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May 2007 Construction Newsletter

Demolition on the West face of the building continues on schedule, to allow the new West building to begin. Window openings are being enlarged, along with the removal of many walls, allowing for more open and brighter future spaces.

May Milestones Reached

- Existing east skylight and roof removed
- Atrium interior demolition is in progress
- Structural revisions at the 11th floor Attic space are being made
- Dormers are being added along with the raising of the existing limestone arches on both the East and West elevations.

Upcoming Work in June

- Excavation of the west basement and foundation work for new addition
- Continuing demo in the Tower and East portion of the building
- Seismic bracing installation to begin in the Tower
- Removal and repair of exterior limestone at East entrance
- Restoration work on the south and east tower exterior elevations



West Elevation with Arch raised



West Arch Re-Construction

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Additional Photos



Cornice material from east Atrium



Grand Reference Room looking north

Interesting Facts:
No. of workers on site per day=95
Limestone salvaged this month=12,000 S.F.