SPECIAL SCULPTURAL CARVING.

The carving in the SPANDRELS over south entrance doorways, the twelve Caryatides on the attic on south front, the three small groups on the pediment on north front, are to be executed only by men skillful in figure carving, approved by the ARCHITECT.

Plaster models of these several items are to be furnished by the Contractor. The ARCHITECT shall select and designate the parties to make such models. Allow for these special plaster models as follows: For the spandrels over south entrance doorways, $500 each; for Caryatides on attic, south front, $900 each; for the small groups on pediment, north front, average $1,000 each. Allow for the eagles on dome buttresses $250 each (there will be two models only for these eagles, one right and one left; the others will be duplicates).

The above amounts are for modelling, and do not include transportation, freight or carving.

ALTERNATIVE FOR MARBLE ASHLAR.

If Marble is selected for the exterior face work, all ashlar shown as six inches and ten inches thick, may be reduced to four inches thick, excepting the ashlar facing of the basement story, which will be required to be the same depth as at present shown on the drawings, it being the intention that in general the marble ashlar may have a uniform thickness of four inches.

The bonding at the corners must show face joints in accordance with the drawings, and not otherwise. The jambs will be cut from the solid, and in the same manner as shown on the drawings.

The pediments, window caps, sills, capitals, cornices, string courses, and all other moulded courses, likewise to be according to the drawings, it being the intention of the above alternative that if marble is used for the face work that the ASHLAR ONLY shall be made thinner than shown on the drawings, the thickness of the wall to be made up by the brick backing. All requirements as to anchoring will be in accordance with the specifications.