

Journal Prompt

Writing or journaling is always a great activity to exercise your mind! Here's an image in our collection. You may choose one or more of the suggested prompts below.

Captain Johnny Klevenhagen and his Company "A" Rangers, along with local law enforcement, are pictured here conducting a raid on illegal gambling in Galveston, Texas. Galveston had a history of illegal gambling throughout the 20th century, and Rangers made periodic raids on the island town. Texas gambling laws still prohibit casinos and betting games, and Rangers enforce those laws.

- What do you think is happening in this photo? Give it a caption or write a pretend news article about it.
- Describe anything you notice in the photo – where are they? What is on the truck? What are the men doing?
- Write from the perspective of a Galveston citizen hearing about the raid in 1957. What are their thoughts and reactions?


