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My Friend Marsh

I am at last enabled to transmit to you, some copies of the Perspective of our Anticipated Capitol. I have done my best to have produced a good picture and am pleased to think that my efforts have not been in vain. A deal of attention and anxiety has been expended to produce it, of which no one save myself can be conversant. I hope and even dare to think, you will be pleased with the new done. I like it quite as well as any we have had. Twenty copies of the drawing I send to Mr. William for himself, Judge Porter, and the Jurors; the rest, I send to doct Powers. If you have any directions for him please write to him immediately so that he may be informed at the time of the meeting of the session. I order but 200 copies of the picture. More can be had at any time they are needed. Please give me your criticisms of the done as soon as convenient, as I wish to make my working drawings. All the old ones, I lay aside.

I am yours very truly  
Thomas W. Silliman  
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