



Headquarters of the Gulf,  
New-Orleans, Sept 24<sup>th</sup> 1862

General

Major General Butler directs  
that an order be issued  
from your office that  
none of the persons confined  
in the Parish Prisons be  
henceforth whipped

I Remain Very Respy  
Fred Martin  
Lieut & A. DC

To Brig Genl Shepley  
Military Governor

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Description: Benjamin Butler to George Shepley asking him to issue an order to stop the whipping of prisoners in Parish Prison.