

# BY, OF and FOR ARCHITECTS

*A club and office building  
in São Paulo, Brazil*

*Forte, Ruchti, Ciampaglia,  
Architects*



**M**ANY an American group of architects will envy the new building Brazilian architects have planned for themselves as a combined club, exhibition hall and office building. The ground or street floor is devoted to exhibition space, handy and inviting to the general public. Below is the meeting room or auditorium which can be used for many different occasions as there is ample storage space for chairs and other paraphernalia when the floor must be kept clear. The restaurant and bar on the second floor is bound to be popular. The floors above should be ideal for architects' offices — rentable space to make the project self-supporting. Construction is of reinforced concrete, brick and glass, resting on pile foundations under the columns.

