

Windsstock Dec. 4, 1857.

Dear Sir

Dr. Powers is desirous of being furnished with "a design of a suitable figure" for the dome of the state house and speaks of his intention of going to Boston about the 14th instant, when he would be glad to give the order for the gravings of the image. If the committee cannot come together, I am willing to submit the matter to your direction. The figure on the lithograph is a very good one (tho' the shield should not be charged with St. George's cross) and would appear well with the American crest on either side. - But I have given no thought to the subject, hoping that I should see you before any demand should be made for the design - and now I do not think it of any importance that it should be furnished forthwith.