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Dear Governor:

At the request of Hon. A. P. K. Safford, that you be notified of any proposition received by this Department for the enlargement of the Huachuca Military Reservation, I beg to say that such a proposition has been received, approved by the Division and Department Commanders, and will be submitted

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to the Interior Department to ascertain if that Department has any objection to the enlargement proposed.

The present Reserve of 9 miles square, which was declared by the Department Commander in 1877, is proposed to be enlarged to include certain timber lands deemed necessary for Military purposes

Very truly yours

Chief Clerk

Gen R. C. McCormick
Washington D.C.

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