

**GENERAL SHEPLEY.**—The new military Governor of Louisiana is thus described by the New Orleans correspondent of the New York Times:—

“The General, as a military civil magistrate of this city, has daily performed an amount of labor that seems appalling to the enervated habits of the people; and when it was announced that he would accept the office of Governor, there was a universal expression of pleasure among the Union men. There could not be congratulations enough; all felt that justice would be administered, and that business would be dispatched. Gen. Shepley will go to Baton Rouge to-morrow (13th,) and there will decide where the capital of the State will be. I presume that for the present New Orleans will be selected; at least I should consider it a calamity if he and General Butler were just at this time separated, for in their united councils there is wisdom, and the difficulties of governing this city and the State can hardly be realized. I look upon the position of the Military Governor of Louisiana as one of the most important in the gift of the President. I think if Gen. Shepley can live to return to his native State of Maine, crowned with the high civic honor of restoring Louisiana to the Union, he will deserve well of the nation. That he appreciates the high responsibilities of his position, entirely comprehends the magnitude of the difficulties with which he is surrounded, and is determined to prove himself equal to the occasion, and worthy of the unlimited confidence of Mr. Lincoln, I have no doubt.”