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RULES AND REGULATIONS

OF THE LITTLE ROCK

PLASTERERS ASSOCIATION,

FOR THE MEASUREMENT OF THEIR WORK.

APPROVED, JUNE 15, 1838.



Rule 1st, All work shall be measured from the floor to the ceiling, including openings; the whole to be superficial measurement.

Rule 2d, Narrow passages six feet and under, shall be measured once and a half; those over six feet, once and a quarter.

Rule 3d, Staircases eight feet wide and under, shall be measured double; those over eight feet, once and a half. Circular Staircases under eight feet wide, to measure three times.

Rule 4th. All inclined ceilings to measure once and a half

Rule 5th, Dormer Windows, Closets, and Privies, to be measured double.

Rule 6th, All Chimney Breasts shall measure double; all quirks 10 cents per foot, lineal measurement; obtuse and acute angles 10 cents per foot.

Rule 7th, All Furring, shall measure 75 cents per 100 feet.

Rule 8th, The owners in all cases to find scaffolding and vessels to hold water.

Rule 9th, Where the walls are not plumb and the plasterer has to put on more than one inch, he must be paid in proportion.

Rule 10th, The measurer to be paid by each party.

Rule 11th, Stucco work, all moulding under 12 inches to measure lineally, all over to measure superficially, and all the plain work of pannels to measure three times.

Rule 12th, In measuring mouldings, two feet shall be allowed for each mitre.

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