

Dedication of New Agricultural Building

Invocation	Rev. J. C. Roseland
Music—"Anchored"	Boys' Glee Club
Naming of New Agricultural Building—"James J. Hill Building"	
	Hon. B. F. Nelson for the Board of Regents
Address	Hon. James J. Hill, St. Paul
Music	Selected
	Miss Hovey, Northwest School of Agriculture
Address	President George E. Vincent, The University of Minnesota
Song—"Minnesota"	

The new agricultural building was completed late in the year of 1912. The dedication of this building together with the naming of three other buildings took place on December 5, 1912. A special tram left Crookston, on the Great Northern road, at two o'clock in the afternoon, running to the school carrying the members of the Northern Minnesota Development Association, who were holding a convention in Crookston at the time, and others who wished to visit the school to attend the dedicatory exercises.

Upon the arrival of the train at the school, the visitors, following the Agricultural School Cadets, went to the Auditorium in the Kiehle Building where the new Science Building was dedicated and formally named the James J. Hill Building.

Mr. J. J. Hill gave a very interesting address, following Hon. B. F. Nelson, of the Board of Regents, who introduced Mr. Hill. President Vincent followed with an inspiring address.

After the dedication exercises the visitors made a trip of inspection to the J. J. Hill Building and the school grounds. At six o'clock a farm dinner was served in the school dining room in Stephens Hall to nearly three hundred guests. Following the dinner the following program was given:

DEAN A. F. WOODS, Presiding.

"Early Development of Agriculture in Northern Minnesota"

Effective Co-operation	Mr. A. J. McGuire, Grand Rapids
"The Public School's Part"	Mr. E. C. Higbie, Morris, Minn.
Song—"Thee I Think of Margaret"	Mr. A. A. Miller, Crookston
"Slumber Boat"	Myer-Helmund Gayncr
	Miss Frances Hovey
"The Northern Development Association"	Mr. Gwan, Two Harbors
"The City's Interest"	Mr. A. D. Stephens, Crookston
Response	Mr. J. J. Hill, St. Paul
"The University"	President George E. Vincent

Naming of School Buildings

FARM ENGINEERING AND DAIRY BUILDING

Tender of name, "SIDNEY M. OWEN HALL" by Prof. T. L. Haecker, St. Paul.

Response by Mr. Hugh J. Hughes, Minneapolis.

GIRLS' DORMITORY.

Tender of name, "WILLIAM ROBERTSON HALL" by Hon. B. F. Nelson, Minneapolis.

Response by Mrs. William Robertson,

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING.

Tender of name "DAVID L. KIEHLE BUILDING" Supt. C. G. Selvig.
Response by Hon. F. B. Snyder, Minneapolis.

The Farm Engineering and Dairy Building was named after Sidney M. Owen, first Editor-in-Chief of "Farm, Stock and Home" and former University of Minnesota Regent. The Girls' Dormitory was named after William Robertson, former superintendent of the Northwest School of Agriculture. The Administration Building was named after Dr. David L. Kiehle, formerly State Superintendent of Public Instruction, the man who fostered the idea of having agricultural schools connected with the University.

