I have the honour to acknowledge your letter of the 25th inst., and am happy to send you copy of the Act of God letter to the Board, setting forth the black market theory. The Act of God letter was the fruit of consultation with our officers, and you can form some idea from it.
24th December, 1862

C. H. Foote

O. H. B.

J. B. Munro

C. C. M.

C. H. Foote

I understand that the City of New Orleans is under the control of the United States forces. I have put the best men in command.
By George, 29 Dec. 1805

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M. R. Barronite.
In reply to your communication, dated February 14th, I am directed to say that the copy of a letter from the attorney respecting the death of one of your prisoners is enclosed. I have to state that I am authorized to say that the letter refers to a man who was brought down from the latter town by a constable to Wallis Plains. He is buried there. This prisoner is one of those known to have been concerned in some of the outrages committed on the upper parts of the river.

I have the honor to be,

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]