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A splendid interior was designed by the architects for the new University of Oklahoma Library. The entrance is through doors mounted in waxed oak and hammered brass. The lobby presents an impression which prevails uniformly throughout the building — that of cloistered scholasticism. Such an atmosphere is the result of the Collegiate Gothic architecture which was chosen and of the handsome interior designs which accompany it. The most notable feature of this interior is the elaborate carving of panelled wainscot, pointed archways, intricate grill work and ceilings spanned by wide-flung trusses. The detail which is achieved only by the handiwork of the trained wood carver is reminiscent of a medieval cathedral. This setting, intriguing the eye at every turn, proves itself an appropriate and beautiful home for the priceless books in the possession of the University. Renaissance volumes which reflect the fine art of printing in the fifteenth century and modern day books which illustrate the advances in this art from ancient days are alike at home in so fine a background. The Oklahoma Sash and Door Company has scored a distinct achievement in producing such fine workmanship.

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