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Dear Boys and Girls of Troy:

I was pleased to learn that the City of Troy is to have a new public library facility for its citizens. You, its young people, are especially fortunate for it seems to me that in this day of constant change, the library can and should be a most important adjunct of community living for your recreation and education.

Today's library offers you, through its collection of materials a treasury of enjoyment and information. The history which lives in the pages of books provides you with a link between the past and the present. The wisdom of the ages is there ready for you to put to use in furthering your knowledge and experiences for now and the future.

The Open Door of the public library is a key to both enlarging the horizons of your worlds and to the making of friends who will be your companions for life.

I urge you to use and enjoy your public library.

Sincerely,

Daniel J. Evans
Governor