PLANS FOR Y.M.C.A. BUILDING FURNISHED

THEY ARE NOW AT THE DIS-POSAL OF BUILDERS.

The Specifications Comprise One Hundred and Sixty Pages-It Is the Purpose of the Directors to Complete the Building Without Debt and They Will Not Let Any Contracts Until the Entire Amount Is Baised-Some of the Features of the Building.

The finished plans and specifications of the new Young Men's Christian association building have been received at the Young Men's Christian association rooms in the Guernsey building, and are open to any Scranton contractor who may desire to figure or them. The specifications make a volume of one hundred and sixty pages of closely written matter, and there are fifty sheets of drawings covering every detail of the building.

Every item has been closely studied by the trustees and by various expert association men, and the plan is pro-nounced to be the most complete and economical of any building yet erected for association use in the United States. Every inch of space has been used to the best possible advantage Nothing is extravagantly large. Every part of the building has been designed for daily use. There are no rooms set apart as in some Young Men's Christian association buildings for "committee rooms," "board rooms," etc., to be used once a week or less. Every bit of space which can be rented without crippling the association has been reserved for that purpose.

Already applications are in for three stores and a suite of offices on the first floor and two studios on an upper floor for a total of \$3,280. Large numbers of applications have been made for the eighty-four rooms on the upper floors Thus it is expected that the association will very nearly sustain itself, and could be made to do so entirely but for the fact that it desires to make membership fees, room rentals and all privileges so reasonable that hardworking and poorly paid young fellows who need them can have them.

ATTRACTIVE FEATURE.

One of the most attractive features of the new building is to be the roof. A central pavilion, or roof house covers the elevator and stairway and on either side of it an arbor stretches for forty feet. This, when covered with vines, will be the most delightful summer resort imaginable.

Secretary Mahy has in mind a series of Saturday evening popular concerts, a sort of open night for the members and their friends of both sexes, with a nominal admission fee of ten cents. The caterer will serve ice ceram, soda water, etc., which may be indulged in while the concert is in progress. Here, too, on Sunday afternoons, when it is ordinarily too hot for comfort indoors, the shaded arbors will be used for the association gospel meetings.

The three most beautiful parts of the building architecturally will be the gymnasium and baths, the central rotunda and the auditorium. Special attention has been given to the ventilation and arrangement of the Turkish bath, the swimming bool and locker room. A feature never yet included in a Young Men's Christian association building is the sterilizing room for th proper drying and sterilizing of all symnasium suits and sweaters after exercise before being put away in the

THE ROTUNDA.

The central rotunda will have a large fireplace and an attractive main staircase with balconies on either side as its principal features, The auditorium has the ideal pro

portions for a comfortable place of arsembly. A beautiful balcony in the shape of a horseshoe is suspended from the ceiling of the hall, and will make the total seating capacity about 1,000, The stage is large enough for any chorus work or entertainment likely to require the use of such a hall. The floor is inclined as in the most modern theatres and concert halls.

The canvass for funds for the building is now in progress and the directors are meeting with encouragement About fifty thousand dollars in popular subscriptions are still needed to complete the \$200,000 required for the building and all furnishings. Between three or four thousand of this amount has been subscribed during the week, and these amounts are in prospect from those who have promised to contribute but have asked time to decide as to the amount.

It is the purpose of the trustees to complete the building absolutely without debt, and they desire to announce that they will not let any contracts until the entire amount is raised. Sixty thousand dollars in large subscriptions secured within the past few weeks are conditional upon \$200,000 being raised, and until this condition is met the Young Men's Christian association cannot claim this amount.

INFLUENCE OF BUILDING. The influence of such a building on the boys and young men of Scranton cannot be estimated, and every man who can spare any amount from his actual necessities for this purpose ought at once to put it in the hands of the Young Men's Christian associa-

The New Haven Young Men's Christian association is raising a fund of \$225,000 for a new building and announce this week one subscription of \$30,000, one of \$25,000, four of \$10,000 and a conditional subscription of \$40,-900. One of the donors to this fund is Miss Scranton, of New Haven, well-known here; her gift was \$10,000. Day-ton, Ohio, is raising funds for a building to cost over \$300,000, and Toledo, Ohio, has plans drawn for a \$250,000 building; \$20,000 from one family has

been given towards it. People are beginning to plan for their oung men and boys, and are planning wisely, by dedicating a new Young Men's Christian association building every nine days in the United States

PATRICK HERRITY INJURED.

Bellevue Man Has a Fit While Shoveling Snow at Court House. No little excitement was caused on the court house square about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Patrick Herrity, of Believue, while at work shovel-ing the snow from the walk, falling in a fit, and striking his head against the curb. He fell with the blood pour-ing from several cuts in his head. A crowd gathered and he was soon

Health Officer Burke arrived on the scene and when the injured man was able to walk he was taken to the Lackawanna hospital, where the cuts in his chin were sewed up and bandaged, after which he was dismissed. Herrity formerly was employed by the Scranton Asphalt company and is

very subject to fits.

While in the employ of the saphalt company and working on the streets he frequently suffered fits, and on one of these occasions fell into the heated asphalt, suffering terrible burns from which he only recently recovered.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COMMON. Called for Next Thursday Evening

by Chairman Kellar. A special meeting of common council has been called for next Tuesday evening for the purpose of considering the appropriation ordinance, which was amended on third reading at last Thursday evening's meeting.

As select council meet on the same evening, it is understood that the measure will be taken over there and the amendments concurred in. It was at first thought that a fight would be made on at least two of the amendnents, but it is now believed that there will be no material opposition to them.

INDUSTRIAL JOTTINGS.

Make-up of the D., L. & W. Board for Today-Option on Land Has Expired.

Following is the make-up of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western board for today:

a. m.-D. Wallace, with Polhamus' men. 4 a. m.—J. Bush. 6 a. m.—O. Miller. 8 a. m.—G. Rafferty. 12.30 p. m.—P. J. O'Malley. 3.30 p. m.—M. Hennigan. 4.45 p. m.—A. Hopkins.

PULLER.

PUSHERS. \$ a. m., south-Houser. 11.30 a. m., south-Moran. 7 p. m., south-Murphy. 10 p. m., south-C. Cawley.

PASSENGER ENGINE. m.-Magovern. WILD CATS, NORTH. 11 a. m., 2 engines—C. Kingsley. 4.45 p. m., 2 engines—J. O'Hara. 9 p. m., 2 engines—LaBar, with W. D. Warfel's men.

Option Has Expired.

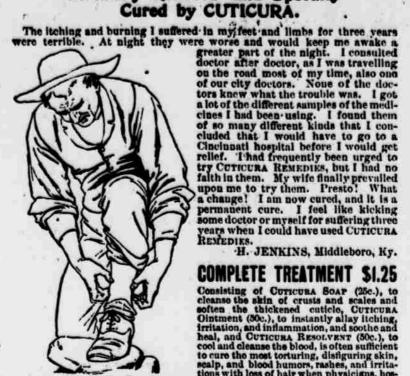
The option on the plat of land in Petersburg secured by Secretary Atherion, of the Board of Trade, for the benefit of the German concern desiring to move their screw manufacturing plant to this country, expired yester-day and Mr. Atherton has as yet received no word from the German peo-

He has not yet, however, given up hopes of establishing the industry here and believes that he may be able to extend the time limit for a short time. In the meantime he has placed himself in communication with the New York branch of the firm, with the view of ascertaining why there has been no word received.

Mr. Jennings Has Resigned. James T. Jennings, chief electrician for the Hillside Coal and Iron company here, and one of Forest City's most popular young men, will on the to accept a similar but more lucrative one with the Davis Coal company at Thomas, W. Va. Mr. Jennings will be located near Pittsburg and will have

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charge of the electrical department of several collieries.

While his new position opens up bet-ter prospects for him, a host of people will regret Mr. Jennings' departure from Forest City. He is a competent electrician and being an earnest stuand exemplary in habits he is bound to succeed. His departure will be a loss to the town.-Forest City News.

This and That.

J. S. Swisher, of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, is unable to attend to his duties owing to illness. John E. Walsh, general passenger

and freight agent of the Ontario and Western railroad, took a short trip over the line yesterday. Superintendent J. M. Daly, of the transportation department, left yesterday afternoon for a trip to Binghamton, Elmira and Buffalo. The Delaware and Hudson and Jer-

sey Central trains were running on time as usual yesterday, the storm Chief Engineer Webster and staff of

assistant engineers will locate tempor, rily in Dunmore for the next few days in the interests of the proposed new Kingston and Delaware Valley rail-

Several of the trains on the Lackawanna road were delayed yesterday owing to Thursday night's storm, but no damages were reported. No. 6, due at 2.30, was three quarters of an hour late, but the traffic was unusually

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to improve and I fell away in

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trouble from eczema now and my

weight is 180 pounds, about

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ly and I am not troubled with

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would sour on my stomach. I

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to be freezing. I had numbness

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