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3. Board of regents of Wichita University yesterday adopted the 1938-39 budget and approved construction of a $185,000 library. Of this the board will set aside $66,000 this year and $37,000 next year, with the federal government furnishing the remainder of the needed funds. Tax rate set at 1.75 mills for operation and 0.25 mill for bond sinking, or a total of two mills, the same as last year.

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1. The government has approved a grant of $53,997 of Public Works Administration funds towards cost of construction of a new library at Wichita University. Total cost will be $119,994, of which the school will furnish 55 percent, or $65,996. Details.

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10. Contract let today to the Frank E. Blaser Construction Company of Wichita for the new library at Wichita University. His low bid was $111,073. Federal funds will pay 45 percent of the total cost.

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7. Ground breaking ceremony for the new University of Wichita library was held this morning. Details.

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8. Photograph of framework of new University of Wichita library building, which is under construction and will be completed about the middle of the year.
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5. First tour to be held today through new library at University of Wichita, which is rapidly nearing completion.

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3. The new Wichita university library was formally dedicated last night. Details. Constructed at cost of $165,459, of which the Public Works Administration paid 45 percent, or $75,456. The total includes $43,300 for equipment.

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5A. Board of Regents of University of Wichita yesterday gave tentative approval to the plans for a new $1.5 million library building to be located on the campus northeast of Neff Hall. The preliminary plans were presented by architect John M. Hickman, of Architects Associated, 2314 East Central. Details.

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1. Photo of new Wichita University library under construction. To cost $1.6 million and to be completed in time for fall classes. Construction started in May last year. Architects are John M. Hickman and Associates. Details.

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5A. Dedication of the University of Wichita’s new $1,500,000 library will be tomorrow morning. The building will be called the Ablah Library. Architects were John Hickman and Associates. Details. Follow up report November 2 on page 5A.