ADJUTANT AND INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Richmond, September 13, 1862.

GENERAL ORDERS,
No. 67.

I. Different constructions having been placed on paragraph III, General Orders No. 65, current series, it is hereby declared that it only applies to paroled or exchanged prisoners who are sick and wounded in hospitals, and who have not been furnished with descriptive lists.

II. The Surgeon General, the Quartermaster General, the Commissary General and the Chief of Ordnance will cause an immediate and thorough inspection to be made in all the branches of their several departments, and will report to the Adjutant and Inspector General the number of able bodied men of conscript age now in department employ, whose places can be filled by conscripts accepted for such duty, under the requirements of paragraph III, General Orders No. 58, current series.

III. Surgeons in charge of hospitals, Assistant Quartermasters, Assistant Commissaries and Ordnance Officers having in their employ able bodied men of conscript age, whose places can be filled by conscripts enrolled under paragraph III, General Orders No. 58, current series, will report the facts to the nearest enrolling officer, who will cause an exchange to be made, and will order the soldiers thus relieved from department employ to duty with their commands.

IV. Hereafter no new details, which will separate able bodied men from their regiments, will be made for duty in the Hospital, Quartermaster, Commissary or Ordnance Department.

By order.

S. COOPER,
Adjutant and Inspector General.

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