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# The 'New Look' For Stroud Sub. Rooms

Although work on the exterior of the Stroud Subscription Rooms has been going ahead at a steady rate since early July, it will be several weeks before the various jobs are completed.

The workmen have been dealing with two main tasks. This week Mr. T. G. Askew, surveyor to Stroud U.D.C., told a 'News and Journal' reporter, "Stone on the front of the building was approaching a dangerous state, and present repairs that have been carried out are those essential to put the building in a safe condition."

The main danger was stone dropping down on the outside from the building, owing to frost, said Mr. Askew.

The second major job has been the roof. Of this Mr. Askew said, "The roof has been leaking, and we are going to strip off the slates, because the nails have rusted, and re-felt." Predominantly, however, the roof is in a good condition, added the surveyor.

Minor interior repairs are also to be carried out before the building will be in general use again.

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