

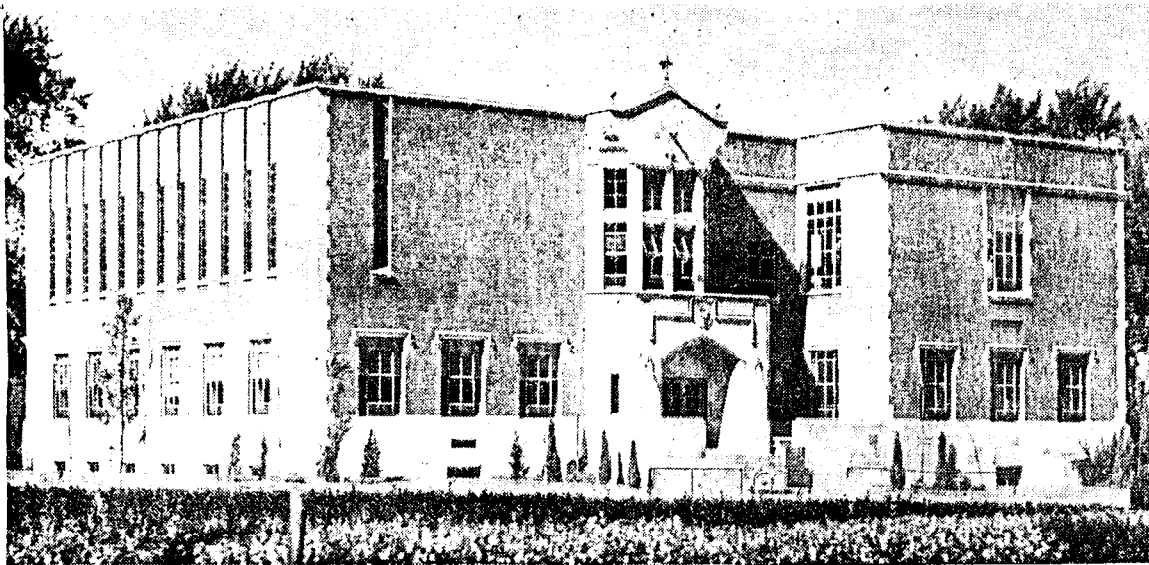
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# Dedicate Library Friday; Address By Farley Highlights Formal Ceremony



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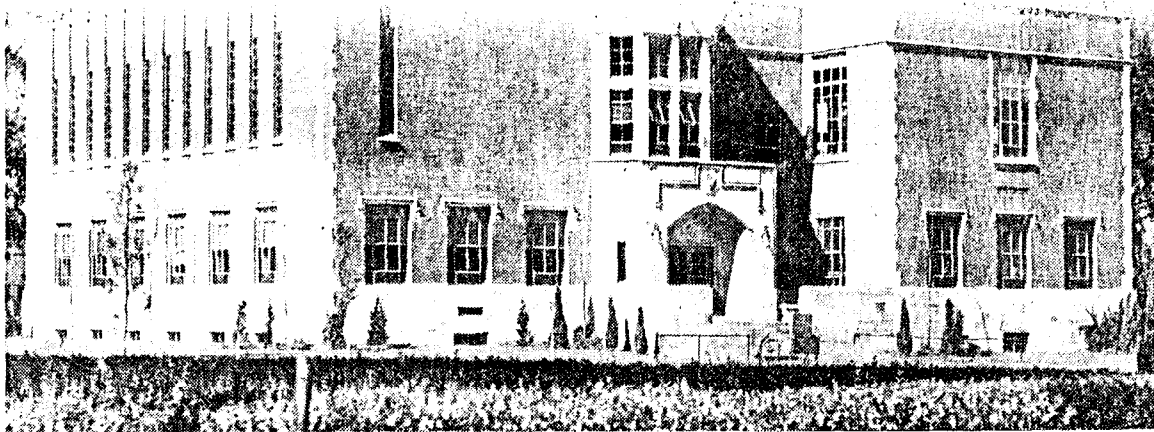
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DEDICATION OF ST. AMBROSE COLLEGE LIBRARY

Culminating the two days of unprecedented activities, the highlight of the Library dedication ceremonies will be the program scheduled for Friday afternoon. Herein will be materialized the dreams of those who contributed in any way to the construction of the new building, for those alumni, students, faculty, and friends of St. Ambrose who have watched the building progress. Though the festivities began with the solemn dedication of the Vic Pahl Memorial Statue this morning, all eyes will be centered upon the afternoon ceremonies tomorrow when Honorable James A. Farley delivers the principal address.

The significance of this event is mirrored in the Most Reverend Bishop's proclamation granting all who take part in the dedication the privilege to eat meat on the occasion. The exercise of this ecclesiastical prerogative is not a common occurrence.

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### DEDICATION OF ST. AMBROSE COLLEGE LIBRARY THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23 •

- 9:50 a.m.—Blessing of Vic.Pahl Memorial Statue  
Talk by Rt. Rev. Msgr. M. A. O'Connell
- 6:30 p.m.—Dinner at Hotel Blackhawk for Organization Workers of the Friends of St. Ambrose

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

- 10:00 a.m.—Pontifical Low Mass and Sermon by Most Reverend Henry P. Rohlman, Bishop of Davenport  
Mass celebrated in new Library
- 12:00 noon—Luncheon for priests and invited delegates at Hotel Blackhawk
- 2:15 p.m.—Assembly of delegates in front of Ambrose Hall
- 2:30 p.m.—Academic procession  
Ceremonies of Dedication  
Conferring of Honorary Degrees  
Address by the Honorable James A. Farley
- 4:00-8:30 p.m.—Open House. Formal opening of new Library. Public invited.

### Will Receive Honorary Degrees



Dr. Virgil M. Hancher



Very Rev. M. J. Martin



Rt. Rev. J. J. Boylan



Hon. James A. Farley

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## To Speak at Ceremony



Most Rev. H. P. Rohlman

The faculty and students of St. Ambrose College, and their friends who take part in the dedication ceremonies, may eat meat on the day of the dedication, Friday, October 24. The Most Reverend Bishop has graciously published this dispensation, which he is empowered to administer by the Church.