

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA,
WHIPPLE BARRACKS, PRESCOTT, August 22, 1881.

SPECIAL ORDERS }
No. 97. }

I. Private *Emanuel Roque*, Company F, Twelfth Infantry, is detailed on daily duty in the Quartermaster's Department, and will report in person without delay to the Depot Quartermaster, Whipple Depot, A. T., for duty.

II. A Board of Officers to consist of:—

1. Captain *G. C. Smith*, A. Q. M. U. S. Army,
 2. Captain *T. C. Tupper*, Sixth Cavalry,
 3. First Lieutenant *Carl F. Palfrey*, Corps of Engineers,
- will meet at Camp Huachuca, A. T., at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the 1st day of September, 1881, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to examine and report upon the best site in that neighborhood for a permanent post.

Captain *Smith*, after the adjournment of the Board, will prepare estimates and plans for the buildings required, under special instructions from the Chief Quartermaster of the Department.

III. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect upon the arrival of a medical officer to relieve him, is granted Assistant Surgeon *Elliott Coates*, U. S. Army, with permission to apply to the proper authority for an extension of three months.

BY COMMAND OF BREVET MAJOR-GENERAL WILLCOX :


Assistant Adjutant General.

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