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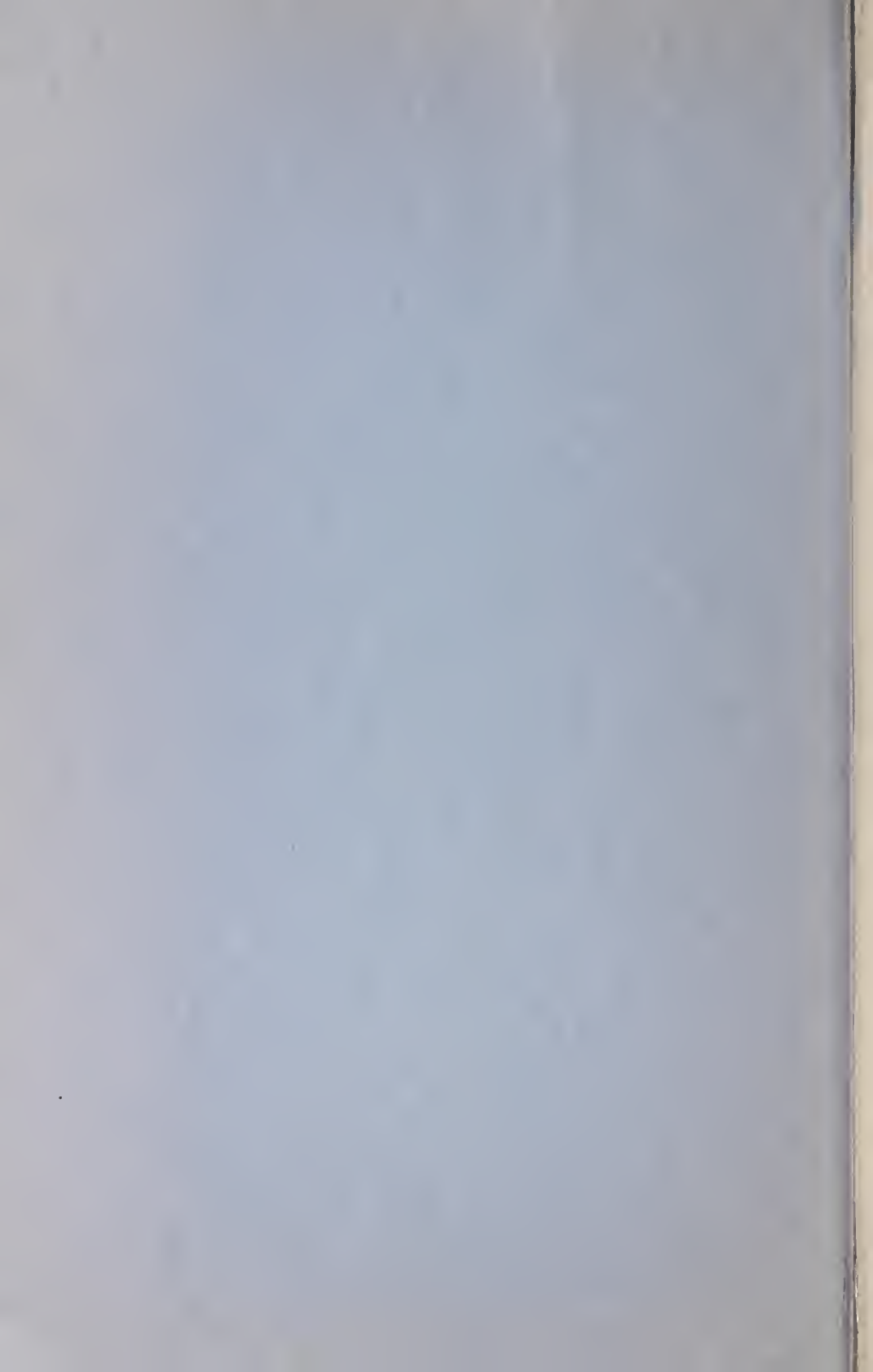
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*Twenty-Ninth
Biennial Report
1937-1939*



*Colorado State Industrial School
Golden, Colorado*

ADMINISTRATION

His Excellency, Teller Ammons, Governor of Colorado

BOARD OF CONTROL

John E. Hill, President..... Pueblo, Colorado
 Joseph H. Leyden, Vice President..... Denver, Colorado
 A. S. W. Carbone, Secretary..... Denver, Colorado

I. R. Taylor..... Superintendent
 Albert E. Corfman..... Coordinator and Ass't. Superintendent
 J. H. Wallace..... Chief Clerk
 L. L. Mohler..... Record Clerk
 Roy M. Kindred..... Director of Vocational Education
 Harry Plattner..... Supervisor of Operation and Maintenance
 Alfred Wise..... Night Supervisor
 George Atchley..... Parole Agent
 Dr. E. W. Kemble..... Medical Director

MEMBERS BOARD OF CONTROL

and

SUPERINTENDENTS

Members of the Board of Control and Superintendents since the organization of the school, July 11, 1881:

MEMBERS BOARD OF CONTROL

Name	Residence	From	To
F. Gardner	Franktown	1881.....	1885
S. W. Fisher	Golden	1881.....	1882
A. L. Emigh	Fort Collins	1881.....	1882
W. B. Osborn.....	Loveland	1882.....	1885
W. G. Smith.....	Golden	1882.....	1887
W. N. Mergue.....	Pueblo	1885.....	1893
A. L. Emigh.....	Fort Collins	1885.....	1889
J. C. Hummel.....	Denver	1887.....	1893
J. M. Morris.....	Golden	1889.....	1893
B. F. Williams.....	Denver	1893.....	1895
W. J. Jackson.....	Pueblo	1893.....	1894
Joseph Mann	Golden	1893.....	1895
Mrs. E. G. Curtis.....	Canon City	1894.....	1897
C. P. Hoyt.....	Golden	1895.....	1897
C. W. Lake.....	Golden	1895.....	1899
W. A. Smith.....	Denver	1897.....	1901
Charles Lendes	Pueblo	1897.....	1903
G. H. Kimball.....	Golden	1899.....	Died, 1903
H. E. Bell	Denver	1901.....	1901
J. R. Schermerhorn.....	Denver	1901.....	1913
Thos. J. Downen.....	Pueblo	1903.....	1909
Joseph Dennis, Jr.....	Golden	1903.....	1911
Frank G. Merick.....	Pueblo	1909.....	1915
Wm. Sweetser	Golden	1911.....	Died, 1912
S. A. Cunningham.....	Golden	1912.....	Died, 1914
Evangeline Hertz	Denver	1913.....	1915
Otis A. Rooney.....	Morrison	1914.....	1917
D. R. Hatch.....	Golden	1915.....	1921
Mrs. A. G. Rhoads.....	Denver	1915.....	Died 1923
Charles W. Owens.....	Golden	1917.....	1921
Alva A. Swain.....	Denver	1921.....	1924
Mrs. Stuart D. Walling.....	Denver	1925.....	1925
Arthur H. Bosworth.....	Denver	1924.....	1925
Charles J. Buckman.....	Golden	1926.....	1927
William Williams	Golden	1927.....	1927
Rex B. Yaeger	Denver	1925.....	1926
Emily Griffith	Denver	1925.....	1931

MEMBERS BOARD OF CONTROL (continued)

Name	Residence	From	to
J. B. Manby, Jr.....	Edgewater	1927.....	Died, 1930
J. S. Underwood	Lamar	1927.....	Died, 1931
O. A. Goetze.....	Golden	1930.....	1932
O. L. Chapman.....	Denver	1931.....	1933
Lila M. O'Boyle.....	Denver	1931.....	1937
Sterling B. Tracy.....	Denver	1933.....	1935
H. W. Carter.....	Denver	1935.....	1937
George L. Jensen.....	Denver	1935.....	1937
Dr. Arthur S. Adams.....	Golden	1937.....	1938
A. S. W. Carbone.....	Denver	1937	Now in office
John E. Hill	Pueblo	1937	Now in office
Joseph H. Leyden.....	Denver	1938	Now in office

SUPERINTENDENTS

Name	Residence	From	To
W. C. Sampson	Plainfield, Ind.	June, 1881	Apr., 1889
D. R. Hatch	Golden, Colo.	Apr., 1889	July, 1893
R. W. Morris	Pueblo, Colo.	July, 1893	Mar., 1894
G. A. Gerrard	Ft. Morgan, Colo.	Apr., 1894	Feb., 1896
R. G. Smither	Denver, Colo.	Feb., 1896	Jan., 1898
B. L. Olds	Denver, Colo.	Mar., 1898	May, 1901
Frank G. Merick.....	Pueblo, Colo.	May, 1901	Jan., 1902
W. W. Branson	Golden, Colo.	Mar., 1902	Aug., 1902
Fred L. Paddleford	Industrial School....	Aug., 1902	Nov., 1924
Charles Huscher	Golden, Colo.	Nov., 1924	July, 1925
Ben F. Taylor	Industrial School....	July, 1925	Aug., 1925
Claude D. Jones	Industrial School....	Aug., 1925	July, 1930
Charles Huscher	Golden, Colo.	July, 1930	Feb., 1931
B. T. Poxson	Industrial School....	Feb., 1931	Sept., 1935
O. A. Goetze	Golden, Colo.	Sept., 1935	Mar., 1937
I. R. Taylor	Industrial School....	Mar., 1937	Now in office

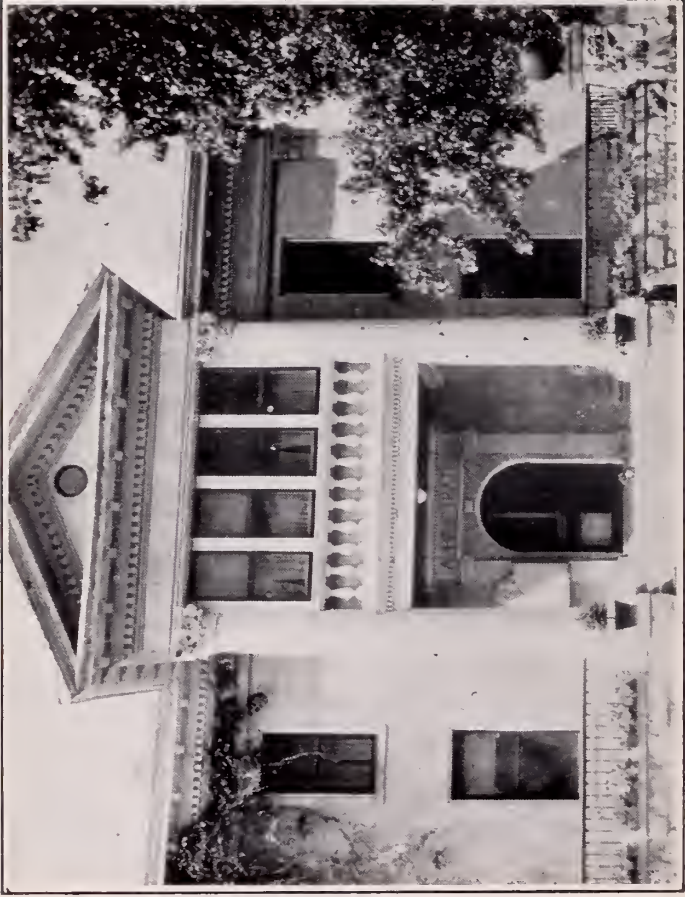
FACULTY MEMBERS

Roy M Kindred	Director of Vocational Education.
J. T. Flattery	Instructor in Electricity.
Mary Mohler	Commercial Instructor.
August Schultz	Instructor Dairying and Creamery.
L. L. Mohler	Commercial Instructor.
O. A. Goetze	Instructor in Printing.
Harry Plattner	Auto School and Mechanics Instructor.
August Lager	Instructor in Carpentry.
Robert Wilson	Instructor in Sheet Metal.
C. F. McNutt	Barbering Instructor.
Marie Morrioni	Grade School and Librarian.
Wm. A. Allen	Instructor in Military Education.
Robert Beausang	Physical Education and Grade School.
Fred Bochaty	Instructor in Forging and Welding.
W. J. Blackburn	Instructor in Tailoring.
H. W. Pace	Grade School
Roy Davis	Instructor in Laundrying and Dry Cleaning
John Eldredge	Instructor in Baking.
W. K. Pappas	Instructor in Cooking.
Walter A. Hopkins	High School.
A. F. Owens	Gardening and Canning Instructor.
John Anderson	Instructor in Agriculture.
A. J. Lincoln	Instructor in Shoe Making.
A. S. Shockley	Nurse and First-Aid Instructor.
W. W. Wildman	Instructor in Power House Engineering.
George Atchley	Instructor in Social Welfare.
Daniel Cavarra	Director of Athletics.
Clarence Booth	Instructor in Plumbing and Steamfitting.
George Mathews	Instructor in Painting.

COMPANY COMMANDERS

H. T. Curry, Merle Davies, Sam Kirk, John Lovern, George Mathews,
 Tom More, William Owens, T. P. Price, John Richards,
 H. B. Smith, A. B. Thomas, E. M. Witter

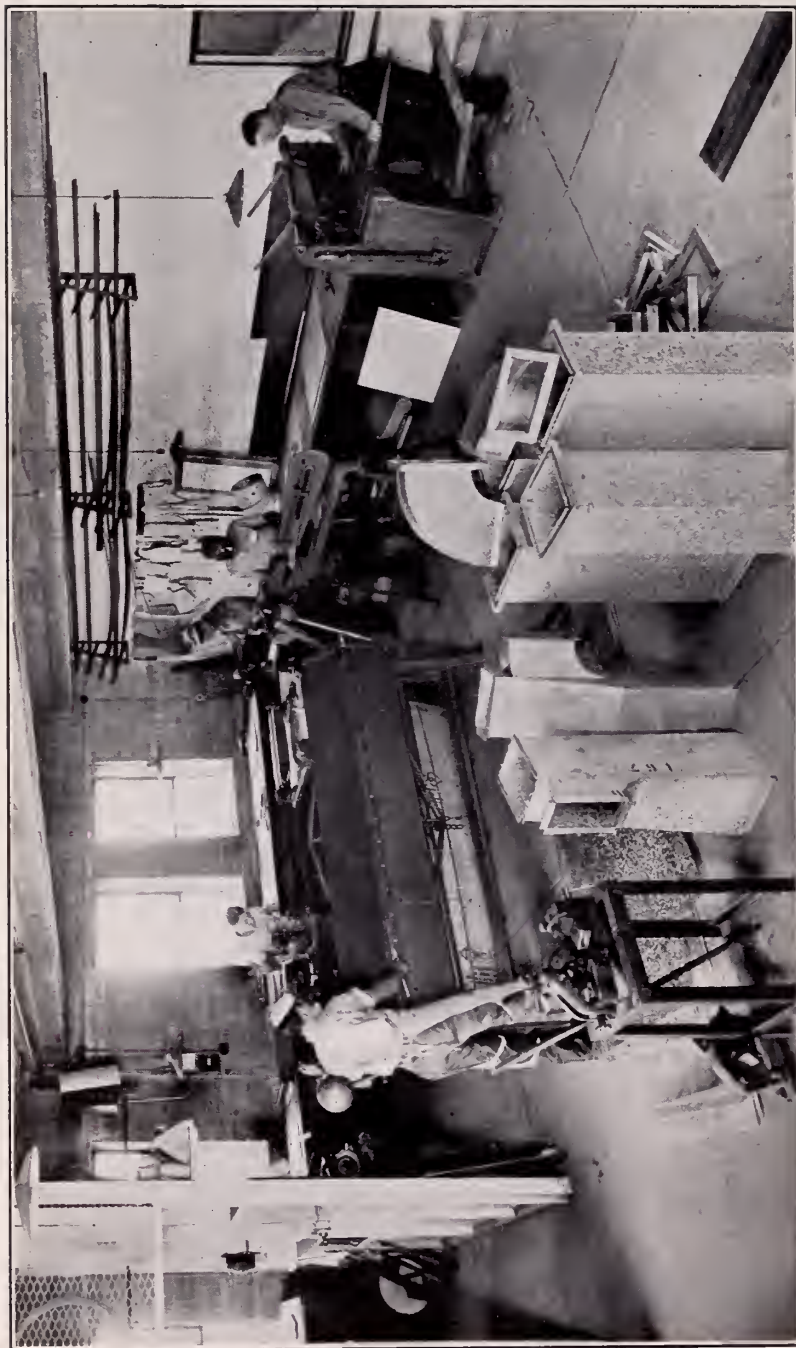
Paul PrinkSupervisor of Supplies
 Alta Davis.....Seamstress
 Helen Kevelin.....Nurse



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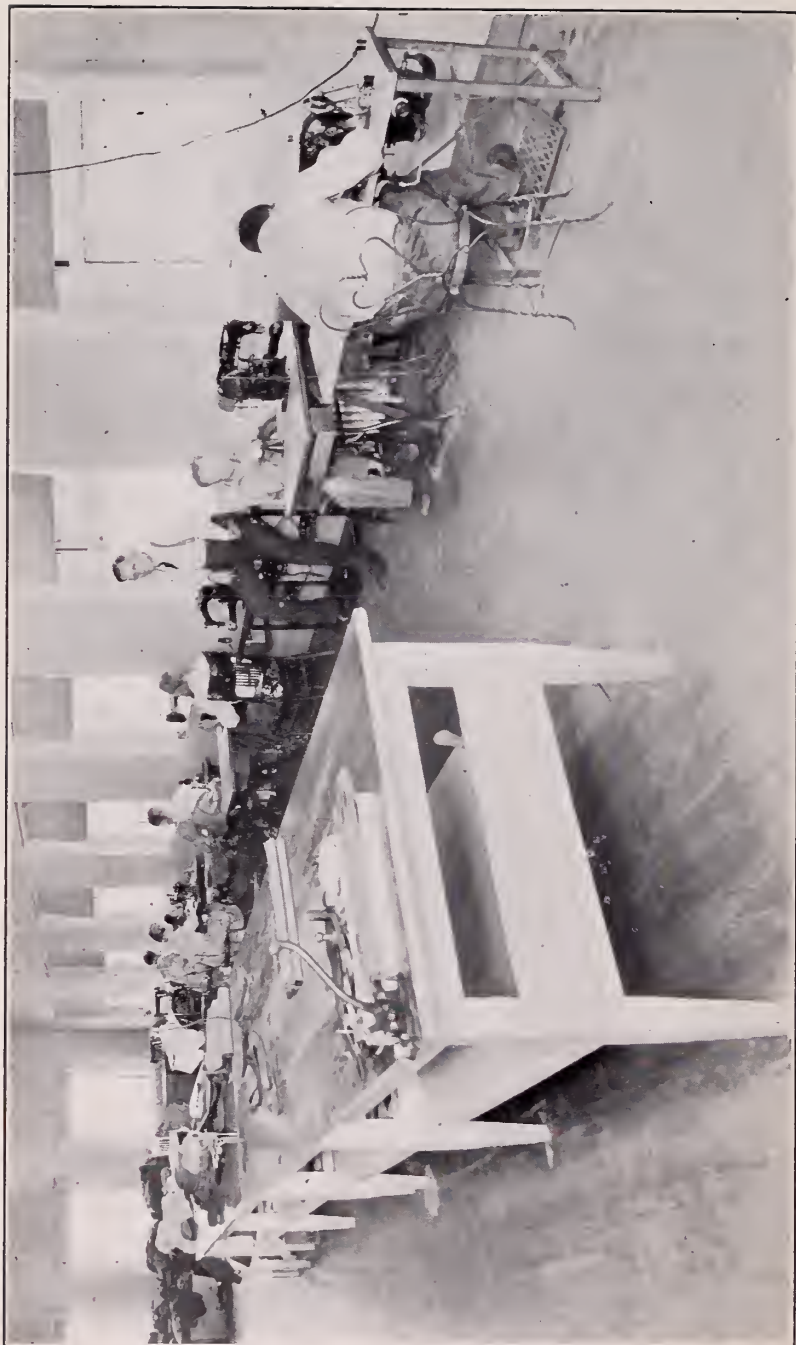
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THE SCHOOL LAUNDRY



PARTIAL VIEW OF BARBER SCHOOL



THE TAILOR SCHOOL



A CLASS IN PRINTING

Financial Statement

July 1, 1936, to June 30, 1938

Maintenance Fund—			
Balance July 1, 1936	\$126,228.57		
Expended July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1937.....			\$126,224.89
Maintenance	\$ 64,257.60		
Salaries		61,967.29	
Balance, June 30, 1937.....			\$ 3.68
Appropriated for per- iod, July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1939.....	265,000.00		
Expended from July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938			126,784.25
Maintenance	51,951.63		
Salaries		74,832.62	
Balance 1937-39 ap- propriation			138,,215.75
Total balance, June 30, 1938			138,219.43
Cash Fund—			
Balance July 1, 1936	18,692.44		
Cash receipts July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1937	17,568.65		
Expended July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1937			30,909.21
Maintenance		18,551.37	
Salaries		12,357.84	
Balance July 1, 1937			5,351.88
Cash receipts, July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938	8,534.72		
Expended to June 30, 1938.....			8,134.92
Maintenance	8,134.92		
Salaries			
Balance 1937-1938 collections			399.80
Total balance, Cash Fund, July 1, 1938			5,751.68
			\$143,971.11

Recapitulation—

Funds available from July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1939			436,024.38
1935-1937 appropria- tion balance, July 1, 1936		126,228.57	
1937-1939 appropriation		265,000.00	
Balance in Cash Fund, July 1, 1936			18,692.44
Cash receipts July 1, 1936, to June 30, 1937			17,568.65
Cash receipts July 1, 1937, to June 30, 1938			8,534.72
Disbursements		292,053.27	
Maintenance F u n d Appropriation 1935- 1937 Fund	64,257.60		
1937-1939 Fund Maintenance	51,951.63		
Cash Fund— 1936-37 M a i n - tenance	18,551.37		
1937-38 M a i n - tenance	8,134.92		
Total	142,895.52		
1935-37 Fund, Salaries	61,967.29		
1936-37 Cash Fund Salaries	12,357.84		
1937-39 Fund Salaries	74,832.62		
Total	149,157.75		
Balance July 1, 1938..		143,971.11	436,024.38

Per Capita Cost per Student:

Biennial	\$1,707.91
Year	853.95
Day	2.34

The above per capita cost includes the cost of Repairs, New Machinery and Equipment, Remodeling buildings, Maintenance and Salaries. Every cent spent by this Department has been used in pro-rating the per capita cost.

Needs for Biennial period 1939-41:

Personal services	\$161,510.00
Contractual services	16,530.00
Supplies and materials	104,695.00
Current charges	9,253.60
Equipment	14,065.00
Remodeling, Major Repairs	4,000.00
New structures	33,328.06
Land and Non-Structural Improvements	250.00
Total	\$343,631.66



REPORT OF BOARD OF CONTROL
and
SUPERINTENDENT

Golden, Colorado, November 1, 1938

To His Excellency, Teller Ammons,
Governor of Colorado,

and

To the Honorable Inez Johnson Lewis,
Superintendent of Public Instruction,

In compliance with the law creating the Board of Control of the Colorado State Industrial School, we respectfully submit this the twenty-ninth biennial report of the Board of Control, Superintendent and the Medical Director, covering the period from July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1938.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION

Number of boys July 1, 1936.....	170
Received (new) during term.....	304
Violated parole and returned.....	187 491
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Total number of boys cared for.....	661
Died	0
Discharged	48
Escapes	23
Paroled	400
Total number of boys leaving school.....	471
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Remaining in school June 30, 1938.....	190
Average number per day during term.....	171

Building Program

Under construction at the present time is a central storehouse and hospital additions.

The storehouse, when completed, will place all of the institution's supplies under one roof, to be requisitioned for as needed by the various departments. The structure will be entirely fireproof and will be large enough to take care of development of the school for years to come.

The hospital additions to the institution's infirmary consist of two large wings, one of which will be used as a convalescent ward and sun room, features that have been lacking for many years. The other new wing will provide additional room for needed beds. Obsolete plumbing will be replaced by new fixtures in old and new bathrooms. Modern treatment equipment will also be purchased.

The cost of the improvements total \$65,000, \$29,250 of which was allocated by P.W.A. and the balance, \$35,750 to be borne by the State of Colorado, the funds being derived from the building fund levy for this institution.

Tables Compiled from Records of the School
 Covering Biennium July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1938

Exhibit A

Showing From What Counties Boys Have Been Received

Adams.....	4	Kit Carson.....	1
Alamosa.....	4	La Plata.....	2
Arapahoe.....	7	Larimer.....	16
Baca.....	1	Las Animas.....	8
Bent.....	2	Logan.....	5
Boulder.....	13	Mesa.....	3
Chaffee.....	2	Montezuma.....	1
Cheyenne.....	1	Montrose.....	6
Conejos.....	1	Morgan.....	2
Clear Creek.....	3	Otero.....	8
Delta.....	1	Phillips.....	1
Denver.....	135	Pueblo.....	14
Eagle.....	3	Rio Blanca.....	1
Elbert.....	3	Rio Grande.....	6
El Paso.....	15	Routt.....	4
Fremont.....	4	Sedgwick.....	2
Garfield.....	3	Weld.....	9
Gunnison.....	1	U. S. Boarders.....	4
Huerfano.....	8	Total received [new].....	304

Exhibit B

Showing Ages of Boys When Received

Ten years.....	12	Fifteen years.....	83
Eleven years.....	19	Sixteen years.....	33
Twelve years.....	28	Seventeen years.....	8
Thirteen years.....	50	Eighteen years.....	1
Fourteen years.....	70	Total received.....	304

Exhibit C

Showing the Social Conditions of boys Received

Both parents living.....	208	Parents separated.....	78
Father dead.....	47	Without step-parents.....	205
Mother dead.....	43	Step-father.....	60
Both parents dead.....	6	Step mother.....	31
Status of parents unknown.....	1	Foster parents.....	27
Boys previously convicted.....	217	Boys not previously convicted.....	82
Boys who have been inmates of other institutions.....	48		
Boys who have not been inmates of other institutions.....	256		

Report of Medical Director

To the Board of Control
and the Superintendent,
State Industrial School,

Golden, Colorado.

Gentlemen:

The following report on our institution's hospital and its functioning for the years 1937 and 1938 is submitted for your approval.

The routine taken with the new boys on their admission to the School remains about the same. Due to economic reasons, isolation of all incoming boys is impossible but in any case where questioning or examination creates suspicion of possible exposure to contagious or infectious disease, rigid isolation is imposed. A very comprehensive Medical Report is immediately filled out for each new boy. On it is recorded the family history, which includes the ages and state of health of parents and brothers and sisters, or, if dead, the date and cause of death. A past history is obtained of illnesses, accidents and operations and then the findings of a complete physical examination are recorded. This examination includes the weight and measurements as well as examination of hearing, vision, teeth, nose, throat, heart, lungs, urinalysis, throat culture, Wassermann and tuberculin tests, and many other things. On this medical report card is noted the dates of the boy's toxoid inoculations, smallpox vaccinations and the results of the follow-up Schick and Tuberculin tests. Space is available on these cards to record all important illnesses, serious injuries and operations which the boy had while an inmate of our school. Upon his release, the medical report cards are filled with his other school records at the office for permanent record. Very few boys in private life, even in the best regulated families, ever receive as comprehensive a physical check-up as the boys get here.

During the boy's stay at the School, there is a record kept of every admission to the hospital with dates of admission, diagnosis, date of discharge and besides chart if needed. Through the sick book we also have a record of every trip the boy makes on daily sick call for any reason, no matter how trivial.

Twice a year every boy is re-checked and particular attention given to the aggravation or improvement of any of his physical defects and as to whether he is making proper gain in height and weight. Under the rigid supervision and

proper regulations of play, work and rest, together with diet, which is selected with great care, the number of boys who do not make satisfactory progress in growth is very small and invariably due to some constitutional condition. The foods served cannot be fancy because of economic necessity but they are good foods.

The general health of the boys for the past two years has been remarkably good. Although the number of cases handled is large due to the fact that boys are privileged to and do report on sick call for the most trivial things, the number of serious illnesses and major injuries has been less than for several years, and we have not had anything that could be called an epidemic in the past two years.

No deaths have occurred and the incident of contagious disease has been remarkably small, there being only ten cases in the past two years. There has not been a case of typhoid fever at the School in over twenty years. There has not been a single case of diphtheria in more than fourteen years among all the boys who have come and gone during that time notwithstanding the discovery through throat culture of several carriers. This would prove beyond doubt that immunization against diphtheria can be made almost 100 per cent. We have had equal success in guarding against smallpox.

To tabulate each case would be most laborious and I am sure the following data is sufficient to indicate the work done at the hospital. The number of cases admitted to the hospital for 1937 was 448. The average duration of hospitalization was 5.7 days, making the daily average of 6.9 boys in the hospital. The vast majority of these cases was La grippe and in addition there were cases of rheumatism, cardiac involvement, simple gastro-intestinal disturbance, venereal infections (5 cases of gonorrhoea), diphtheria carriers (13), contagious diseases (5 mumps and 3 scarlet fever), tonsillectomies (5), pneumonia (2 cases), etc.

During 1938 there was a total of 518 cases. The average duration of hospitalization was 5.1 making the daily average of 7.2 in the hospital. The vast majority of these cases was the same as in 1937, i.e., La grippe, rheumatism, cardiac involvement, simple gastro-intestinal disturbance, venereal infections, (1 case of gonorrhoea), diphtheria carriers (8), contagious disease (2 cases of chickenpox), tonsillectomies (2), appendectomies (2), etc. It should be noted that there were no pneumonia cases and only one case of venereal infection.

Injuries such as burns, sprains, fractures, and lacerations accounted for 209 hospital patients during 1937 and

1938. The number of boys reporting on sick call for 1937 was 5183, making the daily average 14.2. The number of boys reporting on sick call in 1938 was 7273, making the daily average 19.9. At least two-thirds of these visits were for very trivial things, such as scratches, warts, bruises, pimples, boils, laxatives, etc., and for the innumerable things that any young active boy can have wrong.

For the year 1937 sixty boys were sent to Colorado Psychopathic Hospital for general examinations and seventeen were sent to Colorado General Hospital. Twelve of the latter group were for special examinations, five for tonsillectomies. Ten boys had their eyes refracted and were fitted with glasses. Thirty-one boys made forty-seven trips to the dentists in Golden.

During 1938 fifty-eight boys were sent to Colorado Psychopathic Hospital for general examinations. Twenty were sent to the Colorado General Hospital; six of these were for special examinations. There were two tonsillectomies and two appendectomies, two X-Rays and eight refractions. Thirty-nine boys made fifty-two trips to the dentists in Golden.

In 1937 there were 133 new boys admitted to the School and in 1938 there were 136, each of whom was vaccinated against smallpox, given toxoid against diphtheria. In each case blood tests were made and throat cultures taken. Later skin tests were made for tuberculosis and Schick tests made to check on immunity against diphtheria as created by the inoculations.

The hospital building is now being remodelled and enlarged and when completed we shall have a very modern and up-to-date hospital for our institution. For the first time there will be a proper convalescent and sun room. The wards will be much more conveniently arranged and we will have a room devoted to electro-therapeutic appliances which will include short-wave diathermy, X-Ray for diagnostic purposes, sun lamps, etc.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. KEMBLE, M. D.



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