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California

Imperial

Winterhaven

State

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Town or Vicinity

Old Officers Quarters - Fort Yuma

(CAL-412)

Structure

Library Material: Pages of a Report, 0; Photographs, 0;
Measured Drawings, 3.

History: Fort Yuma protected the Crossing of the Colorado River for the southern immigrant trail. Established in 1849, the first buildings were destroyed by fire in 1852. This building was rebuilt between 1852 and 1855, used by the Army until 1885. Assigned to the Yuma Indian Reservation 1892 to the present time.

1 SET REPRODUCIBLES

1 " INKED CROWARS

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Description: Four separate one-story adobe structures on sloping ground covered with a single stepped-up roof. Surrounded by open porticos on all sides. The original louvered exterior has been replaced with unattractive stucco. The interiors are in fair condition with fireplaces and French doors.

References: Hygiene of the U. S. Army, Circular #8, Washington, D. C. 1875, Barnes, Surgeon General, USA

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