



The salary of the County Attorney for the ensuing year was fixed at \$62.50 per month and the Janitor at \$67.50.

The Poor Farm was leased to Mrs. D. Henaker for the year 1936 at rental of <sup>160.00</sup>~~\$200.00~~ cash rent.

The time having arrived for letting contracts for the County Printing and Publishing of legal notices, upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, The Mancos Times-Tribune was awarded the contract for printing the Commissioners Proceedings, all legal notices and the delinquent tax list at the legal rate fixed by law, and that the same be designated the official County Newspaper for the ensuing year. The Dolores Star was awarded the contract for the printing of the County Stationery for the ensuing year.

License for Dance Hall was granted to the S. P. M. D. T. U. Lodge of Mc Phee, Colo.

Resolution was passed agreeing to keep prisoners from the Town of Dolores for the amount of the actual cost to the County for the care of such prisoners. Adjourned to Tuesday at 10:00 o'clock 1-7-36.

Board met in adjourned session Tuesday at 10:00 o'clock A. M. with all members present:

After due consideration the following resolution was passed upon motion duly made, seconded and carried:

#### RESOLUTION.

State of Colorado )  
County of Montezuma ) ss.

WHEREAS, after careful consideration by this Board, it appears necessary and for the best interests of the People of the County to purchase a Cedar Rapids, Colo. Special, OPO Crusher, from H. W. Moore Equipment Company, for the use of the County on Road Work, on the terms hereafter stated and the sum of \$8120.00 is the reasonable and agreed value of the said equipment:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this Board purchase from the said H. W. Moore Equipment Company the above named articles for the sum of \$8120.00 payable to said H. W. Moore Equipment Company or its assignee as follows: \$338.33 cash in hand, and \$338.33 on the first Monday of each month thereafter for eleven months, and \$676.66 on the first Monday of each month thereafter for six months.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to evidence the said amounts payable, the Chairman of the Board, with the attestation of the Clerk, shall be and is hereby authorized to execute and deliver to said H. W. Moore Equipment Company assignable trade acceptances, and a certificate or certificates evidencing the above transaction and the agreement of the County to pay H. W. Moore Equipment Company, or its assignee, for the purchase so made; and it is understood that the said H. W. Moore Equipment Company may assign its right to the said payments, and that its endorsement of the said acceptances will be sufficient evidence of any such assignment:

Introduced, passed and adopted this 7th day of January 1936.

Frank Philley  
W. R. McCabe  
Geo. W. Menefee  
Board of County Commissioners of  
Montezuma County, Colorado.



Offer of \$25.00 for Tax Sale #6908 for 1923 taxes and all subsequent taxes on Lots 1 & 2 of Sec 5 & Lots 3 & 4 of Sec 4, Twp 37, R 17. Offer of \$50.00 for 1928 taxes and all subsequent taxes on NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 2, Twp 35, R 14 & W $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  & SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 35, Twp 36, R 14.

It appearing to the Board that the County is the owner of Tax Sale Certificate #9089 covering the 1930 taxes on Lots 9 to 11 Block 12, Lebanon, and deeming it to the best interest of the County to dispose of said sale: It was ordered by the Board that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell the same for the sum of \$1.00 plus the amount of \$74.00 for all subsequent taxes, plus Treasurer's fees; Provided said sale is taken up within 30 days from date of this order.

The following bills having been filed against the County, were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same:

Coleman, J. S.	Freight on Bisulphite	Rodent Pest	\$110.30
Frank Philley,	Salary & Mileage	O C R	65.93
W. R. Mc Cabe	"	"	69.13
Geo. W. Menefee	"	"	72.41
Claude H. Wilson	Treas.	"	150.00
Frank Shadell	Deputy Treas.	"	112.50
J. M. Brumley	Clerk Dist Ct. & Co. Judge	"	200.00
Ruth Givens	Relief Officer & Mileage	"	167.00
Chas. B. Reid	Stamps & Supplies	"	55.00
H. B. Hazard	Deputy Sheriff	"	87.50
Mrs. H. B. Hazard	Board of Prisoners	"	16.80
H. A. Walters	Janitor	"	67.50
J. G. Dunning	Assessor & Mileage	"	201.28
Madeline Mc Crum	Deputy Assessor	"	76.39
Myrtle Jordan	Supt Schools & Mileage	"	131.60
John J. Downey	Co. Att'y	"	62.50
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk	"	150.00
John Wesch	Deputy Clerk	"	112.50
James M. Noland	Dist. Att'y	"	158.99
Amer. Water Supply Co.	Rent of Ct. House	"	125.00
Chas. Fitts	Labor on Water Pipe	"	3.00
Eason W. Barr	Co. Agent	"	83.56
Johnson & Downey	Rent for Office	"	20.00
Oscar L. Pritchett	Coal for Relief Office	"	8.40
Sentinel-Richardson Co.	Supplies	"	8.52
Town of Cortez	Water Rent	"	9.00
State Indust. Sch. for Girls	Exp. of Mary Sales	"	15.50
Mancos Times-Tribune	Printing	"	31.43
Highland Utilities Co.	Lights	"	11.10
Harry V. Pyle	Justice Fees	"	17.05
Burns Nat. Bank	Order of Peters Ct Reporter	"	42.00
Colo. Ass'n Co. Clerks	Dues	"	5.00
Jos. M. Fleming	Plumbing	"	24.75
Mt. States Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Service	"	40.37
Cortez Sentinel	Supplies	"	1.25
Montezuma Valley Journal	Printing	"	.40
Gallup Typewriter Exc.	Repairs	"	10.85
Fred Olson	Guard Duty	"	17.50
Louis G. Hoffman	"	"	18.50
Bill Cook	"	"	38.30
Fred Mc Laughlin	"	"	21.00
The Dolores Star	Supplies	"	46.45
Out West Ptr. Sta. Co.	"	"	99.36
Pete Fisher	Order C. B. Neeley	Spec. Road	15.00
C. B. Neeley	Labor	"	110.00
Lee Reddert	"	"	86.00
B. T. Welch	"	"	37.75
R. W. Lockett	"	"	10.00
G. H. Denby	"	"	7.50
Chandler Dumagan	"	"	78.75
Frank Mc Kibben	"	"	91.00
William Hansen	"	"	82.25
Minnafee Morelock	"	"	121.00
Freddie Kelly	"	"	87.50
Milton Dunlap	"	"	85.75
Albert Leavell	"	"	92.75
Jack Morelock	"	"	10.50
Morris Mc Clelland	"	"	3.50
G. A. Collins	"	"	7.00
Robert Mc Gregor	"	"	84.00
Robert Beers	"	"	24.50
Jack Freeman	"	"	6.00
A. F. Harris	Order Geo. Leavell	"	7.50
Geo. Leavell	Labor	"	85.25
J. J. Harris & Co. Bankers	Order Sylvester Menefee	"	20.00
Sylvester Menefee	Labor	"	58.75
Gelwick & Wilber	Order Jake Swenk	"	7.50
James Fitzgerald	Labor	"	59.50
Albert Wagner	"	"	65.00
Geo. Mc Ewen	"	"	10.00
Super Shell Service	Diesel Fuel	"	140.00
Cole's Auto Service	Supplies	"	16.30
Cortez Motor Sales	"	"	3.35
August Weinman	Gas	"	2.90
A. F. Hopper	Coal for Crusher	"	33.78
Cortez Lbr. & Hdw. Co.	Supplies	"	49.91
Ute Mt. Builders Supply	"	"	8.07
Gateway Service Sta.	"	"	2.00
Otis Neilson	Labor	"	59.50
Paul E. Tschop	Repairs	"	26.68





Whereas it has been made to appear to the Board that the State of Colorado is considering the matter of exchanging certain of its lands lying within the boundaries of the United States Forest Reserve for other Government lands lying outside the Forest Reserve boundaries;

And whereas, the transfer of such State lands will forever remove them as possible future taxable property of Montezuma County:

And whereas, there are citizens of Montezuma County engaged in the livestock business who have for years held such lands under lease from the State who will be greatly damaged if such lands are so exchanged by the State:

Now therefore, be it resolved that it is the sense of the Board of County Commissioners of Montezuma County that such exchanges would be detrimental to the best interests of this County, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor of the State of Colorado and one to the State Board of Land Commissioners of Colorado.

Resolution was passed by the Board authorizing Ruth Givens, Director and Axel Johnson, Worker for the Montezuma County Public Welfare to take acknowledgments on all applications and any other papers in connection with the Public Welfare work except those requiring a regular notarial seal.

The following bills having been filed against the County were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same.

W. R. Mc Cabe	Commissioner	O C R Fund	\$69.13
Geo. W. Menefee	"	"	68.89
Frank Philley	"	"	65.21
J. G. Dunning	Assessor	"	273.56
J. M. Brumley	Co. Judge & Clk D.C.	"	200.00
H. A. Walters	Janitor	"	67.50
Madeline Mc Crum	Deputy Assessor	"	76.39
John Wesch	" Clerk	"	112.50
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk	"	150.00
Ruth Givens	Relief Officer	"	128.84
Myrtle Jordan	School Sup't	"	131.52
Frank Shadell	Deputy Treas.	"	112.50
Claude H. Wilson	Treasurer	"	150.00
Jesse H. Robinson	Sheriff	"	185.16
Mrs. H. B. Hazard	Board of Prisoners	"	9.10
H. B. Hazard	Deputy Sheriff	"	87.50
Burns Nat. Bank	Order E. D. Peters	"	32.00
James M. Noland	Dist. Att'y	"	128.21
James M. Degan	Deputy Dist. Att'y	"	60.58
Edson W. Barr	Co. Agent	"	46.33
John J. Downey	County Att'y	"	62.50
Amer. Water Supply Co.	Rent of C T. House	"	125.00
A. H. Baxstrom	Labor	"	12.50
J. J. Harris & Co. Bkrs.	Escrow Fees	"	23.00
W. C. Handley	Exp. Dunlap case.	"	43.60
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Telephone Service	"	43.24
Underwood Elliott Fisher	Typewriter	"	103.50
Chas. B. Reid Co. Clerk	Stamps & Supplies	"	37.29
Johnson & Downey	Rent Co. Agent & Rehab. office	"	20.00
Anita Schifferer	Mileage Co. Nurse	"	39.92
A. F. Hopper	Supplies	"	.62
Dolores Star	"	"	14.00
Highland Utilities Co.	Lights	"	16.88
St. Bd. Land Com.	List for Assessor	"	4.60
Mahan & Son	Printing	"	23.06
St. Indust. Sch. for Girls	Care of Mery Sales	"	15.00
Out West Ptr. Co.	Supplies	"	79.75
D. B. Wood	J. P. Fees	"	14.05
Glen R. Grace	Bee Inspector	"	38.00
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Tel Rehab. Office	"	11.13
Freed Kelly	Labor	Spec. Road	101.50
Frank Mc Kibben	"	"	63.00
Milton Dunlap	"	"	101.50
Chandler Dunagan	"	"	101.50
Minnafee Morelock	"	"	107.00
Bert Stewart	"	"	2.50
Joe Hill	"	"	77.00
B. T. Welch	"	"	7.50
A. F. Harris	" Order Geo. Leavell	"	7.50
Robert Beers	"	"	91.00
Geo. Leavell	"	"	87.00
J. J. Harris & Co. Bkrs	" Order Sylvester Menefee	"	20.00
Sylvester Menefee	"	"	69.25
Jim Fitzgerald	"	"	33.25
Pete Fisher	" Order C. B. Neeley	"	15.00
C. B. Neeley	"	"	110.00
Lee O. Reddert	"	"	98.00
Lou Menefee	"	"	27.50
O. L. Allen	"	"	4.00
Robert Mc Gregor	"	"	92.75
Roe Brown	"	"	92.75
Otis Nielson	"	"	70.00
Albert Leavell	"	"	94.50
William Hansen	"	"	101.50
Clinton & Held Co.	Supplies	"	103.54
J. J. Armstrong	Rent	"	5.00
Myberg's Garage	Supplies	"	71.11
Continental Oil Co.	Oil & Gas	"	477.87
S. S. Hackley	Lumber	"	60.00
Ed L. Zender	Repairs	"	35.55
Paul E. Tschop	"	"	20.21
Henry Brothers	Supplies	"	20.75

Ute Mountain Bldg. Co.	Supplies	Spec. Road	\$ 4.20
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Tel Service	"	2.30
Colo. Nat. Bank	Payment on Crusher	"	338.33
Constantine Garage	Repairs	"	.55
Bozman's Garage	Supplies	"	15.63
P. A. Pinkerton	Repairs	"	15.80
Cortez Lbr. & Hdw. Co.	Supplies	"	43.32
Cole's Welding Shop	Repairs	"	10.40
Gelwick & Wilber	Supplies	"	2.58
Taylor Hardware	" & Payment on Truck	"	259.57
A. F. Hopper	Coal for Crusher	"	29.69
Cole's Auto Service	Supplies	"	10.30
Mallett Motor Co.	"	"	9.65
T. Gai	Water Tank	"	20.00
J. S. Coleman	Supplies	"	15.00
Highland Utilities Co.	Lights	"	5.45
The Texas Company	Gas & Oil	"	35.42
Wm. Craig	Freight & Exp.	"	40.75
Mainway Service Sta.	Repairs	"	.50
Mexirado Distbr. Co.	Gas & Oil	"	188.29
Rocky Mt. Electric Co.	Repairs	"	15.28
H. W. Moore Equip Co.	Supplies	"	21.33
Southwestern Motor Service	Gas	"	7.25
Henry Honaker	Rent on Water Tank	"	12.50
Dr. E. E. Johnson	Coroner Services	O C R	136.50
Sentinel Richardson Co.	Supplies	"	4.00
A. F. Hopper	"	R. Pest	.54
Wm. Higman	Salary	"	50.00
State Treasurer	Supplies	"	54.00
S. H. Phlegar	Expenses	Adv.	55.00
Mrs. Arthur Georgetta	Rent	Public Welfare	12.50
Out West Ptr. Co.	Supplies	"	64.95
O. G. Konkel	Gravel	Spec. Road	25.00
Mrs. D. Honaker	Care of Poor	Poor	84.00
Letha Mc Lain	Rent	"	30.00
Highland Utilities Co.	Light Globes	"	.35
Bauer Bldg. Co.	Rent	"	15.00
Mont. Valley Irr. Co.	Water Rent, Poor Farm	"	136.67
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Tel Service	"	2.00
A. F. Hopper	Supplies	"	.77
Fay E. Holmes	Mothers Comp.	M C	15.00
Jessie Willden	"	"	20.00
Olive Willette	"	"	20.00
Cora Maness	"	"	25.00
Minnie Davis	"	"	15.00
J. L. Martin & Son	Relief for Mrs. Sullivan	State Relief	24.16
T. H. Akin Merc. Co.	" " Fry Hover	"	9.47
Moffitt Drug Co.	Drugs	"	2.33
Mancos Bug Co.	"	"	28.03
Dr. E. E. Johnson	Hospital Services	"	199.00
Dr. J. R. Trotter	Medical Services	"	64.00
Dr. L. H. Clark	"	"	20.00
J. W. Ertel	Burials	"	100.00
J. M. Fielding	Coal for Edna Jones	"	5.48
Sundry Persons	Cash Relief	"	142.00

Chas. B. Reid  
Clerk

Howard Philley  
Chairman

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The Board of County Commissioners met in special session on Tuesday, May 19, 1936 at 1:30

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday June 1st, 1936 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. : There were present:

Frank Philley	Chairman
Geo. W. Menefee	Commissioner
W. R. Mc Cabe	Commissioner
John J. Downey	Attorney
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk

Minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Appointment of Frank Richards was approved. X

Resolution was passed authorizing the County Treasurer to deposit a portion of the County Funds in the Citizens State Bank of Cortez, Colo. X

Mr. C. R. Beers and G. O. Harrison were appointed to audit the books of the County officials for the six months period ending June 30, 1936.

The matter of renewing contract with the Colorado Agricultural College and the United States Department of Agriculture for the employment of a County Agent for the year commencing July 1st 1936, was brought up for consideration and upon due consideration by the Board, it appearing that the present County Agent is not satisfactory, upon motion duly made, seconded and carried it was ordered that such contract should not be entered into.

Petition of Mrs. Frank Humphreys for rebate of \$8.90 of the 1928 taxes on the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  & Lots 3 & 4 & S $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 1, Twp 36, R 17, was presented to the Board stating that she was assessed with 98 shares of water for said land and that she owned only 80 shares of water: Having been approved by the Assessor the petition was allowed by the Board subject to the action of the Colorado Tax Commission.

#### In the Matter of Lost Tax Sale Certificate.

It having been made to appear to the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Montezuma, Colorado, by satisfactory evidence and proof, that Harry V. Pyle is the legal owner of Tax Sale Certificate #7573 issued to Montezuma County by the County Treasurer of said County, on December 18th 1926 for delinquent taxes, to-wit:

Tax Sale Certificate #7573 for the taxes assessed for the year 1925 in the name of T. A. Rotsch against the following described land to-wit; The E $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 12 and the E $\frac{1}{2}$  of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 13 in Twp 35, R 16 N M P M and later assigned to Harry V. Pyle the present owner of said land:

And it appearing to the Board that said Tax Sale Certificate has been lost and after diligent search can not be found; that the said premises have not been redeemed from said sale and that no Treasurer's Deed has been issued therefor;

It is ordered by the Board accordingly that a certificate of such proof and findings, to-wit: a certified copy of this order properly attested by the County Clerk of said County under the seal of the County pursuant to and with the effect of the Statutes in that behalf, be delivered to said Harry V. Pyle as the legal owner of said Tax Sale Certificate.

It appearing to the Board that the County is the owner of Tax Sale Certificates #7707, #7708, #8128 and #7961 and deeming it to be to the best interest of the County to dispose of said sales, it was ordered by the Board that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell the same as follows:

Tax Sale Certificate #7707 covering the 1926 taxes on the E $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 23, Twp 37, R 16 for the sum of \$1.00 and all subsequent taxes flat plus Treas. fees:

Tax Sale Certificate #7708 covering the 1926 taxes on the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 24, Twp 37, R 16 for the sum of \$1.00 and all subsequent taxes flat plus Treas. fees:

Tax Sale Certificate #8128 covering the 1928 taxes on the N $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  & SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  & NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 27, Twp 37, R 16 for the sum of \$1.00 and all subsequent taxes flat plus Treas. fees:

Tax Sale Certificate #7961 covering the 1927 taxes on the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 20 & the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 29, Twp 36, R 13, for the sum of \$500.00 including all subsequent taxes plus Treas. fees: Provided the above sales are taken up within thirty days from date of this order.

An offer of \$25.00 for Tax Sale Certificate #8394 covering the 1929 taxes on the E $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 8, Twp 36, R 13 and all subsequent taxes, was rejected.

The following claims having been filed against the County, were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same:

Frank Philley	Commissioner & Mileage	O C R Fund	\$ 70.21
Harry B. Hazard	Deputy Sheriff & Exp.	"	96.14
James M. Noland	Dist. Att'y	"	166.70
J. M. Brumley	Co. Judge & Clerk Dist Ct.	"	200.00
Myrtle E. Jordan	Sch. Supt & Mileage	"	124.80
Claude H. Wilson	Treas.	"	150.00
Madeline Mc Crum	Deputy Assessor	"	76.39
J. G. Dunning	Assessor & Mileage	"	255.44
Jess H. Robinson	Sheriff & Mileage	"	203.03
Mrs. H. B. Hazard	Board of Prisoners	"	30.10
W. R. Mc Cabe	Commissioner & Mileage	"	66.25
"	Expense to Grand Junction	"	37.60
Geo. W. Menefee	Commissioner & Mileage	"	61.69
John Wesch	Deputy Clerk	"	112.50
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk	"	150.00
Frank Shadell	Deputy Treas.	"	112.50
H. A. Walters	Janitor	"	67.50
John J. Downey	Attorney	"	62.50
James M. Degan	Deputy Dist. Att'y	"	50.00
Burns Nat. Bank	Order E. D. Peters	"	62.00
Lee E. Tripp	J. P. Fees	"	10.00
R. C. Tucker Jr.	Witness Fees	"	2.50
Remington Rand, Inc	Typewriter	"	108.00
Orville Heintze	Guard Duty, Dunlap Case	"	21.00
Joseph G. Rowe	" "	"	17.50
Jack Barnes	" "	"	21.00
Johnson & Downey	Office Rent	"	20.00
Edson W. Barr	County Agent	"	58.42
J. A. Vickmaier	Receiving Checkmaster	"	2.85

Hugo Weston	Water Commissioner	O C R Fund	\$ 84.00
J. J. Harris & Co., Bankers	Escrow fees	"	7.97
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Telephone Service	"	41.42
American Water Supply Co.	Rent of Ct.	"	125.00
Glenn R. Grace	Bee Inspector	"	53.12
Stanley Talcott	Repairs on Jail	"	12.00
Out West Ptr. & Sta. Co.	Supplies	Public Welfare	24.84
"	"	O C R Fund	95.41
U. S. Fidelity Bond Co.	Water Com. Bond	"	5.00
The Dolores Star	Printing	"	10.50
"	"	Public Welfare	28.50
Chas. B. Reid, Co. Clerk	Supplies	O C R Fund	32.58
Merrill D. Cook	Oats	R. Pest	44.00
Wm. Higman	Pest Exterminator	"	50.00
A. F. Mopper	Supplies	"	.80
Dr. H. C. Lefurgey	Med. Services	Poor Fund	48.60
Dr. J. R. Trotter	"	"	66.00
J. E. Barrett	Rent of Stoves	"	4.00
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Telephone Service	"	2.15
American Water Supply Co.	Rent for Sewing Project	"	7.50
Bauer Building Co.	"	"	15.00
Dr. R. W. Calkins	Med. Services	State Spec. Relief	61.70
Mancos Drug Co.	Drugs	"	28.42
A. F. Hopper	Supplies	"	11.57
J. L. Martin & Son	"	"	12.63
Dr. E. E. Johnson	Med. Services & Hospital	"	183.00
Ruth Givens	Director & Mileage	Public Welfare	213.50
Velma Dunlap	P. W. Stenographer	"	7.50
Axel Johnson	P. W. Worker	"	66.34
Jeanne Hopper	P. W. Stenographer	"	7.50
Pete Fisher	Labor, Order C. B. Neeley	Spec. Road Fund	15.00
C. B. Neeley	Labor, Road Supervisor	"	110.00
Jim Fitzgerald	Labor	"	16.25
Robert Beers	"	"	98.00
J. J. Harris & Co Bankers	" Order Sylvester Menefee	"	20.00
Sylvester Menefee	"	"	64.00
A. F. Harris	" Order Geo. Leavell	"	7.50
Geo. Leavell	"	"	80.00
Albert Leavell	"	"	91.00
Chandler Dunagan	"	"	92.75
Robert Mc Gregor	"	"	84.00
Freed Kelly	"	"	98.00
Frank Mc Kibben	"	"	101.50
William Hansen	"	"	98.88
Oscar Pritchett	"	"	6.00
Red Welch	"	"	2.50
Roe Brown	"	"	80.50
Joe Mill	"	"	21.00
Lee O. Reddert	"	"	98.00
Otis Nielson	"	"	77.00
Milton Dunlap	"	"	98.00
Minnafee Morelock	"	"	117.00
Chas. Lewis	"	"	4.00
Carl F. Bauer	"	"	5.00
Geo. W. Smith	"	"	27.00
S. S. Mackley	Lumber	"	50.00
Wm. Craig	Freight & Exp.	"	13.44
R. N. Musgrave	Supplies	"	2.25
Hendrie & Bolthoff	"	"	63.51
Colo. Nat. Bank	" Order H. W. Equip. Co.	"	346.50
The Texas Co.	Gas & Oil	"	269.28
Cortez Motor Sales	Supplies	"	18.75
Bozman's Garage	"	"	6.60
H. W. Moore Equip Co.	"	"	6.65
Mexirado Distbr Co.	Gas & Oil	"	132.65
Myberg's Garage	Supplies	"	41.49
Cole's Welding Shop	"	"	13.45
Chas. A. Constantine	"	"	20.30
Cole's Auto Service	"	"	3.75
Paul E. Tschop	"	"	14.95
J. J. Armstrong	Rent	"	5.00
Cortez Machine Shop	Repairs	"	22.74
Continental Oil Co.	Gas & Oil	"	152.55
Clinto & Held Co.	Supplies	"	2.61
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Telephone Service	"	7.80
Liberty Trucks & Parts Co.	Supplies	"	5.27
"	Payment on Tractor	"	671.39
Mrs. D. Honaker	Care of Poor	Poor Fund	84.00
Jessie Willden	Mother's Comp.	M C "	20.00
Olive Willette	"	"	20.00
Fay E. Holmes	"	"	15.00
Minnie Davis	"	"	15.00
Cora Maness	"	"	25.00
E. D. Peters	Referee of Water Rights	O C R	9.10
Will Giles	Labor	Spec. Road	11.00
Montezuma Lumber Co.	Lumber	"	181.24
Sundry Persons	Cash Relief	State Spec. Relief	40.00

Bill of H. L. Owens for \$40.00 disallowed on account of not being a proper charge against the County.

Bill of H. T. Ayers, Sheriff of La Plata County for \$24.00 milage in the Dunlap case disallowed as settlement had been made in full.

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday, August 3rd, 1936 at 10:00 o'clock A M; There were present:

Frank Philley	Chairman
Geo. W. Menefee	Commissioner
W. R. McCabe	Commissioner
John J. Downey	Attorney
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

By resolution the Board agreed to build one half mile of fence across the Wooley place provided the necessary right of way for road could be obtained.

Reports of the auditing committee on the books of the County Treasurer and County Clerk for period ending June 30, 1936 were read and ordered filed.

Butcher Bonds of A. L. Guillet and J. L. Martin & Son were read and approved.

License for dance hall located just out side the Town of Dolores, was granted to Mrs. Bertha Owens.

The following appointments were made to fill vacancies:

Mr. Herbert Halls, Precinct No. 6, Counting Judge.  
Mr. Marvin Shideler, Precinct No. 1, Counting Judge.  
Mr. Albert Knoblock, Precinct No. 4, Judge of Election.

It appearing to the Board that the County is the owner of Tax Sale Certificates #5613, #8251, #8263 and #8358 and deeming it to be to the best interests of the County to dispose of said sales, it was ordered by the Board that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell the same as follows:

Sale #5613 covering the 1919 taxes on Lots 3 & 4 & SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 14, Twp 36, R 17 for the sum of \$1.00 and the amount of \$149.00 for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #8251 covering the 1928 taxes on the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  & S  $\frac{1}{4}$  SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 1 and the NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  & NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 12 all in Twp 35, R 13 for the flat tax and the flat tax for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #8263 covering the 1928 taxes on Lots 20, 21 & 22, Block 12 L T S Mancos, for the sum of \$1.00 and the amount of \$99.00 for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #8358 covering the 1929 taxes on Lot 3 & N  $\frac{1}{4}$  SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 6, Twp 36, R 16 for the flat tax and the flat tax on all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Provided the above sales are taken up within thirty days from date of this order.

An offer of the flat tax for Tax Sale Certificate #8722 covering the 1930 taxes on the SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  & the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 29, Twp 39, R 17 including the flat tax for all subsequent taxes and an offer of \$75.00 for Sale #7977 covering the 1927 taxes on the N  $\frac{1}{4}$  SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  & E  $\frac{1}{4}$  NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 15, Twp 36, R 13 including all subsequent taxes, were rejected.

The following resolution was passed;  
TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
Washington, D. C.

Re: La Plata Project No. 1.

We the undersigned County Commissioners of Montezuma County, do hereby approve the resolution adopted by the San Juan Basin Live Stock and Grazing Association, Incorporated on the 17th day of July, 1935, copy attached.

In the past the products of the La Plata River have been slowly dwindling and values of land have decreased, due to the fact that large areas of land in Colorado were cleared and developed, thereby shortening the water supply for that part of La Plata Valley lying in La Plata County, Colorado.

By building the dam referred to in the accompanying resolution, an ample supply of water will be provided for a large area of the most fertile lands in the State of Colorado and thereby enable the present home owners in said section, numbering 520 families, to save their homes and their life-time investments.

The entire San Juan Basin of Colorado will be benefited by the construction of this project and for this reason we urge the approval of this project.

*Chas. B. Reid*  
Clerk.

Chairman Board of County Commissioners.

## RESOLUTION.

State of Colorado, )  
 ) ss.  
 County of Montezuma )

Whereas, after careful consideration by this Board, it appears necessary and for the best interests of the People of the County to purchase a Galion #112 Hand Control L. W. Grader from H. W. Moore Equipment Company, for the use of the county on Montezuma work, on the terms hereafter stated and the sum of \$1778.00 is the reasonable and agreed value of the said equipment:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this Board purchase from the said H. W. Moore Equipment Company the above named article for the sum of \$1778.00 payable to the said H. W. Moore Equipment Company, or its assignee as follows: Eleven Trade Acceptances for \$148.17 each due monthly from October 5, 1936 and one trade acceptance for \$148.13 due September 5, 1937, interest at 6%.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to evidence the said amounts payable, the Chairman of the Board, with the attestation of the Clerk, shall be and is hereby authorized to execute and deliver to said H. W. Moore Equipment Company assignable trade acceptances, and a certificate or certificates evidencing the above transaction and the agreement of the County to pay H. W. Moore Equipment Company, or its assignee, for the purchase so made; and that it is understood that the said H. W. Moore Equipment Company may assign its right to the said payments, and that its endorsement of the said trade acceptances will be sufficient evidence of any such assignment.

Introduced, passed and adopted this 3rd day of August 1936.

Board of County Commissioners of  
 Montezuma County, Colorado.

State of Colorado, )  
 ) ss.  
 County of Montezuma )

I, Chas. B. Reid, County Clerk in and for said County, in the State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of resolution of County Commissioners as the same appears upon the records in my office.

Given under my hand and official seal this 3rd day of August 1936.

*Chas. B. Reid*  
 County Clerk and Recorder.

## CERTIFICATE OF INDEBTEDNESS.

State of Colorado, )  
 ) ss.  
 County of Montezuma, )

August 3rd, 1936.

This is to certify that the Board of County Commissioners of Montezuma County, Colorado, pursuant to resolution duly and regularly adopted, purchased from H. W. Moore Equipment Company One Galion #112 Hand Control Leading Wheel Grader, 12' Moldboard and Blade, Model G13209A, of the reasonable and agreed value of \$1778.00 payable to the said H. W. Moore Equipment Company, or its assignee, eleven trade acceptances for \$148.17 each due monthly from October 5, 1936, and one trade trade acceptance for \$148.13 due Sept. 5, 1937 at 6%, evidenced by assignable trade acceptances of even date herewith.

It is understood that H. W. Moore Equipment Company may assign its right to the said payments, that its endorsement of the said trade acceptances will be evidence of the said assignment and the said County will pay the said amounts to the said endorsees, as the said assignees of the said H. W. Moore Equipment Company, on presentation of the said trade acceptances at their respective maturities.

ATTEST:

*Chas. B. Reid*  
 Clerk.

*Frank Philley*  
 Chairman, Board of County Commissioners  
 of Montezuma County, Colorado.

The following claims having been filed against the County were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same:

J. G. Dunning	Expenses to Denver	O C R Fund	\$50.00
Frank Philley	Commissioner & Mileage	Contingent Fund	61.93
Geo. W. Menefee	" "	"	65.05
W. B. McCabe	" "	"	72.33
Claude H. Wilson	Treasurer	"	150.00
Frank Shadell	Deputy Treas.	"	112.50
Madeline Mc Crum	" Assessor	"	73.50
James H. Robinson	Sheriff & Mileage	"	267.22
H. B. Hazard	Deputy Sheriff	"	87.50
Myrtle Jordan	School Supt & Mileage	"	122.80
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk	"	150.00
John Wesch	Deputy Clerk	"	112.50
Mrs. H. B. Hazard	Board of Prisoners	"	16.80
H. A. Walters	Janitor	"	87.50
J. M. Brunley	Co. Judge & Clerk Dist. Court	"	200.00
J. G. Dunning	Assessor & Mileage	"	196.96
James M. Noland	Dist. Attorney	"	136.47
James H. Dunning	Deputy Dist Attor	"	60.82

	Witness Cert.	Contingent Fund	
Cord Bowen	Supplies	"	\$ 2.65
Art. Burnside & Co.	Add. Mch. Service	"	5.03
Burroughs Add. Mch. Co.	Auditing County Books	"	9.15
G. O. Harrison	Escrow Fees	"	40.00
J. J. Harris & Co., Bankers	Hauling Trash	"	8.85
E. A. Taylor	Water Com.	"	2.00
Hugo Weston	Telephone Service	"	114.00
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Rent of Court House	"	57.77
Amer. Water Sup. Co.	Supplies	"	125.00
Out West Ptr. & Sta. Co.	Justice Fees	"	119.86
D. B. Wood	Care of Mary Sales	"	5.20
State Industrial Sch. for Girls	Printing	"	15.50
Mancos Times-Tribune	Order E. D. Peters	"	28.00
Burns National Bank	Supplies	"	84.00
Sentinel- Richardson	Lights	"	18.90
Highland Utilities Co.	Water Rent	"	12.19
Town of Cortez	Stamps	"	3.00
Chas. B. Reid, Co. Clerk	Coal	"	19.06
Geo. S. Spencer	Co. Attorney	"	33.40
J. J. Downey	Rent	"	92.50
Johnson & Downey	Lightz Globes	"	20.00
C. W. Lilly	Telephone Service for Re-Emp Office	"	25.00
Highland Utilities Co.	Supplies	Rodent Pest	2.40
Mt. States Tel. & Tel Co.	Salary	"	10.33
A. F. Hopper	Prairie Dog Poison	"	2.12
Wm. Higman	Supplies	Poor	50.00
State Treasurer	Rent	"	25.00
J. L. Martin & Son	Coal	"	13.02
Bauer Bldg Co.	Rent	"	12.00
Mancos Fuel Co.	Medical Services	"	4.50
Amer. Water Sup. Co.	Burials	"	16.25
Dr. E. E. Johnson	Telephone Service	"	187.00
J. W. Ertel	Medical Services	"	75.00
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	For L. Pomroy	"	2.10
O. B. Rench, M D	Supplies	Spec. Road	29.00
Dr. L. H. Clark	Gas & Oil	"	20.00
Mercy Hospital	Supplies	"	11.80
Cortez Motor Sales	Rent	"	8.00
Mancos Hardware	Telephone Service	"	22.53
Continental Oil Co.	Supplies	"	450.72
Kensington Steel Co.	Rent	"	47.01
J. J. Armstrong	Telephone Service	"	10.00
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Supplies	"	5.85
Bozman's Garage	Rent for Right of way	"	7.00
Rio Grande So. R. R. Co.	Payment on Crusher	"	10.00
Colo. Nat. Bank, Denver	Repairs	"	349.99
Cortez Machine Shop	Supplies	"	12.25
Clinton & Held Co.	Gas & Oil	"	77.84
Mexirado Distrib. Co.	Supplies	"	188.64
Hendrie & Bolthoff Co.	Repairs	"	8.53
Paul E. Tschon	Supplies	"	19.50
Myberg's Garage	Supplies	"	48.70
Cortez Lumber & Hdw. Co.	Repairs	"	15.72
P. A. Pinkerton	Lights	"	7.25
Highland Utilities Co.	Supplies	"	4.00
Montezuma Motor Co.	" & Payment on Truck	"	2.50
R. N. Musgrave	Repairs	"	4.15
Taylor Hardware	Diesel Fuel	"	123.48
Mallett Motor Co.	Supplies	"	14.97
Cole's Welding Shop	Freight & Exp.	"	2.00
Standard Oil Co.	Supplies	"	52.19
Chas. A. Constantine	Labor	"	2.00
Wm. Craig	Order C. B. Neeley	"	670
Liberty Trucks & Parts Co.	Road Supervisor	"	51.00
Wilfred Winship	Order Sylvester Menefee	"	70.00
Roe Brown	Labor	"	70.00
Pete Fisher	Lumber	"	15.00
C. B. Neeley	Repairs	"	110.00
Albert Leavell	Labor	"	94.50
J. J. Harris & Co., Bankers	Order Geo. Leavell	"	20.00
George Mc Ewen	"	"	5.00
Perry Shelton	"	"	14.00
Lewson Bowling	"	"	81.92
Ed L. Zender	"	"	66.60
Chandler Dunagan	"	"	91.88
Red Welch	"	"	28.00
A. F. Harris	"	"	7.50
George Leavell	"	"	62.50
Dale Stockton	"	"	3.50
Minnafee Morelock	"	"	102.00
Frank Mc Kibben	"	"	94.50
Lee O. Reddert	"	"	94.50
R bert Mc Gregor	"	"	94.50
Milton Dunlap	"	"	91.00
William Hansen	"	"	91.00
Fred Kelly	"	"	94.50
Robert Beers	"	"	91.00
Cole's Auto Service	Supplies	"	3.45
The Texas Company	Gas & Oil	"	236.35
Henry Brothers	Supplies	"	8.75
Sylvester Menefee	Labor	"	67.50





Don't Tell Dad Co. \$ 679.00



Docket Colo.--1032-R Montezuma County Court House" and that the same be endorsed in the name of said account by Frank Philley, Chairman, and a check taken by said Chairman signed by the County Treasurer of Montezuma County in the sum of \$30,625.00 and deposited by said Chairman to the credit of said Account in the First National Bank of Durango, Colorado, in the name of the Treasurer of Montezuma County and that nine warrants in the sum of \$500.00 each and one warrant in the sum of \$625.00 be drawn upon the County Treasurer against the Courthouse Building Fund in favor of the Citizens State Bank of Cortez, Colorado, and that the same be delivered by the Chairman of the Board to said Citizens State Bank and a draft taken by him for the sum of \$5,125.00 and deposited in said Construction Account in the First National Bank of Durango.

A requisition was also signed for authority to draw 25% of said Construction Account for the purpose of applying on operating expenses.

The following resolution was also passed:

Whereas, The Eastern Slope of Colorado is persistently attempting to divert large quantities of the water from the Colorado River and its tributaries through the Continental Divide to be used on the Eastern Slope of the Divide; and

Whereas, The interests of the Eastern Slope or at this time making strenuous efforts to secure administration approval of such diversions, especially that known as the Grand Lake- Big Thompson Project diversion; and

Whereas, These individual and combined diversion projects, if carried out, will seriously interfere with present and future needs of the agricultural, livestock and other interests of the Western Slope; and

Whereas, We, the Commissioners of Montezuma County, Colorado, have before us a copy of a protest by the Western Protective Association against these proposed diversion projects at this time and before a proper basis for determining amounts of water needed for Western Slope use, rights and interests is determined, said protest to be sent to the President of the United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt, asking that administration approval shall be withheld until a proper basis for determining the amounts of water if any, which may be diverted from the Western Slope to the Eastern Slope without prejudice to the Western Slope interests.

Therefore, Be It Resolved By the Board of County Commissioners of Montezuma County, Colorado, that we approve the protest above mentioned; and

Be It Resolved That we approve the position taken and the work done by Congressman Edward T. Taylor in his efforts properly and fully to protect the interests of the Western Slope in this matter, and that we commend him for his faithful and effective work in behalf of Western Colorado.

On motion of Menefee seconded by Mc Cabe the foregoing Resolution was introduced, passed and unanimously adopted this 5th day of October, A. D. 1936.

A resolution was passed by the Board a reading to obtain rights of way for road, according to the present survey, across certain lands now owned by Wm. M. Harris and Mrs. Mildred Armstrong, located down the Dolores River, below Mc Phee, Colorado.

It having been brought to the attention of the Board that warrant #27638, issued April 2, 1934, to Wood and Morgan in the amount of \$39.20, for hauling flour from Durango to the FERA Office at Dolores, was erroneously drawn on the Special Fund, it is therefore ordered by the Board that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from the Ordinary County Revenue Fund the amount \$39.20 and credit to the Special Road Fund.

It appearing to the Board that the County is the owner of Tax Sale Certificates #6670, #6997, #7143, #7144, #7259, #7877, and #9811 and deeming it to be to the best interest of the County to dispose of said Sales it was ordered by the Board that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell the same as follows:

Sale #6670 covering the 1922 taxes on Lot 10, Block 29 Cortez for the sum of \$1.00 and the amount of \$134.00 for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #6997 covering the 1923 taxes on the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 3, Twp 36, R 16 for the sum of \$1.00 and the amount of \$34.00 for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #7143 covering the 1924 taxes on Lots 18, 19 & 20, Block 2, Ptolemy's Addition to the Town of Mancos for the sum of \$1.00 and the amount of \$39.00 for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #7144 covering the 1924 taxes on Lots 14 to 17 inc, Block 2, Ptolemy's Addition to the Town of Mancos for the sum of \$1.00 and the amount of \$59.00 for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #7259 covering the 1924 taxes on the S $\frac{1}{2}$  S $\frac{1}{2}$  of Sec 25, Twp 36, R 13 for the flat tax and the flat tax for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #7877 covering the 1928 taxes on the NE $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  & W $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 15, Twp 36, R 13 for the sum of \$1.00 and the amount of \$99.00 for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees;

Sale #9811 covering the 1931 taxes on Lots 15 to 18 inc, Block 2, Coffin's Addition to the Town of Cortez for the sum of \$39.31 and for the year 1932 the sum of \$90.32 plus all interest and penalties and and the full taxes including all interest and penalties for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees; Provided the above sales are taken up within thirty days from date of this order.

Tax Sale Certificate #9632 was ordered cancelled on account of tax having been paid and also Sale #10035 on account of erroneous description.

An offer of the flat tax for Tax Sale Certificate #8789 covering the 1930 taxes on the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 15 and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 22, Twp 36, R 16 and the flat tax for all subsequent taxes was rejected.

The Colorado Tax Commission approved the petition of Fannie Gullett for rebate of taxes as follows: 1933 tax \$2.05, 1934 for \$2.05 and 1935 for \$2.02 on account of house having burned down in 1933.

Also the petition of the Cortez Land and Securities Co. asking for abatement on the 1920 taxes against the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 17, Twp 35, R 16, of \$176.10, was approved for the amount of \$143.45.

Meeting adjourned to following day.

*Chas. B. Reid*  
Clerk

*Frank Philley*  
Chairman

The Board of County Commissioners met in adjourned session on Tuesday, October 6, 1936 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. There were present:

Frank Philley Chairman

Commissioner Mc Cabe being absent.

The following claims having been filed against the County, were allowed and warrants ordered in payment of the same:

Claimant	Description	O. C. R. Fund	Amount
Frank Philley	Commissioner & Mileage		\$ 72.73
Geo. W. Menefee	" "		85.69
W. R. Mc Cabe	" "		81.37
John J. Downey	Co. Attorney		62.50
Johnson & Downey	Rent Co. Agent		20.00
J. M. Brumley	Co. Judge & Clerk Dist Ct.		200.00
H. A. Walters	Janitor		67.50
John Wesch	Deputy Clerk		112.50
J. G. Dunning	Assessor		150.00
Madeline Mc Crum	Deputy Assessor		76.39
Claude H. Wilson	Treasurer		150.00
Frank Shadell	Deputy Treas.		112.50
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk		150.00
Jesse H. Robinson	Sheriff & Mileage		222.34
H. B. Hazard	Deputy Sheriff		87.50
Mrs. H. B. Hazard	Board of Prisoners		83.30
Myrtle Jordan	Supt Schools & Mileage		132.00
Chas. B. Reid, Co. Clerk	Stamps & Supplies		59.35
Burns National Bank	Order Court Reporter		42.00
James M. Noland	Dist Attorney		176.07
James M. Degan	Deputy Dist. Att'y		73.72
Dr. E. E. Johnson	Co. Physician		50.00
American Water Supply & Co.	Rent of Ct. House		125.00
Cortez Sentinel	Printing		6.84
Mahan & Son	Printing & Publishing		64.92
The Dolores Star	Printing Ballots & Pub.		256.97
J. J. Jensen	J. P. Fees		38.60
J. W. George	Constable fees		14.80
Henry Wright	Juror		2.00
Charley Gilliland	"		2.00
Phillip Bauer	"		2.00
Highland Utilities Co.	Lights		14.30
A. F. Hopper	Supplies		2.78
Town of Cortez	Water Right		3.00
Sentinel-Richardson Co.	Supplies		5.51
St. Industrial Sch. For Girls	Care of Mary Sales		15.00
Mrs. Blanche Largent	Stove for Jail		6.00
Mountain States Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Service		64.21
Frank Scott	Delivering Ballot Boxes		8.00
Hugo Weston	Water Commissioner		72.00
Harry V. Pyle	J. P. Fees		14.75
Noel Hadley	Exchanging Ballot Boxes		5.00
J. J. Harris & Co., Bankers	Escrow Fees		8.49
Harry V. Pyle	Canvassing Votes		5.00
D. B. Wood	"		5.00
D. B. Wood	J. P. Fees		3.25
Out West Printing & Sta. Co.	Election & Other Supplies		488.31
Noland's Dry Goods	Supplies		1.80
Geo. C. Howard	P. O. Box Rent		.45
J. E. Barrett	Stove for Re-Set. Office		12.97
Mountain States Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Service	Poor Fund	4.85
Bauer Building Co.	Rent Sewing Project	"	12.00
Amer. Water Supply Co.	"	"	16.00
C. W. Lilly	"	"	12.50
Dr. H. C. Lefurgey	Supplies for Relief Office	"	3.05
Wm. Higan	Salary	Rodent Pest	50.00
C. B. Neeley	Road Supervisor	Spec. Road	110.00
Pete Fisher	Order C. B. Neeley	"	15.00
Albert Leavell	Labor	"	94.50
George Leavell	"	"	94.50
Lee O. Reddert	"	"	91.00
William Hansen	"	"	91.00
Minnafee Morelock	"	"	108.50
Frank Mc Kibben	"	"	91.00
Chandler Dunagan	"	"	87.50
Freed Kelly	"	"	91.88
Milton Dunlap	"	"	87.50
Jim Hill	"	"	52.50
Robert Beers	"	"	91.00
Robert Mc Gregor	"	"	91.00
Roe Brown	"	"	6.12
Ray Smith	" Assign. Albert Hambelton	"	22.75
George Mc Ewen	"	"	4.00
Bill Hindmen	"	"	6.00
Frank Scott	"	"	6.12
J. J. Harris & Co., Bankers	" Assign. Will Giles	"	42.48
Sylvester Menefee	"	"	88.63
J. J. Harris & Co., Bankers	" Assign. Sylvester Menefee	"	5.87
A. F. Hopper	Order Bridgewater	"	6.00
Henry Brothers	Supplies	"	35.75
Cortez Motor Sales	"	"	2.95
Ed L. Zender	Repairs	"	47.75
Mancos Hardware	Supplies	"	3.14
Wm. Craig	Hauling	"	7.51
Mallett Motor Co.	Supplies	"	39.67
Cole's Auto Service	Repairs	"	4.40
H. W. Moore Equip. Co.	Equipment	"	149.70

Liberty Trucks & Parts Co.	Repairs	Spec. Road Fund	\$ 3.06
H. W. Moore Equip. Co.	Equipment	"	14.24
J. T. Rush	Lumber	"	100.00
The Grand Oil Co.	Diesel Fuel	"	112.00
Mt. States Tel. & Tel. Co.	Telephone Service	"	6.05
International Harvester Co.	Supplies	"	27.17
Rio Grande S. R. R. Co.	Rent for Road Right of Way	"	20.00
J. J. Armstrong	Storage	"	10.00
Ute Mountain Builders Supply	Lumber	"	4.22
Highland Utilities Co.	Lights	"	4.55
Continental Oil Co.	Gas & Oil	"	125.95
Mexirado Distributing Co.	"	"	98.29
Paul E. Tschop	Repairs	"	25.00
Boxman's Garage	Supplies	"	111.49
Hendrie & Bolthoff Mfg. Co.	Equipment	"	73.69
R. N. Musgrave	Repairs	"	6.75
Gelwick & Wilber	Supplies	"	7.68
Cortez Lumber & Hdw. Co.	"	"	10.59
Taylor Hardware	" & Payment on Truck	"	211.71

*Chas. B. Reid*  
Clerk

*Frank Philley*  
Chairman

The Board of County Commissioners met in special session pursuant to call of Chairman Philley for the purpose of signing contract and approving bond of the Southern Prison Co., on Wednesday, October 7th, 1936 at 1:00 o'clock P. M. There were present:

Frank Philley Chairman  
Geo. W. Menefee Commissioner  
John J. Downey Attorney  
Chas. B. Reid Clerk

Commissioner Mc Cabe being absent.

The contract of the Southern Prison Co. of San Antonio, Texas, to furnish Jail for the Court House was signed and returned to the P. W. A. Office in Denver for their final approval, and their bond in the amount \$4,950.00 written by the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co. was approved.

*Chas. B. Reid*  
Clerk.

*Frank Philley*  
Chairman

By unanimous vote of the Board the following resolution was passed.

Whereas, It is necessary for the County of Montezuma to procure rights of way for Federal Aid Project 213-C across lands of the following named persons, to-wit:

Vern Robbins, Laura Paquin Parkinson, Mary Thresa Kelly, Louis R. Paquin, Nellie Williams Lamb, Charles Ammon Lamb, John Roessler, Alice Reid, Lolla Noland, Owen Noland, Myrtle M. Fowzer, Hugo Weston, W. A. Bay, the Heirs of J. F. Williams, Matt Schaefer and Gus Foch and the Heirs of Nella Gawthrop. And Whereas, The Board of County Commissioners has examined each piece of land to be taken for said right of way and have agreed with each of said land owner as to the amount of damage as follows; to-wit:

Vern Robbins \$100.00; Laura Paquin Parkinson, Mary Thresa Kelly and Louis R. Paquin \$135.00;; Nellie Williams Lamb and Charles Ammon Lamb \$300.00; John Roessler \$100.00; Lolla Noland and Owen Noland \$206.00; Alice Reid \$35.00; Myrtle M. Fowzer \$468.00; Hugo Weston \$57.00; W. A. Bay \$32.00; Heirs of J. F. Williams \$125.00; Matt Schaefer and Gus Foch \$100.00; Heirs of Nella Gawthrop \$185.00; And

Whereas, It is necessary for the County of Montezuma to procure rights of way for Federal Aid Project 269-D across lands of the following named persons, to-wit:

American Water Supply Company, Estate of P. Baxstrom, Ella Cofield, Leona Sinclair, W. A. Majors, Effie Berryman, Cortez Land & Securities Company, Leila M. Harris, Estate of Priscilla Tschop, T. W. Wark, S. C. Englehart, William Higman, Anthony Sukla, State of Colorado, Georgia Spickert, Mary Harris, C. R. Johnson, Imperial Security Company, J. W. Holmes, H. F. Morgan, Nannie E. Gardner, Robert Gardner, George Parks, George Mc Neel, E. L. Koenig, Frank Mc Neel, C. M. Darnell, and Roy Gilliam \$50.00

and Whereas, The Board of County Commissioners has examined each piece of land to be taken for said right of way and has fixed the amount of damage which the County is willing to pay to each of said landowners and has offered to pay each of said landowners such amount as follows, to-wit:

American Water Supply Company, \$106.50; Estate of P. Baxstrom \$155.25; Ella Cofield \$5.00; Leona Sinclair \$25.00; W. A. Majors \$92.65; Effie Berryman \$47.00; Cortez Land & Securities Company \$454.81; Leila M. Harris \$179.75; Estate of Priscilla Tschop \$26.45; T. W. Wark \$48.48; S. C. Englehart \$198.00; William Higman \$350.25; Anthony Sukla \$303.10; Georgia Sickert \$296.95; Mary Harris \$14.04; C. R. Johnson \$325.20; Imperial Security Company \$192.50; J. W. Holmes \$304.50; H. F. Morgan \$80.85; Nannie E. Gardner and Robert Gardner \$189.00; George Parks \$286.50; George Mc Neel \$465.40; E. L. Koenig \$130.00; Frank Mc Neel \$14.10; C. M. Darnell \$402.75; and Roy Gilliam \$50.00;

Now Therefore, be it resolved that a warrant be drawn in favor of each of the landowners above named in the amount following the name of each landowner as to each of said Federal Aid Projects and delivered by the Clerk to said landowners upon delivery to him of a quit claim deed conveying to Montezuma County the tract of land of each landowner covered and described in the right of way across each tract, and as to each and every of said landowners who refuse to accept the offer so made, the County Attorney is authorized and directed to commence condemnation proceedings.

*Chas. B. Reid*  
Clerk

*Frank Philley*  
Chairman

The Board of County Commissioners met in Special Session on Wednesday, October 7, 1936, at 1:00 o'clock P. M. pursuant to call of Chairman Philley for the purpose of signing contract and approving bond of the Southern Prison Co.: There were present:

Frank Philley Chairman.  
Geo. W. Menefee Commissioner  
John J. Downey Attorney  
Chas. B. Reid Clerk

Commissioner Mc Cabe being absent.



The Board of County Commissioners request that the Colorado Tax Commission authorize the proposed levy as applied for.

Dated at Cortez, Colorado,  
November 2, 1936.

Attest:

*Chas. B. Reid*  
Clerk

Board of County Commissioners

By *Frank Philley*  
Chairman

The following claims having been filed against the County, were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same:

Frank Philley	Commissioner & Mileage	O C R Fund	\$ 79.13
George W. Menefee	" "	"	68.89
W. R. McCabe	" "	"	67.53
J. G. Dunning	Assessor	"	150.00
Madeline Mc Crum	Deputy Assessor	"	76.39
Claude H. Wilson	Treasurer	"	150.00
Frank Shadell	Deputy Treas.	"	112.50
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk	"	150.00
John Wesch	Deputy Clerk	"	112.50
J. M. Brumley	Co. Judge & Clerk Dist. Ct.	"	200.00
H. A. Walters	Janitor	"	67.50
John J. Downey	Co. Attorney	"	62.50
James M. Degan	Deputy Dist Atty.	"	83.29
James M. Noland	Dist. Attorney	"	144.00
Jesse H. Robinson	Sheriff & Mileage	"	374.91
Mrs. H. B. Hazard	Board of Prisoners	"	22.30
H. B. Hazard	Deputy Sheriff & Mileage	"	90.94
Cortez Sentinel	Publication	"	186.48
Mahan & Son	" & Supplies	"	227.10
Town of Cortez	Water Rent	"	3.00
Dr. L. H. Clark	Services on Lunacy Case	"	10.00
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Telephone Service	"	66.80
Lyda W. Kermode	Insurance Premium	"	56.25
Out West Ptr. & Sta. Co.	Supplies	"	136.23
A. H. Baxstrom	Cleaning boxes	"	12.50
C. W. Winship	Delivering Ballot Boxes	"	6.00
Burns Nat. Bank	Order E. D. Peters, Ct. Reporter	"	72.00
C. L. Reiser	Co. Agent (Two months)	"	127.64
Montezuma Valley Journal	Publication	"	1.27
Johnson & Downey	Rent of Office	"	20.00
Mrs. Myrtle Jordan	Sch. Sup't & Mileage	"	134.88
Cortez Lumber & Hdw. Co.	Supplies	"	6.30
Amer. Water Supply Co.	Rent of Ct. House	"	125.00
Louis Dunning	Delivering Ballot Boxes	"	5.00
Chas. W. Neeley	Labor	Spec. Road	40.25
Robert Mc Gregor	"	"	92.75
Minnafree Morelock	"	"	117.00
Chandler Dunagan	"	"	77.00
William Hansen	"	"	94.50
Sylvester Menefee	"	"	94.50
Pete Fisher	" Order C. B. Neeley	"	14.75
C. B. Neeley	"	"	110.25
Lee O. Addert	"	"	96.25
Robert Beers	"	"	56.00
Albert Leavell	"	"	94.50
Freed Kelly	"	"	94.50
Otis Nielson	"	"	3.50
Roe Brown	"	"	91.00
Frank Mc Kibben	"	"	94.50
Frank Scott	"	"	84.00
Jim Hill	"	"	59.50
Milton Dunlap	"	"	94.50
Bob Holston	Lumber	"	43.77
Paul E. Tschop	Repairs	"	15.40
Cole's Welding Shop	"	"	23.55
Hart Auto Court	"	"	.77
Andy Wilhite	Coal	"	4.48
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Telephone Service	"	5.35
Biggs-Kurtz Hdw. Co.	Supplies	"	108.00
Internat'l Hdw. Co.	"	"	17.85
Wood & Morgan	Drayage	"	18.08
Clinton & Held Co.	Supplies	"	306.52
Mallett Motor Co.	"	"	141.46
Bozman's Garage	"	"	27.43
Colo. Nat. Bank	Payment on Crusher	"	355.00
George Mc Ewen	Work on Road	"	7.50
A. F. Harris	Labor, Order of Geo. Leavell	"	7.50
George Leavell	"	"	88.75
Continental Oil Co.	Oil & Gas	"	473.52
Turner Inv. Co.	Order Lawson Bowling	"	61.44
Taylor Hardware	Supplies	"	118.51
C. H. Webb	Ins. on Pickup	"	13.23
The Texas Company	Oil & Gas	"	131.58
H. W. Moore Equip. Co.	Supplies	"	150.44
Cortez Lbr. & Hdw. Co.	"	"	21.92
William Craig	Freight	"	29.96
Mt. States Tel & Tel Co.	Telephone Service	Poor	2.00
Amer. Water Supply Co.	Rent for Sewing Project	"	16.50
Nettie Fitts	Supplies	"	12.18

Meeting adjourned to November 13, 1936.

Chas. A. Reid  
Clerk

Frank Philley  
Chairman

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The following Sales were ordered cancelled on account of being erroneous:

Meeting adjourned to November 13, 1936.

*Chas. B. Reid*  
Clerk

*Frank Philley*  
Chairman

The Board of County Commissioners met in adjourned session on Friday, November 13, 1936 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. There were present:

Frank Philley	Chairman
Geo. W. Menefee	Commissioner
W. R. McCabe	Commissioner
John J. Downey	Attorney
Chas. B. Reid	Clerk

It appearing to the Board that the County is the owner of Tax Sale Certificates #8724, #8725, #10555, #10554 & #9054 and deeming it to be to the best interest of the County to dispose of said sales it is ordered by the Board that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell the same as follows:

Sale #8724 covering the 1930 taxes on the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 34, Twp 36, R 17 & Lots 1, 2, 3 & 4 Sec, 3, Twp 35, R 17 and all subsequent taxes, also

Sale #8725 covering the 1931 taxes on the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  & SE $\frac{1}{4}$  & E $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 23, & the N $\frac{1}{2}$  N $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec 26 & the E $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 22, Twp 36, R 14 and all subsequent taxes, also

Sale #10554 covering the 1934 taxes on the S $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  & N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 26, Twp 36, R 14 and all subsequent taxes, also

Sale #10555 covering the 1930 taxes on the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 5, Twp 37, R 12 and all subsequent taxes, including personal taxes amounting to \$39.36, for the sum of \$800.00 and all Treasurer's fees;

Sale #9054 covering the 1930 taxes on the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 34, Twp 36, R 15 for the flat taxes and the flat taxes for all subsequent taxes plus Treasurer's fees.

An offer of \$50.00 for Tax Sale Certificate #6974 covering the 1923 taxes on Lots 7 & 8 & E $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 18, Twp 37, R 17 and all subsequent taxes, was rejected.

Tax Sale Certificate #9674 was ordered cancelled on account of erroneous description and also Sale #9896 and #10412 on account of being a double assessments.

Bill of C. Francis Pillsbury for \$2104.92 for services as architect and bill of Alfred C. Larsen for \$850.32 on contract for the new Court House were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the Court House Construction Fund in payment of the same.

The budget for the year 1937 having been presented to the Board was adopted and in accordance with the statutes in that behalf made and provided, the following resolution was adopted to be known as the Annual Appropriation Resolution:

Resolved that the following be and the same is hereby appropriated to defray the necessary expenses and liabilities of the County for the year 1937:

County Commissioners,	\$ 2,850.00
County Clerk,	5,500.00
County Treasurer,	4,000.00
County Assessor,	3,800.00
County Sup't of Schools,	1,600.00
County Sheriff,	4,550.00
County Attorney,	900.00
District Court,	5,850.00
County Court,	1,500.00
Justice Courts,	300.00
County Coroner,	250.00
Court House Expense,	5,200.00
Social Service,	2,900.00
Misc. including Elections, Printing,	
Auditing, Insurance, etc.	2,400.00
Road,	43,000.00
Poor,	5,000.00
Contingent,	7,500.00
Advertising,	375.00
Blind Benefit,	1,000.00
Aid for Dependent Children	9,000.00
Public Welfare Administration	4,500.00
Rodent Pest	1,750.00
Redt. Registered Warrants	12,000.00

Having received the approval of the Colorado Tax Commission for the raise in levies for the year 1936, the levies for Montezuma County were adopted by resolution as follows:

Ordinary County Revenue	5.70 mills
Contingent	1.80 "
Poor	.90 "
Road	2.00 "
General School	5.00 "
Advertising	.07 "
Rodent Pest	.20 "
Court House Bldg.	.50 "
Redt. Registered Warrants	2.02 "
Public Welfare Administration	.60 "
Aid for Dependent Children	.75 "

The levies for the different School Districts having been certified to the Board were adopted by resolution as follows:

Dist. No. 1, Spec. 20.00 mills, Bond 2.00 mills, Interest

Redt. Wts 5 mills, Total 27.00 M.