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MEDIA'S HANDSOME NEW BANK BUILDING

The First National Bank of Media will be one of the handsomest bank buildings in the State. The new structure will have a frontage of 40 feet on State Street and a depth of 77 feet on South Avenue. It will be 53 feet to the peak of the roof. The banking room proper will have a ceiling 35 feet high. While the furniture has not been selected it will be of mahogany finish, and will be the very best that can be obtained in the market. There will be two large vaults in the bank proper, one for deposits and the other for safe deposits. The second story will contain a vault for books and papers. The Directors' room and the other necessary adjuncts to a first class banking institution will be on the first floor.

The specifications call for either Leiper & Lewis gray stone, Port Deposit or Eastern gray granite. The Leiper & Lewis and Eastern granite stone will be used.

The work of tearing down the old banking building and the store adjoining will be commenced at once. Ballinger & Company, the well-known contractors of Philadelphia, will do the work, the contract having been let to Earnest Yarnall of Media, who is a member of this firm. The contract calls for the completion of the bank sometime during the fall.

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