

## **Pearce Collection and Civil War Museum**

On July 27, 2009, 11 people and 7 Model A's met in Trinidad and drove over to Corsicana to visit the Pearce Collections and Civil War Museum. We were assigned one of their "best" tour guides (he was good!) for our visit to the Pearce's collection of western art and the civil war museum. While the war museum displayed many original letters from soldiers on both sides written to loved ones back home, many period artifacts, and interesting pictures, the western art collection was my personal favorite. There was also a special display on loan to the museum of handmade aprons from the late 1800 and early 1900's. I believe the ladies found this to be very interesting.

After the tour of the museum we all went to the Cotton Patch Café for an excellent lunch.

The weather was obliging with just enough clouds to cool things off (but no rain). It was a great trip.

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