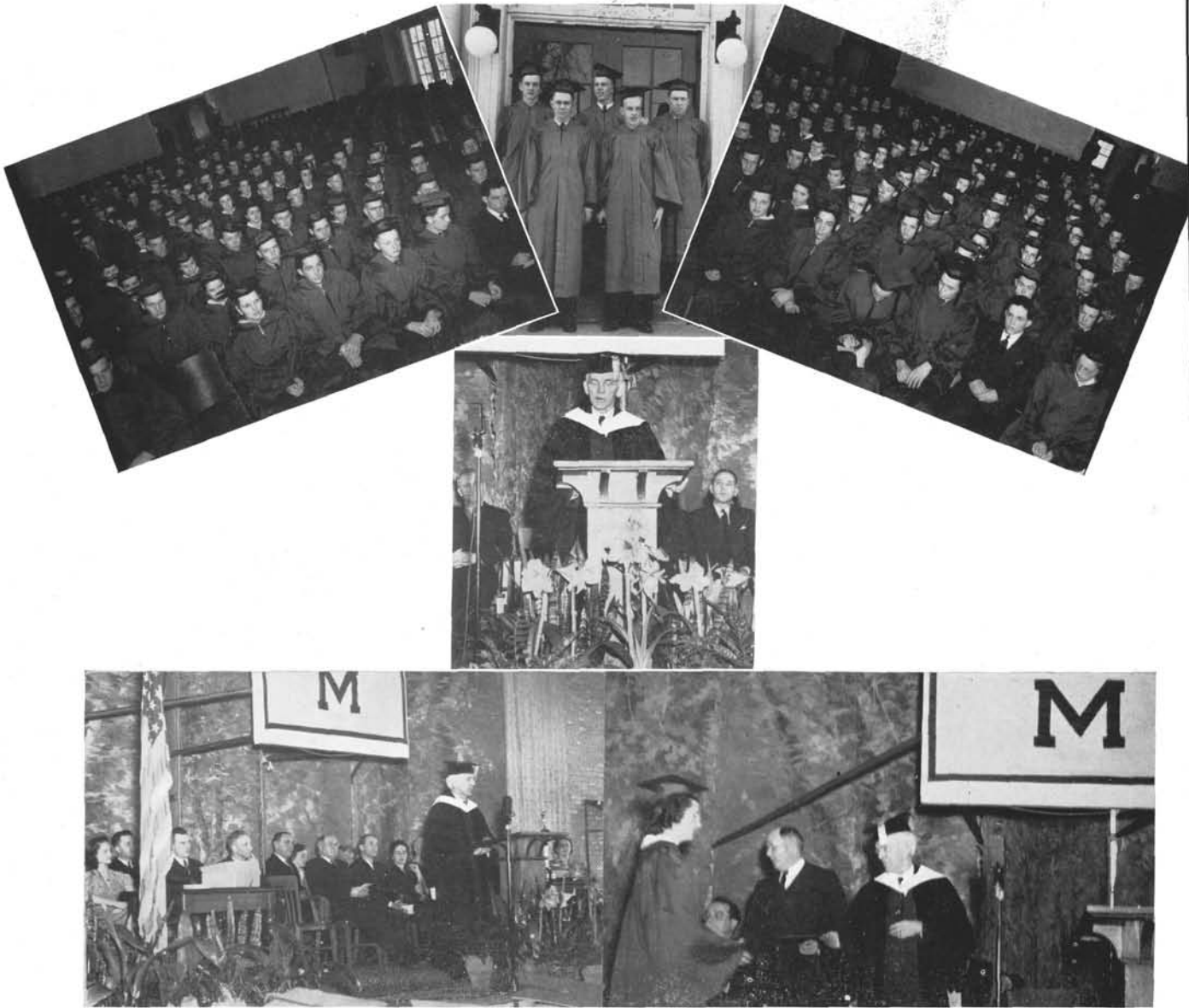


# 1941 COMMENCEMENT



Top row: Seniors and Advanced in cap and gown  
 Center: President Ford of the University of Minnesota delivers Commencement address  
 Bottom row: The faculty listen to President Ford.  
 Edna Balstad receives her diploma from Superintendent McCall assisted by President Ford

The graduation exercises of the Seniors, Advanced, and Specials of the Northwest School were held in the Gymnasium at two p. m. on Thursday, March twenty-seventh 1941. Superintendent McCall presided at the exercises. The invocation was given by the Reverend Mr. A. S. Haugen of Crookston. President Guy Stanton Ford of the University of Minnesota gave the Commencement address.

Musical numbers were presented by the school band and orchestra, the boys' and the girls' glee clubs and the brass sextette. Mr. McCall presented awards to honor students in scholarship, dramatics, athletics, and music. The program closed with awarding by Superintendent McCall assisted by President Ford of the three and four year diplomas. The final number was "Goodbye, Minnesota" sung by the graduates.