

## 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.

"Homer Garrison" was painted circa 1980 by Raymond Ryan. This painting was created from a photograph taken in the 1940s in Burnet County. Homer Garrison became the first Assistant Director to the newly founded DPS in 1935. He was promoted to Director and Chief of the Texas Rangers in 1938. Artist Raymond Ryan is a western artist working in east Texas, where he continues to serve as a reserve sheriff's deputy. Ryan captures traditional Texas lifestyles, culture, and nature in his art.

### Give this painting a caption:

- What do you think is happening here?
- Write a transcript of the conversation happening between the two Rangers.
- Would you rather ride through the terrain in the painting in a car or on a horse? Why?



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