COLORADO HISTORICAL SOCIETY Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation 1300 Broadway Denver, CO 80203 HISTORIC BUILDING INVENTORY		SITE NO.: 5ME8618 Eligible for National Registeryesno
		date initials CriteriaABCD Contributes to a potential National Register district yesno district name:
COUNTY: Mesa	CITY: Grand Junction	Eligible for State Registeryesno dateinitials Criteriaabcde Areas of significance:
HISTORIC BUILDING NAME: Morey Mercantile		Period of significance Needs data date initials
CURRENT BUILDING NAME: Litton Moving and Storage		LOCAL LANDMARK DESIGNATION: [] yes [X] no
ADDRESS: 419 South Ave., Grand Junction, CO 81501		Date of designation: N/A Designating authority: N/A
		P.M.: UTE township: 1S range:1W SW ½ of SW ½ of SE½ of SW½ of section 14
OWNER NAME & ADDRESS: Thomas Litton, 200 Mesa Grande Dr., Grand Junction, CO 81503		UTM REFERENCE-12 Easting: 710660 Northing: 4326400
		USGS QUAD NAME: Grand Junction
		Year: 1962; photorevised 1973 [X] 7.5' [ ] 15'
STYLE: 20th Century Commercial		Block: 162 Lot(s): 5 and W23'8 3/8" of 6 Addition: Year of addition:
BUILDING TYPE:		[X] original location [] moved
		Date of moves(s):
MATERIALS: Concrete Foundation - Brick - Concrete - Built Up Roof		HISTORIC USE: Commerce PRESENT USE: Commerce
STORIES: 2	SQUARE FOOTAGE: 9600	DATE OF CONSTRUCTION- estimate: 1916 actual: Source of information: Tax Assessor's Records
PLAN SHAPE: north arrow		ARCHITECT: Unknown
		Source of information:
		BUILDER/CONTRACTOR: Unknown
		Source of information:
	£-	ORIGINAL OWNER: E.W. and Barton Terrill
		Source of information: Lot and Block Books
•		ASSOCIATED BUILDINGS- [] yes [X] no
		Type:

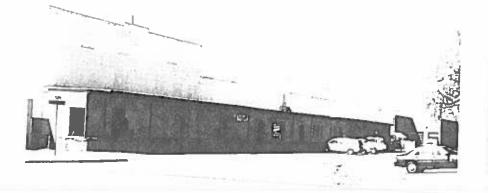
ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION: Two story with parapet shed roof. One section of a long, two and three story building. Covered, concrete loading dock. Corrugated metal roof over dock is supported by steel girder piers. Exposed metal rafters. Loading dock leads to two segmental brick arch entrances. Entrances have rolling metal doors. On the east facade are two double hung, wood sash windows, one-over-one, with brick relieving arches and rowlock brick sills. Segmental brick arch window in second story has been filled in with bricks. Three course brick cornice of roof parapet is continuous with rest of building. The facade of the brick building is painted gray. Terminal west wall of loading dock covered with lapped wood siding painted gray. Narrow flight of concrete steps, indented into west and of concrete loading dock. Window frames are gray. Brick chimney in the parapet. PHOTOGRAPHS (include photographs showing each side of building and any associated buildings) Film roll no.: 35 Photographer: Carolyn Howard Negative no.: 21 Location of negatives: City Of Grand Junction CONSTRUCTION HISTORY (include description and dates of major additions, alterations, or demolitions): Filled window. Additional construction or modifications not noted in Assessor's records. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND (discuss important persons and events associated with this building): This building, constructed in 1916, was home to Morey Mercantile 1916-1952. Morey was a wholesale firm which supplied independent grocers. They closed in 1952. The next occupant was Dixon Paper Company. The first owners, 1916-1923, were Barton and Terrill. In 1924, E.W. Terrill became the sole owner. After 1947, it was purchased by Thomas and Aileen Litton, owners of Litton Mayflower Moving and Storage Company. They are still the owners in 1996. INFORMATION SOURCES (be specific): Plat Map, Appraisal Card, Lot and Block Books, Grand Junction City Directories. SIGNIFICANCE (check appropriate categories) THEME(S): Architectural significance: Historical significance: [] represents the work of a master [] associated with significant person(s) ] possess high artistic value [] associated with significant event [X] represents a type, period, or method of [] associated with a pattern of events construction contributes to an historic district National Register eligibility: Individual [] yes [X] no Contributes to a potential district: Criteria: [] A [] B [] C [] D [jyes [X]no Area(s) of significance: Architecture District name: Period of significance: 1916 STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (briefly justify the significance checked above): The west unit of a row of coordinated warehouses. Although not eligible for the National Register, this building may contribute to a local register. INVENTORY COMPLETED BY: Museum Group Staff DATE: 5/31/96 AFFILIATION: Museum of Western Colorado PHONE: (970) 241-9117 ADDRESS: PO Box 20000-5020, Grand Junction, Colorado 81502-5020 PROJECT NAME: Grand Junction Historic

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