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Wood, Leonard, 1860-1927
Fort Huachuca Sanitary Report, July 1887

DESCRIPTION

Handwritten, four-page monthly sanitary report from Leonard Wood, as Post Surgeon, to the Commanding Officer of Fort Huachuca concerning the sanitary condition of the post buildings, food, clothing, and water, dated July 31, 1887.

1 box, .10 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Army officer; Leonard Wood joined the Army Medical Corps and was sent to Fort Huachuca, Arizona in 1886. He was active in the final campaign against Geronimo, then became White House physician in 1895 to President McKinley, commanded the First U.S. Volunteer Cavalry, the Rough Riders, in the Spanish-American War, and was named military governor of Cuba. From 1910 to 1914 he was Army Chief of Staff.

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