

[Resolution tabled]

ST. CLOUD STATE COLLEGE
St. Cloud, Minnesota
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MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTION

GRANNIS-MARTIN LIBRARY
(New Library Building)

BE IT RESOLVED, that the new Library Building to be erected within the next three years at St. Cloud State College be named the Grannis-Martin Library in honor of Miss Edith B. H. Grannis and Miss Mamie R. Martin.

Miss Grannis served as chief librarian at St. Cloud State College for 38 years and Miss Martin was associate librarian for 33 years. Both retired in 1955.

Miss Grannis holds a B.A. degree from the University of Wisconsin and an M.S. degree from Columbia University. She joined the St. Cloud faculty in 1917 after serving as a librarian at Mankato State Normal School and Buhl, Minnesota, public schools.

Miss Martin holds a B.L. degree from Wesleyan University and an M.S. degree from Columbia University. She joined the St. Cloud faculty in 1922 after serving seven years as a public librarian in Clinton, Iowa.

Both were active in such organizations as the Minnesota Library Association, American Library Association, Delta Kappa Gamma and American Association of University Women.

Miss Grannis and Miss Martin devoted most of their professional careers toward providing students with the best of the world's literature and keeping them constantly in touch with current world affairs. Their sincere personal interest in the development of young minds included visits at their own expense to many of the nation's outstanding libraries to learn how to improve their own library service.

It is appropriate that the new Library Building at St. Cloud State College bear the names of these two esteemed librarians whose unselfish dedication to their profession and generous service to the college are an inspiration and challenge to all.